

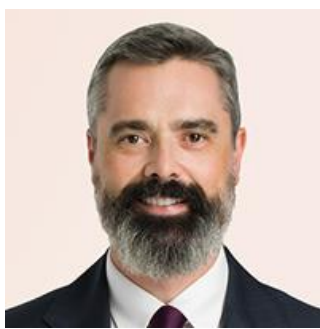
Alternative Dispute Resolution Masterclass

Wednesday 31 July | 12-2.15pm | Online

Presenters

Toby Boys

Partner, Holding Redlich;
Member, Queensland Law Society Alternative Dispute Resolution Committee;
Accredited Specialist (Commercial Litigation) – Qld



Toby is Partner and Chair of Holding Redlich's National Dispute Resolution & Litigation group.

Toby has practised in the areas of commercial litigation and regulatory matters and has conducted mediations in both Australia and the United Kingdom since 2000. He was previously a dispute resolution advisor with the Centre for Effective Dispute Resolution in London and an Advanced Associate with the UK's Financial Services Authority.

Toby is a nationally accredited mediator and a former Chair of the Queensland Law Society Alternative Dispute Resolution Committee.

Elise Humpherys

Legal Professional Development Executive, Education, Queensland Law Society



Elise is a senior educator with over 25 years' experience in the education sector. She served as an educator, deputy principal, principal, supervisor and advisor in schools and colleges, before moving into learning and development in registered training organisations and QLS.

Elise holds the qualifications of Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Education, Master of Education (Technology), and is currently completing a Bachelor of Business/Bachelor of Laws online with the University of New England (UNE).

Elise is passionate about facilitating learning to support lawyers, through continuing professional development. She has a particular interest in education and health service provision in regional/remote Australia. Elise also has a particular interest in Work Health and Safety.

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The Honourable Michelle May AM KC

Barrister, Queensland Bar;
Accredited Mediator and
Arbitrator



Michelle has more than 35 years of dispute resolution experience in family law; with 22 years serving as a Judge of the Family Court of Australia including the Appeal Division. She has been involved in many complex financial cases both as an advocate and at judicial level.

Michelle was appointed Queen's Counsel in 1993. She was the first barrister with a predominantly family law practice to achieve that level of seniority in Queensland. She has been involved in government and professional organisations relating to family law at state, national and international levels.

Michelle was appointed a Member of the Order of Australia in the General Division in the 2017 Queen's Birthday Honours List in recognition of her significant service to law, judicial administration and professional associations.

Tom Stodulka AM

Mediator & Conciliator, Member,
Queensland Law Society
Alternative Dispute Resolution
Committee



Tom Stodulka graduated in law at Sydney University in 1974 and has specialised in mediation for over 28 years, having mediated over 5000 disputes throughout Australia ranging from workplace, restorative justice and historic abuse matters, family and estate law, multi-million-dollar commercial transactions, franchise disputes, and multi-party disputes involving remote indigenous communities.

Tom was the founder of the Queensland ADR Forum. He is an FDRP, has national accreditation in multiple countries. He is a coach and an assessor at several universities, the Australian College of Law, and the Resolution Institute. He mentors and supervises new and experienced mediators.

Tom is a member of the Australian Mediation Association, Northern Mediators, the Conflict Resolution Centre and a Director of the Australasian Dispute Resolution Centre.

In 2017 and 2019, he was nominated for the National Mediator of the Year Awards. He is a Fellow of Bond University and was awarded the Resolution Institute 2019 Mediator of the Year (Australasian Law Awards). In 2020, he was awarded Facilitator of the Year in the national ADR Awards.

In 2021, Tom was awarded an AM for significant service to the law, mediation and dispute resolution.

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Erika Williams

Independent Arbitration and
Litigation Consultant, Williams
Arbitration; Member,
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Dispute Resolution Committee



Erika is an award-winning independent arbitrator with significant experience acting in some of Australia's largest disputes resolved through arbitration. Erika has acted as an arbitrator, tribunal secretary or counsel in commercial, construction and investment arbitrations under various arbitral institutions.

Erika is on the arbitrator panels of leading arbitration institutions and accepts arbitrator and tribunal secretary appointments.

Erika also provides consultancy services to in-house counsel and firms involved in arbitration.