



## Allan Gates

### Member

**Email:** [agates@mwlaw.com](mailto:agates@mwlaw.com)

**Phone:** (501) 688.8816

**Fax:** (501) 918.7816

### Practice Areas

Environment & Natural Resources  
Environmental Legislative, Rulemaking  
and Policy Development  
Solid Waste Management and Recycling  
Environmental Compliance and  
Permitting  
Water Resources  
Energy & Alternative Fuels  
Redevelopment Projects  
Transactional Issues and Environmental  
Due Diligence  
Petroleum Marketing  
Storage Tanks  
Business  
Real Estate Litigation

### Education

Vanderbilt Law School  
J.D. - (1972)  
  
Yale University  
B.A. - (1969)

### Bar Admissions

### Experience

- Counsel in air pollution, water pollution, toxic tort, wetlands, environmental impact statement and coastal management disputes and litigation.
- Counsel for applicants for hazardous waste permits and closure plans, pesticide registrations, water, air, and solid waste permits.
- Counsel for affected parties in state and federal rulemaking and adjudicatory proceedings under air, water, solid waste, hazardous waste, and toxic substance control legislation.

### Involvement

- Treasurer, American College of Environmental Lawyers
- Serves on the Board of Regents
- Executive Committee
- Law clerk to Chief Judge Pat Mehaffy, United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit, and Associate Justice Harry A. Blackmun, United States Supreme Court
- Adjunct professor, Environmental Law, UALR Law School
- Guest lecturer on environmental law, University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences, UALR graduate and undergraduate classes
- Panelist and speaker in national, regional and state seminars on environmental law and litigation
- Charter member, Arkansas Bar Commission on Diversity
- Original incorporator and Chairman of the Board, Old State House Museum Associates
- Member, Arkansas Nature Conservancy Board of Trustees
- Charter Secretary

Arkansas  
District of Columbia