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## Charlotte School of Law names former N.C. chief justice to board of trustees

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The new **Charlotte School of Law** has appointed a former chief justice of the North Carolina Supreme Court to its board of trustees.

Burley Mitchell, who headed the state's high court until 1999, will serve a four-year term on the school's board, officials announced Tuesday.

The Charlotte School of Law plans to begin offering full-time and flexible day and evening part-time programs in August. The school is part of the **InfiLaw System**, a consortium of independent, community-based law schools that attempts to launch accredited law schools that graduate students with the skills of a second-year law associate.

After stepping down from the state Supreme Court after a 17-year tenure, Mitchell joined the Atlanta-based law firm of **Womble Carlyle** and is a member of the firm's government relations practice group.

Mitchell currently serves on the board of trustees at **North Carolina State University** and the board of directors for Raleigh-based **North State Bank**.

Charlotte School of Law is governed by both a regional board of trustees and the InfiLaw System National Policy Board.

The board of trustees is chaired by Shirley Fulton, a former North Carolina Superior Court judge.

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