

Bloomsbury Professional Family Law Conference

17th November 2020

AGENDA

Time	Session	Speaker
Morning Session Children Law		
9:00am	Welcome from Bloomsbury Professional	Andy Hill
9:05am	Chair's Introduction to morning session	HHJ Reardon
9:10am	Private Children Law: Changes and Developments	Alex Laing and Matthew Richardson
9:50am	Surrogacy: The current law and proposals for reform	Martin Kingerley QC
10:30am	International Child Abduction Followed by brief introduction to Gold Sponsor Cansford Laboratories	Nicholas Anderson
11:10am	Coffee Break	
11:25am	Adoption in the New Decade	Leslie Samuels QC
12:05pm	Vulnerable witnesses in family proceeding Followed by brief introduction to Gold Sponsor Class Legal	Caroline Harris
12:45pm	Chair's morning closing overview	HHJ Reardon
12:55pm	Lunch	
Afternoon Session Current Issues in Family Law		
1:45pm	Chair's Introduction to afternoon session	HHJ Reardon
1:55pm	Introduction from Platinum Sponsor Our Family Wizard	James Evans
2:05pm	Address from Keynote Speaker	HHJ Hess
2:25pm	Spousal Maintenance – Five Years on from SS v NS: Where are we now?	Nicholas Allen QC
3:05pm	Tax on Divorce Followed by brief introduction to Gold Sponsor Ampla Finance	Sofia Thomas CTA
3:45pm	Tea Break	
4:00pm	Brexit and Related International Family Law Update	David Hodson OBE
4:40pm	Reforming the Family Court – What Does the Future Hold? Followed by brief introduction to Gold Sponsor Iceberg	Laura Moys
5:20pm	Chair's Afternoon Closing Overview	HHJ Reardon
5:30pm	Conference ends	