

Professor Charles H. Koch, Jr. (1944-2012)

Charles H. Koch, Jr. was born in Cheverly, Maryland on July 30th, 1944. He is survived by his wife, Denise Williams Koch, and son, Andrew.

Professor Koch graduated from the University of Maryland in 1966 and attended the George Washington University Law center, receiving his J.D. with honors in 1969. Before earning an L.L.M at the University of Chicago Law School in 1975, Professor Koch held positions in the U.S. Department of Agriculture, the Antitrust Division of the Department of Justice and the Federal Trade Commission.

After completing his L.L.M., Professor Koch began his academic career at DePaul University College of Law. Professor Koch joined the faculty of the College of William and Mary Law School in 1979, where he became a full professor in 1982 and was named the Dudley W. Woodbridge Professor of Law. He taught courses in administrative law, federal courts, European Union law, energy law, comparative constitutional systems, litigation in civil law systems, corporations, as well as a law and economics seminar in the economics department. In addition to teaching, at various times Professor Koch was the Chair of the faculty appointments, faculty status, faculty enrichment, admissions and affirmative action committees, and held positions on the executive committee faculty assembly and the provost and dean search committees. In 1997 Professor Koch was also designated a Fellow at the Malcolm Wiener Center for Social Policy at the Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University.

Professor Koch served in numerous other positions including:

- Assistant Chief Reporter, ABA, ADMINISTRATIVE LAW OF THE EUROPEAN UNION, since 2002;
- United Nations Affairs Coordinating Committee of the American Bar Association, since 2002;
- Chair, Committee on Sections and Annual Meetings, Association of American Law Schools (2003); member (2000-2003);
- Chair, Planning Committee for the Association of American Law Schools Workshop on Administrative Law (2000);
- Chair, Administrative Law Section, Association of American Law Schools (1999-2000);
- Editor-in-Chief, Administrative Law Review (1989-1996);
- Administrative Law Advisory Committee of the Virginia Code Commission (1994-2000);
- Board of Governors, Administrative Law Section, Virginia State Bar Association (1991-1996);
- President of the William and Mary chapter of the AAUP (1992-1995);
- Consultant, Administrative Conference of the United States, 1987 & 1992;
- Special Hearing Officer, Virginia State Health Department, 1981 – 1983.

At his family's request, the Charles H. Koch Memorial Fund for International Studies was established at the College of William and Mary School of Law in Professor Koch's honor. Gifts to the fund may be sent to William and Mary Law School, P.O. Box 3527, Williamsburg, VA 23187