

## PRESENTER



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Mark has some 50 years' experience chairing meetings, including meetings of community and national organisations. In recent years, he has been called upon as an independent, experienced chairman for "difficult" meetings all of which (to date) have been run successfully and without disorder. In 1995 Mark published a book, *Members' Meetings* (now in its 3<sup>rd</sup> edition), because he wanted people to understand what should happen in a well-run meeting, to understand how to "have their say", and to participate during the meeting, and, with meeting experience, to be able to chair a meeting. He subsequently wrote a further text, *Law of Societies* (also in its 3<sup>rd</sup> edition with the 4<sup>th</sup> edition in the course of being written). Mark has experience in most areas of legal practice but especially in civil and commercial negotiations, dispute resolution – arbitration and mediation and more broadly in litigation. He currently specialises in incorporated society and charities law.

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