

Launched in 2013, the John Cornwell Award recognises a Resolution member - or group of members - who have gone the extra mile in their work to support separating families. The inaugural award in 2013 was given to John Cornwell posthumously and presented to his wife Claire.

The award recognises those 'unsung heroes' who go above and beyond to promote the Code of Practice and, within that, Resolution's core value of a non-confrontational approach. They may have undertaken charity fundraising to support families; or perhaps worked with their local media in an effort to promote the work of Resolution members; or placed the Code of

Practice at the centre of their work in some other way. Nominations can be made for an individual or a group of Resolution members who have made a difference, either through their work or outside their work environment. Nominees can come from any area of family law practice, and can fall under any membership category.

The most important thing is to provide evidence of **what** they have done and **how** they have made things better for separating families. Consider what makes your nominee different from others working in the same area; and explain how your nominee has shown innovation or creativity in delivering lasting results for families.

If you know a member who you feel deserves recognition, then we'd like to hear from you. Simply complete the nomination form by visiting www.resolution.org.uk/award

We will ask you to provide the following information:

- Your nominee's details.
- Your relationship to the nominee/s.
- How the nominee/s made an outstanding contribution to supporting separating couples in 2014 (maximum 200 words).
- How their achievements demonstrate their commitment to the Resolution Code of Practice (maximum 200 words).
- Two endorsements from Resolution members who personally know the individual or group you are nominating. One of these must be from someone who does not work in the same firm as the nominee/s (maximum 200 words).
- Any further information you might wish to provide to support your nomination (maximum 200 words).

Your completed entry form and supporting materials should be submitted by **5pm on Friday 27 February 2015**. The nominations will be judged by a panel that includes the National Chair and Vice Chair, regional and YRes representatives, and founder members. Judging will take place in March 2015. The winner of the John Cornwell Award will be announced at the Resolution National Conference Dinner on 17 April 2015 in Brighton.