

PEOPLE AND THE LAW



Collette Dixon is an Articled Clerk at Hunt and Hunt in Darwin.

Background: I was born in Sydney. I obtained a Bachelor of Laws degree at the Northern Territory University and served as the Associate to Justice Thomas in 1999.

Most memorable case/file? Working on the Lexcray file whilst a paralegal in the BTEC Unit at the Solicitor for the Northern Territory. Bovines and discovery were coming out of every orifice.

Who are your role models? Mother Theresa for her compassion and Perry Mason for his intellect.

Your favourite place in the NT? My home at Fairway Waters. Home is where the heart is.

Community involvement: Previously, I was a volunteer advisor at Darwin Community Legal Service. I am a keen Irish dancer and amateur tennis player.

Complete this sentence. I couldn't live without ... God and my husband.

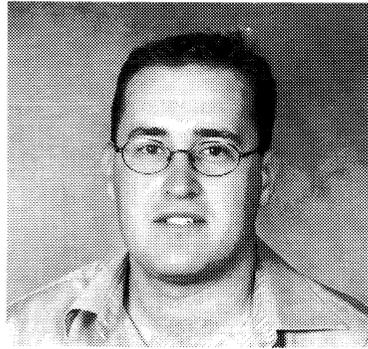
If you were down to your last \$50 what would you buy? As many Kit-Kats as possible.

What book are you reading at the moment? The book of Acts.

WANTED: People in the Law

Why don't you nominate someone you know for People in the Law. Why not even nominate yourself!

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Joe Woodward is a first year solicitor at Cridlands.

Background: I grew up in Melbourne. I completed an Arts degree at Melbourne University and my law degree at Monash University. I came up here in March this year after articles at Leo Cussens in Melbourne.

Most memorable case/ file? Nothing comes to mind though there were a few criminal cases that I was involved with in Melbourne that were pretty juicy.

Who are your role models? I have a picture of Steve McQueen from "The Great Escape" on my wall but I don't imagine he was anything like his character.

Your favourite place in the NT? I haven't been anywhere yet but when I stopped off at Howard Springs the other day, that seemed nice.

Community involvement. I haven't been here long enough to involve myself yet.

Complete this sentence. I couldn't live without... My great Aunt Prue who fills me in on all the news and gossip from down south.

If you were down to your last \$50 what would you buy? No doubt it would be wasted on a frivolous purchase.

What book are you reading at the moment? Just finished reading *Ms Smilla's Feeling for Snow* which was a little different but a good read.



David Bamber is the Principal Legal Officer with CAALAS in Alice Springs.

Background: Melbourne. Suffered a poor, brutal education at secondary school. Good times at Monash University in its demonstration hey day. Ten good years at the Melbourne Bar.

Most memorable case/file? "Nibbles" the goat was the alleged complainant. Cannot give my clients' (the defendant) name..

Who are your role models? I have no role models I can live up to. Frank Vincent QC (as he then was) was great to watch in front of a jury.

Your favourite place in the NT? Ruby Gap. Go there and you don't need to ask.

Community involvement: I sat on the Law Week table in the mall for half an hour.

Complete this sentence. I couldn't live without ... I can't complete this. We all need the essentials of life, beyond these...?

If you were down to your last \$50 what would you buy? A bottle of Jamesons Irish and something to nibble.

What book are you reading at the moment? I have been reading *The Territory* by Ernestine Hill for the last year and a half.