

Maurice Antonia Jones

EDUCATION:

Juris Doctor, University of Virginia School of Law, 1992

- Hardy Cross Dillard Scholar
- Director, Tutoring Program, Clark Elementary School, 1990-1992

Master of Philosophy in International Relations, St. John's College, Oxford University, 1988

- Rhodes Scholar
- Thesis: United States/Haiti Relations from 1957 to 1971
- Areas of concentration: Strategic Studies, International Political Economy

Bachelor of Arts, Hampden-Sydney College, 1986

- Valedictorian
- Phi Beta Kappa
- Truman Scholar
- Merit Scholar, 1982-1986
- Student Government President, 1985-1986
- Director, Tutoring Program, Prince Edward County High School, 1984-1986

EXPERIENCE:

Secretary of Commerce and Trade, Commonwealth of Virginia, Office of the Governor, Richmond, VA
January 2014 – present

Deputy Secretary, U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, Washington, DC
April 2012 – January 2014

President and Publisher, Pilot Media, Norfolk, VA
April 2008 – April 2012

Vice President and General Manager, The Virginian-Pilot, Norfolk, VA
January 2006 – April 2008

Vice President, Landmark Publishing Group, Landmark Communications, Inc., Norfolk, VA
March 2005 – January 2006

Commissioner, Virginia Department of Social Services, Richmond, VA
October 2002 – March 2005

Deputy Chief of Staff, Commonwealth of Virginia, Office of the Governor, Richmond, VA
January 2002 – March 2005

Partner, Venture Philanthropy Partners, Washington, DC
March 2001 – January 2002

CDFI Fund, U.S. Department of the Treasury, Washington, DC
Director, October 2000 – January 2001
Deputy Director for Policy and Programs, February 1998 – October 2000
Legal Counsel, March 1996 – February 1998

Special Assistant to the General Counsel, Office of the General Counsel, U.S. Department of the Treasury
(Schedule C Appointment), Washington, DC
June 1995 – March 1996

Hunton & Williams, Richmond, VA
Associate, October 1992 – June 1995
Summer Clerk, Summers of 1990, 1991 and 1992

Simpson Thatcher & Bartlett, New York, NY
Summer Associate, Summer 1988

Kidder Peabody & Co., Inc., New York, NY
Summer Associate Intern, Corporate Finance, Summer 1987

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES:

- Chesapeake Bay Foundation, Hampton Roads Leadership Council, Member
- Crispus Attucks Cultural Center, Board Member
- Children's Hospital of the King's Daughters/Children's Health System, Board Member
- Chrysler Museum of Art, Board Member
- Eastern Virginia Medical School, Vice Rector, Board of Visitors Member, Chair – Finance Committee
- Greater Norfolk Corporation, Board Member
- Hampton Roads Chamber of Commerce, Board Member, Chair Elect
- Hampton Roads Economic Development Alliance, Board Member
- Hampton Roads Partnership, Board Member
- Norfolk Academy, Board Member
- NCP Community Development Fund Federal Credit Union, Board Member
- Nonprofit Finance Fund, Board Member
- Old Dominion University Education Foundation, Board Member
- Physicians for Peace, Board Member
- University of Virginia Tayloe Murphy Advisory Board, Member
- The UP Center, Board Member
- Virginia Arts Festival, Board Member, Secretary
- Virginia Commonwealth University, Board of Visitors, Chair – Academic & Health Affairs Policy Committee
- Virginia Early Childhood Foundation, Board Member
- Virginia Foundation for the Humanities, Board Member, Vice Chair, Chair – Finance Committee

Maurice resides in Norfolk, Virginia with his wife, Lisa Smith, and their daughter, Michela.