

## **MARK KEELEY MEDIATOR PROFILE**



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Mark adopts a no nonsense down to business approach to mediation. He has genuine hands on experience of acting for parties in over 50 mediations spanning his 15 years in practice as a solicitor. He brings this practical experience to bear by controlling the mediation process and encouraging parties to adopt a common sense and practical approach to dispute resolution.

### **Professional Background**

- BA (Hons) International History and Politics, First Class, Leeds University
- CPE/LPC (Distinction), College of Law, York
- ADR Civil and Commercial Mediation Training Accreditation
- Mark is a qualified solicitor and Partner with Freeth Cartwright LLP where he has practiced since 1994. He heads up the Freeth Cartwright Private Litigation Team and has experience of representing clients in a wide range of civil disputes. He is an enthusiastic advocate of the mediation process and has particular specialism in the fields of contentious probate and trust litigation and professional negligence claims.
- Mark successfully represented the claimant in the case of Walker v Walker [2007] EWHC 597 and has substantial experience of dealing with disputes from £10,000 up to £50,000,000.

### **Other Experience/Panel Membership**

Mark is a member of the Association of Contentious Trusts and Probate Specialists (ACTAPS) and the Professional Negligence Lawyers Association (PNLA).

He has also recently completed the ACTAPS Contentious Trusts and Probate Associate Membership Course that is operated in conjunction with the College of Law.

He acts as Trustee for a number of family trusts.

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He is noted in the Legal 500 for his expertise in contentious trust and probate work and professional negligence claims.

### **Personal Interests**

Mark is married with two children, he lives in Derbyshire and is a keen cricket and football fan.