

GLEND A VENCATACHELLUM Barrister-at-Law (MCI Arb)

Accredited Mediator

I am a practising English barrister, based in London.

Attended King Edward VI Camp Hill Grammar School for Girls, Birmingham.

1994 Bachelor of Arts (Honours) degree, in Law and Criminology, University of Keele.

1996 Called to the Bar of England and Wales by the Honourable Society of the Middle Temple.

1997 Completed first six months pupillage at Tooks Court Chambers, London.

1997 Co-ordination of the Computerisation of the Criminal Justice System Unit, Research and Statistics Department, Home Office.

1998 to 2001

Law Reporter, the Incorporated Council of Law Reporting for England and Wales

The Law Reports, Weekly Law Reports; and for the Times Law Reports,

The Law Society's Gazette and Solicitors' Journal (case summaries).

2001 Completed second six pupillage and became a tenant at Rowchester Chambers, Birmingham, where I had a varied practice for over a decade.

Member of Chambers Management Committee.

2013 Founded Canonbury Chambers. Varied practice continues.

2014 MCI Arb (International Commercial Arbitration).

2021 Elected as CI Arb London Branch committee member.

2022 Bar Council Mission to Kenya and Tanzania

2023 (May) Accredited Civil and Commercial Mediator (Society of Mediators)

(July) IBA-VIAC CDRC Vienna Mediation and Negotiation competition. Assisted with organisation of the Mediation competition, which was largely based on the same scenario as the Vis Arbitration Moot. Opportunity to explore how a dispute based on similar facts can be resolved by Mediation as opposed to Arbitration.

2023 (August) Society of Mediators/Royal Courts of Justice. Participated in the Summer Blitz Free Mediation Project held at the RCJ as Observer and Mediator.

2024 Acted as Mediator for the Society of Mediators.

Memberships

Chartered Institute of Arbitrators

Franco-British Lawyers Society (« *Association des Juristes Franco-Britanniques* »).

Institute of Art and Law

Family Law Bar Association

Society of Mediators

Cinema Theatre Association

Interests

Classical Guitar, Theatre, Dance, 70s/80s Music.

Languages

French fluent

Understanding of Mauritian Creole