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Tina Jowett SC has been briefed in numerous native title trials, appeals and advice work for over 20 years. Tina is ranked as a recommended senior counsel in Doyle's Guide and as a Band 2 senior counsel in the Chambers and Partners rankings. Tina has appeared in *Fortescue Metals Group v Warrie on behalf of the Yindjibarndi People* (2019) 273 FCR 350; *CG (Deceased) on behalf of the Badimia People v State of Western Australia* (2016) 240 FCR 466; *Banjima People v State of Western Australia* (2015) 231 FCR 456; *Blackburn v Wagonga Local Aboriginal Land Council* (2021) 287 FCR 1; *Wyman on behalf of the Bidjara People v State of Queensland* (2015) 235 FCR 464; *Stuart v South Australia* [2023] FCAFC 131; *Mace v State of Queensland* (2019) 274 FCR 41; and *Bodney v Bennell* (2008) 167 FCR 84. She has appeared for, or has advised, most Australian Native Title Representative Bodies, a number of government parties and mining proponents, and has been briefed to appear in all States and Territories. Tina also appears before the High Court in native title appeals. More recently, Tina has appeared and advised in compensation claims including the controversial *Yindjibarndi Ngurra Aboriginal Corporation v State of Western Australia and Fortescue Metals Group* trial. Tina's expertise in native title issues assists her in her appointment as General Editor of Australia's only native title quarterly publication: LexisNexis's *Native Title News*. She also regularly presents at Legalwise seminars and trains lawyers and anthropologists at the Australian Institute of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Studies workshops. In 2009, Tina was recognised by the NSW Women's Lawyers' Association as their 'Woman Lawyer Advocate of the Year'. She was also a member of the NSW Equal Opportunity Tribunal from 1993 to 2003.