

AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATION

Chair, House of Delegates

Candidate's Name
C. Elisia Frazier
Date of Birth
December 2, 1962
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114 Grand View Drive
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Pooler, GA 31322
Law School from which Graduated
Howard University School of Law
Date and State First Admitted to the Bar
October 1988, Indiana



Statement by the Candidate:

For the past fifteen years I have had the pleasure of serving as a delegate to the House of Delegates representing a variety of entities from the Young Lawyers Division to the Section of Individual Rights of Responsibilities.

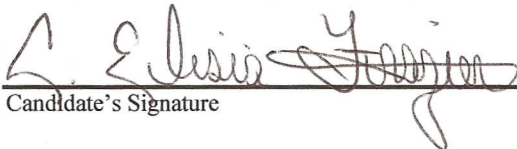
The House of Delegates is one of the most important entities of the American Bar Association. I am proud of the work of the House and have been honored to serve as a leader of several House committees including serving as vice-chair of Rules and Calendar and the Select Committee, chair of Admissions and Credentials and as the inaugural chair of the Resolutions and Impact Review committee.

In addition to my fifteen years of service in the House of Delegates, I have also served on the ABA Board of Governors and Indiana State Bar Association's Board of Governors and as an officer of the Allen County Bar Association. I have also served on the councils of the Young Lawyers Division, Section of Business Law, Section of Individual Rights and Responsibilities and the Section of Real Property, Trust and Estate Law. I currently serve as the chair of the Section of Individual Rights and Responsibilities.

Our profession and the American Bar Association face challenges unlike any that we have ever seen. It is important that the Section, Divisions and Forums of the American Bar Association and state and local bar associations work together to address these challenges. The House of Delegates is uniquely positioned to lead and shape the profession and the Association and I would be honored to have an opportunity to use my passion, skills, and experience to work with you as Chair of the House of Delegates. I look forward to speaking with you over the course of the next year and I appreciate your support of my candidacy for Chair of the American Bar Association's House of Delegates.

For additional information regarding my candidacy, please follow me on Twitter - @cef6238 or on Facebook – Elisia for Chair of ABA House of Delegates.

I have read the Rules and agree to abide by them.



Candidate's Signature

January 3, 2011

Date



C. ELISIA FRAZIER

EDUCATION

Howard University – J.D. 1988
Georgia State University – BBA 1984

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Kaplan Higher Education – Vice President and Associate General Counsel
International Paper – Senior Counsel – Forest Products and Wood Products Division
Lincoln National Corporation – Senior Counsel – Investment Management Division
Lincoln Life Improved Housing – Assistant Vice President and Director
Ohio Northern University Pettit School of Law, Ada, OH (2000)
Distinguished Legal Scholar in Residence & Adjunct Professor of Law
Course taught: Securities Regulation.

BAR ACTIVITIES

ALLEN COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION

-Executive Board – 2001 - 2003
-New Lawyers Section Executive Board 1993-1999
-Women Lawyers Section
Presenter - Bias in the Courtroom 1994
Assistant Coordinator -Allen County Bar Bias Conference 1994

INDIANA STATE BAR ASSOCIATION

-Nominating Committee
-House of Delegates
-Committee on Legal Education and Admission to the Bar 1988-91
-Committee for Opportunities for Minorities in the Bar 1990-94
-Young Lawyer Section 1988-1999
-Environmental Law Section 1990-1999
-Lawyer Certification Committee - Member 1994, Vice-Chair 1995

AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATION

ABA Board of Governors

-Section Officers Conference Liaison to the ABA Board of Governors
Operations Committee – 2007 -2009
-YLD Representative to the ABA Board of Governors - 1996 -1999

ABA Nominating Committee:

- IRR Representative – 2007 -
- Minority Member at Large – 2003 -2005
- YLD Representative – 2000 -2002

ABA Standing Committees, Commissions and Task Force

- Member of Commission on Racial and Ethnic Diversity in the Profession - Present
- Chair of Strategic Communication Committee 2000 -2003
- Member of Public Education Committee
- Member of Standing Committee on Meetings and Travel 2003 -2006
- Chair, Multicultural Women’s Attorneys Network 2006 – 2008
- Co-Editor, “Dear Sisters, Dear Daughters – Strategies for Success from Multicultural Women Attorneys” ABA Publishing
- Council for the Fund for Justice and Education 1999-02
- Member, Annual Meeting Task Force – 1995

ABA Museum of Law

- Secretary – 1997-2004

House of Delegates

- Inaugural Co-Chair of Delegate Involvement Committee - Present
- Chair, Credentials and Admissions Committee- 2008 - 2010
- Inaugural Chair of Resolution and Impact Review Committee - 2006-2008
- Member of Select Committee 2004-2006
- Vice Chair of Select Committee 2002-2004
- Vice Chair of Rules and Calendar Committee 2000-2002
- Delegate for the Section of Individual Rights and Responsibilities -2003-2008

Sections and Divisions

Business Law Section

- Editorial Board – Business Law Today
- Council Member - YLD Liaison 1994-1996
- Ad Hoc Committee on Women and Minorities 1990-1992
- UCC Committee 1989-1991

Section of Individual Rights and Responsibilities

- Chair – Present
- Chair-Elect – 2009-2010
- Vice Chair – 2008 – 2009
- Representative to the Nominating Committee 2006-2007
- Section Delegate – 2003 – 2007
- Board of Governors Liaison – 1997-99
- Chair, Thurgood Marshall Dinner Committee - 2004

Real Property, Probate and Trust

- Council Member – YLD Liaison 1994-96
- Membership Committee 1994
- Goal IX/Diversity Committee 1997 – 1998

Young Lawyers Division

- Representative to Nominating Committee 2000 -2002
- Executive Council 1993 – 2002
- Representative to Board of Governors 1996-1999
- Resolutions Committee 1993-1996
- Liaison Coordinator 1994-1995
- Director 1993-1994
- Editorial Board - Barrister 1991-1993
- Minorities in the Profession Committee
- Vice Chair 1992-1993
- Executive Committee 1991-1992
- Member 1989-1991
- Corporate Counsel Committee
- Planning Board 1989-1991

BAR MEMBERSHIPS/LICENSES

Association of Corporate Counsel
National Bar Association
State Bar of Georgia

LICENSED TO PRACTICE IN GEORGIA, INDIANA AND TENNESSEE

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Mayoral Public Safety Task Force – Savannah, Georgia

Commissioner, City of Fort Wayne Redevelopment Commission

Member – Mayor’s Ethics Advisory Committee – Fort Wayne, Indiana

Advisory Board Member – Fort Wayne Community Schools Study Connection Program

Trustee and Secretary/Board of Trustees – Fort Wayne Museum of Art

Presenter – Fort Wayne Jewish Federation’s Minority Literature Project

PRO BONO ACTIVITIES

- Georgia Truancy Project
- Georgia Legal Services Program
- Memphis Area Legal Services