



SINGAPORE INTERNATIONAL
MEDIATION CENTRE

Mediator's Curriculum Vitae

Personal Particulars

First Name
Khory

Last Name
McCormick

Designation
Professor

Organisation
Griffith University and Bartley Cohen

Nationality
Australian

Languages (Native and/or professional working proficiency)
English

Mediation Practice Areas

Please select as many areas as may be applicable.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Accountancy | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mining |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Aviation & Airports | <input type="checkbox"/> Workplace Health & Safety |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Banking/Finance | <input type="checkbox"/> Oil & Gas |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Business Interruption analysis | <input type="checkbox"/> Real Estate |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Energy | <input type="checkbox"/> Risk Management |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Information Technology | <input type="checkbox"/> Scientific Forensics |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Intellectual Property | <input type="checkbox"/> Sports Disputes (Law & Infrastructure) |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Infrastructure/Construction/Engineering | <input type="checkbox"/> Telecommunications |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Maritime & Shipping Logistics | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Others (please specify): insolvency, media law, industrial relations, construction, government, litigation and international disputes |

Educational/Professional Background

With key roles across a range of alternative/appropriate dispute resolution bodies and with sector recognised expertise confirmed by independent publications Khory McCormick is a recognised market leader in the field of dispute and conflict resolution in the Australasian market and beyond.

In 2018 Khory has focused on his regional and target market(s) presence in the area of conflict and dispute strategic advisory, neutral work (across all areas of conflict and dispute resolution) and a number of public engagements including through Board appointments, and engagements with substantial public institutions and educational groups.

After 40 years of practice as a partner at the top end of the commercial, public and private sector markets Khory's opinion is widely sought across a broad spectrum of industry sectors. Peer rankings regularly ranking as a 'go to' adviser and a thought leader in terms of the future of dispute resolution particularly in cross border and cross cultural contexts. He was for example selected by the Canadian Government and the parties to undertake the OECD

Convention facilitation/mediation of the Porgera dispute after selection from a global field of in excess of 30 candidates.

Khory currently represents Australia in UNCITRAL Working Group II: Dispute Resolution which is working on the possibility of a model law and or convention on the recognition and enforcement of conciliated settlements. He is also an ICC Australia Board Member and active across a broad range of national Chambers of Commerce in the Australian market.

He has been an institutional representative for entry into cooperation agreements in the ADR and arbitration spaces with both ICADR (India) and BANI (Indonesia) as well as spoken throughout the region in Korea, Taiwan, China, India, Indonesia and elsewhere. He is regularly a speaker on panels including judicial officer such as at RAIF

He is believed to be the only Australian practitioner listed both in Chambers Asia Arbitration (Australia) and in the International Who's Who ranking for International Commercial Mediators.

He is also active in the educational space receiving a Doctorate of the University of Griffith University in acknowledgement to his commitment to public contribution and lifelong learning and is a member of its Foundation Board.

He has worked with a range of students across a variety of universities in Australia and China in relation to different dispute resolution competencies. He is a regular sounding board for educational sector bodies when attempting to introduce new models and programs into the tertiary legal education space. He has been a speaker in that space on the question of globalisation/internationalisation of educational service provision

Khory is in tune with global and regional dispute resolution education, design and service delivery from all stakeholder perspectives.

Mediation Style

- Facilitative (but will consider requests for non binding evaluative facilitation)

Mediation Experience

- As a mediator and regular party representative, Khory has been engaged in well over 100 mediations involving amounts up to in excess of AUD\$150m as a party representation and AUD\$10m as a mediator.
- Subject matters included issues for religious organization conflict, industrial illness, environmental damage, class and group actions in franchise, joint ventures (property, resources and energy, partnerships), landlord and tenant (including shopping centres), cross border and cross cultural.
- He is engaged in cross border disputes affecting sovereign States and State enterprises.
- Khory has undertaken neutral evaluation in professional indemnity cases and public sector conflicts.

Mediation Education and Training

- Professor (Strategic Law) Griffith University
- Doctor of the University, Griffith University (D Univ)
- Arbitrator (Grade 1)
- IMI Certified Accredited Advanced Practitioner (Mediator)
- Court Accredited Mediator National Alternative Dispute Resolution Advisory Council (NADRAC), Queensland Law Society, Australian Centre for International Commercial Arbitration (ACICA)

- Fellow, Australian Centre for International Commercial Arbitration (ACICA)
- Fellow, Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (CI Arb)

Some Professional Affiliations

- Vice President, Australian Centre for International Commercial Arbitration (ACICA)
- Deputy Chair Singapore International Dispute Resolution Academy (SIDRA)
- Chair, Northern Australia Infrastructure Facility (NAIF) (AUD\$5b concessional development credit facility)
- Committee Member, International Chamber of Commerce Australia (ICC Australia)
- Member, International Mediation Institute (IMI) Standards Committee
- Member, Australian Delegation UNCITRAL Working Group II: Dispute Resolution (2015–2018)
- Former Chair, Queensland Law Society Alternative Dispute Resolution Sub Committee
- Former Chair, Queensland Chapter, Institute of Arbitrators & Mediators Australia (IAMA)
- Former Advisory Board Member of AON Australia
- Chairman, Green Cross Australia 2009 – 2010; Energex Limited June 2004 – 2006,
- Director, Energex Limited 1997 – 2004; Allgas Limited 1998 – 2004; Energex Retail Pty Ltd 1999 – 2006
- Member, Singapore International Arbitration Centre (SIAC) Users Council
- Permanent Forum of China Construction Law Working Group
- Singapore International Mediation Centre
- New Zealand International Arbitration Centre (NZIAC) Arbitration and Mediation
- New Zealand Dispute Resolution Centre (NZDRC) Arbitration and Mediation
- New Zealand Building Disputes Tribunal Arbitration and Mediation
- Shenzhen Court of International Arbitration (SCIA) Arbitrator
- Mongolia Ulaanbaatar Chamber of Commerce Arbitrator
- Australia Centre for International Commercial Arbitration (ACICA) Mediation

Testimonials (optional)

Khory has received independent recognition from:

- Chambers and Partners
- IBA Global Who's Who of International Commercial Mediation – to present
- Chambers International Arbitration Australia – to present
- *Best Lawyers®* (Australia) – to present
- Hansard Record of Parliamentary Proceedings, *Queensland Commercial Arbitration Bill*, passed by Queensland Parliament, 7 March 2013