



The Honourable Justice Robert Benjamin

The Honourable Justice Benjamin was sworn in as a Judge of the Family Court of Australia in August 2005. Before that time His Honour practiced at a private profession for thirty years almost exclusively in family law.

In 2000 Benjamin J was appointed a Director of The College of Law New South Wales. Since that time he became its Chair and also served on Boards for The College of Law Queensland and The College of Law Victoria from 2005 – 2007 and The College of Law New Zealand from 2004 – 2007.

His Honour has a strong background in mediation having studied mediation at Bond University, Harvard University and having attained a Masters Degree (with a major in Dispute Resolution) at the University of Technology Sydney. He was an Accredited Specialist in Family Law and has contributed in articles and presentations in family law over the years.

In 2003, His Honour was President of the Law Society of New South Wales and served on the council of that Law Society from 1997 until 2004. His Honour chaired the Family Law Committee of the Law Society of New South Wales for many years together with the Children's Law Committee of that Law Society.