

Oregon State Bar Judicial Voters Guide 2018

Candidate Questions:

1) Full name:

Lung Shu Hung

2) Web site (if applicable):

3) List college and law school attended, including dates of attendance, degrees.

University of Washington, 1994-1998, Bachelor of Arts Business Administration

University of Colorado School of Law, 2000-2003, Juris Doctorate

4) List employment since graduation from law school, including years employed, your position and the nature of the practice or activity.

Malheur County District Attorney's Office, 2003-2012, Assistant Deputy District Attorney

Malheur County Circuit Court, 2012-present, Circuit Judge

5) List state and federal bars, courts and administrative bodies to which you are presently admitted and the date of admission. If desired, list previous admissions.

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6) If desired, list publications and/or articles you have authored.

7) List community, teaching (Continuing Legal Education or otherwise) or civic activities.

8) Prior to your becoming a judge, what was the general character of your legal practice? Where appropriate indicate any legal areas in which you concentrated.

Criminal Prosecutor

9) List your judicial experience, including as a pro tem, and/or service on an administrative tribunal, or justice, municipal, tax, circuit, or appellate court.

Circuit Court Judge

10) Describe the general character of your judicial work over the past five years. Indicate the nature of the cases over which you preside, any specialty courts or court programs, and any legal areas in which you concentrate.

All areas of law where Circuit Court has jurisdiction from death penalty eligible criminal cases to small claims civil.

- 11) Describe any judicial experience in appellate courts not included above.
- 12) Describe any experience serving as an arbitrator or mediator.
- 13) List any bar association memberships. Where appropriate, list officer positions, committee assignments or other notable work.

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- 14) Describe any bar association or judicial department committees, task forces, or special projects in which you have been involved.

Uniform Trial Court Rules Committee

Oregon Judicial Department Court Reengineering Workgroup

- 15) Have you ever been convicted of or pleaded guilty to a violation of any federal, state, county or municipal law, regulation or ordinance? If so, please give details. Do not include parking offenses or traffic violations for which a fine of less than \$500 was imposed.

No

- 16) Have you ever been the subject of a formal disciplinary proceeding as an attorney or judge? If so, please give the particulars and the result. *Include formal proceedings only.*

No

- 17) What attracted you to a judicial career?

Service to my community.

- 18) Briefly describe your philosophy of the judicial role, the qualities that are most important for the role, and the greatest challenges to the role.

Philosophy: Absolute adherence to the law

Important Qualities: Integrity, impartiality and transparency

Greatest Challenge: Time. Caseloads are ever increasing which both decreases the resources available for each dispute and, also, lengthens the time parties must wait to have their disputes resolved.

- 19) Briefly describe a case, or a legal issue on which you worked, of which you are particularly proud, or which is reflective of your legal ability, work ethic, judicial philosophy, or temperament.

- 20) Briefly describe an issue, related to Oregon's justice system, that is of particular interest or concern to you, or that you have interest in working toward improving.

Interstate Compact: The difficulty for a border county to transition children in need of care due to conditions and circumstances at home to families across state lines. I endeavor to assist in procuring a border agreement between Oregon and Idaho similar to the current agreement between Oregon and Washington.

21) Briefly describe a legal figure (personal, fictional or historical), whom you admire and why.

22) State any other information that you regard as pertinent to your candidacy.