

Judge John J. Parker Memorial Award

North Carolina Bar Association

The Judge John J. Parker Memorial Award was established in 1959 by the NCBA Board of Governors to honor the memory and the accomplishments of Judge Parker and to encourage the emulation of his deep devotion and enduring contribution to the law and to the administration of justice by recognizing conspicuous service by members of the bar of this state to the cause of jurisprudence in North Carolina. This award is not given every year. All nominations will be referred to the Past Presidents' Council as the selection committee, and their selection is subject to Board of Governors approval. The recognition is made at the NCBA's Annual Meeting.

Judge John Johnston Parker (1885-1958) was for 50 years a member of the bar in this state, for 44 years a member of this association, for 32 years a judge of the United States Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit, for 27 years chief judge of that court, and in these and many other capacities rendered distinguished service to this profession, his state and his nation. Throughout his career as lawyer and jurist, he was a profound and eloquent advocate of the improvement of the law, the administration of justice, and the legal profession in North Carolina and the United States.

NOMINATIONS GUIDELINES

Please complete the form below. Also, using additional pages if necessary, please describe the significant contribution(s) that you feel the nominee has made exemplifying lifelong service to the profession in North Carolina. List other awards/recognitions nominee has received, and include other remarks that you care to make regarding nominee. Please feel free to attach any additional information and/or documentation including resumes, curriculum vitae, etc. If selected, you will be asked to provide a high resolution digital image of the recipient.

PAST RECIPIENTS

1959	J. Spencer Bell, Charlotte	1992	Carmon J. Stuart, Greensboro
1961	Hoyt Patrick Taylor Jr., Wadesboro	1993	Russell M. Robinson II, Charlotte
1962	Robert Franklin Moseley, Greensboro	1994	Julius L. Chambers, Durham
1963	J. Will Pless Jr., Marion	1996	William L Thorp, Chapel Hill
1964	Albert Coates, Chapel Hill	1997	James G. Exum Jr., Greensboro
1966	David Maxwell Britt, Fairmont	1999	Dr. Norman A. Wiggins, Buies Creek
1966	Lindsay C. Warren Jr., Goldsboro	2000	Walter F. Brinkley Jr. Lexington
1969	Raymond Bowden Mallard, Tabor City	2002	Harry C. Martin, Asheville
1971	William Marion Storey, Raleigh	2004	Robinson E. Everett, Durham
1972	Carroll Wayland Weathers, Winston-Salem	2006	Clarence W. "Ace" Walker, Charlotte
1975	James Dickson Phillips Jr., Chapel Hill	2007	Henry E. Frye, Greensboro
1977	Hamilton Harris Hobgood, Louisburg	2008	William L. "Bill" Osteen, Greensboro
1978	Susie Marshall Sharp, Raleigh	2009	F. Leary Davis, Greensboro
1981	Sam J. Ervin Jr., Morganton	2010	E. Osborne "Ozzie" Ayscue Jr., Charlotte
1984	William F. Womble Sr., Winston-Salem	2012	Rhoda B. Billings, Lewisville
1986	Harry E. Groves, Durham	2013	John C. Martin, Raleigh
1987	Joseph Branch, Raleigh	2014	J. Donald Cowan Jr., Raleigh
1989	James B. McMillan, Charlotte	2015	Wade M. Smith, Raleigh
1991	Franklin T. Dupree Jr., Raleigh	2016	Thomas W. Ross, Charlotte

NOMINATION FORM

Nominations are due by January 31. Submit by email to Samantha Currin at scurrin@ncbar.org or by mail to Samantha Currin, North Carolina Bar Association, 8000 Weston Parkway, Cary, NC 27513.

Name of Nominee: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Phone Number: _____ Email Address: _____

Contact information for person submitting the nomination:

Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

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