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Kathryn has 30 years' experience in litigation and dispute resolution in family law, relationship property, trusts and estates, and leads the litigation team at Hollister-Jones Lellman. She regularly receives appointments from the Court to assist the Court and to act for subject persons under the Protection of Personal and Property Rights Act. Kathryn has presented papers on family law issues at numerous seminars and conferences for NZLS CLE and other organisations. She is also an Associate Member of the Arbitrators and Mediators Institute of New Zealand.

KEYNOTE SPEAKERS



The Honourable Justice Hinton, High Court, Auckland

Justice Hinton graduated LLB(Hons) from Auckland University in 1975. She went to the independent bar in 1997 and was appointed Queen's Counsel in 2002. Justice Hinton was appointed a Judge of the High Court in 2014 and is based at the Auckland High Court.



Alex Ruck Keene, 39 Essex Chambers and King's College London, England

Alex is a barrister, writer and educator whose practice is focused on mental capacity and mental health law. He also writes extensively in the field, editing and contributing to leading textbooks and (amongst many other publications) the 39 Essex Chambers Mental Capacity Law Report (the 'bible' for solicitors (and others) working in the area), and the website <http://www.mentalcapacitylawandpolicy.org.uk/>, which provides resources and expert commentary on some of the most difficult mental capacity issues.

SPEAKERS



Dr Jane Casey, Vermont Street Specialists, Auckland

Jane is a consultant psychiatrist and psychogeriatrician whose areas of special interest include depression, dementia, cognition and capacity assessments.

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Professor Kate Diesfeld, AUT, Auckland

Kate is a Professor of Law and Chair of AUT's Ethics Committee, and Adjunct Professor of Law, Te Piringa Faculty of Law, University of Waikato.



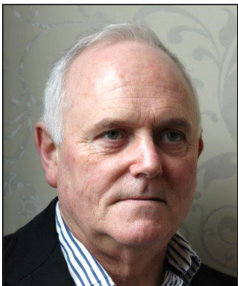
Mark Dobson, Wadham Partners, Palmerston North

An experienced civil litigator, Mark holds a master's degree and previously lectured in business law. He regularly appears in Court on commercial, civil and family matters.



Alison Douglass, Barrister, Dunedin

Alison specialises in health and disability law, and regularly appears as court-appointed lawyer for people with impaired capacity. Her background is in healthcare ethics and she is a Deputy Chair of the Health Practitioners Disciplinary Tribunal.



Dr Anthony Duncan, Capital Coast District Health Board, Wellington

Anthony is the National Adviser on the ID(CC&R) Act. He is a Fellow of the Royal Australian and New Zealand Psychiatrists and a member of the Faculties of Forensic Psychiatry and the Psychiatry of Old Age.



Dr Mark Fisher, Counties Manukau Health, Auckland

Mark has been a practising psychiatrist for 20 years, and has worked in old age psychiatry, liaison psychiatry and ECT services. He has spent many years in leadership roles within mental health.

SPEAKERS



Dr Darren Malone, Lakes District Health Board, Rotorua

Darren is a psychiatrist and psychogeriatrician. He has undertaken private medicolegal work for the past 10 years. Darren is the clinical director of Mental Health Services, Lakes DHB.



Juliet Moses, TGT Legal, Auckland

Juliet is a partner at TGT Legal and specialises in trusts, personal asset planning and superannuation. She is a regular presenter of seminars and author of articles on issues arising in those areas.



Robb Newberry, Barrister, Wellington

Robb is a barrister and a deputy lawyer member of the Mental Health Review Tribunal. He was a District Inspector of Mental Health for 15 years and also practices in other capacity jurisdictions, such as the PPPR and IDCCR Acts.



Dr Greg Young, Capital Coast DHB, Wellington

Greg is a consultant psychiatrist, a clinical senior lecturer in the Department of Psychological Medicine, Wellington School of Medicine and an associate of the Bioethics Centre, University of Otago.

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