**CURRICULUM VITAE**

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**EDUCATION:**

1966 B. Comm. Acadia University

1971 LL.B. University of New Brunswick

**CAREER:**

1966-1967 Counsellor for Canada Manpower

1971-1973 Associate in law firm of Léger, Yeoman, Creaghan and Savoie

1973-1976 Sole practitioner

1976-1983 Associate in law firm of H.R. Cohen

1983-1993 Partner in law firm of H.R. Cohen

1993-1998 Judge – Court of Queen’s Bench of New Brunswick Family Division

1998-2019 Chief Justice – Court of Queen’s Bench of New Brunswick

**ACTIVITIES:**

1971-1973 Moncton Barristers’ Society Secretary

1971-1973 New Brunswick Parole Board

1990-1991 Canadian Bar Association Council – New Brunswick Branch

**BOARDS OF DIRECTORS:**

1973-1977 Moncton Club Past President

1978-1990 New Brunswick Liquor Corporation

1985-1986 Canadair Limited

1986-1988 Junior Achievement

1972-1974 Moncton Y.M.C.A.

1985-1993 Moncton Y.M.C.A.

1985-1993 Chairman

1988-1993 Moncton Rotary Club Secretary

1990-1993 Moncton Y.M.C.A. Foundation Inc.

This foundation raised almost $1,000,000.00 for use by the local Y.M.C.A.

1990-1993 Atlantic Marine

1985-1993 Resurgo Inc. Chairman

Appointed by Moncton City Council. It consisted of a twelve member Board enacted to do such matters or things as may be deemed desirable to encourage the promotion of Revitalization activities within the City of Moncton. The major activity of 1992 being the acquisition and restoration of a movie theatre to a Live Performing Arts Center for Greater Moncton.

1989-1990 Moncton “100”

Co-chaired a special project committee which solicited donations of $250,000.00 from business community for a sculpture commemorating the history of entrepreneurship in Moncton.

1990-1993 Moncton Airport Economic Development Board Chairman

The appointment was recommended by the Provincial Government and Moncton Chamber of Commerce. It consisted of a five-member Advisory Board which was to provide a forum to bring local development and business expertise into airport planning and promotion with the aim of achieving effective participation of the airport in overall regional/local economic development and optimum commercial development of the airport itself.

1990-1993 Moncton Airport Transfer Study Group Chairman

It consisted of a twelve-member committee to evaluate the benefits of transferring the airport to a local airport authority. If the study indicated it would be beneficial to the communities, then to effect said transfer. We incorporated a company which examined a base case study prepared by Transport Canada. We met with municipal, provincial and federal authorities to ensure finding, and retained Peat Marwick Thorne as our consultants who assisted us in preparing a strategic overview and business plan. The Moncton Airport Transfer Study Group was the leader of second tier airports in its negotiations with Transport Canada.

1991-1993 Marine Atlantic Inc.

Served on Human Resources and Audit Committees

**HONOURS:**

1985 Queen’s Counsel

1991 Excellence Award (Partnership), Greater Moncton Chamber of Commerce

Recognizing work done with economic development agencies to promote Greater Moncton as a good place to live and work. Was the first recipient for the award.

1992 125th Anniversary Medals

One awarded by Senator Mabel Deware, and one by George S. Rideout, M.P., Moncton

1999 Order of Regents – Université de Moncton

2015 Honorary Doctorate in Civil Law – Acadia University

**PAST MEMBERSHIPS:**

Y.M.C.A.

Moncton Rotary Club

Moncton Club

Moncton Barristers’ Society

New Brunswick Barristers’ Society

Canadian Barristers’ Society

New Brunswick Soaring Association – Past President

American Owners and Pilots Association

The Luxor Shrine

**MEMBERSHIPS:**

Aesculapius Fishing Club

First United Baptist Church

**HOBBIES:**

Reading

Salmon fishing

Flying

Bridge