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Recognitions

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- *The Best Lawyers in America*® - Arbitration (2006-2025); Mediation (2006-2025)
 - "Lawyer of the Year," Newark Area - Arbitration (2013, 2018, and 2024); Mediation (2015, 2024, and 2026)
- New Jersey Super Lawyers® (2014 - 2019)
- Trial Attorneys of New Jersey - Trial Bar Award (2013)

Memberships

- New Jersey Supreme Court Advisory Committee on Expedited Civil Actions
- American Bar Association
- American Judicature Society
- New Jersey State Bar Association
- Federal Bar Association
- Trial Lawyers of New Jersey
- American College of Trial Lawyers, Fellow
- American Law Institute
- Fellows of the American Bar Foundation, Member
- Retired Judges Association of New Jersey, President, 2006

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- New Jersey Board on Trial Attorney Certification, Chairman, 1979–1987
- New Jersey Supreme Court Committee on Trial Advocacy Specialization, Chairman, 1977–1979
- Essex County Bar Association, President, 1985–1986; President Elect, 1984–1985; Treasurer, 1983–1984; Secretary, 1982–1983; Chairman, Library Committee, 1981–1982; Trustee, 1977–1982
- Essex County Legal Aid Association, Trustee, 1980–1986
- New Jersey State Bar Journal, Member, Board of Editors, 1975–1986
- National Board of Trial Advocacy, Board Member, 1980–1985
- Rutgers University, Trustee, 1978–1987
- Symphony Hall, Inc., Trustee, 1970–1976
- United Way of Essex County, Public Committee to Investigate Causes of Public Unrest in Member, Budget Committee, 1963–1966
- United Negro College Fund, Professional Committee
- Newark Museum, Trustee, 1985–1988, 1999–present

News

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- 27 Porzio Attorneys Recognized in *The Best Lawyers in America*® 2026 Edition; 6 Listed as *Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch*®, 8/21/2025
- 26 Porzio Attorneys Recognized in *The Best Lawyers in America*® 2025 Edition; 6 Listed as *Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch*®, 8/15/2024
- 27 Porzio Attorneys Recognized in *The Best Lawyers in America*®; *Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch*®, 8/17/2023
- 24 Porzio Attorneys Recognized in *The Best Lawyers*® in America, 2023 Edition, 8/18/2022
- Congratulations To The 23 Porzio Attorneys Recognized In *Best Lawyers*® In America, 2022, 8/19/2021
- Congratulations To The 23 Porzio Attorneys Recognized In *Best Lawyers* In America, 2020, 8/15/2019
- Porzio's Education Team Participated in the New Jersey School Boards Association Workshop 2016, 10/26/2016

Speaking Engagements

- "Recent US Supreme Court Cases Impacting the Workplace," Porzio Employment Law Forum, November 2, 2022.

Practices

- Education Law

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- Employment and Labor
- Litigation

Area of Focus

- Arbitration and Mediation

Industries

- Education

Prior Relevant Experience

- New Jersey Superior Court Judge, January 7, 1987–August 13, 1999 (Assignment Judge of Essex County, September 1, 1994–August 13, 1999)

Opinions, Decisions and Cases

- *Essex County Improvement Authority v. RAR Development Associates, et al.*, 323 N.J.Super. 505, 733 A.2d 580 (L.Div. 1999)
- PSE&G Shareholder Litigation, 320 N.J. Super. 112, 726 A.2d 994 (Ch.Div. 1998)
- PSE&G Shareholder Litigation, 315 N.J. Super. 323, 718 A.2d 254 (Ch.Div. 1998)
- *Grill v. City of Newark*, 311 N.J.Super. 149, 709 A.2d 333 (L.Div. 1997)
- *Nadelson v. Township of Millburn*, 297 N.J. Super. 549, 688 A.2d 672 (L.Div. 1996)
- *CWA, et al. v. Treffinger, et al.*, 291 N.J. Super. 336, 677 A.2d 295 (L.Div. 1996)
- Prudential Insurance Company Derivative Litigation, 282 N.J. Super. 256, 659 A.2d 961 (Ch.Div. 1995)
- *Patterson, et al. v. Cooper, et al.*, 294 N.J. Super. 6, 682 A.2d 266 (L.Div. 1994)
- *National Amusements, Inc. v. New Jersey Turnpike Authority, et al.*, 261 N.J. Super. 468, 619 A.2d 262 (L.Div. 1992)
- *Brew v. Stern, et al.*, 254 N.J.Super. 237, 603 A.2d 162 (L.Div. 1991)
- *Galpen v. Galpen*, 221 N.J.Super. 532, 535 A.2d 35 (Fam.Part 1987)

Bar Admissions

- New Jersey, 1955

Court Admissions

- United States District Court, District of New Jersey, 1955
- United States Court of Appeals, Third Circuit, 1957

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Education

- *New York University*
LL.M., 1959
- *Rutgers Law School*
LL.B., 1953
- *Rutgers University*
B.A. in Political Science, 1951