Jennifer Rimmer

Jennifer was admitted as a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of Queensland on 22 November 1982 after completing her Bachelor of Laws and Diploma of Legal Practice. Jennifer is also a solicitor of the High Court of Australia. Jennifer is a Nationally Accredited Mediator, an approved Family Dispute Resolution Provider under the Family Law Regulations and has completed the training for Arbitration provided by the Law Council of Australia. She has practiced extensively in Family Law since 1982.

The skills and qualifications she brings as a Mediator include:

➢ Bachelor of Laws, Queensland Institute of Technology 1981.

➢ Diploma of Legal Practice 1982.

➢ Extensive Training in Mediation and Arbitration.

➢ 43 years experience as a legal practitioner specializing in Family Law and Defacto matters.

➢ Deputy Registrar and Registrar of the Family Court of Australia undertaking court ordered conciliation and mediations both in Queensland and New South Wales. 1991 – 1994.

➢ SES Registrar of the Family Court of Australia at Parramatta Registry 1994 – 1995.

➢ Deputy Principal Registrar (Northern Region) Family Court of Australia 1995 – 1998.

➢ SES Band 2 Registrar of the Family Court of Australia Brisbane Registry 1999 – 2000.

➢ An appointment as a Federal Magistrate of the Federal Magistrates Court of Australia between February 2001 and January 2007.

➢ Consultant in Family Law to Berck & Associates July 2007 to January 2011.

➢ Family Law Mediator and Family Dispute Resolution Practitioner July 2007 to date. Currently the Principal in Jenny Rimmer Mediations.

➢ Nationally Accredited Mediator with the Law Society of Queensland.

➢ Certificate of Attainment as a Dispute Resolution Provider obtained as required by legislation on 19 June 2009 from the Australian Institute of Social Relations.

➢ Past member of the Southern District Committee of the Legal Aid Office (Queensland).

➢ Current Member of Queensland Law Society, AIFLAM, Family Law Division of the Law Council of Australia and NADRAC since 1999.