

JANINE EDGE

INDEPENDENT ACCREDITED MEDIATOR CO-FOUNDER OF RAPPROCHE

Janine is an independent mediator and trainer in conflict resolution. She was formerly a partner at the law firm Slaughter and May and head of its Financial Services Unit.

MEDIATION EXPERIENCE

Janine is a lead mediator on panels at Clerksroom and LawWorks. She has been accredited by both the ADR Group and Regents College School of Psychotherapy and Counselling.

Areas covered in mediation include:

- Banking
- Community Disputes
- Company and Commercial law
- Education
- Employment
- Family property disputes
- Financial services
- Intellectual property
- Joint Ventures
- Public sector
- Negligence
- Real property

Janine is a trainer in mediation for LawWorks and The London Interfaith Centre. She has established a Peer Mediation Programme for schools, training students in conflict resolution.

INDEPENDENCE

Janine is not affiliated to any law firm and mediation is the sole professional service she provides.

COMMERCIAL AND LEGAL EXPERIENCE

Until 1998 Janine was Head of the Financial Services Unit at Slaughter and May with responsibility for resolving major disputes caused by fraud, breach of financial services regulation and financial collapse. As Corporate Finance Partner, she had a practice spanning banking, capital markets, company and commercial law, joint ventures, mergers and acquisitions, structured finance, investments funds and employee schemes. While at Slaughter and May, she was personally listed in Legal 500 and Chambers as acknowledged expert and leader in her field.

For the first five years of her legal career, she was a litigation solicitor with Allison and Humphreys where she specialised in intellectual property, employment and real property disputes.

Other posts held include Visiting Fellow in Organisational Psychology at Nottingham Law School, General Commissioner of Taxes, Member of The Securities Institute and Committee Member of Law Society Financial Services working party.

QUALIFICATIONS

MATA Advanced Mediator Training, Accredited Mediator,
Non-Violent Communication Accredited Practitioner,
MSc in Consciousness and Transpersonal Psychology,
Admitted as Solicitor (1983),
MA (CANTAB) in Philosophy and Law.