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**Professional Disclosure Statement**

For 36 years John has provided education and psychological services. His career began as a teacher, and guidance counsellor. He became a relationship educator, a tenured senior university academic, and continued with extended studies and work in the USA and Italy. He trained at QUT (DipT, GradDipCouns), ACU (BEd), UQ (MEdSt), OhioU (PhD), and APF-Rome. John is an energetic, down-to-earth professional who bases his work on scientific research, clinical expertise, and lived experience. He has a passion for helping adults and organisations challenged by various issues or seeking to improve wellbeing or performance. John promotes healthy living via the application of integrated positive psychology principles. His expertise includes psychotherapy, keynotes, workshops, medico-legal and psychological assessments, corporate consulting, executive coaching, mediation, and clinical supervision. John is the recipient of Ohio University's *George Hill Memorial Award*, which recognises the outstanding scholarship, service and leadership of a graduate. He is responsible for over 500 publications and presentations, is author of *The Home Therapist* and *The Practice of Clinical Supervision*, is the long-standing expert psychology columnist for *Style* magazine, and is an occasional *ABC radio* commentator on psychological issues. Along with his novelist wife Dr Sandra Antonelli, John divides his time between Brisbane and Maleny.

**Scope of Practice**

- Individual Adult Therapy and Couples Counselling
- Psychological Assessments and Medico-Legal Reports
- Clinical Supervision and Consultation, Corporate Consulting and Executive Coaching
- Mediation, Professional Development and Training

**Education**

- Doctor of Philosophy (Counselling/Psychology) – *The Ohio University*
- Master of Educational Studies (Guidance/Counselling) – *The University of Queensland*
- Graduate Diploma in Counselling – *Queensland University of Technology*
- Bachelor of Education (Psychology/Religion) – *Australian Catholic University*
- Diploma of Teaching – *Queensland University of Technology*
- Certificate in Mediation (*Department of Justice and Attorney-General*) – *Griffith University*
- Accreditation for Psychiatric Impairment Rating Scale (*Royal North Shore Hospital*) – *University of Sydney*
- Postdoctoral Practicum in Family Therapy (Rome) – *Accademia di Psicoterapia della Famiglia*
- Certificate in Relationship Education – *Centacare*

**Selection of Roles**

- Entrepreneurs' Organization; Dixon Homes; Queensland Training Awards – *Consulting Psychologist*
- Solothurn Wellness Retreat – *Visiting Clinical Psychologist*
- Griffith University – *Adjunct Senior Lecturer in Psychology*
- MediSpec – *Physician Selection Coaching*
- Bar Association of Queensland – *Barristers' Bar Care List*
- Archdiocese of Brisbane & Diocese of Rockhampton – *Consulting Psychologist*
- Wesley, St Andrew's, & St Vincent's Hospitals – *Visiting Clinical Supervisor*
- Australian Catholic University – *Senior Lecturer, Clinical Practicum Supervisor*
- Centacare – *Counsellor/Psychologist, Relationship Educator*
- Queensland University of Technology – *Lecturer*
- The Ohio University – *Teaching Associate, Counsellor Intern*
- Brisbane Catholic Education – *School/Guidance Counsellor, Teacher*



**Affiliations**

- **Fellow**, College of Clinical Psychologists
- **Fellow**, College of Counselling Psychologists
- **Member**, Australian Psychological Society
- **Registered**, Psychology Board of Australia

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**Academic**

Lectures  
Scholarship

**Clinical**

Assessment  
Diagnosis

**Counselling**

Adult Psychotherapy  
Couples Counselling

**Forensic**

Court Reports  
Medico-Legal

**Organisational**

Consulting  
Mediation