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Provides services in all areas of family law including spousal and co-habitational agreements, and enforcement of rights of spouses and children.

“You want our heart, as well as our mind.”

Sandra has extensive training and experience in mediation, collaborative law and dispute resolution.

PRACTICE AREAS

- Litigation and Dispute Resolution
- Alternative Dispute Resolution
 - Family Law
 - Collaborative Family Law
 - Divorce proceedings
 - Mediation Services
 - Negotiated settlements

LECTURES, SPEECHES AND PUBLICATIONS

- Co-Author (with Les Kirchner and Alexandra Aquila), Pitblado COVID-19 Resource Centre, “COVID-19 and Family Law-related Issues”, April 7, 2020
- Bar Admission Course Facilitator, 2010 – 2018
- Law Society Continuing Legal Education, 1999 – 2001
- Legal seminars at various women’s centres on family law related topics
- Issues Arising Out of Recent Cases and Developments in Family Law in Canada, 2001
- The Best Interest Test: How the Courts Interpret it in Custody & Access Cases, 2000

MEMBERSHIPS AND ASSOCIATIONS

- Manitoba Bar Association
- Canadian Bar Association
- Comprehensive Co-Mediation Program Manitoba, 2000
- Collaborative Professionals of Manitoba
- Mediation Manitoba
- Panel Member, Vulnerable Persons of Manitoba



Q&A

- Q: Favorite quote?**
A: “In those whom I like I can find no common denominator; in those whom I love, I can; they all make me laugh.”
- Auden
- Q: What I like about being a lawyer?**
A: When the process allows both parties to walk away feeling whole.
- Q: What challenges me?**
A: New York Times Sunday Crossword Puzzle

ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL

- Listed in Best Lawyers® as one of Canada’s top lawyers for Family Law, 2015 – 2019
- Admitted to the Bar Manitoba, 1987
- Admitted to the Bar of Upper Canada, 1986
- LL.B., Osgoode Hall, 1984
- BA, University of Manitoba, 1981

