



26th annual Calabro SV Consulting

# Family Law Residential

*Complex issues for modern families*

9–10 September 2011 | RACV Royal Pines Resort, Gold Coast

## Overview

The 26th annual Calabro SV Consulting Family Law Residential program, proudly presented in partnership with the Queensland Law Society and Family Law Practitioners' Association of Queensland, is the premier annual conference program for family law practitioners in Australia. In response to delegate feedback, this year's program features the traditional streams dedicated to children's issues and property matters. New streams are devoted to practical techniques for advocacy, family law practice management and maintenance of resilience in practice.

The program explores topical issues for family lawyers, such as the impact of the GFC and floods/ cyclones on property settlements, along with the emerging area of surrogacy and legal issues for modern families. Keynote presenter Anne-Marie Hutchinson OBE of Dawson Cornwall, UK, will provide the day two opening address on Hague Convention matters. Both solicitors and barristers will be able to gain their full suite of core CPD requirements from the two-day program and can mix and match session attendance to meet their level of experience and interests. In the tradition of previous years, the annual Residential dinner on Friday evening promises fantastic entertainment, food, wine and company and is an event not to be missed.



As a family law practitioner in a specialist family law firm, I regard the Family Law Residential as the most important family law legal education event of the year. It is also exceptionally good value.

Recently, many clients and practices have had to deal with the impact of the economic downturn and natural disasters which take their toll on families. These challenges take place against a backdrop of changing law and approaches to legal

practice. The Residential provides us with technical competencies, the shared insights and the tools to be at the leading edge of family law practice.

This year's program is enhanced through the addition of a third advocacy-based stream, designed for those who are newer to the practice of family law. It also features extensive session offerings that cater for those with a more advanced level of skill – including a dedicated session for family law principals.

On behalf of the Queensland Law Society, I acknowledge the fine work of the organising committee, comprising representatives from FLPA, the Queensland Bar, and the Queensland Law Society's Family Law Section. I also acknowledge our valued platinum sponsor, Calabro SV Consulting.

I look forward to seeing you at this year's Residential and also at the Residential dinner – which promises even greater surprise, enjoyment and collegiality this year.

Kind regards

**Bruce Doyle**, Queensland Law Society President; Principal, Family Law Doyle Keyworth and Harris and Accredited Specialist – Family Law



I am proud to be associated with the 26th Annual Calabro SV Consulting Family Law Residential as President of the Family Law Practitioner's Association (Qld) and a member of the organising committee.

I invite practitioners to take up the opportunity to attend our Residential which not only has the advantage of meeting family law practitioners CPD requirements in a focused and practical way but also provides a relaxed environment for peer relationship building.

Family Law Practitioners are a special breed, with many diverse skills required to flourish in this specialty jurisdiction. The program this year has been extended to cater for further development of those skills.

We welcome many new exciting speakers this year and members of the Judiciary whom have devoted their time and valuable experience to help us all be better Family Law Practitioners.

I personally have been attending the Residential for over ten years and invite you to enjoy and be enriched by all that the program has to offer.

**Deborah Awyzio**, President, FLPA (Qld); Principal, DA Family Lawyers and Accredited Specialist – Family Law

# Thursday 8 September

6:00pm–7:00pm **Welcome drinks and registration (Royal Benowa foyer)**

# Friday 9 September

8:00am–8:40am **Registration**

8:40am–8:50am **Welcome**

**Speaker:** **Alison Ross**, Chair, Queensland Law Society Family Law Section,  
Special Counsel, HopgoodGanim Lawyers and Accredited Specialist – Family Law

### Introductory remarks

**Speaker:** **Bruce Doyle**, Queensland Law Society President; Principal, Family Law Doyle Keyworth  
and Harris and Accredited Specialist – Family Law

8:50am–10:10am **Opening plenary**

### The latest and greatest case round up – first instance decisions and full court cases

**Speakers:** **The Honourable Jennifer Boland**, Adjunct Professor Faculty of Law, University of Sydney;  
**The Honourable Justice May**, Family Court of Australia

**Chair:** **Julie Harrington**, Chair, Queensland Law Society Family Law Section;  
Managing Partner, Harrington Family Lawyers and Accredited Specialist – Family Law

### Presentation of the Andrea Bowler Memorial Prize

**Presenter:** **The Honourable Justice Forrest**, Family Court of Australia, Immediate Past President, FLPA (Qld)

10:10am–11:10am

#### 1A: Childrens' stream

##### When a child rejects a parent: Why children resist contact

- Identifying and understanding the range of post-separation child/parent relationships
- Acting in cases where children may be enmeshed, estranged or alienated
- Creating effective partnerships with social scientists to manage these cases.

**Speaker:**  
**Federal Magistrate Tom Altobelli**,  
Federal Magistrates Court

**Chair:**  
**Philip Trudinger**,  
Clinical Psychologist

#### 1B: Property stream

##### How to avoid a negligence claim in super and family law

- Six case studies to illustrate typical traps
- What happens where there is a failure to serve the order?
- The different effects of the type (a) order and the type (b) order
- Self-managed Super Funds (SMSFs) and the GFC.

**Speaker:**  
**Stephen Bourke**, Director,  
Certus Law, Canberra

**Chair:**  
**The Honourable Justice May**,  
Family Court of Australia

#### 1C: Advocacy stream

##### Best practice advocacy: Evidence and preparing for trials

- Case: what admissible evidence will you need to properly present your client's case?
- Court: different techniques of advocacy for different cases, clients and courts
- Client: managing your client's evidence and any unrealistic expectations
- Conduct: skills of persuasion when the court seems with you, and against you
- Common errors: the top five don'ts in family law.

**Speaker:**  
**His Honour Judge Brad Farr SC**,  
District Court of Queensland

**Chair:**  
**Jacoba Brasch**,  
Barrister,  
Queensland Bar



11:10am–11:30am **Morning tea**

11:30am–1:00pm

## 2A: Child Protection stream

### Child protection and its intersection with family law

- An overview of child protection legislation and what to do when Department of Child Services (DOCS) calls your client
- Changes to the definition of violence – what this means in a practical sense and how to deal with it in your affidavit material
- A practical scenario-based discussion using the case of an immigrant family and exploring the intersection of Family Law and Child Protection.

#### Speakers:

**Fionna Fairbrother**, Coordinator of Women's Legal Aid, Legal Aid Queensland;  
**Marguerite Piccolo**, Principal Program Officer, Child Protection Development, Child Safety Services, Department of Communities;  
**Tina Foti**, Team Leader, Court Services, Child Safety, Department of Communities

## 2B: Child Support stream

### Child support update

This session will cover:

- the most recent amendments to the care and income provisions of the Child Support Legislation
- recent changes to the CSA's internal Change of Assessment process
- information and drafting tips for Binding and Limited Child Support Agreements.

#### Speaker:

**Brett Walker-Roberts**, Senior Advisor, Child Support Agency

### Child support and the role of the Social Security Appeals Tribunal (SSAT)

This session will:

- introduce the SSAT to practitioners
- outline the Tribunal's processes in child support matters
- canvass the role of practitioners before the Tribunal
- provide feedback on the Tribunal's experience in this jurisdiction.

#### Speaker:

**Jim Walsh**, Senior Member, Social Security Appeals Tribunal for Queensland and the Northern Territory

## 2C: Advocacy stream

### Contravention and contempt

- Scope of Sections 112AA and 112AP
- What is contravention?
- Reasonable excuse
- Varying orders – Section 70NBA(3)
- Penalty and Sanction
- Standard of proof
- Warrants of Arrest.

#### Speakers:

**Federal Magistrate Jarrett**, Federal Magistrates Court;  
**James Linklater-Steele**, Barrister, Queensland Bar

#### Chair:

**The Honourable Justice Forrest**, Family Court of Australia, Immediate Past President, FLPA (Qld)

1:00pm–1:40pm

## Lunch

1:40pm–3:10pm

## 3A: Childrens' stream

### Autistic spectrum disorders and family law

- An overview of Autism and Asperger's behaviours
- What orders are more suitable in relation to these conditions?

#### Speaker:

**Dr Michael McDowall**, Paediatrician

#### Chair and commentary:

**David Hugall**, Regional Coordinator – Child Dispute Service, Family Law Courts

## 3B: Property stream

### Family law, estate planning and the rural client

- An overview of where and how family law and estate planning intersect
- A case study of the family run farm/business.

#### Speaker:

**Cameron Cowley**, Solicitor, Fox and Thomas

#### Chair:

**The Honourable Justice Austin**, Family Court of Australia

## 3C: Practice stream

### The complex world of a modern family law practice

- What's so good about fixed fees?
- Developments in the business of a family law practice
- Effective marketing strategies and the bottom-line
- Your practice, your clients and the risks they bring.

#### Speakers:

**Suzanne Harrison**, Associate, McCowans Solicitors and Accredited Specialist – Family Law;  
**Clarissa Rayward**, Director, Brisbane Family Law Centre;  
**Giles Watson**, Manager – Practice Support, Queensland Law Society;  
**Chair and speaker:**  
**Tracy Skellern-Smith**, Legal Risk Solicitor, Lexon Insurance



3:10pm–3:30pm **Afternoon tea**

3:30pm–4:30pm **4: Plenary**

**Ethical dilemmas for solicitors and barristers**

Jacoba Brasch, Barrister, Queensland Bar, will facilitate an expert panel of family law practitioners in discussing and debating difficult ethical issues:

- you act for a mother. Her child is in hospital. The Department of Child Safety calls and tells you they will be bringing an application to take the child into the care of the Department. You speak to your client. She tells you things which make you very concerned...
- you act for a father. It is day two of a trial. All is looking good for a change of residence in your client's favour; the Independent Children's Lawyer seems on board too. You look at some subpoenaed documents which had been returned during day one...
- you act for the wife in a property matter. On the eve of trial, you receive the husband's case outline, which includes several affidavits authored by the husband's solicitor. Those affidavits are replete with statements such as, "I advised my client that he should not accept the wife's offer; he was worth much more"; and "On x date, I received a letter from the other side complaining about disclosure. I advised my client that the other side were just trying to spend his money and he should instruct me not to respond." At trial, the solicitor advises the Court he will be appearing for his client as a way of saving costs. He reads his Case Outline, including the affidavits by himself. The Federal Magistrate confirms he is relying upon his own affidavits. As Counsel, what instruction do you seek? As solicitor, what do you advise your client?

**Speakers:** **The Honourable Justice Colin Forrest**, Family Court of Australia  
**Margie Kruger**, Partner, Ryan Kruger



4:30pm–7:30pm **Free time**

7:30pm–8:00pm **Pre-dinner drinks**

# *Dinner* 8:00pm–11:00pm

*Relax and unwind with accompanying partners, colleagues and friends at the Annual Calabro SV Consulting Residential Dinner.*

*In the tradition of previous years, the dinner holds the promise of a sumptuous three-course meal and drinks, very special entertainment and dancing to your favourites!*



# Saturday 10 September

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| 8:30am–9:00am   | <b>Registration</b>  |   |   |
| 9:00am–9:15am   | <b>Opening address</b><br><b>Speaker:</b> The Honourable Chief Justice Diana Bryant, Family Court of Australia   |   |   |
| 9:15am–10:30am  | <b>5: Plenary – Hague Convention Matters:</b><br><b>Practical steps and brief overview of relevant Australian law</b><br><b>Speaker:</b> Kevin Parrott, Principal Legal Officer, Crown Law<br><br><b>An international perspective</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• How to defend an application for the return of a child</li> <li>• Legal considerations</li> <li>• Different practices in different jurisdictions.</li> </ul> <b>Speaker:</b> Anne-Marie Hutchinson OBE, Partner, Dawson Cornwall, London, UK<br><b>Chair and commentary:</b> The Honourable Chief Justice Diana Bryant, Family Court of Australia   |   |   |
| 10:30am–11:00am | <b>Morning tea</b>   |   |   |
| 11:00am–12:30pm | <b>6A: Modern Families stream</b><br><br><b>Surrogacy – from A to Z</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Differences between States</li> <li>• The fundamental issues to consider</li> <li>• The legal position in Queensland</li> <li>• How to best advise potential surrogacy clients</li> <li>• The psychological perspectives on surrogacy</li> <li>• Counselling requirements for surrogacy arrangements.</li> </ul> <b>Speakers:</b><br><b>Stephen Page</b> , Partner, Harrington Family Lawyers and Accredited Specialist – Family Law;<br><b>Michael Condon</b> , Psychologist<br><br><b>Chair:</b><br><b>Anne-Marie Hutchinson OBE</b> , Partner, Dawson Cornwall, London, UK | <b>6B: Property stream</b><br><br><b>Does adversity affect value?</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Effects of the GFC on the global economy, the local economy and the effects of the Queensland floods</li> <li>• How has this affected valuations for:               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• publicly listed companies</li> <li>• private companies</li> <li>• real property valuations</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Recovery after the initial effects both on a general basis and specific to the various industries</li> <li>• The impact felt by businesses:               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• degree of any impact</li> <li>• any mitigation against losses</li> </ul> </li> <li>• How do we account for these effects in valuations:               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• temporary vs permanent effects</li> <li>• periods that we are analysing.</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <b>Speakers:</b><br><b>Jenny Letts</b> , Manager – Forensics and Valuations, Calabro SV Consulting;<br><b>David Hyne</b> , Director, Herron Todd White<br><br><b>Understanding Binding Financial Agreements</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Binding Financial Agreements, in particular the case law in relation to applications to set aside agreements since the 2010 legislative changes</li> <li>• Suggestions for +best practice in their use both as tools for asset protection and as an option for formalising settlements.</li> </ul> <b>Speaker:</b><br><b>Tony Phillips</b> , Partner, Murdoch Lawyers and Accredited Specialist – Family Law<br><br><b>Chair:</b><br><b>Federal Magistrate Altobelli</b> , Federal Magistrates Court | <b>6C: Childrens’ stream</b><br><br><b>Exploring the anatomy of a family report</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What is a family report?</li> <li>• Reasonable expectations of the report writer – the process and the finished product</li> <li>• Reasonable expectations of the lawyer – preparing your client for the family report</li> <li>• Interviewing children for family reports</li> <li>• Common concerns and experiences from children to being interviewed</li> <li>• Tools and interview strategies</li> <li>• Detecting influence or coaching, what are the children’s views?</li> <li>• A role play of the child interview.</li> </ul> <b>Speakers:</b><br><b>Marie Adams</b> , Social Worker in Private Practice<br><b>Anthony Smith</b> , Psychologist Regulation 7 Family Consultant;<br><b>Rebecca Parry</b> , Senior Associate, Fox and Thomas<br><br><b>Interdisciplinary Practice in Family Law: Challenges and Insights from the ‘FRC – CLC Legal Partnership’ Evaluation</b><br><br>Many family law matters involve both social scientists and lawyers and interdisciplinary collaboration in this context has many advantages and challenges.<br><br>This paper draws on recent empirical research to explore ways ahead.<br><br><b>Speaker:</b><br><b>Dr Rae Kaspiew</b> , Senior Research Fellow, Australian Institute of Family Studies<br><br><b>Chair:</b><br><b>Federal Magistrate Demack</b> , Federal Magistrates Court |

12:30pm–1:15pm

**Lunch**

1:15pm–2:45pm

**7A: Self Care and Resilience stream**

**Management of vicarious trauma and burnout**

- The tell-tale signs of vicarious trauma
- Who can help?
- Self-care in a busy practice.

**Speaker:** **Dr Paul Gibney**, Psychotherapist and Family Therapist

**Practical strategies for personal resilience**

- Maintaining a strategic mindset when confronting difficult situations and people
- Maintaining personal resilience and agency in the moment

**Speaker:** **Geoff Fitzgerald**, Psychotherapist, private practice

**Your client is the one with the claim – not you**

- What is a Personality Disorder
- Why does stress affect people differently
- Defining expectations between lawyer and client
- When to consider jumping ship.

**Speaker:** **Dr Josie Sundin**, Psychiatrist

**Chair:** **Federal Magistrate Laphorn**, Federal Magistrates Court



**7B: Advocacy stream**

**Best practice spousal maintenance applications**

This session will step through the scenario of a spouse maintenance application, inviting delegates to consider how they would approach it; then providing commentary from a Federal Magistrate, discussing best practice tips on written advocacy for a spouse maintenance hearing.

**Speaker:** **Steve Middleton**, Barrister-at-Law, Queensland Bar

**Preparing for a domestic violence hearing: How to effectively and successfully run a domestic violence hearing**

This session will canvass the legal principles for a domestic violence order including:

- what is the standard of proof?
- what are the applicable Rules of Evidence?
- cases of note.

**Speaker:** **Guy Andrew**, Barrister, Queensland Bar

**Chair:** **Federal Magistrate Cassidy**, Federal Magistrates Court



2:45pm–3:30pm

**8: Closing plenary**

**Family law – how to avoid the road to perdition**

This session will present an overview of what is likely to be the subject of complaint and what to do if a complaint is made against you. Given the nature of the jurisdiction, it is likely that at some stage in your career a complaint will be made against you – either by your own client or the other side.

John Briton, Legal Services Commissioner, will provide an overview of areas that produce the most complaints, including:

- mediation and 'duress' in consent orders
- the role of the ICL
- correspondence; rude or robust?
- over-identification with the client
- billing practices and costs
- what to do if a complaint is made against you?

**Speaker:** **John Briton**, Legal Services Commissioner

**Conference closing address:** **Deborah Awyzio**, President, FLPA (Qld); Queensland Law Society Councillor Principal, DA Family Lawyers and Accredited Specialist – Family Law



3:30pm

**Close**

## Speakers



### MARIE LEONIE ADAMS

Marie is a qualified and accredited Social Worker with a longstanding interest in working with families. From 1986 to 2008, she was in private practice and consistently worked with individuals, couples and families focusing on relationship issues and the welfare of children; through counselling, mediation and the preparation of reports for the Family Court of Australia, the Federal Magistrates Court of Australia and the Queensland Children's Court. Marie is an accredited Family Dispute Resolution Practitioner. From March 2008 to July 2011, she worked as Regional Dispute Resolution Coordinator with the Federal Magistrates Court and Senior Family Consultant with the Family Law Courts. In these jobs, Marie continued working with families to resolve parenting disputes and to provide advice to assist the Court. Marie also expanded her work into staff supervision, development and support; the development of innovative professional practices and services consistent with the Family Law Courts policies; and building strong and effective working relationships between the Courts and the community sector. Marie returned to private practice on 18 July 2011.



### FEDERAL MAGISTRATE TOM ALTABELLI

After 25 years in practice Dr Tom Altobelli was appointed as a Federal Magistrate on 13 November 2006 and is currently sitting as one of 6 Federal Magistrates in the Family Law Courts in Sydney. He holds a Master of Laws and Doctorate in Juridical Science, and is an Adjunct Professor in the School of Law, University of Western Sydney.

Before his appointment, Tom was accredited as a specialist in the areas of Family Law, Children's law and Mediation. He was, formerly, Special Counsel at Watts McCray Lawyers, Australia's largest family law firm, and an Associate Professor at the University of Western Sydney. He was also a member of the Executive of the Family Law Section of the Law Council of Australia. Tom has authored four books on family law and dispute resolution as well as 50 articles in Australian and International Journals.

Federal Magistrate Altobelli is the Convenor of the Court's Working Party on Less Adversarial Processes.

### GUY ANDREW

Guy Andrew has practised at the private bar since June, 2001 and his main areas of practice are family and criminal law.

Prior to that, he practised at Legal Aid Queensland for many years as a solicitor and barrister.



### DEBORAH AWYZIO

Deborah Awyzio is an accredited family law specialist and principal of DA Family Lawyers. Deborah is President of the Family Law Practitioners Association (Qld) and the Attorney-General's appointee on the council of the Queensland Law Society. Deborah has over 15 years experience in Family Law and has conducted trials as Solicitor Advocate in both the Family Court and Federal Magistrates Court. Deborah is a member of the panel of independent children's lawyers and separate representatives maintained by Legal Aid Queensland and is a committee member of the Preferred Supplier Reference Group with Legal Aid Queensland.



### THE HONOURABLE JENNY BOLAND

In 2011 Jennifer (Jenny) Boland was appointed Adjunct Professor of Law at Sydney University. She also took up a position as a member of the Guardianship Tribunal of NSW.

Jenny was appointed as a Judge of the Family Court of Australia in October 1999. In July 2004 she was assigned a Judge of the Appeal Division of the Court. She retired from the Court in February 2011.

In 1982 she obtained a Dip Law (SAB) and in 1991 was admitted to the degree of Master of Laws, University of Sydney.

In 1993 she received specialist accreditation from the Law Society in family law, and in 1996 obtained specialist accreditation in advocacy.

Jenny was a litigation partner in the firm Corrs Chambers Westgarth, and practised in the diverse areas of product liability and family law.



### STEPHEN BOURKE

Stephen Bourke is an accredited superannuation specialist with the Self Managed Superannuation Professionals Association.

Stephen holds degrees in Arts and Law. On graduation of his Arts degree, he was awarded the Prize for Excellence by the Australian Institute of Management.

Stephen is a Director of Certus Law, a practice specialising in Estates, Trusts and Superannuation. He also consults to other practitioners through the consulting practice Supersplitting, a practice that specialises in superannuation law and family law.

Stephen has just completed a new edition of the practitioner's text "Super Splitting for Family Lawyers" which was launched by the Federal Attorney-General in March 2011.



### MICHAEL CONDON

Michael Condon is a clinical psychologist in private practice in Brisbane, and holds a Masters Degree in Clinical Psychology. Michael is also a senior consultant psychologist at Queensland Fertility Group.

Michael's areas of expertise include infertility counselling and associated aspects of donor gamete use and surrogacy; child psychology; relationship counselling; hearing loss; grief and loss counselling, and clinical expertise in mental health and adjustment issues.

Michael is a twenty year member of Anzica under the Fertility Society of Australia.



### CAMERON COWLEY

Cameron Cowley is a lawyer practicing in the areas of Succession Law, Wills and Estate Planning, Commercial Law, Taxation and Not for Profit.

Cameron graduated from the University of Queensland in 2005 and was admitted as a solicitor of the Supreme Court of Queensland in 2006.

Cameron grew up on the land, and enjoys assisting farming and rural people and their families design and implement plans for passing their business and personal assets to future generations.

### FIONNA FAIRBROTHER

Fionna Fairbrother has been Coordinator of Women's Legal Aid, Legal Aid Queensland since 2008. In this role she

- Provides assistance and guidance to staff within Women's Legal Aid, to Legal Aid Queensland lawyers state-wide and also to external legal practitioners regarding women's access to Legal Aid services.
- Provides expert and authoritative submissions for policy changes and law reform in relation to women's matters to Legal Aid Queensland.
- Represents Women's Legal Aid in internal and external forums and is a member of networks with stakeholders who assist women who have experienced family violence.
- Provides continuing legal education to Legal Aid Queensland staff and also contributes to education of external community stakeholders to increase awareness and improve access to services for women.

Fionna is a member of Legal Aid Queensland's Separate Representative Panel and is a registered Family Dispute Resolution Practitioner.

Fionna holds a Bachelor of Laws, Bachelor of Business (Accountancy), Queensland University of Technology, 1988 and Graduate Diploma in Legal Practice 1989. She worked for 6 years as a solicitor in private practice in suburban firms, primarily in family and child protection matters. Fionna worked for 8 years for Women's Legal Service as an advice solicitor providing advice relating to domestic violence, family and child protection matters. Fionna has also worked in Legal Aid Queensland's legal advice program and was Coordinator of the Program for 5 years before she took up the role of Coordinator of Women's Legal Aid.



### GEOFF FITZGERALD

Geoff Fitzgerald is a psychotherapist in private practice in Brisbane and has twenty years' experience in counselling children, adolescents, families, couples and adults with a range of difficulties.

He has a depth of experience in Management, Workplace Counselling and Consulting, and in training groups on a wide variety of topics. His main areas of specialty are relationship counselling, family therapy, trauma, depression and anxiety.

Geoff works with various organisations including the Queensland Ambulance Service, Queensland Department of Fire and Safety, and the Queensland Department of Child Safety.

Geoff is a Clinical Member of the Queensland Association for Family Therapy, member AASW, and an Accredited Mental Health Social Worker and Medicare Provider. He holds Bachelor of Social Work and Master of Social Work (Family Therapy) degrees.



### PAUL GIBNEY

Dr. Paul Gibney is a psychotherapist and family therapist in private practice in Brisbane. Paul graduated in Social Work from the University of Queensland in 1980 and gained a doctorate from that institution in 1993. From 1995 to 2005, he had a senior lectureship

in the Social Work Department at the University of Queensland, where he taught advanced case work, family therapy theory and practice, and advanced skills in interpersonal helping. Paul, over the last seven years, has consulted extensively to government organisations and non-government organisations in the areas of staff supervision, child protection, residential care, youth and adult mental health and complex case supervisions.

Paul has lectured and presented workshops throughout Australia and New Zealand. His 2003 text "Pragmatics of Therapeutic Practice" is a set text in five Masters of Counseling Courses throughout Australia and he is the author of over twenty academic papers.



### DAVID HYNE

David is a Director within the HTW Group (58 x offices nationally) and has extensive valuation experience across all sectors of the Queensland residential property market. Within these areas of specialty, David is involved regularly with larger

portfolio work and also heads up the Family Law & Residential property teams in Brisbane.



### ANNE-MARIE HUTCHINSON

Anne-Marie Hutchinson OBE was admitted in 1985 and joined Dawson Cornwell in January 1998 as head of the Children Department. She now heads up an expert and recognised team, and specialises in all aspects of domestic and international family law and the international movement of children.

In particular she has expertise in international divorce forum and jurisdictional disputes on divorce, with particular expertise in international custody disputes and child abduction; the EU Regulation on jurisdiction in family matters. She acts for the victims of forced marriages, abandoned spouses and Honour Based Violence.

Anne-Marie is also a specialist in surrogacy and surrogacy with an international element. Anne-Marie advises in respect of complex domestic and international adoption applications and legal issues arising from the creation and implementation of surrogacy arrangements and The Human Fertilisation and Embryology Act 2008.

Anne-Marie is accredited by Resolution as a specialist family lawyer, specialising in child abduction and children law. She was awarded the inaugural UNICEF Child Rights Lawyer award in 1999, and received an OBE for her services to international child abduction and adoption in the 2002 Queen's New Year's Honours List. In 2004 she was selected as Legal Aid Lawyer of the Year for her work with the victims of forced marriage. In 2010, she received the International Bar Association's Outstanding International Woman Lawyer Award.

Anne-Marie is Chair of the Family Law Committee of the International Bar Association and Chair of the Board of Trustees of Reunite: International Child

Abduction Centre. She is a member of the International Issues Committee of The Law Society of England and Wales and Governor at Large of the International Academy of Matrimonial Lawyers. She is also a member of numerous associations and committees including the International Society of Family Law, the Institute of Advanced Legal Studies Working Group on the Cross Border Movement for Children, the International Centre for Missing and Exploited Children, the Home Office Working Group on Forced Marriages, the Commonwealth Working Group on AIDS and the Law Society International Issues Committee.

Anne-Marie is a regular speaker and lecturer both within the United Kingdom and abroad and has made numerous television appearances. She is the UK correspondent for "International Family Law" published by Jordans. She is joint author of the text book "International Parental Child Abduction" and sits on the Editorial Board of the Child and Family Law Quarterly, published by Jordans.

Not only is Anne-Marie consistently named as one of the leading family lawyers in London in both Chambers and The Legal 500, but she is singled out by Chambers as the sole "star individual" for cross-border disputes.



### MICHAEL JARRETT

Michael Jarrett was admitted to practise as a solicitor of the Supreme Court of Queensland on 8 April, 1989 after completing five years Articles of Clerkship. From 1989 until 1991, he was employed as a solicitor with the firm of Hopgood and Ganim

in the firm's commercial litigation section.

On 8 April, 1991, Michael was admitted as a Barrister of the Supreme Court of Queensland. He practiced as a barrister at the private Bar in Brisbane in a wide range of civil litigation including vendor and purchaser actions, landlord and tenant actions, employment related litigation, insolvency litigation, product liability claims, and actions under the Trade Practices Act, the most notorious of which perhaps was the litigation between the workers employed to replace sacked Maritime Union of Australia employees and Patrick Stevedoring.

Michael Jarrett commenced his appointment as a Federal Magistrate on 2 February 2004.

Michael also practiced, although not exclusively, in matrimonial litigation, including disputes relating to children, maintenance and property. As a Federal Magistrate, he sits regularly in the family law jurisdiction of the Court as well as the other areas of jurisdiction exercised by the Court. He is a member of the Admiralty, Insolvency and Commercial specialist panels of the Court.



### JENNY LETTS

Jenny Letts has over ten years' experience practising closely with Norbert Calabro in both the family law and commercial fields.

Jenny specialises in the appraisal and valuation of businesses and various holdings over a wide range of industries such as construction, medical, finance, hospitality and agricultural.



### JAMES LINKLATER-STEEL

James Linklater-Steele is a barrister in private practice in Brisbane. Prior to coming to the Bar he worked in a small firm in the litigation section. He commenced practice at the private Bar in 1993 and for the first five years of practice had a general practice appearing in a variety of state and federal courts and tribunals.

Over the last thirteen years his practice has evolved into a family law speciality practice with adjunct appearances in the domestic violence jurisdiction and the de facto jurisdiction in the state courts. He holds the record presently for the longest children's trial in Queensland a matter which lasted fifty days.

James describes his practice as a general family practice but with a weighing towards Magellan matters and the "weird and the wonderful". He is a disciple of the Tim North Shirt Cult and claims to have taught Justice Forrest everything he knows.

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## JUSTICE MICHELLE MAY

Justice May attended the University of Queensland and completed a Bachelor of Laws Degree. She was admitted to the Queensland Bar in 1978 and commenced practice in 1979. In December 1993 she was appointed Queen's Counsel.

Justice May was a valued committee member of Family Law Practitioners Association (Qld) for 3 years. In 1994 she became the Chairperson of Family Law Panel for Bar Association of Queensland, and was appointed a member of the Family Law Council.

In 1995 she was appointed as a Judge of the Family Court of Australia, and in February 2003 she was assigned by the Attorney-General to the Appeal Division of The Family Court.

By 2005 she was appointed Member of the Australian Institute of Judicial Administration Council, and in 2008 was appointed Member of the Board of the Australian Institute of Judicial Administration.

In 2010 Justice May was appointed Chair of the Judges' Forum of the International Bar Association.



## DR MICHAEL MCDOWALL

Michael McDowall is a medical Doctor, having completed his medical degree at Sydney University in 1984. Following that, he specialised in Paediatrics, at the Royal Alexandra Hospital for Children in Sydney.

During Michael's paediatric training, he became interested in children with developmental problems. From a medical perspective, the 'cause' of developmental problems is usually medical (neurological), even if it cannot be accurately diagnosed exactly what has gone wrong. To get further training in this area, Michael went to the Children's Hospital in Boston, USA where he completed a 3 year clinical training fellowship and a Masters Degree at Harvard University.

For the past 5 years, Michael was Director of the Child Development Program for the Royal Children's Hospital. He left the Director position to finish his PhD (in neurological signs), and build the Child Development Network private practice. He continues to work part time for the Child Development Unit in this system, doing some clinical work as well as research and teaching.

Michael is a senior lecturer with the Department of Paediatrics and Child Health at the University of Queensland.



## STEVE MIDDLETON

Steve Middleton was admitted to practice in 1995 in NSW and in QLD in 1998.

He worked as a solicitor from 1999 to 2003 with Griffiths Parry Lawyers, and became a partner of Griffiths Parry Lawyers in 2003. He was admitted as a Barrister in 2007 and a Mediator since 2002. Steven has practiced in Family Law, amongst other areas, since being admitted.

Steven tutors at Sunshine Coast University in business law and a Mentor at QUT Faculty of Law. He also holds the position of Special Reserve, Legal, Royal Australian Air Force.



## STEPHEN PAGE

Stephen Page is a partner of Harrington Family Lawyers, Brisbane.

Admitted in 1987, and an accredited specialist since 1996, Stephen has acted for surrogacy clients throughout Australia.

Stephen has regularly appeared and spoken about surrogacy, and is author of the Australian Surrogacy and Adoption Blog: <http://surrogacyandadoption.blogspot.com>



## REBECCA PARRY

Rebecca Parry was admitted as a solicitor to the Supreme Court of Queensland and the High Court in 1999. Since then she has practiced solely in the area of family law.

After more than 10 years at her previous Firm, Rebecca commenced as a Senior Associate in the newly established family law practice at Fox and Thomas' Brisbane office.

Rebecca is currently the Secretary of the Family Law Practitioners' Association of Queensland, a position she has held for many years.



## TONY PHILLIPS

Tony Phillips has over 27 years' experience in family law, principally in Toowoomba and over the last decade in Brisbane. His expertise is complex property divisions, including trust and corporate structuring, large rural farming ventures and businesses.

Tony also works with estate planning lawyers and financial planners using Binding Financial Agreements as part of asset protection strategies.

An Accredited Specialist in Family Law, and a registered mediator and arbitrator, Tony sits on the Family Law Committee of the Queensland Law Society.



## CLARISSA RAYWARD

Clarissa Rayward is currently the Director of the multi-disciplinary practice Brisbane Family Law Centre at Albion in Brisbane's inner north.

Clarissa is a strong advocate for collaborative practice and mediation, and regularly undertakes work in these areas. She is a committee member of both the Queensland Collaborative Law Association and the Queensland Family Law Practitioners Association.

Clarissa also completed training as an Independent Children's Lawyer in 2007 and regularly acts in this capacity in the Family Law Courts.



## ANTHONY SMITH

Anthony Smith has been working in Family Law Mediation since the mid 1990's with a range of services including Interrelate, Relationships Australia and NSW Legal Aid. He has also worked as a Relationship, Child and Family Counsellor for a number of Community Agencies and also managed an International Counselling Service in Tokyo! Anthony recently worked for the Federal Magistrates Court in Lismore for two years and this year for the Family Court in Brisbane. He is also a Regulation 7 Report Writer based on the North Coast on NSW. He has an interest in making Family Law interviews a less stressful and even positive experience for children. He is keen to share a number of practical ideas on how to make it easier to get the conversations flowing.



## DR JOSIE SUNDIN

Dr Josie Sundin has over 20 year's experience in psychiatry and her current private hospital appointments include the Brisbane Hospital, the New Farm Clinic and the Toowong Private Hospital. Dr Sundin is a current Member of the General Medical Assessment Tribunal, QComp and is Psychiatrist assisting the Mental Health Court. Dr Sundin has also previously lectured as a Psychiatrist for the University of Queensland from 1993 – 2004.



## BRETT WALKER-ROBERTS

Brett Walker-Roberts has worked for the Child Support Agency for over 15 years occupying mostly technical and policy positions. During this time he has worked extensively with the South Australian legal community (and the courts) improving the understanding of the child support legislation and providing advice on draft child support agreements and court orders.

Currently, Brett is a Senior Policy Advisor and contributes to the writing of CSA's online technical and policy resource, 'The Guide'. Brett also manages the non-enforcement litigation in South Australia and the Northern Territory and contributed to the writing of the 'Legal Practitioners Guide'.



## JAMES WALSH

James Walsh has been the Senior Member of the Social Security Appeals Tribunal for Queensland and the Northern Territory since 2002.

He has extensive experience in the field of Commonwealth Administrative Review.

Perhaps unusually, Jim has enjoyed the various challenges associated with the Tribunal's involvement in the Child Support jurisdiction.



## GILES WATSON

Giles Watson manages the Queensland Law Society Practice Management Course and advises practitioners on practice management issues. He has developed and manages a range of Queensland Law Society practice support resources and services, and also successfully won approval for and now manages the Queensland Law Society Limitation of Liability Scheme.

Giles has an MA in Marketing and was formerly a business development manager at three London law firms.

## Program information

### The venue

Queensland Law Society and Family Law Practitioners' Association Queensland are proud to present the 26th annual Calabro SV Consulting Family Law Residential 2011. The Residential will be held at the RACV Royal Pines Resort, Ross Street, Ashmore, Gold Coast. Located 12 minutes from Surfers Paradise and approximately one hour from Brisbane, the resort features a full complement of health and fitness facilities, day spa, and 27-hole championship golf course.

### Accommodation

Special delegate accommodation rates have been negotiated with the hotel, for the 26th annual Calabro SV Consulting Family Law Residential 2011.

To book accommodation, please complete the accommodation booking form and either fax to 07 55972277 or email [royalpines\\_groupres@racv.com.au](mailto:royalpines_groupres@racv.com.au). For further accommodation enquiries, please contact hotel reservations on 07 5597 8700. Credit card details will be required to secure all accommodation and bookings; this card will be used for any cancellation or 'no show' charges. A credit card must be presented upon arrival to cover all accommodation and incidental charges. Should firms wish to book/cover the accommodation, a credit card authorisation form will need to be completed and sent with the accommodation booking form (both found online at event registration page). We recommend that accommodation bookings are made immediately with the hotel to avoid disappointment.

Accommodation rates at the RACV Royal Pines are as follows (incl GST):

- Mountain view room (two double beds – no balcony) \$180 per room per night room only.
- Park or pool view (one king bed or two double beds – with balcony) \$190 per room per night room only.
- Coastal room (one king bed or two double beds – with balcony) \$200 per room per night room only.
- Mountain suite (one king bed) \$240 per room per night room only.

Breakfast is not included in the above accommodation rates. Breakfast is available at a cost of \$22 (incl GST) per person in the Kalinda Restaurant.

### Registration and conference sessions

Registration will take place in the Royal Benowa foyer located in the convention centre. Plenary conference sessions will take place in the Prince-Monarch room with break out sessions taking place in the Marquis room and Norfolk Hall.

### Golf bookings

To book a round of golf, please call the resort reception direct on 07 5597 8700.

### Day spa bookings

To book a spa treatment at Angsana Spa please call the resort reception direct on 07 5597 8700.

### Parking

Complimentary self-parking is available at RACV Royal Pines Golf Resort and Spa. Parking is located under the hotel complex and can be accessed from both Ross Street entries. Please follow the signs to guest parking.

### Registration entitlements

#### Two-day registration includes:

- welcome drinks on evening of Thursday 8 September (6pm to 7pm)
- morning tea both days
- afternoon tea on day one
- lunch both days
- residential dinner on Friday 9 September (7.30pm to midnight)
- attendance at all residential sessions

- USB stick with papers (where supplied for conference sessions)

#### One-day registration includes:

- morning tea on day of registration
- afternoon tea – only on day one
- lunch on day of registration
- attendance at residential sessions for the day of registration
- USB stick with papers (where supplied for conference sessions)

### Calabro SV Consulting Residential functions

#### Welcome drinks on Thursday 8 September

Welcome drinks and nibbles will be held in the Royal Benowa foyer adjacent to the registration desk on Thursday evening 8 September, from 6pm to 7pm. Welcome drinks are inclusive for delegates attending both days of the Residential. Additional drinks tickets for day-only delegates or accompanying partners can be purchased at a cost of \$22 for members and \$33 for non-members (incl GST) per person via the registration form.

#### Conference Dinner on Friday 9 September

The Calabro SV Consulting Dinner will be held onsite in the ballroom at the RACV Royal Pines Resort on Friday evening. As in previous years, we have some very special entertainment planned for the evening that's sure to raise the bar on previous Residential dinners!

A dinner ticket is inclusive for two day registrants.

Note additional tickets for this special event (available for day-only delegates, accompanying partners and guests) will sell fast (please indicate attendance when registering). Additional dinner tickets for day-only delegates or accompanying partners can be purchased at a cost of \$130 for members and \$150 for non-members (incl GST) per person via the registration form. Pre-dinner drinks commences at 7:30pm for dinner at 8:00pm. Dress for the dinner is smart casual.

### Delegates with special requirements

If you have any special dietary or physical requirements, please note details on the registration/online booking form.

### Name badges

Your name badge is your passport to all Residential sessions, morning and afternoon tea, lunch and the conference dinner (full conference delegates). Please ensure your badge is visible at all times.

### Lunchtime golf competition – Friday and Saturday

RACV Royal Pines Resort will host a fun putting and chipping competition throughout Friday and Saturday lunch breaks. Each delegate will have the opportunity to chip and putt their way to a prize. The competition will take place on the podium lawns and nearby putting green, and each activity will have a RACV Royal Pines Resort Golf Staff member present to explain the rules. Each delegate is allowed one shot for each activity. A perpetual Family Law Residential Golf Competition trophy, along with a host of other great prizes will be allocated for shots that land directly in the hole and also in the perimeter of the ring that will be painted around the holes.

### Flights

The nearest airport on the Gold Coast is Coolangatta (27km away).

To book flights, please visit [www.qantas.com.au](http://www.qantas.com.au) or [www.virginblue.com.au](http://www.virginblue.com.au)

### Cancellation policy and transfers

Please refer to Queensland Law Society events policy at [qls.com.au](http://qls.com.au) for standard guidelines on conference registration, cancellations and transfers.

### Electronic Paper Distribution

A green initiative for Queensland Law Society – electronic distribution of speaker presentations.

The Queensland Law Society is committed to reducing its carbon footprint and impact on the environment. Papers and presentations (where supplied by the presenter) will be distributed to delegates electronically 72 hours prior to the conference date. Papers and presentations (where supplied by the presenter) will also be provided to delegates on the day of the conference on a USB stick.

**Please Note: hard copy papers will not be distributed.**

### Close of conference registration

Close of earlybird registration (with accompanying payment) is 12 August 2011. Standard registration (with accompanying payment) must be received at least 48 working hours prior to the commencement of the Calabro SV Consulting Family Law Residential (no later than 7 September 2011).

### CPD points – Queensland Law Society

The Residential attracts 5.5 general CPD points on day one and 5 points on day two. For further information, please contact the Queensland Law Society CPD Administrator at [cpd@qls.com.au](mailto:cpd@qls.com.au) or phone 07 3842 5893. Please note that the compulsory CPD areas of practice management and business skills, professional skills and practical legal ethics for the 2011/2012 CPD year are all covered within the two-day program.

### CPD Points – Bar Association of Queensland

The Residential has been accredited for CPD by the Bar Association of Queensland. The accreditation code is QLS110909. Barristers may accrue one CPD point per hour of attendance and three CPD points per hour of presentation at conference sessions. Ethics, advocacy and practice management strands apply.

### Specialist accreditation points

Specialist accreditation points are self-assessed. For further information, please contact the Queensland Law Society's Specialist Accreditation team at [specaccred@qls.com.au](mailto:specaccred@qls.com.au) or phone 07 3842 5926.

### Sponsorship and trade

The Queensland Law Society and Family Law Practitioners' Association of Queensland would like to acknowledge the generous support of Platinum Sponsor, Calabro SV Consulting. We encourage you to visit our sponsors and trade display in the Royal Benowa foyer.

### Organising Committee

The Queensland Law Society and Family Law Practitioners' Association of Queensland would like to extend thanks to the planning committee for its significant efforts in shaping and delivering the Calabro SV Consulting Family Law Residential program.

**Kathy Atkins**, Associate, Jones Mitchell Lawyers

**Deborah Awyzio**, Principal, DA Family Lawyers, QLS Councillor and President of the Family Law Practitioners' Association of Queensland

**Jacoba Brasch**, Barrister, Queensland Bar

**Holly Bretherton**, Manager – Professional Development, Queensland Law Society

**Tom FitzGerald**, Social Worker in Private Practice

**Julie Harrington**, Partner, Harrington Family Lawyers, Accredited Specialist – Family Law

**Jennifer McArdle**, Barrister, Queensland Bar

**Rebecca Parry**, Senior Associate, Fox and Thomas Lawyers

**Clarissa Rayward**, Director, Brisbane Family Law Services

**Alison Ross**, Special Counsel, HopgoodGanim Lawyers and Accredited Specialist – Family Law and Chair of the Queensland Law Society's Family Law Section

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Friday 9 – Saturday 10 September 2011 | RACV Royal Pines Resort, Gold Coast

Mail Queensland Law Society, GPO Box 1785, Brisbane Qld 4001 | Fax 07 3221 2279 (credit card payments only) | Phone 07 3842 5866 (enquiries only) | Email conferences@qls.com.au

Register online at [qls.com.au/events.html](http://qls.com.au/events.html)

| Delegate information                     |          |
|--|----------|
| Queensland Law Society member number     |          |
| First name                               |          |
| Last name                                |          |
| Organisation                             |          |
| Postal address                           |          |
| City/Town                                | Postcode |
| Phone (bh)                               | Fax      |
| Email                                    |          |
| Special dietary or physical requirements |          |

| Member registration  |           |         |                          |
|--|-----------|---------|--------------------------|
| TWO-DAY conference registration  |           |         |                          |
| 2009/10 past delegate<br>Earlybird fax/post only   | by 12 Aug | \$891   | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Earlybird  | by 12 Aug | \$980   | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Standard   | by 7 Sept | \$1,200 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| ONE-DAY ONLY conference registration   |           |         |                          |
| Earlybird  | by 12 Aug | \$620   | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Standard   | by 7 Sept | \$760   | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| I will be attending <input type="checkbox"/> Friday 9 September <input type="checkbox"/> Saturday 10 September |           |         |                          |

| Non-member registration  |           |         |                          |
|--|-----------|---------|--------------------------|
| TWO-DAY conference registration  |           |         |                          |
| Standard   | by 7 Sept | \$1,575 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| ONE-DAY ONLY conference registration   |           |         |                          |
| Standard   | by 7 Sept | \$970   | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| I will be attending <input type="checkbox"/> Friday 9 September <input type="checkbox"/> Saturday 10 September |           |         |                          |

| DVD resource orders (Can't attend in person? Order the DVD resource below)                               |                                  |                                |  |
|--|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|--|
|  | TWO-DAYS<br>Please tick          | ONE-DAY<br>Please tick         |  |
| Member   | \$1,200 <input type="checkbox"/> | \$760 <input type="checkbox"/> |  |
| Non-member   | \$1,575 <input type="checkbox"/> | \$970 <input type="checkbox"/> |  |
| I would like DVD resource for <input type="checkbox"/> 9 September <input type="checkbox"/> 10 September |                                  |                                |  |

| Welcome drinks Thursday 8 September                           |         |                          |
|---|---------|--------------------------|
| (included in two-day registration)                            |         |                          |
| Members registered for two-days (included in registration)    | No Cost | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Members registered for one-day (not included in registration) | \$22    | Number of tickets        |
| Non-members (not included in registration)                    | \$33    | Number of tickets        |
| Name of delegate(s) accompanying person(s) attending          |         |                          |

| Dinner tickets Friday 9 September                             |         |                          |
|---|---------|--------------------------|
| (included in two-day registration)                            |         |                          |
| Members registered for two-days (included in registration)    | No Cost | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Members registered for one-day (not included in registration) | \$130   | Number of tickets        |
| Non-members (not included in registration)                    | \$150   | Number of tickets        |
| Name of delegate(s) accompanying person(s) attending:         |         |                          |

| Concurrent sessions Very important – (please tick the stream you wish to attend) |                             |                             |                             |
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| DAY ONE Friday 9 September   |                             |                             |                             |
| 10:10am–11:10am  | <input type="checkbox"/> 1A | <input type="checkbox"/> 1B | <input type="checkbox"/> 1C |
| 11:30am–1:00pm   | <input type="checkbox"/> 2A | <input type="checkbox"/> 2B | <input type="checkbox"/> 2C |
| 1:40pm–3:10pm  | <input type="checkbox"/> 3A | <input type="checkbox"/> 3B | <input type="checkbox"/> 3C |
| DAY TWO Saturday 10 September  |                             |                             |                             |
| 11:00am–12:30pm  | <input type="checkbox"/> 6A | <input type="checkbox"/> 6B | <input type="checkbox"/> 6C |
| 1:15pm–2:45pm  | <input type="checkbox"/> 7A | <input type="checkbox"/> 7B |                             |

| Payment course code 110909                      |   |
|---|---|
| <b>Full payment must accompany registration</b> |   |
| Registration subtotal                           |   |
| Welcome drinks ticket(s) subtotal               |   |
| Dinner ticket(s) subtotal                       |   |
| Total payment (incl GST)                        | <input type="text"/>  |
| <input type="checkbox"/>                        | My cheque payable to Queensland Law Society Inc is enclosed   |
| <input type="checkbox"/>                        | Please debit my credit card (Diners Club is not accepted)   |
| <input type="checkbox"/>                        | <input type="checkbox"/> Visa <input type="checkbox"/> Mastercard <input type="checkbox"/> QLS Amex <input type="checkbox"/> Amex |
| Card number                                     |   |
| <input type="text"/>                            |   |
| Cardholder name                                 |   |
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| Expiry date /                                   | Amount \$   |
| Cardholder signature                            |   |
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