

Marbury Rainer

Education

- Harvard Law School (J.D., *cum laude*, 1975), Board of Student Advisors
- University of Alabama (B.A., 1970), Phi Beta Kappa, Omicron Delta Kappa, Jasons Senior Honorary

After graduating from the University of Alabama in 1970, Marbury served two years as a lieutenant in the United States Army, serving as a finance officer in the United States Southern Command, Panama Canal Zone. In 1972, he entered Harvard Law School, graduating in 1975. He then joined the Atlanta law firm King & Spalding as an associate attorney, where he practiced until early 1981, when he left to become a founding partner of Parker, Hudson, Rainer & Dobbs. He retired from the firm on December 31, 2019, and continues his law practice as The Rainer Firm.

Through his 45 year career Marbury Rainer has been a counselor and litigator for countless businesses and individuals. He has extensive experience representing public and private companies and their officers and boards. Throughout his career Marbury has guided his corporate clients through all manner of litigation, investigations, and governance matters.

Representing public and private companies and those who manage and oversee them, Marbury has worked on a wide range of corporate governance matters and securities litigation, including disputes over M&A transactions and agreements, accounting restatements, breach of fiduciary duty, fraud, trade secrets, insurance coverage, real estate transactions, and breach of contract. He also regularly represented healthcare clients in antitrust matters and medical staff disputes. Marbury's extensive litigation experience includes class actions, derivative suits, and federal government investigations. Marbury also served as his prior firm's General Counsel and is often called upon as an expert witness on corporate governance issues and standards of care involving claims against attorneys and law firms. Represented senior vice president of marketing of publicly held corporation in SEC and United States attorney investigations and civil actions arising out of a financial restatement over revenue recognition issues.

Accolades

- Recognized by The Best Lawyers in America© as the 2020 Lawyer of the Year in Georgia in the practice area of Bet- the-Company Litigation
- Recognized by The Best Lawyers in America© as the 2019 Lawyer of the Year in Georgia in the practice area of Litigation-Mergers and Acquisitions
- Listed in Chambers USA: America's Leading Lawyers for Business for Litigation: General Commercial (2018, 2019)
- Selected by his peers for inclusion in The Best Lawyers in America© in the practice areas of Bet-the-Company Litigation, Commercial Litigation, Litigation-Merger and Acquisitions, and Litigation-Securities (2008-2020)
- Selected as one of Georgia's "Super Lawyers" by *Law & Politics* and *Atlanta Magazine* (2005-present)
- Recognized as one of Georgia's "Top Rated Lawyers" by Martindale-Hubbell and ALM

Professional and Civic Affiliations

- Georgia Justice Project, Director, 2010 - 2019
- Society for Corporate Governance, Member
- Harvard Law School Association of Georgia, Past President
- University of Alabama President's Cabinet, Member, 1998 - Present, Chair, 2012 - 2016; University of Alabama Capital Campaign Steering Committee; Former National Vice President, National Alumni Association
- Orchard Resources (formerly Atlanta Community Ministries), Board 1975-2021, Board Chair 2019-2020
- State Bar of Georgia
- American Bar Association, Member, Sections of Litigation, Business Law, Antitrust and Dispute Resolution
- Atlanta Bar Association
- Meritas Law Firms Worldwide, Former Director
- Merit Key Recipient, Sigma Alpha Epsilon Fraternity
- Kiwanis Club of Atlanta, Vice President 2019 - Present; Secretary 2018-2019; Director 2017 – 2018
- Atlanta Botanical Gardens, Magnolia Circle
- Peachtree Presbyterian Church, Adult Sunday School Teacher; Second Ponce de Leon Baptist Church, former Deacon Chair and Adult Sunday School Teacher
- Lecturer, Annual seminar entitled "Lessons in Leadership," Terry School of Business, University of Georgia, 2007-2017
- Adjunct Professor, The University of Alabama School of Law, Fall 2020, Fall 2021