

CHARLES A. WITEK, III



Age: 62

Education:

BA: College of the Holy Cross, Worcester, MA 1976; English and History

JD: St. John's University School of Law, Jamaica, NY 1979

Professional Experience:

Admitted to bar in Connecticut and New York

Spent most of professional career in various aspects of the securities industry. After a few years (1979-1987) self-employed or in private practice, was in-house counsel for JPMorgan Chase Bank N.A. (including predecessors Manufacturers Hanover Trust, Chemical Bank, The Chase Manhattan Bank and JPMorgan Chase Bank) 1987-2006, Lehman Brothers, Inc. 2006-2008; and Barclays Capital Inc. (2008-2017).

Freelance outdoor writer 1974-present, with work appearing in publications that include The Fisherman, Salt Water Sportsman, On the Water, Angling Trade, GAFF Magazine; regular contributor to "From the Waterfront," the blog of the Marine Fish Conservation Network. Southeast Regional Vice President for the New York State Outdoor Writers' Association.

Fishery Advocacy and Management:

Member of the Coastal Conservation Association's National Executive Board 1996-2013; Vice Chair of National Government Relations Committee, Chair of Atlantic States Fisheries Committee, founding Chair of New York chapter.

Bluefin Tuna Technical Advisor to US ICCAT Delegation, 2001

Held at-large seat from New York on Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council 2002-2005; first Chair of Ecosystem Management Committee

Member of New York Marine Resources Advisory Council 2005-present

Member Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission Winter Flounder Advisory Panel 1998-present, Coastal Sharks Advisory Panel appointed 2017

Author of blog One Angler's Voyage (<http://oneanglersvoyage.blogspot.com>) 2014-present