

Hosted by: CoPPA North West

Participation and the Court of Protection

This seminar will consider the involvement of the person at the centre of Court of Protection proceedings, and their family. The seminar will include discussions of access to the court, the difficulties of the 'best interests' model of representation, he role of the litigation friend (including the Official Solicitor) and the need for special measures and reasonable adjustments in the Court of Protection, including training of legal representatives and judges.

Speakers:

Professor Phil Fennell of Cardiff Law School, Cardiff University, is a leading national expert on Mental Health and Mental Capacity law.

Jean Simpson and Michael Devlin will be speaking about their experiences as family members in a case where the Court had to make end of life decisions.

21 March 2018

5:30-7:00, followed by refreshments.

Renold Building, University of Manchester Altrincham Street Manchester M1 7JA

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Location: Renold Building, The University of Manchester Altrincham St, Manchester M1 7JA (map attached)

The Renold Building is a 5-minute walk away from Manchester Piccadilly station.

On-site parking is available at the Charles Street Car Park, Manchester M1 3BB for £2.00.

Cost: Free for COPPA members, £10.00 for non-COPPA members. Concessions will be made for Independent Mental Capacity Advocates and students.

