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Bernard A. Raum received his Juris Doctor from the University of Baltimore School of Law in 1970 and His Master of Forensic Science from The George Washington University in 1981. Mr. Raum has been in a general private practice. He served for five years as an Assistant Attorney General for the State of Maryland in the Criminal Division, and he was the Chief of the Circuit Court Division of the Howard County, Maryland State's Attorney's Office. He was Master in Chancery for the Circuit Court for Howard County, Maryland, for over 23 years. Mr. Raum has taught law an evidence at both junior college and university levels and, after receiving his MFS, he taught in the graduate forensic science department at The George Washington University. For a period of 10 years Mr. Raum served on the board of trustees of the Maryland Institute for the Continuing Professional Education of Lawyers, the non-profit CLE arm of the Maryland State Bar Association. Mr. Raum taught various courses for MICPEL over a period of 15 years. After his retirement in 2004, Mr. Raum created a new course, Forensic Evidence, which he taught at the University of, Baltimore School of Law. During his tenure on the Howard County bench, Mr. Raum was appointed by two successive Maryland Court of Appeals Chief judges to serve on the Judicial Ethics Committee of Maryland for a total of 10 years. He currently is Adjunct Professor of Forensic Evidence at the Levin College of Law, University of Florida, Gainesville, where he teaches his forensic evidence course. He also teaches an online Florida Bar Association certified continuing legal education course in forensic evidence. Mr. Raum is a member of the Maryland State Bar Association and the Eighth Judicial Circuit Bar Association in Florida. He is a member of both the Harvard Associates in Police Science and the jurisprudence section of the American Academy of Forensic Science. Mr. Raum is admitted to the practice of law in the Court of Appeals of Maryland, the US District Court for Maryland, the US Fourth Circuit Court of Appeals, the US Court of Military Appeals, and The Supreme Court of the United States.