

Judge Cynthia Westcott Rice

Over the past 20 years, Judge Rice has written over 1,500 appellate opinions and decided more than 4,000 appeals. She has had the opportunity to be a visiting judge on the Ohio Supreme Court and the Second, Seventh and Ninth District Court of Appeals. She serves on the Ohio Judicial Conference's Executive Committee and is co-chair of the Criminal Law and Procedure Committee.

EMPLOYMENT

<u>Judge, Eleventh District Court of Appeals</u>	2003 – Present
Presiding/Administrative Judge	2007 & 2016
Administrative Judge	
2020	
Ohio Judicial Conference	
Executive Committee	2011 – present
Criminal Law & Procedure Committee co-chair	2011 – present
Appellate Law & Procedure Committee	2013 – present
Ohio Judicial College Board of Trustees	2020-present
<u>United States Attorney's Office</u>	1999 - 2001
Assistant United States Attorney, General Crimes	
<u>Trumbull County Prosecutor's Office</u>	1991 - 1999
First Assistant, Criminal Division	
Special Assistant United States Attorney	1997 – 1999
Chief Counsel, Mahoning Valley Law Enforcement Task Force	
Criminal Administrator	
Chief Counsel, Drug Prosecution Unit	
<u>Private Practice, Rice Law Offices</u>	1989 – 1993
General law practice including contracts, probate matters, and family law.	

EDUCATION

University of Akron School of Law, J.D.	1985
Purdue University, Krannert School of Management, B.S.	1980
Ohio State Bar, Active Member	Admitted 1989
Michigan State Bar, Inactive Member	Admitted 1985