

Geoffrey Nigel BOOTH – Mediation Curriculum Vitae

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From Liverpool, England. Degree in Jurisprudence University of Oxford.

Admitted (solicitor) England & Wales 1st April 1977.

Admitted (solicitor) Hong Kong 21st July 1979.

Admitted (solicitor and barrister) Victoria Australia 7th April 1983.

Appointed Notary Public, Hong Kong 25th October 1991.

Fellow of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators 5th February 1992.

HKIAC general mediation qualification March 1994, HKIAC advanced mediation qualification March 1994.

Completed Advanced Mediation Courses in Family Mediation 2013.

Law Society Committees served – Criminal Law & Procedure Committee, Human Rights Committee, Standing Committee on Practitioners Affairs, Chairman ADR Committee.

Hon Lecturer and Course Consultant at Hong Kong University.

Member of Solicitors Disciplinary Tribunal.

Served the Hong Kong Mediation Council, as Chairman of Commercial Mediation Committee.

Member of the Mediation Committee of the Law Society.

Member of the Panel of Mediators for Family Mediation of the Hong Kong Law Society and HKIAC.

Geoffrey has acted as a Mediator since 1995. Cases have included disputes between importers and exporters over defective manufacture of goods; partnership disputes; disputes over contractual terms; disputes between employers and employees over termination and compensation; purchasers and suppliers over supply of heavy machinery; vendor and purchaser disputes in conveyancing; allegations of false accounting between contractual parties; division of matrimonial assets; personal injury claims and quantum, and other types of dispute. Family cases have included complex financial and child-parent matters.

Geoffrey's areas of practice have included commercial contractual and employment litigation, family litigation, criminal defence and prosecution, Court Martial, various tribunals, and he has been a member of many professional working parties. Geoffrey has assisted in resolving a large number and variety of litigation and dispute matters.