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Fielding Williams's practice consists largely of estate planning and estate and trust administration. In addition, he represents individuals and small corporations.

He is a member of the Richmond, Virginia, Vermont, and American bar associations and the Virginia State Bar. A fellow of the American College of Trust and Estate Counsel, he also is a member of the Richmond Estate Planning Council and a member and past-president of the Trust Administrators' Council of Richmond.

He has participated in presentations of the Randolph-Macon College Estate Planning Council, the Trust Administrators' Council of Richmond, the Virginia Bar Foundation Continuing Legal Education Program, and the National Business Institute. He serves on the Council of the Legislative Committee of the Wills, Trusts and Estates Section of the Virginia Bar Association. Martindale Hubbell has rated Mr. Williams an AV attorney, its highest rating available. Mr. Williams is listed in *The Best Lawyers in America*® (1995-present) and *Virginia Business* magazine's "Legal Elite" (2008, 2010, 2015). In addition, Mr. Williams was named a "Super Lawyer" for Estate Planning & Probate by *Virginia Super Lawyers* magazine from 2006-2015.

He serves as a director of AAA Mid-Atlantic, Inc. and of Keystone Insurance Company and serves as president of Hollywood Cemetery Company. He has served on the board of trustees of Hampton University as vice-chairman. He also has served on the boards of directors of the Children's Home Society, the Christian Children's Fund, the Sabot School, the Richmond Community High School, and the Country Club of Virginia, Inc., and is president of the Grace & Holy Trinity Endowment Fund, Inc..

Mr. Williams received his law degree from the University of Virginia in 1966 and his Bachelor of Arts degree in 1963 from Yale University. He served in the U.S. Navy from 1967 to 1971 and attained the

rank of lieutenant.

He is admitted to practice before the U.S. District Court in the Eastern District of Virginia, and the Supreme Court of Vermont.

Practice Areas

- Fiduciary Litigation
- Estate Planning: Private Client & Fiduciary Services
- Wealth Transfer Planning
- Entity Formation and Strategic Planning

Education

- University of Virginia School of Law (LL.B.), 1966
- Yale University (B.A.), 1963

Professional Affiliations

- AAA Mid-Atlantic, Inc., Board of Directors
- American Bar Association
- Keystone Insurance Company, Board of Directors
- Richmond Bar Association
- Vermont Bar Association
- Virginia Bar Association, Wills, Trusts & Estates Section, Council and Legislative Committee

Awards

- American College of Trust and Estate Counsel, Fellow
- AV-Rated by Martindale-Hubbell
- *The Best Lawyers in America*® - Trusts and Estates (1995-present)
- *Virginia Business* magazine, "Legal Elite" (2008, 2010, 2015)
- Listed in *Virginia Super Lawyers* magazine - Estate Planning & Probate (2006-2015)