

# Glenn Thompson

## Partner, Newnhams Solicitors

Glenn Thompson is an Accredited Specialist in Family Law who is a Partner of the firm Newnhams Solicitors. Glenn has specialised in Family Law for 36 years, is the Chair of the Specialist Accreditation Board in Family Law for NSW, a current member of the Family Law Committee of the Law Society of New South Wales, a fellow of the International Academy of Matrimonial Lawyers, and is on the Steering Committee of the Greater Sydney Family Law Pathways Network having been in the chair for 12 years. Glenn is also a member of College of Law Family Law Advisory Committee, and is an Adjunct Lecturer, Master of Laws (Applied Law) at the College of Law. Glenn became a qualified Arbitrator with AIFLAM on 31 October 2020.

Glenn was a member of the Australian Law Reform Commission Advisory Committee in respect of the March 2019 report *Family Law for the Future – An Inquiry into the Family Law System*. Glenn was also a member of the of the Family Court’s Steering Committee on the Children’s Cases Program, the organising committee for the 14th National Family Law Conference held in Sydney 7-10 October 2014, and of the organising committee for the National Access to Justice and Pro Bono Conference held in Sydney 18-19 June 2015 as well as being a presenter.

In 2010 Glenn was awarded the NSW Law Society President’s Medal in recognition of his significant personal and professional contributions to the betterment of law and justice in NSW.

On 12 June 2017 Glenn was awarded the Medal of the Order of Australia (OAM) for his services to Family Law and the Community.

On 6 November 2016 Glenn completed the New York Marathon.



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