

CRAIG P. SCHLANGER

Craig P. Schlanger, a 1977 graduate of Syracuse University College of Law, recently accepted an appointment as a Senior Attorney at Mental Hygiene Legal Service, Fourth Judicial Department, in Utica, New York. Prior to that appointment, Craig was a criminal defense lawyer, primarily as a solo practitioner in Syracuse, and as a staff attorney at the Frank H. Hiscock Legal Aid Society in Syracuse for two years in the early 1980's. As a solo practitioner, Craig represented clients in state courts throughout Central and Northern New York, the United States District Court for the Northern District of New York, the Appellate Division, Fourth Department, and the United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit. Craig served as a Criminal Justice Act representative for the Northern District of New York for three years and until recently was a member of the Northern District's Criminal Justice Act Oversight Committee. Craig has also served on the Board of Directors of the Onondaga County Assigned Counsel Program, the New York State Bar Association's Committee to Ensure the Quality of Mandated Representation, and the Legal Policy and Action Committee of the Central New York Chapter of the New York Civil Liberties Union. Craig is a long-time member and Past President of the New York State Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers. He can be reached at (315) 415-2931 or at schlangerlaw@aol.com.