



Martin Collings

Mediation experience

Martin is a natural conciliator and his style of mediating certainly reflects this. He adopts a calm and easy manner with his clients due to his belief that by allowing a large degree of openness by the parties, there are very few disputes which cannot be settled through the process of mediation.

Despite adopting this calm approach to mediations, Martin will not hesitate to take a more firm stance if he feels it will help the process run more smoothly. This is due to the fact that his experience of conducting mediations has shown him that being able to adopt various styles is of great importance in helping settle disputes.

Martin is an expert in a wide of civil/commercial cases but is a particular specialist in the following types of dispute:

- contractual
- commercial property
- business and finance

Martin qualified as an accredited mediator through the London School of Mediation.

Professional experience

Martin is a practising solicitor with 33 years experience. In 1988 he set up his own practice which then merged with Robinsons Solicitors in 2010 where he became the Partner in charge of the Residential and Commercial Conveyancing department. He has been contributing to the success of the firm ever since.

Prior to this, Martin was a qualified barrister in a foreign jurisdiction where he prosecuted in the Magistrates courts and then as State Counsel in the Criminal Division of the High Court and the Appeal Court.

As a result of this diverse and substantial career in the legal profession, Martin is a well rounded mediator due to this wide range of experience in both contentious and non-contentious areas of the law.

