

# The Australian Women's Register

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**Entry type:** Person  
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## Campbell, Enid Mona

(1932 - 2010)

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**Born** 30 October, 1932, Launceston Tasmania Australia

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**Died** 20 January, 2010, Melbourne Victoria Australia

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**Occupation** Academic, Lawyer, Professor

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### Summary

Professor Enid Campbell, a leading Australian scholar in constitutional law and administrative law, was appointed an Officer of the Order of the British Empire (Civil) on 16 June 1979 for services to education in the field of law. Campbell, who was the first female dean of a law faculty in Australia, was bestowed with the degree of Doctor of Laws *honoris causa* by the University of Tasmania in 1990.

### Details

Enid Campbell was born in Launceston and educated there at Methodist Ladies College where she was dux of the school. At the University of Tasmania she studied economics and law and graduated in 1955. Accepting a scholarship to Duke University (North Carolina) she completed a PhD that included the study of international law, jurisprudence and public administration.

In 1959, Enid Campbell returned to Tasmania and became the first female lecturer in the Law School, teaching political science. The next year she took a lecturing position at the University of Sydney and from 1965 to 1967 was Associate Professor in Law.

In 1967 she was appointed Sir Isaac Isaac Professor of Law at Monash University, a position she held until her retirement in 1997.

## Events

### **1967 - 1997**

Sir Isaac Isaacs Professor of Law at Monash University, Melbourne

### **1985 - 1988**

Member of the Constitutional Commission, Canberra

### **1982 - 1984**

Member of the Law Reform Advisory Council, Victoria

### **1974 - 1976**

Member of the Royal Commission on Australian Government Administration

### **1965 - 1967**

Associate Professor Law at the University of Sydney

### **1962 - 1965**

Senior Lecturer at the University of Sydney

### **1960 - 1961**

Lecturer at the University of Sydney

### **1959 - 1959**

Lecturer in Political Science, University of Tasmania

### **1990 - 1990**

Honorary Doctor of Laws (LLD) at the University of Tasmania

### **1976 - 1978**

Member of the Council of the Australian National University, Canberra

## Published resources

### **Resource**

Trove, National Library of Australia, 2009

### **Edited Book**

Who's Who in Australia 2002, Herd, Margaret, 2002

### **Site Exhibition**

Faith, Hope and Charity Australian Women and Imperial Honours: 1901-1989, Australian Women's Archives Project, 2003,

<http://www.womenaustralia.info/exhib/honours/honours.html>

Australian Women Lawyers as Active Citizens, Trailblazing Women Lawyers Project Team, 2016,

<http://www.womenaustralia.info/lawyers>

## Archival resources

### **National Library of Australia, Manuscript Collection**

Papers of Enid Campbell, between approximately 1958 and 2010

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