

ENE Provider Biographies
Pine, Isanti, Chisago, & Kanabec Counties

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Jeffrey Arrigoni has practiced exclusively in family law since 1989. He has extensive trial and motion practice experience. He has successfully participated in and served as an evaluator and also resolved cases in FENEs. He is listed on Washington County's FENE and SENE rosters. He believes he would be a positive asset based on his experience and sensitivity to the difficulties that clients face when dealing with family law issues.

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Kelly Boyd is a graduate of William Mitchell College of Law and has been licensed to practice in Minnesota and Wisconsin since 2000. She is a qualified ADR neutral in the areas of general civil litigation and family law including being qualified as a Parenting Time Expeditor and Parenting Consultant.

Ms. Boyd devotes 100% of her practice to working on family law matters including dissolutions, paternity, third party custody, child support, post decree actions, antenuptial agreements, step parent adoptions and ADR.

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Mary Cincotta received an undergraduate degree in Child Psychology, Psychology and Public Health from the University of Minnesota, Minneapolis and is a 2001 William Mitchell College of Law graduate. She has practiced in the area of family law since 1990 as a paralegal and as an attorney since 2001. She was a Guardian ad Litem in Ramsey County from 1995 – 2012. She is a trained Parenting Consultant, Mediator and Early Neutral Evaluator. She has represented clients in a variety of family law matters including dissolution of Marriage, complex custody matters, removal of children from the state, paternity, child Support, spousal maintenance, modification of child support and spousal maintenance, appeals, antenuptials/prenuptials, property division, child in need of protection or services (CHIPS), Board of Nursing cases, maltreatment appeals, and mediation/arbitration. Ms. Cincotta believes in giving back to the community by providing legal services through the Volunteer Lawyers Network where she has represented clients in the self help clinic, in mediation, preparation of legal documents, and limited scope and full representation.

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John S. Drasin has practiced exclusively in Family Law for the past 19 years. Prior experience includes Personal Injury jury trials and Workers' Compensation Hearings. Education includes Juris Doctor, Hamline University School of Law; Master of Business Administration, University of St. Thomas; Bachelor of Science in Business, University of Minnesota. He has been trained as Qualified Neutral Under Minnesota Rule 114 - Family Mediator, listed as a Facilitative Hybrid Neutral: Mediator and as an Evaluative Neutral: Early Neutral Evaluator, Neutral Fact Finder and completed programs in Certified Civil Mediation Skills Training, Family Mediation Skills Training, and Domestic Violence in Family Mediation. He is on the ENE Rosters for Anoka County, Pine County, Kanabec County, Isanti County, Chisago County, Ramsey County, Washington County, Scott County, Carver County, and Goodhue County. Volunteer work includes Legal Assistance of Dakota County and Kids 'n Kinship, Board of Directors, 2002-2013 (past President).

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Jim Goetz received master degrees in both social work and rehabilitation psychology from the University of Wisconsin-Madison, and later obtained a law degree from William Mitchell College of Law. Jim was a child, marital, and family counselor for over ten years. He then transitioned to the Family Court arena and worked for over fifteen years at Hennepin County Family Court Services, where he conducted custody and parenting time mediations and evaluations. Jim was part of a group at Family Court Services that created Early Neutral Evaluation Program. He has been the primary trainer for ENE, and was a member of the State of Minnesota ENE Steering Committee. Jim is now in private practice; He continues to perform ENE's, custody evaluations and mediations, and also serves as a Parenting Consultant and a Parenting Time Expeditor.

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Louisa is a mediator (Qualified Neutral Rule 114 Minnesota Rules) and facilitates SENE and FENE evaluations. She served as a Guardian Ad Litem (2006 - 2010) and Commissioner on the Minneapolis Civil Rights Commission (2004 - 2010). Louisa has a strong background in business and finance. She has advanced degrees in Sociology and has mediated cases since 2006.

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Practiced Family Law 39 years. Tried several complex custody cases and property/financial cases, but settled far more. Over 120 hours mediation/ENE training since 2004. Am on 5 counties' ENE Rosters. Have performed custody evaluations. Am a parent, grandparent, and former foster parent. Much training in child development, family systems, abuse and addiction issues. Former school board member. Hold a Minnesota Substitute Teaching License. Have served as Sunday school teacher, church youth leader, and 9 years coaching soccer. Vietnam veteran. Good listener, compassionate, but able to remain neutral and objective.

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Graduate of Harvard Law School. Practiced family law in Mankato (Manahan & Bluth) for 50 years, trying hundreds of divorce cases throughout Minnesota. Former president of Minnesota Chapter of Matrimonial Lawyers. Board certified for 25 years as civil trial specialist (National Board of Trial Advocacy). Trained mediator since 2009, doing SENE and FENE evaluations in Blue Earth, Anoka, Wright, St. Louis, and Lake Counties since 2010. Rule 114 Qualified Mediator.

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Elizabeth Moore has provided legal services for over 20 years. She has experience with all family law case types and has handled complex, marital estate and non-marital claims cases.

In private practice, she served as a public defender representing clients in paternity, contempt, and commitment matters. She is aware of the added challenges posed by mental health issues, chemical dependency, and domestic abuse.

She is an ethics committee member, a volunteer ethics investigator, and the 18th District (Isanti, Sherburne, and Wright) Bar Association Secretary.

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Bette Nelson has worked primarily as a family law attorney since 1990. She regularly attends the Family Law Institute and family law continuing legal education courses. She is a District Bar Association member. She has represented many clients in ENE sessions in Anoka, Sherburne, Wright, Hennepin, and Dakota counties. She has represented clients in dissolutions, paternity, third party custody, and termination of parental rights cases and has had cases with custody/parenting time evaluations, guardians ad litem, chemical dependency, mental health and other complex issues.

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- Former Guardian ad Litem in Ramsey County;
- Practicing Family Law Attorney since 1992;
- Trained as a Neutral for Civil Mediation under Rule 114 of Minnesota Rules in 2006;
- Completed the Family Mediation Bridge Course in July of 2010;
- March of 2011 completed training as an “Early Neutral Evaluator” (ENE) for both social and financial case evaluation;
- Has been successfully mediating cases as a primary career focus since 2004.

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Ellen Schreder is a graduate of the University of Minnesota and William Mitchell College of Law. She has practiced family law for over 20 years. She is a qualified neutral registered with the State of Minnesota for both mediation and early neutral evaluations.

Ms. Schreder started her legal career as a judicial clerk for Judges in the Fourth Judicial District, working in family court, and has years of experience working as an advocate and as a neutral.