



The College of Law

# FAMILY LAW SEMINARS IN FEBRUARY/MARCH 2010

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## NUTS & BOLTS OF FAMILY LAW

Tuesday 16 February 2010: 9am-4.15pm (10007)  
College of Law City, Level 7, 111 Elizabeth St, Sydney

Following another year of legislative changes and judicial pronouncements, family law practice area has undergone a number of significant changes to key areas.

chair: **Kathy Matri** Brazel Moore Lawyers

speaker: **Neil Jackson** Frederick Jordan Chambers  
**The Treatment of Matrimonial Debts**

speaker: **Margaret Cleary** Frederick Jordan Chambers  
**Changes to Parenting that Provide for Same Sex Parents**

speaker: **Rachel Slat** Swaab Attorneys  
**Getting as Good as you Give: Disclosure Tools**

speaker: **Melinda Winning** Barkus Doolan Kelly  
**Financial Agreements - The good, the bad and the ugly**

speaker: **Glenda Laurence** Argyle Lawyers  
**"The rich are different from you and me" - A review of big money cases in the Family Court**

speaker: **Jackie Vincent** Watts McCray  
**Making Parenting Orders: The current status of *Goode v Goode***

## PREPARING FOR A FAMILY LAW HEARING

Wednesday 24 February 2010:  
5.30pm-7.00pm (10021)

College of Law City, Level 7,  
111 Elizabeth St, Sydney

This presentation is designed to fine tune your preparation for a family law hearing. Highlighting potential pitfalls and tips, the presenters will review the critical steps involved. Recommended for family law practitioners who would like to enhance their expertise in this area.

presented by:

### Jacqueline Dawson

Robyn Sexton & Associates

**Jacqueline Dawson** is an Accredited Specialist in Family Law and a well known speaker in this area of practice. She is a member of the NSW Specialist Accreditation Board and a member of Collaborative Professionals (NSW) Inc. and

**Julian Millar** 4th Floor Wentworth Chambers  
**Julian Millar** was admitted to the NSW Bar in 1985 and practises from Wentworth Chambers, principally in family law.

## THE ESSENTIAL GUIDE TO FAMILY LAW PRACTICE AND PROCEDURE

Tuesday 2 March 2010: 9am-4.30pm (10028)

College of Law City, Level 7, 111 Elizabeth St, Sydney

This program has been specifically designed for those who practice in family law. The aim of this practical workshop is for lawyers to gain an understanding of the key concepts, practice and procedure in family law and related litigation.

- ▶ Jurisdiction
  - ▶ Family law and its sources
  - ▶ Court officials, court staff & the legal profession
  - ▶ Family Court practice and procedure
  - ▶ Federal Magistrates Court practice and procedure
  - ▶ Family Court & Federal Magistrates Court forms
  - ▶ Applicable UCPR forms for state courts
  - ▶ Preparing an application for divorce and appearing at the hearing
  - ▶ Applications for property settlements, parenting orders & consent orders
  - ▶ Preparing a Financial Statement and financial disclosure
  - ▶ Procedure for application for final orders
  - ▶ Procedure for (interim) application for orders in a case
  - ▶ Appearing at the hearing of an application for orders in a case
  - ▶ Some common ex parte applications ▶ Children's cases program
  - ▶ Enforcement proceedings ▶ Binding financial agreements
  - ▶ Recovery and location procedures ▶ Superannuation
  - ▶ Taking instructions, conflict of interest, file notes
- ... and much more

presented by: **Kathryn Kearley** Solicitor & Lecturer, BA, LL.B  
Accredited Specialist in Family Law

Please visit: [www.collaw.edu.au](http://www.collaw.edu.au) for a full brochure on this program.

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	L/Soc. Member	Non Member
<input type="checkbox"/> 10007 <b>Nuts and Bolts of Family Law</b> (6 MCLE units) Tues 16 Feb 2010: 9am-4.15pm, College of Law City	<b>\$407.00</b> (incl \$37.00 GST)	<b>\$495.00</b> (incl. \$45.00 GST)
<input type="checkbox"/> 10021 <b>Preparing for a Family Law Hearing</b> (1.5 MCLE unit) Wednesday 24 February 2010: 5.30pm-7pm, College of Law City	<b>\$117.00</b> (incl \$11.00 GST)	<b>\$144.00</b> (incl. \$13.09 GST)
<input type="checkbox"/> 10028 <b>Family Law Practice and Procedure</b> (6 MCLE unit) Tuesday 2 March 2010: 9am-4.30pm, College of Law City	<b>\$509.00</b> (incl \$46.27 GST)	<b>\$590.00</b> (incl. \$53.64 GST)

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## Autumn Intensive Sessions

held at Tattersalls Club, 181 Elizabeth Street, Sydney (Note Tattersalls Club dress code)

Tuesday 30 March 2010 - 9am-10am (10126)

### Beyond the Spouse: Third Parties and the Family Law Act

An update on the current legislation and authorities in relation to the involvement of third parties to a marriage in Family Law Act proceedings, including a particular emphasis on the treatment of interests in trusts.

speaker: **Michael Kearney** Waratah Chambers

Tuesday 30 March 2010 - 10.30am-11.30am (10127)

### Same Sex Parenting Decisions

A look at parenting issues in same sex relationships, in the context of recent case law.

speaker: **Paul Boers** Craddock Murray Neumann

Tuesday 30 March 2010 - 12pm-1pm (10128)

### Recent Developments in Relocation Cases

Relocation continues to be one of the most challenging areas for family law practitioners. This presentation will look at recent cases and provide some insight into the factors practitioners need to consider in preparing and presenting relocation cases.

speaker: **Fiona Reid** Reid Family Lawyers

Tuesday 30 March 2010 - 2pm-3pm (10129)

### Binding Financial Agreements Revisited

This presentation will look at the changes that have occurred in the law relating to Binding Financial Agreements since its inception, taking into account recent developments and current case law.

speaker: **Chris Dimock** Dimocks Family Lawyers

Tuesday 30 March 2010 - 3.30pm-4.30pm (10130)

### Practical Issues relating to Superannuation and Family Law Property Settlements

- ▶ Relevant law & cases
- ▶ Other cases by way of example
- ▶ Practical issues in respect of a superannuation splitting order
- ▶ Conclusion as to when there will be a superannuation splitting order and possible amounts

speaker: **Glenn Thompson** Newnhams Solicitors

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<input type="checkbox"/>	10126 <b>Third Parties &amp; the Family Law Act</b> (1 MCLE unit) Tuesday 30 March 2010: 9am-10am, Tattersalls Club	<b>\$82.00</b> (incl \$7.45 GST)	<b>\$100.00</b> (incl. \$9.09 GST)
<input type="checkbox"/>	10127 <b>Same Sex Parenting Decisions</b> (1 MCLE unit) Tuesday 30 March 2010: 10.30am-11.30am, Tattersalls Club	<b>\$82.00</b> (incl \$7.45 GST)	<b>\$100.00</b> (incl. \$9.09 GST)
<input type="checkbox"/>	10128 <b>Recent Developments in Relocation Cases</b> (1 MCLE unit) Tuesday 30 March 2010: 12pm-1pm, Tattersalls Club	<b>\$82.00</b> (incl \$7.45 GST)	<b>\$100.00</b> (incl. \$9.09 GST)
<input type="checkbox"/>	10129 <b>Binding Financial Agreements Revisited</b> (1 MCLE unit) Tuesday 30 March 2010: 2pm-3pm, Tattersalls Club	<b>\$82.00</b> (incl \$7.45 GST)	<b>\$100.00</b> (incl. \$9.09 GST)
<input type="checkbox"/>	10130 <b>Superannuation and Family Law Property Settlements</b> (1 MCLE unit) Tuesday 30 March 2010: 3.30pm-4.30pm, Tattersalls Club	<b>\$82.00</b> (incl \$7.45 GST)	<b>\$100.00</b> (incl. \$9.09 GST)

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