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**John Martin**  
**Research and Policy Officer**  
**Queensland Council of Unions**

John Martin has been employed as the Research and Policy Officer at the Queensland Council of Unions for approximately one year.

John has previously worked within the trade union movement including a decade at the LHMU (now United Voice). John has held management positions in industrial relations in both public and private sectors.

John was also an industrial relations advisor to the Martin Government in the Northern Territory.

Having worked in a range of jurisdictions and industries John has substantial experience with the major challenges facing employees and employers throughout Australia.

Currently completing a PhD, John has an undergraduate business degree and first class honours in commerce, both majoring in industrial relations. John has lectured and tutored in the disciplines of management and industrial relations.

In addition to these academic qualifications, he is a past-President of the Industrial Relations Society of Queensland and has been invited to speak at a number of domestic and international conferences.

