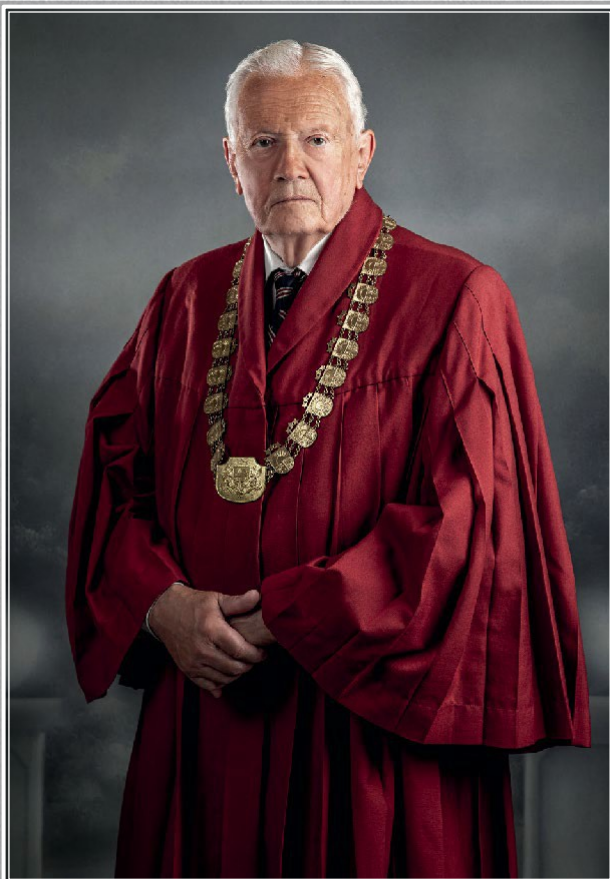


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Born on December 26, 1932, in Riga. Died on August 6, 2021.

Graduated from Riga Secondary School No 1. In 1956 graduated from the Faculty of Law of the State University of Latvia.

Career

1956–1958 Sworn advocate

1958–1960 State Arbitration Arbitrator of the Council of Ministers of the Latvian SSR

1960–1961 Assistant at the State University of Latvia

1962–1971 Judge of the Civil Court Chamber of the Supreme Court of the Latvian SSR 1971–1985 Chairperson of the Civil Court Chamber of the Civil Court of the Supreme Court, Deputy Chief Justice of the Supreme Court

1985–1990 Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Latvian SSR 1990–

1994 Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Republic of Latvia 1994–

1998 Ambassador of the Republic of Latvia to Denmark and Iceland

Since 1998 Sworn advocate

Additional responsibilities

1990–1993 he has presented papers at the Universities of Puget Sound, Columbia, Yeshiva, Michigan and Georgetown in the United States

1960–1994 he has given lectures in civil proceedings and in the comparative constitutional law of Western countries at the Faculty of Law of the University of Latvia 1998–2009 Associate Professor of the Latvian Police Academy

Head of the working groups for the development of the Law "On Judicial Power" and the Civil Procedure Law

Member of the Central Election Commission in the 5th *Saeima* (parliament) elections

Member of the Board of the Latvian Lawyers Association

Chairperson of the Board of the Senator August Loeber Memorial Foundation.

Books: *Soviet Law* (co-author, 1978), *Briefly on Law of Obligations* (1979), *Work Makes a Man* (co-author, 2015)

Acknowledgements

Meritorious Lawyer (1987), Judge's highest qualification class (1991), Ambassador's diplomatic rank (1994)

First Class Commander of the Order of Dannebrog (Queen Margrethe II of Denmark, 1997), 1st Degree of the Order of Honor of the Judicial System (2008), 3rd Class of the Order of the Three Stars (2011)

Hobby: tennis

He has been the President of the Latvian Tennis Union and a member of the Steering Committee. Winner of gold, silver and bronze medals at the Latvian Tennis Seniors Championships, member of the Latvian Olympic Committee