

BERNARD F. VAIL

Curriculum Vitae

Education

B.A. Philosophy, DePaul University, 1967

J.D. DePaul University College of Law, 1968

Graduate study, International Law, University of Illinois, 1968-69

Employment

Graduate Teaching Assistant, Legal Writing Program, University of Illinois, 1968-69

Assistant Professor, University of Georgia, 1969-72. Taught Property, Family Law, International Law, Mortgages.

Associate Professor, Lewis & Clark Law School, 1972-79. Taught Property, Property Transactions, International Law, Wills & Trusts, Estate & Gift Tax.

Professor, Lewis & Clark Law School, 1980-Present. Teach Property, Family Law, Property Transactions, Wills & Trusts, Estate & Gift Tax, Elder Law.

Adjunct Professor, University of Oregon, 2000. Taught Estate and Gift Tax.

Arbitrator, National Association of Securities Dealers, 1996-Present.

Bar Membership

Oregon State Bar, Admitted 1975

United States District Court, District of Oregon, Admitted 1976

American Bar Association, 1975-Present.

Professional Service

Member, Oregon Senate Task Force on Real Estate Law, Advisory Committee, 1974-75.

Executive Secretary, Oregon Judicial Fitness Commission, 1980-87.

Member, Oregon State Bar Estate Planning & Administration Section, 1999-Present.

Chair, Oregon State Bar Estate Planning & Administration Section, 2003.

Member, Oregon Uniform Trial Court Rules Committee, 2000-2005.

Chair, Oregon Uniform Trial Court Rules Committee, 2005.

Member, Oregon Law Commission, 1999-Present.

Vice-Chair, Oregon Law Commission, 2006.

Member, Editorial Board, Oregon State Bar Elder Law Section Newsletter, 2002-Present.

Publications

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS: CASES & MATERIALS (Lewis & Clark Law School, 1979) (co-authored with Donald W. Large).

Compensatory Damages, Chapter 2 in DAMAGES (Oregon State Bar Continuing Legal Education, 1980).

What to Give Away, Report of the ABA Committee on Estate Planning and Drafting: Inter Vivos Transfers and Property Ownership, 18 REAL PROPERTY, PROBATE AND TRUST LAW JOURNAL 678 (1983) (contributing author).

Annual Revision, Martindale-Hubbell *Digest of Oregon Law*, 1995-Present.