# **WILLIAM R. CLAYTON**

## Family Law



"It is gratifying to be able to assist people dealing with an enormously stressful time in their lives in sorting out their priorities, to give them a clear understanding of the legal issues relevant to their situation, and to provide them with authoritative, experienced and effective advocacy, be it in a motions court, at trial, on appeal, or during a mediation or arbitration, or in negotiating a private settlement."

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#### **PROFESSIONAL HISTORY**

- Partner, Lerners LLP (1988 to present)
- Partner, Morrison, Hanes, Clayton, Uren & Buchner (1983-1988)
- Senior Partner, Clayton & Uren (1978-1983)
- Senior Partner, Clayton, Uren & Leach (1976-1978)
- Partner, Little, Morissey, Gillespie & Reeves (1974-1976)

#### **ACHIEVEMENTS**

- Senior Family Law Counsel, London & Southwestern Ontario
- Listed in Best Lawyers in Canada in the area of family law since 2008
- William has completed the Ministry of the Attorney General training to conduct arbitrations and is available to be retained by family law counsel on behalf of their clients to act as an arbitrator.

### **MEMBERSHIPS**

- The Advocates' Society
- Canadian Bar Association
- Middlesex Law Association
- Middlesex Family Lawyers' Association
- The London Club
- Past President, Rotary Club London East
- Past President, Big Brothers London

#### **EDUCATION**

- Admitted to Ontario Bar (1972)
- Bachelor of Laws, The University of Western Ontario (1970)

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## PERSONAL INFORMATION

Running, weightlifting and cycling in his spare time



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