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**VIRGINIA LAW FOUNDATION ANNOUNCES  
FELLOWS CLASS OF 2009**

The Virginia Law Foundation will induct 17 Virginia lawyers its 2009 Class of Fellows at a dinner meeting to be held on January 22 in Williamsburg during The Virginia Bar Association's Annual Meeting. Guest speaker for the occasion will be Dr. Edward L. Ayers, President of the University of Richmond.

Induction as a Fellow of the Virginia Law Foundation is a special honor conferred by the VLF Board on selected Virginia attorneys, law professors, and retired members of the judiciary who are deemed to be outstanding in their profession and in their community.

The persons listed below are scheduled for induction as the 2009 Class of Fellows:

- **William L. Botts, III** (Fredericksburg); Executive Director of Rappahannock Legal Aid.
- **Ann T. Burks** (Richmond); Assistant Counsel for NewMarket Service Corporation (formerly Ethyl Corporation).
- **Thomas J. Cawley** (McLean); partner with Hunton & Williams.
- **Honorable Ernest P. Gates** (Chesterfield); retired, he served as Judge and Chief Judge of the 12th District Circuit Court from 1966-1987.
- **Lori Elliott Jarvis** (Richmond); partner at Hunton & Williams.
- **Phyllis C. Katz** (Richmond); principal with Sands Anderson Marks & Miller, PC.
- **Neil S. Kessler** (Richmond); partner with Troutman Sanders.
- **Glen C. Lewis** (Washington, DC); principal with The Lewis Law Firm and is the Immediate-Past President of The Virginia Bar Association.
- **Joseph A. Mathews, Jr.** (Roanoke); principal with Johnson Ayers & Mathews, PLC.
- **C. Kailani Memmer** (Salem); principal with Guynn Memmer & Dillon, PC.
- **David A. Penrod** (Harrisonburg); partner at Hoover Penrod, PLC.
- **Jane L. Schwarzschild** (Richmond); partner at Armstrong Bristow Farley & Schwarzschild, PLC.
- **George A. Somerville** (Richmond); partner at Troutman Sanders.
- **Honorable J. Warren Stephens** (Newport News); retired, he served the 7th District Circuit Court from 1977-1994.
- **John L. Walker, III** (Richmond); partner at Williams Mullen and the Immediate-Past President of the Virginia Law Foundation.
- **John E. Whitfield** (Harrisonburg); Executive Director of Blue Ridge Legal Services.
- **Roger C. Wiley** (Richmond); partner at Hefty & Wiley, PC.