

With the introduction of the Provincial Court's [Notice to the Profession 24](#) and the Supreme Court's [Practice Direction 59](#), members have asked for a pronunciation guide along with examples of introductions and what can be put on the Supreme Court Appearance List when used.

### PRONUNCIATIONS:

Mx. sounds like "mix."

Ze sounds like "zee."

Zir or Hir sounds like "zere," rhymes with "here."

### EXAMPLES:

My name is **Gurpreet Mangat**. My last name is spelled M-A-N-G-A-T. I use the pronouns she/her and can be addressed as Ms. Mangat or Counsel. I am Counsel for the Defendant, Mx. Aaron Bird who uses the pronouns they/them/theirs.

Appearance List: Defendant Bird (Mx., they/them/theirs), Counsel: Gurpreet Mangat (Ms., she/her)

I am **Frankel**, initial J. My last name is spelled F-R-A-N-K-E-L. I use the pronouns he/him/his and can be addressed as Mr. Frankel or Counsel. I am counsel for ABC Corporation, the Third Party in this action.

Appearance List: Third Party ABC Corporation, Counsel: J. Frankel (Mr., he/him/his)

I am **Mik Aran-Beddington**, last name spelled A-R-A-N- hyphen – B-E-D-D-I-N-G-T-O-N. My pronouns are ze/zir and you can call me. Mx. Aran-Beddington. I am counsel for the accused, Mr. Clifford Rand, who uses the pronouns he/him.

For the record, representing the Crown, I am **Ms. Ming Li**. My last name is spelled L-I. I use the pronouns she/her.

Appearance List: Ming Li (Ms., she/her)

I am **Counsel Kasimi Shokri** and my names are spelled K-A-S-I-M-I and S-H-O-K-R-I. I use the pronouns she/her. With me is my articulated student, Amandeep Parmar, last name spelled P-A-R-M-A-R. Mr. Parmar uses the pronouns he/him. I represent the Defendants, the partnership R&D Building Systems and its principals Derek Rand and Adrian Drummand. Mr. Rand and Mr. Drummand each use the pronouns he/him. They are present for the trial today.

Appearance List: Kasimi Shokri (Counsel, she/her), Amandeep Parmar, Articled Student (Mr., he/him)

I call to the stand the plaintiff's next witness, **Dana Jones**. Dana Jones uses the title Mr. and he/him pronouns.

I call the Crown's next witness, **Alex Blazevic**. Mx. Blazevic uses they/them and she/her pronouns.