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Practice

Areas of specialisation

Commercial Law (including tax, contracts, equity, trade practices, building & construction, torts)

Public Law (including administrative law, criminal appeals, migration, land and environment, constitutional law)

Doyles Guide leading administrative & public law, taxation and construction & infrastructure junior counsel

Called to the Bar in 2013

Education

Harvard Law School

LLM (2009)
Frank Knox Memorial Fellow
John Monash Scholar

University of New South Wales

LLB, University Medal in Law
BA (Hons I), University Medal in Philosophy

Professional Background

Barrister

Sixth Floor

2013-

Lecturer, UNSW and Melbourne University

Constitutional Law and Administrative Law

2008, 2014

Lawyer

Australian Government Solicitor

Constitutional Litigation Unit

2011-2012

Solicitor

Freehills

Commercial Litigation
Supervising Partner: Geoff Healy

2009-2011

Associate

High Court of Australia

The Honourable AM Gleeson AC

2007

Representative matters

High Court of Australia

- Appeared in more than 30 High Court appeals and original jurisdiction matters
- *Bosanac v Commissioner of Taxation* [2022] HCA 34: presumption of advancement; tax
- *Citta Hobart Pty Ltd v Cawthorn* [2022] HCA 16: federal jurisdiction
- *Commissioner of Taxation v Carter* [2022] HCA 10: tax; disclaimers
- *Federal Commissioner of Taxation v Travelex Ltd* (2021) 95 ALJR 334: tax; running balance account
- *Smethurst v Commissioner of Police* (2020) 94 ALJR 502: warrants, constitutional law
- *BHP Billiton Ltd v Federal Commissioner of Taxation* (2020) 94 ALJR 326: tax
- *Comptroller-General of Customs v Pharm-A-Care Laboratories Pty Ltd* (2020) 94 ALJR 182: customs, administrative law
- *Kadir v The Queen; Grech v The Queen* (2020) 267 CLR 109: section 138 of the *Evidence Act*
- *BMW Australia Ltd v Brewster* (2019) 268 CLR 574: class actions / common fund orders / constitutional law, for the Attorney-General (Cth)
- *Bell Lawyers Pty Ltd v Pentelow* (2019) 269 CLR 333: *Chorley* principle / costs
- *Comcare v Banerji* (2019) 267 CLR 373: public servant free speech, for the AHRC (amicus)
- *Masson v Parsons* (2019) 266 CLR 554: parental rights of sperm donor
- *Clubb v Edwards; Preston v Avery* (2019) 269 CLR 333: implied freedom
- *Unions NSW v New South Wales* (2019) 93 ALJR 166: implied freedom, for an amicus (unled)
- *Comptroller General of Customs v Zappia* (2018) 265 CLR 416: customs/statutory construction
- *ETA067 v The Republic of Nauru* (2018) 92 ALJR 1003: administrative law
- *UBS AG v Tyne* (2018) 265 CLR 77: abuse of process
- *Hossain v Minister for Immigration and Border Protection* (2018) 264 CLR 123: jurisdictional error
- *Trkulja v Google Inc* (2018) 263 CLR 149: defamation
- *Alley v Gillespie* (2018) 92 ALJR 373: qualifications for members of the House of Representatives
- *Maxcon Constructions Pty Ltd v Vadasz* (2018) 264 CLR 46: security of payment and error of law
- *Probuild Constructions (Aust) Pty Ltd v Shade Systems Pty Ltd* (2018) 264 CLR 1: security of payment and certiorari
- *Falzon v Minister for Immigration and Border Protection* (2018) 262 CLR 333: constitutional challenge to s 501(3A) of the *Migration Act* (unled in part)
- *Re Day (No 2)* (2017) 91 ALJR 518 and *Re Day* (2017) 91 ALJR 262: electoral qualifications

- *Palmer v Ayres* (2017) 259 CLR 478: constitutional validity of s 596A (examination summons power) of the *Corporations Act*
- *Southern Han Breakfast Point Pty Ltd (in liq) v Lewence Construction Pty Ltd* (2016) 260 CLR 340: security of payment
- *SZSSJ* (2016) 259 CLR 180: migration
- *Alqudsi* (2016) 258 CLR 203 and [2015] HCATrans 242: s 80 trial by jury waiver
- *Obeid v R (No 2)* (2016) 90 ALJR 452 and *Obeid v R* (2016) 90 ALJR 447: stay pending special leave and non-publication orders. Also *R v Obeid (No 13)* [2016] NSWSC 1840; *Obeid v R* (2015) 91 NSWLR 226, *R v Obeid (No 5)* [2015] NSWSC 1967; *R v Obeid (No 4)* [2015] NSWSC 1442 and *R v Obeid (No 3)* [2015] NSWSC 1441
- *Plaintiff M68* (2016) 257 CLR 42: offshore processing challenge
- *Beckett* (2015) 256 CLR 305: perverting the course of justice
- *Alqudsi v Commonwealth* (2015) 90 ALJR 192: external affairs
- *PT Bayan Resources TBK v BCBC Singapore Pte Ltd* (2015) 89 ALJR 975: transnational freezing orders
- *Ueese* (2015) 256 CLR 203: migration
- *CPCF* (2015) 255 CLR 514: operation sovereign borders challenge
- *Commissioner of Taxation v MBI Properties Pty Ltd* (2014) 254 CLR 376: GST
- *Tajjour* (2014) 254 CLR 508: implied freedom/consorting
- Special leave/removal applications/original jurisdiction matters

New South Wales Court of Appeal and Court of Criminal Appeal

- *The Next Generation (NSW) Pty Ltd v State of New South Wales* [2023] NSWCA 159: planning
- *BSA Advanced Property Solutions (Fire) Pty Ltd v Ventia Australia Pty Ltd* [2022] NSWCA 82: security of payment
- *Hrdavec v State of New South Wales* [2022] NSWCA 52: malicious prosecution
- *Rinehart v Rinehart* [2021] NSWCA 233: trusts
- *Rinehart v Rinehart* [2021] NSWCA 228: trusts
- *KEPCO Bylong Australia Pty Ltd v Bylong Valley Protection Alliance Inc* (2021) 250 LGERA 39: environment/planning
- *Pittmore Pty Ltd v Chan* (2020) 104 NSWLR 62: contract law, deeds, equity
- *DRJ v Commissioner of Victims Rights (No 2)* [2020] NSWCA 242; [2020] NSWCA 136: extraterritoriality, State constitutional law
- *RD Miller v RMS* (2020) 103 NSWLR 234: valuation, unled
- *Rinehart v Rinehart* [2020] NSWCA 221: trusts

- *Owlstara v State of New South Wales* (2020) 285 A Crim R 53; [2020] NSWCA 217: intentional torts
- *TFM Epping Land Pty Ltd v Decon Australia Pty Ltd* [2020] NSWCA 118: injunctions
- *Fairfax Media Publications v Voller* (2020) 380 ALR 700: defamation
- *TFM Epping Land Pty Ltd v Decon Australia Pty Ltd* [2020] NSWCA 93: security of payment
- *Hanna v EPA* (2019) 280 A Crim R 575: sentencing
- *Searle v Commonwealth* (2019) 100 NSWLR 55: contract law, fettering, class actions
- *YTO Construction Pty Ltd v Innovative Civil Pty Ltd* [2019] NSWCA 110: fraud, security of payment
- *Seymour Whyte Constructions Pty Ltd v Ostwald Bros Pty Ltd (in liq)* (2019) 99 NSWLR 317, (2019) 133 ACSR 139, [2018] NSWCA 139: security of payment/constitutional law, led and unled
- *Icon Co (NSW) Pty Ltd v Australia Avenue Developments Pty Ltd* [2018] NSWCA 339: security of payment
- *Goodwin Street Developments Pty Ltd v DSD Builders Pty Ltd* (2018) 98 NSWLR 712: security of payment
- *Cockram Construction Ltd v Fulton Hogan Construction Pty Ltd* (2018) 97 NSWLR 773: security of payment
- *Obeids v Lockley* (2018) 98 NSWLR 258: misfeasance in public office
- *Obeid v R* (2017) 96 NSWLR 155: conviction and sentence appeal
- *Shade Systems Pty Ltd v Probuild Constructions (Aust) Pty Ltd* [2018] NSWCA 52, [2018] NSWCA 50, [2018] NSWCA 34, [2018] NSWCA 33, (2016) 95 NSWLR 157 and [2016] NSWCA 382: security of payment
- *Obeid v R* [2016] NSWCCA 320 and [2016] NSWCCA 321: bail
- *State of NSW v Randall* [2017] NSWCA 88: intentional torts, police powers, damages
- *Benn v State of NSW* [2016] NSWCA 314: intentional torts
- *Alqudsi v R* (2015) 91 NSWLR 92 (Court of Appeal) and (2015) 300 FLR 11 (Supreme Court proceedings): external affairs power, unled
- *Howe v Fischer* (2014) 12 ASTLR 66: professional negligence
- *Botany Bay City Council v Minister for Planning and Infrastructure* [2014] NSWCA 141 and [2015] NSWLEC 12: evidence/development consents

Full Court of the Federal Court

- *Herron v HarperCollins Publishers Australia Pty Ltd* [2022] FCAFC 68: defamation/constitutional law
- *Commissioner of Taxation v Shell Energy Holdings Australia Limited* [2022] FCAFC 2: tax

- *Commissioner of Taxation v Glencore Investment Pty Ltd* (2020) 281 FCR 219: transfer pricing
- *Attorney-General (Cth) v Ogawa* (2020) 281 FCR 1: constitutional law; mercy
- *C7A/2017 v Minister for Immigration and Border Protection* [2020] FCAFC 70, (2020) 276 FCR 147: migration, unled
- *Commissioner of Taxation v Travelex Limited* (2020) 275 FCR 239: tax
- *Queensland v Humane Society International* (2019) 272 FCR 310: administrative law
- *CQX18 v Minister for Home Affairs* (2019) 372 ALR 137: procedural fairness
- *Caratti v Commissioner of the Australian Federal Police* (2019) 270 FCR 1: warrants, unled
- *Commissioner of Taxation v BHP Billiton Limited* (2019) 263 FCR 334: tax
- *Minister for Home Affairs v HSKJ* (2018) 266 FCR 591: migration
- *Ellison v Sandini Pty Ltd* (2018) 263 FCR 460 and [2018] FCAFC 67: CGT
- *Caratti v Commissioner of the Australian Federal Police* (2017) 257 FCR 166: warrants
- *Minister for Immigration and Border Protection v ARJ17* (2017) 250 FCR 474 (the mobile phones case) (and, at first instance, (2017) 250 FCR 446): jurisdiction, unled
- *Carrascalao v Minister for Immigration and Border Protection* (2017) 252 FCR 352: visa cancellation, unled
- *Cayzer v Minister for Immigration and Border Protection* (2016) 249 FCR 250: aliens power
- *Taulahi v Minister for Immigration and Border Protection* (2016) 246 FCR 146: visa cancellation, led by S Lloyd SC (for Taulahi) and unled (for Carrascalao)
- *Commissioner of Taxation v Seven Network Ltd* (2016) 241 FCR 1: tax treaties/copyright. See also *Seven Network Limited v Commissioner of Taxation* (2014) 109 IPR 520 and (2015) 324 ALR 137 (Federal Court substantive and costs proceedings).
- *MUA v Minister for Infrastructure & Regional Development* (2015) 238 FCR 464: coastal shipping
- *Brown v Minister for Immigration* (2015) 235 FCR 88: visa cancellation
- *Maritime Union of Australia v Fair Work Ombudsman* [2015] FCAFC 120: *Fair Work Act* compensation
- *Vella v Minister for Immigration* (2015) 230 FCR 61: procedural fairness
- *Kerrison v Melbourne City Council* (2014) 228 FCR 87: the “Occupy Melbourne” case
- *Animals’ Angels E.V. v Secretary, Department of Agriculture* (2014) 228 FCR 35: standing/administrative law. See also (2014) 141 ALD 158 (Federal Court proceedings).

Supreme Court of New South Wales

- Acting in the trade commodity / IAG insurance proceedings
- *Miller v LMG Building Pty Ltd* [2023] NSWSC 995: security of payment (unled)

- *Ceeroose Pty Ltd v A-Civil Aust Pty Ltd (No 3)* [2023] NSWSC 999; *Ceeroose Pty Ltd v A-Civil Aust Pty Ltd (No 2)* [2023] NSWSC 401; *Ceeroose Pty Ltd v A-Civil Aust Pty Ltd (No 2)* [2023] NSWSC 345; *Ceeroose Pty Ltd v A-Civil Aust Pty Ltd* [2023] NSWSC 239: security of payment
- *Marques Group Pty Ltd v Parkview Constructions Pty Ltd* [2023] NSWSC 625: security of payment (unled)
- *Murphy v The State of NSW* [2023] NSWSC 673; [2023] NSWSC 407: torts
- *Quach v Horvath* [2022] NSWSC 248; [2022] NSWSC 55; [2021] NSWSC 1401: administrative law, unled
- *Seymour Whyte Constructions Pty Ltd v Ostwald Bros Pty Ltd* [2022] NSWSC 234: security of payment
- *Enviropacific Services Limited v Cardno Victoria Pty Ltd* [2021] NSWSC 1589: cross-vesting, unled
- *Ventia Australia Pty Ltd v BSA Advanced Property Solutions (Fire) Pty Ltd* [2021] NSWSC 1534: security of payment
- *The Estate of Sikos v TBPL1 Pty Ltd* [2021] NSWSC 1534: building/construction, unled
- *Hrdavec v State of New South Wales* [2021] NSWSC 560: malicious prosecution
- *Australian Consulting Engineers Pty Ltd v Mistrina Pty Ltd* [2021] NSWSC 449: building/construction
- *Application of Rinehart* [2021] NSWSC 364: undertakings
- *Application of Rinehart* (2020) 104 NSWLR 274: judicial advice
- *CPB Contractors Pty Ltd v Heyday5 Pty Ltd* [2020] NSWSC 1625: security of payment
- *Cadia Holdings Pty Ltd v Downer EDI Mining Pty Ltd* [2020] NSWSC 1599: security of payment, unled
- *Acciona Infrastructure Australia Pty Ltd v Chess Engineering Pty Ltd* [2020] NSWSC 1788; [2020] NSWSC 1423: security of payment
- *CPB Contractors Pty Ltd v Heyday5 Pty Ltd* [2020] NSWSC 1404; [2020] NSWSC 1385: interlocutory orders, unled
- *Acciona Infrastructure Australia Pty Ltd v Holcim (Australia) Pty Ltd* [2020] NSWSC 1330: security of payment, unled
- *Atkins & Ors v Probuild Constructions (Aust) Pty Ltd* [2020] NSWSC 1186: equitable liens; s 553C, unled
- *MTR Corporation (Sydney) NRT Pty Ltd v Thales Australia Ltd* [2020] NSWSC 1147: security of payment
- *Vanella Pty Ltd v TFM Epping Land Pty Ltd* [2020] NSWSC 659; *Decon Australia Pty Ltd v TFM Epping Land Pty Ltd* [2020] NSWSC 312: security of payment/stays
- *Mistrina Pty Ltd v Australian Consulting Engineers Pty Ltd* [2020] NSWSC 633: costs/litigation funders, unled

- *Rinehart v Rinehart* [2020] NSWSC 68: commercial arbitration; equity
- *In the matter of Cooperbrown Pty Ltd* [2019] NSWSC 1521 and [2019] NSWSC 1341: statutory demands, unled
- *In the matter of J & Lee Property Investment Group Pty Ltd* [2019] NSWSC 1337: corporations, unled
- *CC Builders (Aust) Pty Ltd v Milestone Civil Pty Ltd* [2019] NSWSC 1251: security of payment, unled
- *Rinehart v Rinehart* [2019] NSWSC 759: subpoenas
- *Rhomberg Rail Australia Pty Ltd v Concrete Evidence Pty Ltd* [2019] NSWSC 755: security of payment, unled
- *Lee v NSW Commissioner of Police* [2019] NSWSC 694, [2019] NSWSC 684, [2019] NSWSC 405: search warrants
- *Elzahed v Kaban* [2019] NSWSC 1466; [2019] NSWSC 670: criminal law/disrespectful behavior; sentencing; unled
- *G&S Engineering Services Pty Ltd v MACH Energy Australia Pty Ltd* [2019] NSWSC 407 and [2019] NSWSC 463: performance bonds; costs
- *Loulach Developments Pty Ltd v Roads and Maritime Services* (2019) 237 LGERA 273: negligent misrepresentation
- *Icon Co (NSW) Pty Ltd v AMA Glass Facades Pty Ltd* [2019] NSWSC 250: security of payment
- *Johnston v The Greens NSW* [2019] NSWSC 215: challenge to the filing of the Greens NSW's electoral ticket (for the Greens)
- *Goodwin Street Developments Pty Ltd v DSD Builders Pty Ltd* [2018] NSWSC 1791: stay application, unled
- *Australia Avenue Developments Pty Ltd v Icon Co (NSW) Pty Ltd* [2018] NSWSC 1578: security of payment
- *Hausfeld v Commissioner of Police* [2018] NSWSC 1540: warrants, unled
- *YTO Construction Pty Ltd v Innovative Civil Pty Ltd* [2018] NSWSC 1354: fraud/security of payment
- *Hrdavec v State of New South Wales* [2018] NSWSC 1081: expert evidence, unled
- *Southern Cross Electrical Engineering v Steve Magill Earthmoving* [2018] NSWSC 1027: security of payment, unled
- *Pinnacle Construction Group Pty Ltd v Dimension Joinery & Interiors Pty Ltd* [2018] NSWSC 894: security of payment, unled
- *Asbestos Injuries Compensation Fund Limited atf Asbestos Injuries Compensation Fund* [2018] NSWSC 589: statutory construction and trusts
- *Probuild Constructions (Aust) Pty Ltd v Shade Systems Pty Ltd* [2018] NSWSC 540: strike out/unconscionable conduct, unled

- *Vasili v Racing New South Wales* [2018] NSWSC 451: racing tribunal judicial review
- *Seymour Whyte Constructions Pty Ltd v Ostwald Bros Pty Ltd (in liq)* [2018] NSWSC 412: security of payment
- *Fulton Hogan Construction Pty Ltd v Cockram Construction Ltd* [2018] NSWSC 264: security of payment
- *Allen v Ewing* [2017] NSWSC 1696: warrants/abuse of process, unled
- *In the matter of Bias Boating Pty Ltd* [2017] NSWSC 1524: voidable transactions, unled
- *Castle Constructions Pty Ltd v Ghossayn Group Pty Ltd* [2017] NSWSC 1317: security of payment
- *In the matter of Ten Network Holdings Limited* [2017] NSWSC 1247 and [2017] NSWSC 1359: external administration
- *Quasar (Constructions) Commercial Pty Ltd v Trilla Group Pty Ltd* [2017] NSWSC 860: security of payment
- *Mauceri v Deputy State Coroner* [2017] NSWSC 545: application to set aside coroners' decision, unled
- *NSW Netball Association Ltd v Probuild Constructions (Aust) Pty Ltd* [2015] NSWSC 1401 and [2015] NSWSC 1339: security of payment
- *Ennis Paint Australia Holding Pty Ltd v Lei* [2015] NSWSC 1933: restraint of trade
- *McCloy v The Honourable Megan Latham and ICAC* [2015] NSWSC 1782, [2015] NSWSC 1879: bias
- *In the matter of Glenevan Pty Ltd* [2015] NSWSC 201: winding up, unled
- *Doulle Pty Ltd v Clarins SA* (NSWSC – 2014/181663): partnership/oppression
- Unled matters for NSW and offenders instructed by CSO and the Aboriginal Legal Service regarding judicial review of parole decisions: eg [2016] NSWSC 903

Federal Court

- Acting in the Greensill / IAG insurance proceedings
- *Stradford v Vasta* [2023] FCA 1020: torts; constitutional law
- *TDS Biz Pty Ltd v Commissioner of Taxation* [2023] FCA 710: R&D / tax (unled)
- *Hartley v Commissioner of the Australian Federal Police* [2023] FCA 368: search warrants
- *Forte Sydney Carlingford Pty Ltd v Li* [2022] FCA 1499: security of payment (unled)
- *ACCC v Lactalis Australia Pty Ltd (No 2)* [2023] FCA 839; *ACCC v Lactalis Australia Pty Ltd* [2022] FCA 1087: regulation; civil penalties
- *Jam Land Pty Ltd v Minister for the Environment* [2022] FCA 1058: administrative law
- *Barilaro v Google LLC* [2022] FCA 650: defamation

- *National Home Doctor Service Pty Ltd v Director of Professional Services Review* [2021] FCA 1381: administrative law
- *Shell Energy Holdings Australia Limited v Commissioner of Taxation* [2021] FCA 496: tax
- *Comptroller-General of Customs v Smoothflow Australia Pty Ltd* [2021] FCA 144: customs
- *I-Med Radiology Network Limited v The Director of Professional Services Review* [2020] FCA 1645: professional discipline
- *National Home Doctor Service Pty Ltd v Director of Professional Services Review* (2020) 276 FCR 382: estoppel/abuse of process; administrative law
- *TFM Epping Land Pty Ltd v Decon Australia Pty Ltd* [2020] FCA 955: statutory demands/costs
- *National Home Doctor Service Pty Ltd v Director of Professional Services Review* (2020) 276 FCR 338: professional discipline
- *Randlab Australia Pty Ltd v Australian Pesticides and Veterinary Medicines Authority* (2019) 166 ALD 127: search warrants, unled
- *Wang v ASIC* [2019] FCA 1178: directors' banning order
- *VKTT v Minister for Home Affairs* (2019) 166 ALD 443: migration, unled
- *Simjanovska v Department of Human Services* [2019] FCA 499: summary dismissal, unled
- *Fyna Projects Pty Ltd v Deputy Commissioner of Taxation* [2018] FCA 2041 and (2018) 267 FCR 218: tax, constitutional law, unled
- *Nithianantha v Commonwealth of Australia* [2018] FCA 2063: professional discipline
- *CPB Contractors Pty Ltd v Celsus Pty Ltd* (2018) 364 ALR 129: referees, constitutional law
- *Mehajer v Weston* (2018) 16 ABC(NSW) 135: bankruptcy, unled
- *ASIC v NAB Limited* [2017] FCA 1338 (the BBSW case): acting for NAB
- *Selia v Commonwealth of Australia* [2017] FCA 7: professional discipline
- *WDR Delaware Corporation v Hydrox Holdings Pty Ltd* (2016) 245 FCR 452: international arbitration, oppression and winding up
- *Caratti v Commissioner of the Australian Federal Police* [2018] FCA 1237, [2018] FCA 907, [2016] FCA 1407, [2016] FCA 1132 and [2015] FCA 1108: warrants
- *Fair Work Ombudsman v Skilled Offshore (Australia) Pty Ltd* [2014] FCA 724, [2015] FCA 275, [2015] FCA 1509: penalties/contribution/compensation
- *Binetter v Commissioner of Taxation* [2015] FCA 645: tax
- Led and unled matters for applicants and Minister for Immigration and Border Protection and applicants instructed by AGS, DLA Piper, Dobbie & Devine, Zali Burrows: eg [2017] FCA 1189; [2017] FCA 1131; (2016) 242 FCR 169; (2016) 241 FCR 214; [2016] FCA 806; [2016] FCA 750; (2015) 150 ALD 34

- *Bushfire Survivors for Climate Action Incorporated v Narrabri Coal Operations Pty Ltd* [2023] NSWLEC 69: administrative law / climate change
- *Natural Resources Access Regulator v Maules Creek Coal Pty Ltd* [2021] NSWLEC 135: water offences, unled
- *Save Sydney's Koalas (South West) Inc v Lendlease Communities (Figtree Hill) Pty Ltd (No 2)* [2021] NSWLEC 102: administrative law, unled
- *Bushfire Survivors for Climate Action Incorporated v Environment Protection Authority* [2021] NSWLEC 92: administrative law / climate change
- *Crookwell Development Pty Ltd v IPC* [2020] NSWLEC 1484: wind farm approval, unled
- *KEPCO Bylong Australia Pty Ltd v Independent Planning Commission* (2020) 247 LGERA 130; [2020] NSWLEC 38: judicial review; joinder
- *RD Miller Pty Ltd v RMS* [2019] NSWLEC 173, [2019] NSWLEC 141 and [2019] NSWLEC 129: compulsory acquisition (partly unled)
- *Gomon Pty Ltd v Council of the City of Sydney* [2019] NSWLEC 116: Pt 4, unled
- *Australian Coal Alliance Incorporated v Wyong Coal Pty Ltd* [2019] NSWLEC 31: Pt 4
- Acted for the Nature Conservation Council of NSW in the successful challenge to the making of the Land Management (Native Vegetation) Code 2017 and the further challenge to the re-made 2018 Code, instructed by the EDO
- *Wollar Progress Association Inc v Wilpinjong Coal Pty Ltd* [2018] NSWLEC 92: Pt 4
- *EPA v Hanna* (2018) 235 LGERA 114: waste offences
- *Bengalla Mining Company Ltd v MACH Energy Australia Pty Ltd* [2017] NSWLEC 121: Pt 4
- *Besmaw Pty Ltd v Secretary, Department of Planning and Environment* [2017] NSWLEC 74: administrative law
- *Wollongong Coal Ltd v Minister for Planning* [2016] NSWLEC 154 and (2016) 219 LGERA 131: administrative law
- *Nerio v Central Coast Council* [2016] NSWLEC 1281: s 121B orders, unled
- *Upper Mooki Landcare Inc v Shenhua Watermark Coal Pty Ltd* (2016) 216 LGERA 40: Pt 4
- *Moorebank Recyclers Pty Ltd v Benedict Industries Pty Ltd* [2015] NSWLEC 40: Pt 4

Other courts

- *Karam Group Pty Ltd v HCA Queensland Pty Ltd* [2022] QSC 290: security of payment
- *Cockman v Gorman* [2022] WASC 125: political parties
- *Civil Contractors (Aust) Pty Ltd v Galaxy Developments Pty Ltd* (2021) 7 QR 34: security of payment
- *GEMCO v Secretary for Mineral Royalties (NT)* [2019] NTSC 58: NT *Mineral Royalty Act*

- NSW District Court and NSW Local Court criminal matters (eg *Elzahed* (first charge of disrespectful behaviour for failing to stand), *R v Beckett*: led by M Johnston SC and Grant Brady SC, perverting the course of justice)
- Various NSW District Court police tort matters for the State of New South Wales, led and unled, instructed by Makinson D'Apice, Henry Davis York, McCabes and Sparke Helmore (eg [2016] NSWDC 297)
- SA District Court: building and construction
- Federal Circuit Court matters for both applicants and the Minister for Immigration & Border Protection: see [2019] FCCA 123, [2016] FCCA 1971, [2016] FCCA 1868, [2016] FCCA [2016] FCCA 1141, [2015] FCCA 2366, [2015] FCCA 1784, [2015] FCCA 1212, [2015] FCCA 1281, [2015] FCCA 126
- *Re Kelvin* [2017] FamCAFC 258: children's rights and gender dysphoria

Tribunal matters

- Led and unled tax matters for the ATO and taxpayers: eg *MWYS v CoT* (s 318 of the 1936 Act); *WLQC v CoT* (2018) 107 ATR 452; (2016) ATC 1-079
- Led and unled disciplinary matters for ASIC: eg [2018] AATA 1405, [2016] AATA 1057, [2016] AATA 879, [2016] AATA 583, [2016] AATA 380
- *Mayne Pharma Pty Ltd v Minister for Health* [2017] AATA 1622: TGA registration
- Also unled matters in NCAT and the Racing Appeals Panel (eg [2021] NSWCATAD 41)

Other

- Junior counsel assisting the Disability Royal Commission
- Acting in various international and domestic construction/infrastructure arbitrations
- Acting in various construction/infrastructure expert determinations
- Acted for Suncorp in the Banking Royal Commission, instructed by KwM
- Woolworths and Lowe's Group arbitration re the Masters business
- Delegate of functions from the President of the Australian Human Rights Commission

Opinions

- Opinions on a range of areas, including corporations law, trade practices, tax, tort, constitutional law, administrative law.

Select Publications and Papers

Human Rights under the Australian Constitution (2013, Oxford University Press, 2nd ed) (with George Williams) (winner of the Australian Publishing Association's best Tertiary Scholarly Resource)

People Power: The History and Future of the Referendum in Australia (2010, UNSW Press) (with George Williams) (finalist for the John Button Prize for best Australian Public Policy and Politics writing)

“Broadly-framed powers and the Constitution” (paper for the Public Law Section of the New South Wales Bar Association) (with Bret Walker SC)

‘The Rule of Law in Reading Down: Good Law for the “Bad Man”’ (2014) 37(3) *Melbourne University Law Review* 620

‘Heresy in the High Court? Federalism as a Constraint on Commonwealth Power’ (2013) 41(1) *Federal Law Review* 71 (with Andrew Lynch and George Williams)

‘*Wotton v Queensland* – Islands of Power and Political Speech on Palm Island’ [2012] UNSWLRS 39 (Paper delivered at 2012 Gilbert + Tobin Centre Constitutional Law Conference)

‘Bribery and Corruption: Key Issues for Australian Companies Operating Overseas’ (2011) 34(3) *University of New South Wales Law Journal* 747 (with Geoff Healy)