

## GREGORY H. WILLIAMS

### EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE

2001-Present President, The City College of New York (CUNY)  
Schools and Divisions: Architecture, Arts and Humanities, Biomedical Education (CUNY Medical School), Education, Engineering, Science, Social Science, Worker Education (Degrees Awarded: Bachelor's, Master's, Doctoral and Professional).

#### Highlights:

- Increased enrollment from 10,000 to 15,000 students
- First Tier, U.S. News and World Report, “Best Universities—Masters” (Moved from Third Tier)
- Research grants and contracts increased from \$27M to \$52M (93% increase)
- \$750M of Capital Construction allocated by the State of New York for construction or renovation of 13 buildings (9 partially or fully completed)
- The Campaign for City College
  - Projected Goal \$25M. Current Status (2009): \$320M
  - 100 Endowed Scholarships
  - 11 Endowed Chairs and Professorships
  - Andrew Grove School of Engineering, \$26M gift
  - Bernard & Anne Spitzer School of Architecture, \$25M gift
  - 6 Gifts at \$10M or more
  - 44 Gifts at \$1M or more
  - Increased Annual Fund participation rate from 6% to 23%
  - “2008 Top 50 Public Universities in Fundraising,” Chronicle of Philanthropy

#### New Programs:

- CCNY & CUNY Honors Program at City College (2 Rhodes Scholars, 3 Truman Scholars, 4 Goldwater Scholars, 4 Fulbright Scholars in last four years)
- Michael Ross Program in Jewish Studies, \$10M gift
- Skadden, Arps Legal Scholars Program, \$10M gift
- New York Life Insurance, Emerging African American Issues, \$10M gift
- Colin Powell Center for Policy Studies
- Cognitive Neuroscience: Children's Research Center
- City College School of the Arts (pending)
- BS Biomedical Engineering (Whitaker, Coulter grants)
- M.A. Sustainable Systems (Engineering, Architecture, Science)
- City College Academy of the Arts (Laboratory School Partnership)

### OSU

1993-2001 Dean and Carter C. Kissell Professor of Law, Moritz College of Law, The Ohio State University (OSU), Columbus, Ohio

#### Highlights:

- First Tier, U.S. News and World Report, “Schools of Law”
- Consistently ranked among Top 20 public law schools  
Top 4 ranking in Alternative Dispute Resolution
- The Campaign for the Ohio State University College of Law
  - Projected Goal: \$14M, Raised: \$57M
  - 50 Endowed Scholarships
  - 9 Endowed Chairs and Professorships.
  - Michael Moritz College of Law, \$30M gift, (largest in history of The Ohio State University)
  - John Deaver Drinko Law Building (\$10M gift)

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### EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE (continued)

- 1 of 5 OSU Academic Units chosen for \$1M Selective Investment Award by Office of Provost for Academic and Curricular Development (2000)  
Goal: Top 10 Public Law School by 2005, reached goal in 2007
- Ohio Board of Regents Ad Hoc committee on Master's and Ph.D. Program Duplication throughout Ohio
- Ohio Board of Regents Ad Hoc Committee on Funding for Ohio Law Schools
- Ohio Commission on Racial Fairness, appointed by Chief Justice Thomas Moyer, Ohio Supreme Court
- Provost Advisory Committee
- Chair, Dean of Social Work Search Committee, Member, Math & Physical Science Dean Search Committee
- Ohio State University Outreach and Engagement Committee
- Ohio State University Dean's Council
- Council of Delegates, Ohio State Bar Association, 1996 – 2000
- President of the Association of American Law Schools, 1999

#### New Programs:

##### Certificate Program in Alternative Dispute Resolution

- Justice for Children Practicum
- Legislative Clinic
- Housing Clinic
- Pro Bono Research Group
- Meditation Clinic

#### Iowa

1991-1993 Associate Vice-President for Academic Affairs, University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa

- International Programs & Study Abroad (University-Wide)  
Board of Directors, Midwest University Consortium for International Affairs, (MUCIA)  
Office of International Students and Studies
- Diversity Programs and Hiring Initiatives (University-wide)  
Director, Opportunity at Iowa
- Intercollegiate Athletics  
Academic Issues  
Board in Control of Intercollegiate Athletics (1984 – 1989)

1990-1993 University of Iowa Faculty Scholar, University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa

- Completed *Life on the Color Line: The True Story of a White Boy Who Discovered He Was Black*
- Los Angeles Times Prize for "Book of the Year: Current Interest" in 1995
- Gustavus Myers Center Award for the Study of Human Rights in North America for "Outstanding Book on the Subject of Human Rights," 1996
- Friends of American Writers Award Nominee, 1996
- Melcher Book Award Nominee, 1996
- Non-Fiction Author Fellowship Award, Ohio Arts Council, 1996

1977- 1990 Associate Dean & Professor of Law, College of Law, University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa

- Admissions, Financial Aid, Student & Faculty Recruitment, Student Support Programs.
- Courses Taught: Criminal Law, Criminal Procedure, Legislation

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**EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE (continued)**

Cambridge University

1986 Visiting Scholar, Selwyn College, Cambridge University, Cambridge, England

Durham University

1985-1986 Visiting Professor, Faculty of Law, Durham University, Durham, England

- Course Taught: English Criminal Law Lectures and Tutorials

George Washington University

1974-1977 Lecturer, National Law Center, The George Washington University, Washington, D.C.

- Agency for International Development (AID) Training Program for foreign lawyers, judges and prosecutors
- Legal Clinic

1973-1977 Coordinator, GW-Washington Project, The George Washington University, Washington, D.C.

- Developed community service programs in partnership with Schools of Education, Law, Medicine, Political Science, and Urban and Regional Planning  
Project cited as one of the most successful projects sponsored by Title 1 of the Higher Education Act, 1975

1971-1973 Legislative Assistant to Senator Vance Harkte, (D-Indiana) United States Senate, Washington, D.C.

- Legislative and Constituent matters concerning education, criminal justice, and community development
- Assisted in drafting “Vietnam Veterans Re-adjustment Act” for post service educational opportunities and other education bills and amendments (GI Bill)

1966-1970 Teacher, George Mason Junior – Senior High School, Falls Church, Virginia

- Courses Taught: U.S. and Virginia Government  
U.S. and Virginia History

1963-1966 Deputy Sheriff, Delaware County Sheriff’s Department, Muncie, Indiana

- Experience in all aspects of law enforcement work, including felony and misdemeanor investigations
- Worked with federal, state and local government agencies throughout the state of Indiana

**EDUCATION**

Public Schools of Muncie, Indiana

Muncie Central High School (Bearcats)

- Varsity Basketball
- Varsity Football

**COLLEGIATE EDUCATION**

1966	B.A.	Ball State University	Social Science and Education
1969	M.A.	University of Maryland	Government and Politics
1971	J.D.	The George Washington University	Law
1977	M.Phil.	The George Washington University	Political Science
1982	Ph.D.	The George Washington University	Political Science

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**EDUCATION (continued)**

**HONORARY DEGREES**

1997	L.L.D.	California Western School of Law	Law
1999	D.Hum.	Ball State University	Humanities
2000	D.Hum.	College of Wooster	Humane Letters
2009	L.L.D.	New York Law School	Law

**PUBLICATIONS**

**BOOKS:**

*Life on the Color Line: The True Story of a White Boy Who Discovered He Was Black*, (Dutton NAL Press, New York, NY, 1995), 285 pp.

*Life on the Color Line: The True Story of a White Boy Who Discovered He Was Black*, (Paperback reprint, Plume/Penguin, 1996), 285 pp.

*Life on the Color Line: The True Story of a White Boy Who Discovered He Was Black*, (Condensed reprint, *Today's Best Nonfiction*, Reader's Digest, Volume 36, 1995. 127pp.

*The Iowa Guide to Search and Seizure* (University of Iowa: Continuing Legal Education, 1986), 191 pp.

*The Law and Politics of Police Discretion* (Greenwood Press: Westport, Conn., 1984), 218 pp.

**SELECTED ARTICLES AND BOOK CHAPTERS:**

"Introduction, Symposium on Facing the Challenges of the ADA: The First Ten Years and Beyond," 62 Ohio State Law Journal 1-9 (2001).

Order of the Coif Lecture, "Transforming the Powerless into the Powerful: The Public Role of Law Schools," 28 University of New Mexico Law Review 1-17 (1998).

"The Exclusionary Rule: An Alternative Proposal," 23 Capital University Law Review 229-240 (1994).

"Controlling the Use of Non-Deadly Force: Policy and Practice," 10 Harvard Black Letter Journal 79-104 (1993).

"The Supreme Court and Broken Promises: The Gradual but Continual Erosion of Terry v. Ohio," Criminal Justice Symposium, 34 Howard Law Journal 567-588 (1991).

"Good Government by Prosecutorial Decree: The Use and Abuse of Mail Fraud," 32 Arizona Law Review 1-35 (1990).

"Police Discretion: A Comparative Perspective," 64 Indiana Law Journal 873-905 (1989).

"Police in the Dock: Law or Fact," The Criminal Law Review (United Kingdom) (Nov. 1986) 719-725.

"The Politics of Police Discretion," Discretion, Justice and Democracy: A Public Policy Perspective, Carl Pinkele & William Louthan, ed. (Iowa State University Press) 19-30 (1985).

"Police Rulemaking Revisited: Some New Thoughts on an Old Problem," Symposium on Discretion and Law Enforcement, 47 Journal of Law and Contemporary Problems (Duke University School of Law) No. 4 (Fall 1984) 123-183.

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### SELECTED MISCELLANEOUS PUBLICATIONS

“A Line Through a Nation’s Soul,” Los Angeles Times: Commentary, October 29, 2003, B 15. (Reprinted in newspapers nationwide).

Book Review of Eugene Robinson’s *Coal to Cream: A Black Man’s Journey Beyond Color to an Affirmation of Race*, The Washington Post, (Reprinted in International Herald Tribune) August 17, 1999.

“The President’s Call to Action,” Association of American Law Schools Newsletter, 1-4 August 1999.

“Teaching Leaders and Leadership,” Association of American Law Schools Newsletter, 1-5, April, 1999.

Book Review of Jane Lazerre’s *Beyond the Whiteness of Whiteness*, Los Angeles Times, October 6, 1996.

“Life on the Color Line,” 30 International Society of Barristers Quarterly, No. 4, pp. 405-413 (1996).

“Growing Up in Black and White,” New York Times: The Living Arts, February 2, 1995, B4. (Reprinted in newspapers nationwide).

“Service Learning in Law: Urban Legal Services,” “Service Learning and Individual Development,” Relevance Revisited: Curriculum Development in the Humanities, No. I, Marshal Davies, ed., George Washington University (1977).

“The Legal Process,” “Humanists and Policy Studies,” Relevance Revisited: Curriculum Development in the Humanities, No. III, Roderick French, ed., George Washington University (1977)

“Urban Legal Services,” “Local Studies and Experiential Learning,” Relevance Revisited: Curriculum Development in the Humanities, No IV, Clarence Mondale, ed., George Washington University (1977)

### HONORS AND AWARDS

“Langston Hughes Award” from The City College of New York, for contributions to the Arts and Letters, March 12, 2009

Summer Search NYC 2009 “Leadership Dinner” Honoree, March 3, 2009

“Carter G. Woodson Memorial Award” from the Metropolitan New York Chapters of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc. in recognition of outstanding contributions to education, February 6, 2009

Austrian Cross of Honor, First Class, for Science and Art, Vienna, Austria, April 22, 2006

Proclamation of “Dr. Gregory Howard Williams Day,” and Designation as Honorary Mayor-President by Mayor Kip Holden, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, August 24, 2006

Proclamation of “Dr. Gregory Howard Williams Day,” and awarded Key to the City by Mayor Dan C. Canan. Muncie, Indiana, March 9, 2006

New York Lawyers for the Public Interest’s (NYLPI) Felix A. Fishman Award for Extraordinary Advocacy. June 22, 2005

“Outstanding African American Administrator in State Service,” selected by Governor George Pataki, Black History Month Celebration, Albany, New York, February 2004

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**HONORS AND AWARDS (continued)**

“The Most Influential People in Harlem,” “Harlem Week,” New York Daily News, August 2003 - August 2008

Key to the City of Louisville, Kentucky by Mayor Armstrong, October 1, 2001

“A. Leon Higginbotham Jr. Award” from National Bar Association for “Outstanding Contributions to the Preservation and Promotion of Human and Civil Rights,” July 30, 1999 Philadelphia, Pa.

Distinguished University Alumni-Scholar Award, The George Washington University, March 25, 1998.

Member, American Law Institute

Life Member, Fellows of the American Bar Foundation

Who’s Who in America

Who’s Who in Black America

**CORPORATE AND PUBLIC BOARD SERVICE**

Independent Trustee, Franklin Templeton, Franklin Managed Trust and Value Investors Trust, San Mateo, California, 2008-Present, Finance Committee, Nominations Committee

Independent Director, Urban America Fund II, 2005 - Present. First commercial real estate investment company to focus on acquiring and developing properties in America’s urban communities

Chair, Iowa Law Enforcement Academy Council, 1982-83, 1985, Vice-Chairperson, 1981-82, 1984-85, Member, 1980-85 (Appointed by Governor of Iowa for two terms, confirmed by Iowa State Senate)

Chair, Iowa Advisory Committee to the United States Commission on Civil Rights, 1983- 1985, Member 1978-1988

**UNIVERSITY SERVICE AND EDUCATIONAL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS**

Commission on Access, Admission and Success in Higher Education, College Board Advocacy, Coming to Our Senses: Education and the American Future, December, 2008

Board of Directors, Association of Public and Land-Grant Universities (formerly National Association of State Universities and Land-grant Colleges), 2005-2009, Chair, Commission on Access, Diversity and Excellence

Board of Directors, Advanced Energy Research and Technology Center, Stony Brook University---Participating institutions: Argonne National Laboratory, Brookhaven National Laboratory, National Grid, Long Island Power Authority, Northrop Grumman, Sikorsky, Verizon, 2007-Present

Board of Directors, The New York State Center for Advanced Technology in Photonics Applications at the City University of New York (CUNY CAT) 2003 - Present

Board in Control of Intercollegiate Athletics, University of Iowa, 1984-89

- Chair, Long Range Planning Committee
- Finance Committee
- Distinguished Service Award for “Outstanding Contributions to University of Iowa Intercollegiate Athletics

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### **UNIVERSITY SERVICE AND EDUCATIONAL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS (continued)**

Fellow, Academic Leadership Program, 1992, CIC (Committee on Institutional Cooperation (Big 10 Schools and University of Chicago)

University of Iowa Self Study Steering Committee in preparation for North Central Accreditation Visit, 1986-87

Task Force on Community Programs for The George Washington University Self-Study Report to Middle States Association of Colleges and Schools, 1976

University-Urban Affairs Committee of The George Washington University Faculty Senate, 1974-75

### **SELECTED LEGAL SERVICE**

Representative of the American Bar Association before the U.S. House of Representatives Appropriations Subcommittee, re: funding of Council on Legal Education Opportunity, March 19, 2001, Washington, D.C.

American Bar Association Re-Accreditation Site Inspection Committee for Stanford University School of Law, March 4-7, 2001

“Dean of the Year” selected by National Association of Public Interest law (NAPIL) for “leadership in providing law school support for public interest.” October 29, 1999, Washington, D.C.

“White House Conference on Lawyers for Public Service: A Call to Action.” July 20, 1999

President, Association of American Law Schools (AALS), 1999-2000. Member, AALS Executive Committee, 1997-01

American Bar Association Re-Accreditation Site Inspection Committee for Harvard Law School, March, 1998

Ohio State Bar Association Council of Delegates, 1996-2000. Represented Columbus Bar Association, elected, 1996, re-elected 1998

Committee on Academic Freedom and Tenure, Association of American Law Schools, 1996-99

### **SELECTED SPEECHES AND PRESENTATIONS**

Keynote Speaker, Falls Church Education Association. Annual Gala, April 18, 2008

Keynote Speaker, “Law Day,” The Erie County Bar Association, Erie, Pennsylvania, May 2, 2008

The Hoag Lecture, North Georgia College and State University, Dahlonega, Georgia, March 5, 2007

University Distinguished Lecture, University of North Alabama, Florence, Alabama, February 22, 2007

“Dean Lena Bailey Lecture on Leadership,” College of Education and Human Ecology, The Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio, October 11, 2006

Skidmore College, Saratoga Springs, New York, September 20, 2006

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### **SELECTED SPEECHES AND PRESENTATIONS (continued)**

New Student Convocation, Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, LA, August 25, 2006

Jack Rudin & John Driscoll Distinguished Visiting Professor, Iona School of Arts and Science, Iona College, October, 2005

The Chancellor's Convocation for New Students, The Carrier Dome, Syracuse University, August 26, 2005

Kharas Distinguished Lecture, "And Justice for All: A Personal Journey and Access to the Law," Syracuse University College of Law, September 13, 2004

Abyssinian Baptist Church, New York, New York, New York, June 23, 2002

The John Marshall Harlan Lecture, Louis D. Brandeis School of Law at the University of Louisville, October 1, 2001

Freshman Connection All-University Lecture, Ball State University, September 14, 1999

Keynote Address, Texaco Corporation, White Plains, NY, February 6, 1997

College of Wooster 1996 Humanities Series, Wooster, Ohio, October 21, 1996 (televised on C-SPAN October 26, 1996 and re-broadcast December, 1996)

Eli Lilly Corporation, Indianapolis, Indiana, February 14, 1996

Lecture and Reading, Thurber House National Lecture Series, Columbus, Ohio, February 15, 1995

Keynote Address, Drake University, Des Moines, Iowa, February 12, 1992

### **SELECTED MEDIA ARTICLES AND APPEARANCES**

A. Francesca Jenkins, "Law Firm Commits \$9.6 Million to CCNY for Undergraduate Program Targeting Diverse Students," Hispanic Outlook, December 15, 2008, pp. 38-39

"Leading Fundraisers of New York" CRAIN'S NEW YORK BUSINESS, July 7-13, 2008, p. 16. (City College ranked number four in fundraising behind Columbia, NYU and Rockefeller University)

"Free Philanthropist Has Never Forgotten His Roots, THE BACK PAGE," New York Law Journal, April 25, 2008

"Rallying CCNY," DIVERSE: Issues in Higher Education, by Jamal Watson, February 22, 2007. pp. 28-29

"The Right Man for the Job," DIVERSE: Issues in Higher Education, March 22, 2007, p. 6

"The Tony Brown Show," Public Broadcasting System (PBS), October 28, 2006

"Selling Education," LEADERS Magazine, Volume 27, Number 2, April, May, June 2004, p. 107

"Profile of the President of City College: Gregory H. Williams," by Maria Holmes Education Update, October 7, 2002

"Profile of President Gregory H. Williams," by Liz Willen, Bloomberg News, February 21, 2002



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**SELECTED MEDIA ARTICLES AND APPEARANCES (continued)**

“City College, The Faded Jewel of CUNY, Is Recovering It’s Achievers,” by Karen Arenson, The New York Times, February 2, 2002

“ABC Nightline,” interviewed by Ted Koppel, May 21, 1996

“Oprah Winfrey Show,” July 17, 1995. Repeated December 30, 1995, and on other occasions

*New York Times*, Book Review, March 12, 1995

“Fresh Air,” interviewed by Terri Gross, National Public Radio (NPR), February 21, 1995

“NBC Dateline,” interviewed by Tom Brokaw, February 21, 1995

“Larry King Live,” CNN, February 17, 1995

“The True Story of an Indiana White Boy Who Discovered He Was Black.” Ebony, October 1992, pp. 88-94, 136