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PRACTICE AREAS

Family Law

Child & Spousal Support

Cohabitation & Prenuptial Agreements

Division of Property

Mediation, Arbitration, Litigation

Parenting & Custody



I provide my clients with peace of mind by reaching a resolution to their difficult separation

Chad is a partner and head of the Family Law group. He provides advice and support to clients in a range of matters, including:

- Parenting
- Custody
- Matrimonial property
- Common law division of property
- Estate disputes

He is committed to helping clients through their divorce or separation and with the challenges families face throughout this emotional process.

Chad is recognized by **The Best Lawyers in Canada** for work in Family Law. He is based at our southeast office but is happy to meet at the downtown office.



Education

- 1999 University of Saskatchewan, LLB
- 1996 University of British Columbia, BA

Admission

- 2005 Alberta
- 2002 Ontario

Experience

Chad provides mediation services to help couples navigate difficult separations. Mediation is a fair and amicable process designed to jointly resolve a couple's parenting and property issues after a separation. The process of mediation avoids the costs of litigation and the inherent conflict that often results from being in court.

Recognition

PUBLICATIONS

- **"The importance of succession planning,"** The Constructor, Calgary Construction Association (March 2019)

HONOURS AND AWARDS

- Chad is recognized by **The Best Lawyers in Canada** for work in Family Law (2025-2026).

RECENT MEDIA COVERAGE

- Chad Johnson speaks to **Canadian Lawyer** on drug use in family law

Memberships

- **Law Society of Alberta**
- **Canadian Bar Association**
- **Alberta Civil Trial Lawyers Association**

Community

- **Families Matter Society of Calgary**
 - Vice Chair of the Board of Directors (2019 - present)

Teaching Roles & Speaking Engagements

SPEAKER

Family Law Agreements - What Every Paralegal/Legal Assistant Needs to Know

Alberta Civil Trial Lawyers Association (November 2019)

SPEAKER

Mom and the Law

Families Matter (November 2016, April 2019, November 2019, August 2020)

SPEAKER

Dad and the Law

Families Matter (November 2016, April 2019, November 2019, August 2020)

PRESENTER

How to make the process the most respectful for your children

Families Matter (March 2013, November 2018)

PRESENTER

Marriage Fraud Upon Separation

The Association of Certified Fraud Examiners (November 2017)

PRESENTER

Family Law: Custody and Child Support

Alberta Father Involvement Initiative (April 2015)

SPEAKER

Matrimonial Property Act of Alberta and Division of Assets and Provision for Maintenance and Support

Conciliation & Arbitration Board, Social Welfare Board, and Economic Planning Board (March 2014)

Recent News, Events & Notable Work

SEPTEMBER 4, 2025 | NEWS



27 McLeod Law lawyers recognized in the 2026 Edition of The Best Lawyers™ in Canada and Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch

AUGUST 29, 2024 | NEWS



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