

Christine Hall McClure



Ms. McClure has more than 30 years of experience, having practiced previously in the Erie firm of McClure & Miller, LLP. She served in numerous leadership capacities of the Erie County Bar Association, the Erie County Bar Foundation and the Pennsylvania Bar Foundation. Her practice includes estate planning, representation of borrowers or lenders in business transactions, general business counsel, and municipal law.

Education

- Villanova University School of Law, 1976, J.D.
Cum Laude
- Chatham College, 1973, B.A.
Phi Beta Kappa

Recent Accomplishments

- won a precedent setting case in U.S. Supreme Court that determined a certificate of deposit is not a security and is therefore not subject to anti-fraud provisions
- arranged for the world-renowned ceramic artwork of a Benedictine Monk to be sold through a private gallery with the proceeds going to a branch of the Boston Foundation which helps assist struggling artists
- successfully argued an appeal before the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania on behalf of a school district establishing the correct seniority date to be used in a teacher suspension
- successfully represented a school district before the Commonwealth Court of Pennsylvania upholding the suspension of a professional
- successfully defended before the Pa. Commonwealth Court an appeal from a township's denial of a request by a landowner for a curative amendment to its zoning ordinance
- successfully represented a Bank before the Superior Court of Pennsylvania in a petition to set aside a sheriff sale

Community and Professional Service

- Arts Erie, *Board of Directors, President*
- Chatham College, *Board of Trustees, Former Member*
- Brevillier Village Foundation, Inc, *President*
- Pennsylvania Bar Association, *House of Delegates*
- Pennsylvania Bar Foundation, *Secretary*
- Erie County Bar Foundation, *President*
- Pennsylvania Bar Insurance Fund and Trust Fund, *Secretary and Trustee*

Practice Concentration

- § Business
- § Real Estate
- § Estate Planning & Administration
- § Government

Firm Involvement

- § Shareholder
- § Board of Directors
- § Personnel Committee, *Member*

Admissions & Certifications

- § Pennsylvania, 1976
- § U.S. Court of Appeals 3rd Circuit
- § U.S. Supreme Court

Professional Affiliations

- § Erie County Bar Association, *President (2002), Board of Directors (2000-2003; 1992-1994)*
- § Pennsylvania Bar Association, *Board of Governors (1999-2002)*
- § American Bar Association
- § Pennsylvania Bar Foundation, *Vice President (2006-2007); Secretary (2008-2009)*
- § Erie County Bar Foundation
- § Penn Attorneys Title Insurance Co., *Board of Directors (2002-2003)*

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