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Tax Trailblazers: Mentoring the Next Generation

Please join the United States Tax Court as its Tax Trailblazers series continues with Nina E. Olson, Executive Director of the Center for Taxpayer Rights.

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Nina E. Olson is the Executive Director of the Center for Taxpayer Rights, a nonprofit that works to advance taxpayer rights in the United States and internationally. Among other initiatives, the Center organizes and convenes the International Conference on Taxpayer Rights and operates the Low Income Taxpayer Clinic Support Center. From March 2001 to July 2019, Nina served as the National Taxpayer Advocate of the United States, an

independent organization within the Internal Revenue Service with over 1,600 employees and 79 offices across the US, dedicated to assisting taxpayers resolve their problems with the IRS and making administrative and legislative recommendations to mitigate those problems systemically. She has submitted 39 annual reports to Congress, and testified before congressional committees over 60 times. Before serving as the National Taxpayer Advocate, Nina founded and directed The Community Tax Law Project, the first independent Low Income Taxpayer Clinic in the US. She also maintained a private legal practice, representing taxpayers in disputes with the IRS.



Nina has received many awards and recognitions, including the American Bar
Association Section of Taxation's Distinguished Service Award for Lifetime Service, Pro Bono Award, and Jules
Ritholz Memorial Merit Award for Outstanding Dedication, Achievement, and Integrity in the Field of Civil and
Criminal Tax Controversies; the Tax Foundation's Public Sector Distinguished Service Award; and Pro Bono Awards
from the Virginia State Bar, the Virginia Bar Association, and the City of Richmond Bar Association. In 2016, she was
recognized by Tax Analysts as one of the Top 10 Outstanding Women in Tax (internationally). The University of
Pittsburgh Tax Review dedicated its 2020 issue to her work in the field of taxation.

Nina is a member of the Virginia and North Carolina state bars. She is a fellow of the American College of Tax Counsel (ACTC), a senior fellow of the Administrative Conference of the United States (ACUS), and a member of the supervisory board of the International Bureau of Fiscal Documentation (IBFD) Observatory of Taxpayer Rights. Nina received her LLM in Taxation from Georgetown University Law Center, her JD from North Carolina Central University School of Law, and her AB (in fine arts) from Bryn Mawr College.

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