

# The Australian Women's Register

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## Staunton, Patricia Jane

(1946 - )

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**Born** 30 November, 1946, Townsville Queensland Australia

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**Occupation** Alderman, Lawyer, Magistrate, Nurse, Parliamentarian

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### Summary

Patricia Staunton was a Member of the NSW Legislative Council from 25 March 1995 to 2 September 1997. She is a member of the Australian Labor Party, a Member of the Order of Australia (AM) and has worked as a Chief Magistrate, Alderman of the Sydney City Council and Registered Nurse.

### Published resources

#### Resource Section

Patricia Jane Staunton,  
<http://www.sydneyaldermen.com.au/alderman/patricia-staunton/>

#### Resource

Trove, National Library of Australia, 2009

#### Site Exhibition

Putting Skirts on the Sacred Benches: Women Candidates for the New South Wales Parliament, Australian Women's Archives Project, 2006,  
<http://www.womenaustralia.info/exhib/pssb/home.html>

Australian Women Lawyers as Active Citizens, Trailblazing Women Lawyers Project Team, 2016,  
<http://www.womenaustralia.info/lawyers>

#### Book

Law for nurses and midwives, Staunton, Patricia J. and Mary Chiarella, 2012

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