John Quigley, Mediator



I have been mediating regularly since November 2016 in a wide range of disputes: civil/commercial, workplace, employment and multi-party community.

Prior to that, during 2015-16 I conciliated some 40 civil/commercial disputes between accountants and their business clients, using standard civil/commercial Mediation principles & processes.

Mediation Style

I enjoy getting to grips with a dispute, and working with clients and lawyers towards a resolution. I know that the mediation day is the parties' best opportunity to settle, so I put all my energy into helping make that happen.

Currently, I am mediating disputes on the internet using video conferencing, or on the telephone, so mediations are not delayed or prevented by 'social distancing'.

Recent Feedback

'Thank you so much for being so practical and helping us achieve resolution' – Defendant's lawyer in civil/commercial mediation

'Thanks John, you did a great job I have to say. I didn't think we'd get there in the end but you got us there, so well done. A great achievement' – Party in commercial mediation

'My husband and I wanted to express our heartfelt thanks for your effective, sensitive, patient, generous and valuable mediation in this acrimonious case' – Party in commercial conciliation

Professional Background

I am a Solicitor (England & Wales) and hold the certifications CIPP/E (Certified Information Privacy Professional/ Europe) and CIPM (Certified Information Privacy Manager) from the International Association of Privacy Professionals (IAPP).

I am an in-house data protection lawyer in a global technology company. In previous data protection roles, I helped a wide range of companies across a variety of industries with their GDPR projects and programmes.

Prior to that, I advised UK and international businesses, organisations and individuals on issues involving corporate/ commercial and employment law including:

- helping to resolve numerous workplace, employment, discrimination, partnership and commercial disputes by negotiation, arbitration, litigation, conciliation and mediation
- advising on data protection processes and documentation
- employment lawyer in commercial law firms advising businesses, organisations and directors/senior executives on all aspects of employment & discrimination law, and representing them in litigation in the employment tribunals and courts
- corporate/ commercial lawyer in commercial law firms dealing with wide range of corporate/ commercial transactions including: mergers, acquisitions and disposals of private companies; business sales and purchases; joint ventures; professional partnerships; commercial contracts; banking/finance; secured lending; venture capital
- lawyer/investigator in a regulatory body
- in-house lawyer in a major national organisation.

Professional Qualifications

CMC Registered Mediator
Accredited Workplace/Employment Mediator (Globis Mediation Group)
Accredited Civil/Commercial Mediator (ADR Group)
CIPP/E (International Association of Privacy Professionals)
CIPM (International Association of Privacy Professionals)
Diploma in Human Resource Management (CIPD)
Solicitor

Personal

Away from work, I enjoy music (especially choral singing), cooking and walking. I am married and live in Dulwich.