

Frederick W. Jones

2011 WPHS Alumni Circle of Distinction

Frederick W. Jones, a graduate of Winter Park High School, is both a super person and been formally designated as a "super lawyer." As counsel in the Central Florida office of the law firm of Burr & Forman LLP, Fred was reappointed in 2010 to the Florida Realtor-Attorney Joint Committee by The Florida Bar as an attorney member representing the 5th Appellate District. Jones two-year term began January 1, 2010. Jones was first appointed to the Florida Realtor-Attorney Joint Committee by The Florida Bar Board of Governors in March 1997 and has served continuously since then with successive 2-year appointments.

The managing partner of his law firm said, "We are tremendously proud of Fred's pledge to public service and his community, which reflects our firm's belief in civic involvement. His commitment to excellence in advocacy for both clients and the greater public is truly commendable." Fred practices in the areas of real estate law; mortgage law; and wills, trusts and estate law, focusing on residential real estate, estate planning and probate. He is Board Certified by The Florida Bar in Real Estate Law.

Fred is a member of The Florida Bar, and is an active member of its Real Property, Probate and Trust Law Section as a member of the Executive Council and vice chair of the Section's FAR/BAR & Liaison to FAR Committee. He is also a member of the Orange County Bar Association and the American Bar Association. He is past president of the Central Florida Real Estate Council and was named to the 2007, 2008 and 2009 Florida Super Lawyers list He is also included in the 2009 Super Lawyers, Corporate Counsel Edition.

In addition to being a past chair and Trustee of the Winter Park Chamber of Commerce and he is a graduate of Leadership Winter Park (LWP). Fred is currently a Board Member of the LWP Alumni Council and co-chair of the Youth Leaders program. He is also past president of the Winter Park Rotary Club. He is a member of Florida Blue Key, a student honor and service society at the University of Florida. Fred was a recipient of the Trustees Award from the Legal Aid Society of the Orange County Bar Association and the Attorney Appreciation Award from the Greater Orlando Association of Realtors.

After graduating from Winter Park High School, he attended the University of Florida where he received his B.A. in 1970 and his J.D. in 1974. He is admitted to practice in all courts in the state of Florida and he is admitted to practice before the United States Supreme Court, the Eleventh Circuit Court of Appeals and the United States District Court, Middle District of Florida.