

BIOGRAPHY/CV

Name: Leonie Reynolds

Nationality: Irish (residing in Dublin)

Current position: Member of the Irish Judiciary - Judge of the High Court

Other relevant positions held:

- Circuit Court Judge (2010 to 2016)
- Head of High Court Family Law Division (2016 – 2018)
- International Hague Liaison Judge (2016 – 2021) i.e. Irish representative in the International Hague Network of Judges (IHNJ)
- Head of Chancery Division (2018 – March 2021)
- Currently head of High Court Civil Jury Division

Education and Professional Qualifications:

1985 – 1989 University College Dublin – Degree in Economics & Politics

1989 – 1991 Graduate trainee ACC Bank – Treasury Management

1991 – 1993 The Honourable Society of Kings Inns – Barrister at Law degree

1993 - 2010 Practising Barrister

Positions held during the latter period include that of criminal prosecutor, member/chair of the Hepatitis C & HIV Compensation Tribunal and member/chair of Valuation Tribunal.

Other relevant experience:

- Former member of Irish Criminal Justice Review Committee
- Former jurisdictional representative to the Irish Association of Judges in Ireland (AJI)
- Irish judicial representative at a number of international conferences, e.g., International Association of Women Judges (IAWJ), International Family Law, International Hague Network of Judges (IHNJ) etc.
- High Court representative on delegation of Irish judges to the European Court of Human Rights (ECtHR) in 2018 where I delivered a paper on parental rights and the best interests of the child in childcare proceedings
- High Court representative on the Civil Justice Review Committee which delivered its report to government in 2020
- High Court representative of Irish Judicial Covid Liaison Committee

- Irish representative on the CCJE since 2018, having served as a member of the Working Group since that time
- Chair of organising committee which recently hosted Anglo/Germanophone Conference for IHNJ

Non-judicial committee based activities

- Member of Irish Horseracing Regulatory Board (voluntary/non-fee paying position regulating Horseracing in Ireland)
- Member of charitable organisations and other community based committees