

2021 Dame Roma Mitchell Memorial Lunch

with keynote speaker the Hon Mary Delahunty GAICD



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Victorian Women Lawyers and Women Barristers' Association are proud to present the 2021 Dame Roma Mitchell Memorial Lunch. This event is held in celebration of Dame Roma Flinders Mitchell, the first Australian woman to be appointed Queen's Counsel, judge, chancellor of an Australian university and State Governor.

We invite our members and the wider legal community to join us to reflect on the resilience and re-emergence of women in the legal profession as we adapt to the "new normal".

VWL and WBA are proud to welcome keynote speaker, the Hon Mary Delahunty, a strong and respected voice in public affairs, media and the women's movement.

Mary's career success has been built on the mantra: You don't get what you deserve, you get what you negotiate.

A former interviewer and presenter with ABC television and commercial networks, Mary is best known for leading ABC TV News and current affairs programs, the 7.30 Report and Four Corners. She received Australia's most prestigious award in journalism, a Gold Walkley, for her international reporting in Asia. Mary attracted attention and respect serving for seven years as a Victorian state government minister in senior portfolios.

Mary is a published author, Mary's first book *Public Life, Private Grief* opened a conversation on depression and the highs and lows of public life. Her second book *Gravity: Inside the PM's office during her last year and final days*, lifts the veil on misogyny as the new political weapon.

DATE

Thursday, 27 May 2021

TIME

12:30 - 2:30 pm

LOCATION

Myer Mural Hall, Bourke St Mall
314/336 Bourke St, Melbourne VIC 3000

TICKETS

inclusive of a two-course lunch and beverages

VWL and WBA Member: \$65

Non-member: \$95

Table of 8: \$520

Guests are encouraged to remain home if feeling unwell in the past two weeks prior to this event.

Book online by 10 May 2021: www.vwl.asn.au/events.