



The Top End Family Law Pathways Network presents:
**“Domestic Violence in Family Law: One Size Does Not Fit All-
Overview, Risk, Assessment, Pragmatics”**

When: Friday 22 September 2017

Time: 8:30am—4pm

Where: Oaks Elan Darwin, 31 Woods Street, Darwin NT.

Cost: \$65.00

Legal practitioners are able to claim CPD points for attendance at this workshop.

Robert A. Simon, Ph.D. is an internationally distinguished forensic psychologist, based in San Diego, CA and Maui HI. His area of expertise and focus is forensic family psychology, family conflict and child custody disputes.

Dr. Simon has lectured extensively in Australia including providing training for judges of the Australian Family Law Courts. He was the lead trainer in the 2016 nationwide training in Melbourne for family consultants employed by the courts. He has also lectured throughout North America, Europe and in Singapore. Dr. Simon is also an author and writer with numerous published scholarly papers and the book *Forensic Psychology Consulting in Child Custody Litigation*, published in 2013 by the American Bar Association. He is a member of the Board of Directors of the Association of Family and Conciliation Courts, The World Congress on Family Law and Children's Rights and The National Association of Juvenile and Family Court Judges.

Known for his ability to describe complex concepts in clear language, for his sense of humor and his warmth, Dr. Simon is honored and pleased to be in Alice Springs and Darwin this September as a speaker.

This workshop will discuss

- The issue of domestic violence, also known as intimate partner violence (IPV), in the context of the separating/separated family.
- The impact of IPV on children, especially on child development and neuropsychological development.
- Contemporary notions of the various types of domestic violence along with how to respond to IPV. Including, screening and risk assessments tools post separation; with a focus on the risk of child abduction and homicide.
- The appropriateness of various care and parenting arrangements for children in separated families when there has been IPV and the use of judicial interventions such as Domestic Violence Orders, Parenting Orders, supervised access and treatment.

There will be plenty of opportunity for interaction with the speaker so be sure to bring your questions and be ready to learn, debate and discuss.



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Dr Robert Simon Ph.D
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Registration

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Number of Registrations: _____

Cost (@\$65.00 per person): \$_____

Total Cost (all above prices include GST): \$_____

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Name(s) and position title: (include each attendee)

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