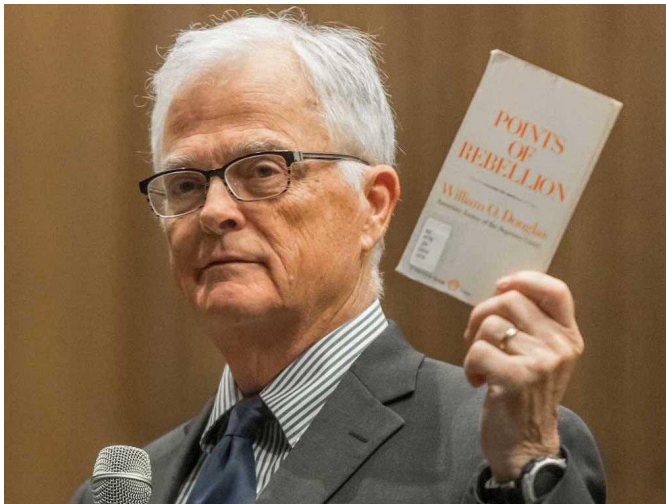


# A Conversation with Judge William Alsup: Biographies



Judge William Alsup is a Senior Judge for the Northern District of California. He was appointed by President Bill Clinton in 1999 and has presided over some of the Northern District's most significant cases. Prior to joining the court, Judge Alsup worked in private practice at Morrison & Foerster, was an Assistant to the U.S. Solicitor General, and served in the Antitrust Division at the Department of Justice. He clerked for Justice William O. Douglas at the U.S. Supreme Court. Judge Alsup grew up in Jackson, Mississippi and attended Mississippi State University, Harvard Law School, and Harvard University's John F. Kennedy School of Government.

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