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Mr. Campbell is a partner in the firm. He concentrates his practice in estate planning, trust and probate administration. Mr. Campbell practiced international law as a barrister and solicitor in Auckland, New Zealand with the firm of Chapman Tripp Sheffield Young from 1989 to 1992. In 1992 he joined Kohnen & Patton as a partner where he advises clients worldwide in matters relating to United States transfer taxes and the use of trusts, partnerships and limited liability companies to accomplish personal financial and gifting objectives. Mr. Campbell is a Fellow of the American College of Trust and Estate Counsel, is licensed to practice law in Ohio and Kentucky and is certified by the Ohio State Bar Association as a Specialist in Estate Planning, Trust and Probate Law. Mr. Campbell graduated from Colorado College in 1970 and served as a Lieutenant in the United States Marine Corps from 1970 to 1973. In 1977 he graduated from the University of Cincinnati College of Law and joined the Cincinnati law firm of Walker, Chatfield & Doan.

### Professional Memberships:

American College of Trusts and Estate Counsel  
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Cincinnati Bar Association  
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State of Ohio (1977)  
Commonwealth of Kentucky (1999)  
U.S. District Court, Southern District of Ohio (1978)  
U.S. Court of Appeals, Sixth Circuit (1988)

### Education:

J.D., University of Cincinnati (1977)  
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### Certifications and Professional Affiliations:

Certified by the Ohio State Bar Association as a Specialist in Estate Planning, Trusts and Probate Law  
Cincinnati Bar Association Advanced Estate Planning Institute Committee

### Awards and Honors:

Listed in *The Best Lawyers in America* published by Woodward/White  
Recognized as one of Ohio's Super Lawyers by *Law and Politics* in conjunction with *Cincinnati Magazine*

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### **Professional Publications:**

*US Estate Tax—A Killer*, Charter Magazine, February, 1996

*United States Estate and Gift Tax—An Overview for the International Executive*, 2011

*Trust and Estate Planning Considerations When Advising Canadians Living in the United States*, CCH Financial and Estate Planning, May 2004

*Drafting Revocable Trusts which Have Non-Citizen Beneficiaries*, Probate Law Journal of Ohio, August, 2006

*Confronting the New Expatriation Tax: Advice for the Green Card Holder*, Journal of the American College of Trust and Estate Counsel, Volume 35, No. 3, Winter, 2009 (co-authored with Michael J. Stegman)

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