## **Chapmanville Regional Meeting Presenter Bios**

## C. Casey Forbes

C. Casey Forbes is the Clerk of the Supreme Court of Appeals of West Virginia and the Intermediate Court of Appeals of West Virginia. Casey is the sixteenth person to serve as Clerk of the Supreme Court of Appeals of West Virginia since the State was founded in 1863, and the second Clerk of the Intermediate Court of Appeals of West Virginia since it was founded in 2022.

Casey is a native of Charleston. He has a bachelor's degree in English from Shepherd University, a master's degree in English from the College of Charleston, S.C./Citadel, and a law degree from the University of Montana. He has worked in the Office of the Clerk since 2018 as a staff attorney then deputy clerk. He previously served as a staff attorney for the West Virginia Legislature; a writ clerk in the Supreme Court's Office of Counsel; an attorney in private practice, during which time he was appointed as a mental hygiene commissioner in and for Kanawha County; and an assistant attorney general.

## Lauren M. Hall

Lauren M. Hall is a Lawyer Disciplinary Counsel for the West Virginia Office of Lawyer Disciplinary Counsel. She earned a Bachelor of Arts in Political Science from West Virginia State University in 2015, and in 2018 she earned a Juris Doctorate from West Virginia University College of Law. Prior to joining the ODC in 2023, she worked as an Assistant Public Defender at the Kanawha County Public Defender Office. She is a member of the National Organization of Bar Counsel and is admitted to practice before the Supreme Court of Appeals of West Virginia, United States Southern District of West Virginia, and the Supreme Court of the United States of America.

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