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Shane was admitted in 1992 and worked in general practice with a focus on Criminal Law, before moving to in-house work, initially with the Ipswich City Council internal legal team.

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Grace is an ethics solicitor and the manager of the QLS Ethics and Practice Centre, which provides legal ethics and practice support guidance and education to the legal profession.

Grace was admitted as a solicitor in 1989 and was in private practice with several firms in Brisbane and the United Kingdom.

Grace joined QLS in 2007 initially as the Dispute Management Centre Manager and Policy Solicitor, and for four years as the Business Development Executive. She has managed the QLS Ethics and Practice Centre and its team since 2016.
