

HALL OF FAME INDUCTEE

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Ed DeFazio graduated from Power Memorial in June, 1970. After Power, Ed attended Fordham University and received his Juris Doctorate degree from Seton Hall Law School. He began his legal career as an Assistant Hudson County Prosecutor in 1978 and served there until his appointment as the Chief Judge of the Jersey City Municipal Court in 1989.

He returned to the Hudson County Prosecutor's Office in 1991 as the First Assistant, where he was in charge of the day to day operations of the legal staff. From 2001 to 2002, Ed served as a Superior Court Judge for the State of New Jersey. He left the bench on July 29, 2002 to assume the position of Hudson County Prosecutor and served in that capacity for the next ten years.

In 2012, Ed was appointed to the bench as a Judge of the Superior Court of New Jersey where he currently sits in the Family Part in Hudson County. He is admitted to practice law in New Jersey, New York and before the United States Supreme Court.