




JAPAN INTERNATIONAL MEDIATION CENTER in KYOTO Curriculum Vitae

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| Profession/Occupation and Organization | Mediator and Arbitrator; Managing Director, Strategic Resolution | |
| Professional Affiliations and Positions | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Managing Director, Strategic Action Pty. Ltd., trading as Strategic Resolution. • Chairman, Complaints Panel of the Australian Self-Medication Industry. • Assistant lecturer in Negotiation (postgraduate) and Dispute Resolution (undergraduate and postgraduate) at the University of New South Wales. • Senior Fellow, Melbourne Law School, teaching Mediation of Commercial Disputes. • Member of the World Intellectual Property Organization, National Arbitration Forum, Nominet UK and Czech Arbitration Court and Resolution Institute domain name arbitration panels. • Honorary Life Member, Business Law Section, Law Council of Australia. • Life Member, the Law Society of New South Wales. • Member, International Advisory Board, Afghanistan Centre for Commercial Dispute Resolution. • International Mediation Institute Certified Mediator. • Singapore International Mediation Institute Accredited Mediator. | |

Qualifications

- Solicitor and Barrister of the Supreme Court of New South Wales (1970–2017).
- Distinguished Fellow, International Academy of Mediators (2016)
- Chairman, Medicines Australia Code of Conduct and Appeals Committees (2006-2016).
- Chairman, Code Appeals Committee, Medical Technology Association of Australia Limited (2010-2016).
- Adjunct Professor, Faculty of Law, the University of Sydney (2009-2010).
- Chartered Arbitrator and Fellow, the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators, (2005-2010).
- Professional Dispute Board Member, the Dispute Board Federation (2008-2009).
- Chairman, Standing Expert Committee on ADR, Law Council of Australia (member 1989-2009).
- Deputy Chairman, National Electricity Tribunal (1998–2007).
- Member, Health Services Advisory Committee (2001-2007).
- Chairman, Complaints Resolution Panel to determine advertising complaints under the *Therapeutic Goods Regulations* and member, Therapeutic Goods Advertising Code Council (1998-2006).
- Member, Administrative Appeals Tribunal (Commonwealth of Australia) (2001-2004).
- Founding member and director of LEADR (now Resolution Institute), (Chairman 1991-1993).
- Chairman, Business Law Section of the Law Council of Australia (1987–1989) and of its Trade Practices Committee. Member, Intellectual Property and Customs Law Committees.
- Member, Advertising Review Expert Committee concerned with Trans-Tasman harmonization of therapeutic goods advertising (2002).
- Conciliator under s.89 of the *Health Care Complaints Act 1993* (NSW).
- Legal advisor to the Medical Services Committee (NSW).
- Member, the Australian Institute of Company Directors.

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| <p>Educational/Professional Background</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • City of London School, 1951 -1960. • BA (Hons.) (Jurisprudence), University of Oxford, 1963. • MA, University of Oxford, 1968. • Master of Dispute Resolution (MDR), University of Technology, Sydney, 1997. • Barrister, United Kingdom (Inner Temple), 1964. • Legal Practitioner, High Court of Australia and Supreme Courts of the Australian Capital Territory, New South Wales, Queensland and Victoria 1965-2017. • Commercial litigation lawyer in Sydney law firms, 1964-1996. • Partner, Minter Ellison, Sydney. Chairman, Trade Practices, Intellectual Property and Alternative Dispute Resolution Groups, 1976-1996. • Wide experience as a litigation lawyer at trial and on appeal in commercial disputes, including intellectual property (trademarks, patents, copyright and confidential information), restrictive trade practices, unfair competition and administrative law. |
| <p>Mediation Training and Certification</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Trained in negotiation and mediation at Harvard University in 1986, 1987 and 1991. • Trained in mediation by the Australian Commercial Disputes Centre, 1986; CDR Associates, Colorado, 1988; Institute of Arbitrators Australia (Advanced), 1989; Law Society of New South Wales (Advanced), 1993 and University of Technology, Sydney (Advanced), 1993. • Specialist Accredited Mediator, Law Society of New South Wales, 1995-2017. • LEADR Advanced Mediator since 1997 (now Resolution Institute). • Trained in arbitration by the World Intellectual Property Organization, 2000 and 2004 and by the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators, 2003-4. • Member, Accredited Mediator and Grade 1 Arbitrator, Institute of Arbitrators & Mediators Australia, 2005-2012. • Accredited as an Experience Qualified Mediator under the Australian National Mediator Standards since 2008. • International Mediation Institute Certified Mediator since 2011. |
| <p>Mediation Style</p> | <p>Alan is a practitioner of principled negotiation and interests-based mediation taking a non-judgmental approach, while not shrinking from reality-testing and raising possible options for agreement. He is creatively facilitative, seeking a broad focus, persistent and patient throughout. Alan has a calm, respectful approach, remaining ostensibly optimistic. He often rigorously tests lawyers in confidential session with their clients to obtain a realistic appraisal of their prospects in court or before an arbitrator. An empathetic mediator, Alan is able to help craft a process to suit the needs of the parties while being mindful of but not rigidly bound to any format. He is strictly observant of confidences.</p> |

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| <p>Mediation Experience</p> | <p>Alan has been mediating since 1986 part time and since 1996 full time, with wide experience as sole mediator in over 2,000 commercial and intellectual property disputes of all kinds in Australia, New Zealand and the UK, in which parties are legally represented. He was described in the 1996/97 edition of Legal Profiles as ‘the leading practitioner’ in ADR in Sydney; by The Times of London in June 2007 as “the leading Australian mediator”; and by Who’s Who Legal: Mediation 2013 - 2017 as “one of the 10 most highly regarded commercial mediators in the world”.</p> | | |
| <p>Main Practice Areas</p> | <table border="0"> <tr> <td style="vertical-align: top;"> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Agency <input type="checkbox"/> Aviation & Airports <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Banking/Financial Instruments <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Company/Shareholders <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Copyright <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Defamation <input type="checkbox"/> Employment <input type="checkbox"/> Family <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Franchise <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Information Technology /Telecommunications <input type="checkbox"/> Infrastructure /Construction/Engineering <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Inheritance/Probate/Will <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Insurance <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Intellectual Property </td> <td style="vertical-align: top;"> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Investments <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Joint Venture/Partnership <input type="checkbox"/> Mining <input type="checkbox"/> Oil & Gas <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Personal Injury <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Professional Malpractice <input type="checkbox"/> Real Estate <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sale /Supply of Goods & Services <input type="checkbox"/> Shipping <input type="checkbox"/> Sports & Entertainment <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tenancy <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Torts <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Trademarks <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Trust <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Others (please specify) <u>Patents; Trade Secrets;</u> <u>Commercial Litigation; International</u> <u>Trade Disputes; Competition Law.</u> </td> </tr> </table> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Agency <input type="checkbox"/> Aviation & Airports <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Banking/Financial Instruments <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Company/Shareholders <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Copyright <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Defamation <input type="checkbox"/> Employment <input type="checkbox"/> Family <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Franchise <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Information Technology /Telecommunications <input type="checkbox"/> Infrastructure /Construction/Engineering <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Inheritance/Probate/Will <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Insurance <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Intellectual Property | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Investments <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Joint Venture/Partnership <input type="checkbox"/> Mining <input type="checkbox"/> Oil & Gas <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Personal Injury <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Professional Malpractice <input type="checkbox"/> Real Estate <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sale /Supply of Goods & Services <input type="checkbox"/> Shipping <input type="checkbox"/> Sports & Entertainment <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tenancy <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Torts <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Trademarks <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Trust <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Others (please specify) <u>Patents; Trade Secrets;</u> <u>Commercial Litigation; International</u> <u>Trade Disputes; Competition Law.</u> |
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