FAMILY LAW 2015:
CHALLENGING ISSUES AND EMERGING TRENDS

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Family Law 2015: Challenging Issues and Emerging Trends

Family law is a dynamic and ever-changing area of practice. It is important to stay up to date with the latest legal developments and creative solutions to family disputes. This program brings together expert faculty who will provide you with insights into emerging trends and offer new techniques to solve old problems such as spousal support and marriage agreements. The program will also explore some of the most difficult issues in the areas of family trusts and division of property. This program is essential for those seeking to remain current and discover new approaches to family law.

Key Areas Addressed:

• Different approaches to the division of property and excluded assets
• Structuring trusts to address the Family Law Act
• Varying and setting aside marriage agreements
• Understanding the challenges of business valuations upon marital breakdown
• How to achieve lump sum spousal support
• Using DivorceMate more effectively

Who Should Attend:

• Lawyers of all levels advising on family law, trusts, and estates
• Family law arbitrators
• Family law mediators
• Accountants and financial planners providing real estate planning advice
• Government officials and employees engaged in family matters
• Family service providers

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**9:00** Welcome and Introduction by PBLI

**9:05** Chairs’ Welcome and Introduction

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**9:15** Division of Property: Reconciling *Remmem v. Remmem* and *Wells v. Campbell*

Mark Slay
North Shore Law LLP

- The apparently inconsistent decisions in *Remmem* and *Wells*
- Tracing excluded property into family property
- Making the case for excluding the untransferred interest
- Proactive avoidance techniques

**10:05** Questions and Discussion

**10:15** Trusts Under the Family Law Act

Andrea E. Frisby
Legacy Tax + Trust Lawyers

- Drafting to avoid Family Law Act claims
- Navigating the amendments to the Family Law Act

**11:05** Questions and Discussion

**11:15** Refreshment Adjournment

**11:30** Challenges to Marriage Agreements

Grace Choi, Q.C.
Jenkins Marzban Logan LLP
Samantha Simpson
Jenkins Marzban Logan LLP

- Varying prenuptial agreements
- Setting aside prenuptial agreements

**12:20** Questions and Discussion

**12:30** Networking Luncheon

**1:45** Business Valuations: Challenges of Historic Valuations

Paul McEwen
McEwen Valuation & Forensic

- Multiple valuation dates in family law disputes
- Challenges with historic valuations
- What is goodwill and why does it matter?

**2:35** Questions and Discussion

**2:45** Refreshment Adjournment

**3:00** Making a Case for Lump Sum Spousal Support in Court and Mediation

Dinyar Marzban, Q.C.
Jenkins Marzban Logan LLP

- Is lump sum support a viable alternative?
- Challenges in arriving at a figure
- Recent guidance from the courts

**3:50** Questions and Discussion

**4:00** Avoiding Pitfalls in DivorceMate

Steven Krieger
DivorceMate Family Law Software

- Tools One child and spousal support calculations
- Tips & tricks for making the most of your DivorceMate software and avoiding errors

**4:45** Questions and Discussion

**4:55** Chairs’ Closing Remarks

**5:00** Program Concludes
Information

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