

TIMOTHY M. GIBBONS
160 North Crest Road
Chattanooga, Tennessee 37404

EDUCATION:

Juris Doctor, magna cum laude, May 1991

University of Georgia School of Law, Athens, Georgia

Honors/Activities: *Georgia Law Review*, Editorial Board (1989-1990), Articles Editor (1990-1991); *Order of the Coif* (graduated in top 10% of class—18th out of 235); *Author of The Equal Access Act and Mergens; Balancing the Religion Clauses in Public Schools*, 24 Ga. L. Rev. 1141 (1990); *Recipient of Southeastern Bankruptcy Institute Scholarship* (1990-1991); *American Jurisprudence Awards*: (highest grade) Civil Procedure, Legal Research and Writing; Christian Legal Society

Master of Science in Industrial Management, September 1982

Georgia Institute of Technology, Atlanta, Georgia (Georgia Tech's MBA degree)

Master of Architecture, June 1981

Georgia Institute of Technology, Atlanta, Georgia

Honors/Activities: Taught Architectural Design as teaching assistant.

Bachelor of Science, with honor, June 1979

Georgia Institute of Technology, Atlanta, Georgia

Honors/Activities: Studied abroad at L'ecole Nationale Superieur des Beaux-Arts in Paris, France (1978-1979); Dean's List; Varsity Gymnastics Team (lettered in 1978); Fellowship of Christian Athletes; Baptist Student Union.

EMPLOYMENT:

Attorney at Law

Chambliss, Bahner & Stophel, P.C., Chattanooga, TN (December 2003 to present)

Practice: General litigation and commercial legal practice in state and federal courts and alternative dispute resolution with heavy emphasis on construction law. Licensed to practice in Georgia and Tennessee in state and federal courts (1991), and the United States Supreme Court (1995). Chair of the Construction Section for Meritas, an international affiliation of law firms; incoming Chair of the Construction Section of the Tennessee Bar Association.

Practice is devoted almost exclusively to construction and related issues.

Representative clients include owners, general contractors, subcontractors, suppliers, architects, engineers and sureties. Have litigated and arbitrated numerous construction disputes with issues including defective construction, delay claims, cost

overruns, change order issues, construction failures and collapses and wide range of payment claims. In addition, have been involved in contract negotiations and drafting construction agreements in projects ranging from single family dwellings to industrial plants and large sports facilities.

Member: National Lawyers Association, Tennessee and Georgia Bar Associations, Chattanooga Bar Association, Lookout Mountain Bar Association, Tennessee Association of Construction Counsel (Founding Member and past officer); incoming Chair of the Construction Section of the Tennessee Bar Association; Christian Legal Society (past president of local chapter).

Samples, Jennings, Ray & Gibbons, PLLC, Chattanooga, TN (May 2002—December 2003).

Chambliss, Bahner & Stophel, P.C., Chattanooga, TN (May 1991—May 2002); became shareholder in January, 1998.

Practice: General Litigation in state and federal courts (licensed in Georgia and Tennessee); focusing on construction law, litigation and alternative dispute resolution.

Architect

AECK Associates, Atlanta, Georgia (January 1985-August 1988).

Job Duties: Project Designer/Project Architect (sole responsibility for numerous projects from design through construction; *Significant projects:* Hapeville Elementary School (design only); Archives and History Storage Facility for the State of Georgia; Arts Center Tower (renovation of 20-story apartment tower in downtown Atlanta, Georgia).

Heery International, Atlanta, Georgia (June 1981-January 1985).

Job Duties: Worked on numerous projects at varying levels of responsibility.

PERSONAL:

Date/place of birth: September 4, 1957; Atlanta, Georgia.

Family: Married to Joy Stell, August 15, 1981; Four Children: Jonathan Andrew (April 18, 1985), Elizabeth Grace (June 16, 1987), Anna Hope (July 7, 1991), Abigail Joy (October 14, 1992).

Church: Lookout Mountain Presbyterian Church

Interests: Theology, Choral Music, various sports, old houses and old cars.

Civic: Past Chairman of the Board of Chattanooga Resource Foundation; Member of Board of Directors for the National Center for Youth Issues, a not-for-profit entity that is the leading provider of character education materials for public and private schools nationwide; Chattanooga Georgia Tech Club, Past President.

References available upon request.