

Judge Herbert B. Dixon, Jr.

Herbert B. Dixon, Jr. is a senior judge on the Superior Court of the District of Columbia. He received his J.D. degree from Georgetown University Law Center and a Bachelor of Science degree in Electrical Engineering from Howard University. He is a member of the ABA Board of Governors and the ABA House of Delegates. Judge Dixon is a former member of the planning board for ABA TECHSHOW and the *ABA Journal* magazine's Board of Editors. He is the technology columnist for *The Judges' Journal* magazine and senior judicial adviser to the Center for Legal and Court Technology (formerly the Courtroom 21 Project), an initiative of the Marshall-Wythe Law School at the College of William & Mary and the National Center for State Courts. Judge Dixon is on the Board of Directors of the National Courts and Sciences Institute, and a member of Judicial Advisory Board of The Sedona Conference and its Working Group on Best Practices for Electronic Document Retention and Production.

Judge Dixon is a former presiding judge of both the Civil Division and the Multi-Door Dispute Resolution Division of Superior Court and a former co-chair of the DC Courts' Strategic Planning Leadership Council, the entity charged with writing the strategic plan for the District of Columbia Courts and evaluating progress in achieving the goals and objectives of the plan. He served as chair of Superior Court's Electronic Filing Pilot Project, which received national recognition for its success, and oversaw implementation of the Superior Court's technology-enhanced courtroom project.

The American Bar Association Tort Trial & Insurance Practice Section (TIPS) honored Judge Dixon with its Pursuit of Justice Award, which recognizes lawyers and judges who have shown outstanding merit and who excel in providing access to justice for all. Judge Dixon is a member of the Washington Bar Association's Hall of Fame and a former chair of the National Conference of State Trial Judges.