

Marilyn Cox

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Marilyn Cox has experience working in a range of public service and corporate roles. Marilyn previously worked as an Assessor for the Commissioner for Victims' Rights (Department of Justice NSW) assessing claims for victims of crime, including family victims of homicide. This was a specialist role requiring an understanding of trauma-informed practices and therapeutic jurisprudence. During her tenure, Marilyn worked with numerous Indigenous community organisations throughout NSW, assisting survivors of sexual abuse (and other crimes) through the Strong Aboriginal Women's Conferences.

In 2018, Marilyn commenced acting under the delegated authority of the NSW Legal Services Commissioner for (both) the NSW Bar Association and the Law Society of NSW, performing investigative functions pertaining to disciplinary conduct issues. In the same year, Marilyn became an Independent Decision Maker for the National Redress Scheme (a Commonwealth Government initiative, in response to the Royal Commission into Institutional Childhood Sexual Abuse), work which she finds highly rewarding. In 2023, Marilyn transitioned into a non-regulatory role within the Law Society and feels privileged to be able to provide confidential regulatory compliance, ethical and costs guidance to solicitors throughout NSW, to ensure they are equipped with the resources and educational support they need, to ensure compliance with their professional obligations under the Uniform Law. She also writes articles for publication and presents on topical issues evolving in the legal profession.

