

# 17th AUSTRALIAN FAMILY LAWYERS' CONFERENCE

## 7-11 June 2019 - Nadi, Fiji

### DAY 1 – Friday, 7 June 2019

5.00-9.00pm Hotel Lobby	<p><b>Arrive Fiji- Check in Pullman Nadi Bay Resort and Spa.</b></p> <p><b>Conference Registration Desk open</b></p>	
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### DAY 2 – Saturday, 8 June 2019

6.30-8.30am Pullman	<b>Breakfast</b>	
8.00-9.00am Hotel Lobby	<b>Registration Desk open</b>	
9.00-9.10am Pullman- Conference Room	<b>Conference Opening-</b>	Jackie Vincent, Watts McCray Lawyers Kate O'Grady, Watts McCray Lawyers Nick Gaudion, Cutcher & Neale James Munroe, AON
9.10-10.00am Pullman- Conference Room	<b>Session 1:</b>  Family Law: The Fijian Experience	<b>Speaker: Madam Justice Wati</b> , Head of the Family Law Division, Family Court, Suva (Fiji)  <b>Chair:</b> Justin Dowd, Watts McCray Lawyers
10.00-10.50 Pullman- Conference Room	<b>Session 2:</b>  International Res Judicata: Should Australian family law provide for a second bite of the cherry when the first bite abroad was unfair or inadequate?	<b>Speaker: David Hodson</b> , International Family Law Group (UK)  <b>Chair:</b> Nicole Stevens, Watts McCray Lawyers
10.50-11.10am Foyer	<b>Morning Tea</b>	
11.10-12noon Pullman- Conference Room	<b>Session 3:</b>  Something Old, Something New and Something Borrowed: Considering Parental Alienation from a Different Perspective	<b>Speaker: Dr Vince Papaleo</b> , Child and Adolescent Psychiatrist (Melbourne, VIC)  <b>Chair:</b> James Munroe, AON
12noon- 12.50pm Pullman- Conference Room	<b>Session 4:</b>  Are Binding Financial Agreements Dead?	<b>Speaker: Judge Steve Middleton</b> , Federal Circuit Court of Australia (Townsville, QLD)  <b>Chair:</b> Nick Gaudion, Cutcher & Neale
12.50-2.00pm Restaurant	<b>Lunch</b>	
2.00-2.50pm	<b>Session 5:</b>	<b>Speaker: James Munroe</b> , AON (Parramatta,

Pullman-Conference Room	Assets hidden in Plain Sight. Valuing Body Modifications	NSW)  <b>Chair:</b> Jackie Vincent, Watts McCray Lawyers
2.50--3.40pm Pullman-Conference Room	<b>Session 6:</b> What the Family Court doesn't realise about unrealised tax liabilities?	<b>Speaker: Nick Gaudion</b> , Cutcher & Neale Forensic Accounting (Newcastle, NSW)  <b>Chair:</b> Beth Agar, Watts McCray Lawyers
3.40-3.55pm Foyer	<b>Afternoon Tea</b>	
3.55-4.45pm Pullman-Conference Room	<b>Session 7:</b> Emerging Issues for Lesbian Same Sex Families- Is biological connection to a child a trump card in determining intra-parenting disputes and applications under s65C(c) from known sperm donors?	<b>Speaker: Michelle McMahon</b> , Barrister, 6 St James Hall Chambers (Sydney, NSW)  <b>Chair:</b> Kate O'Grady, Watts McCray Lawyers
4.45pm	<b>Close</b>	
4.45- 6.00pm	<b>At Leisure</b>	
6.00-7.30pm	<b>Welcome Cocktail Reception</b>	
7.30pm	<b>Dinner and evening at Leisure</b>	

## DAY 3 – Sunday, 9 June 2019

6.30-8.30am Pullman Restaurant	<b>Breakfast</b>	
9.00-9.50am Pullman-Conference Room	<b>Session 8:</b> Gender Based Violence and Family Law: The Purple Umbrella Perspective	<b>Speakers: Shamima Ali</b> , (Coordinator) and <b>Stephanie Dunn</b> (Lawyer), Fiji Women's Crisis Centre (Fiji) <b>Chair:</b> Kate O'Grady, Watts McCray Lawyers
9.50-10.40am Pullman-Conference Room	<b>Session 9:</b> Much Ado About Nothing? The Final Report of the ALRC's Family Law Review	<b>Speaker: Professor Patrick Parkinson</b> , Academic Dean and Head of School for the TC Beirne School of Law (QLD)  <b>Chair:</b> James Munroe, AON
10.40-10.55 Foyer	<b>Morning Tea</b>	
10.55-11.45 Pullman-Conference Room	<b>Session 10:</b> From Pillar to Post: Anton Piller Orders in Family Law Proceedings	<b>Speaker: Stephen Scarlett OAM, RFD</b> , Barrister & Mediator, Edmund Barton Chambers. Former Judge, Federal Circuit Court of Australia (Sydney, NSW)  <b>Chair:</b> Barry Frakes, Watts McCray Lawyers
11.45-12.35 Pullman-Conference Room	<b>Session 11:</b> Recognising and Enforcing Cross-Border Mediated Settlement Agreements in Family Law	<b>Speaker: Teong Liang Yap</b> , Director of TL Yap Law Chambers LLC (Singapore)  <b>Chair:</b> Nicole Stevens, Watts McCray Lawyers
12.35-1.25	<b>Session 12:</b>	<b>Speakers: Justin Dowd &amp; Kate O'Grady</b> ,

Pullman- Conference Room	Family Law Cases: To Collaborate, Mediate, Arbitrate or Litigate. That is the Question	Watts McCray Lawyers <b>Chair:</b> Nick Gaudion, Cutcher & Neale
1.25pm	<b>Concluding comments</b>	Jackie Vincent, Watts McCray Kate O'Grady, Watts McCray Lawyers Nick Gaudion, Cutcher & Neale James Munroe, AON
1.30pm	<b>Lunch and afternoon at Leisure</b>	
6.30-7.00pm Beachfront	<b>Pre-Gala Dinner drinks</b>	
7.00 – 11.00pm	<b>Gala Dinner</b>	

## DAY 4 – Monday, 10 June 2019

6.30-8.30am Pullman Restaurant	<b>Breakfast</b>	
9.30–4.00pm Depart from Lobby	<b>Mala Mala Island Family Fun Day</b>	Join us for our famous Island Family Fun Day. Partners and children welcome. Mala Mala is the world's first beach club located on its own private island with white sandy beaches, surrounded by crystal clear ocean and accessible only by boat. Relax over a delicious South Pacific feast while enjoying a cocktail in the infinity pool, lounging in a beachside cabana with views across the Mamanucas or, for the more adventurous- enjoy a day of water sports and family fun games/ activities. Whatever your idea of a family fun day- we have you covered at Mala Mala.
6.00- 7.00pm	<b>Plenary Session:</b> A relaxed mic forum where you can put questions to our esteemed panel of speakers	<b>Speakers:</b> Various Speakers
7.00pm	<b>Dinner and Evening at Leisure</b>	

## DAY 5 – Tuesday, 11 June 2019

6.30-10.30am Pullman Restaurant	<b>Breakfast</b>	
	<b>At Leisure – Departure or extension dependant on own arrangements</b>	