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Mitchell has a broad practice in commercial and public law disputes, with specific experience in class actions, contract and equity. He welcomes briefs in all areas of law.

ADMISSIONS

Barrister	New South Wales	September 2025
Solicitor	Supreme Court of New South Wales	December 2021

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Barrister	Sixth Floor Selborne Wentworth Chambers	2025–Present
Solicitor	Herbert Smith Freehills Kramer	2021–2025
Tipstaff to the Hon Justice Hallen	Supreme Court of New South Wales	2020–2021

TERTIARY EDUCATION

Bachelor of Civil Law (Distinction)	University of Oxford	2023–2024
Bachelor of Laws (First Class Honours)	University of Adelaide	2015–2019

- Stow Prize (on two occasions).
- Subject prizes: Law Review, Evidence, Remedies, Equity, Corporations Law and Public International Law.
- The Hon Christopher Legoe QC Prize for Excellence in Mooting.

Bachelor of Commerce (Corporate Finance)	University of Adelaide	2015–2018

- The Ann Wills Bachelor of Commerce (Corporate Finance) Prize (first in cohort).
- Subject prizes: Financial Economics, International Financial Institutions and Markets, Intermediate Econometrics, and International Trade and Investment Policy.

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SELECTED MATTERS AS A BARRISTER

Commercial

Alstef Australia Pty Ltd v Brisbane Airport Corporation (2026/00132290) incl [2026] NSWSC 764 (ongoing)	Building and construction — bank guarantees Interlocutory injunction	Led by D Hume SC for the Defendant
A.I. Film Production Ltd & Ors v Wilson & Anor (2025/00282947) incl [2025] NSWSC 1110; [2026] NSWSC 1200	Breach of contract — misleading or deceptive conduct — injurious falsehood Anti-suit injunction	Led by S Chrysanthou SC and T Smartt for the Plaintiffs
Crofts v Brennan IT Pty Limited (SYG3557/2025) (ongoing)	Employee entitlements — breach of contract — breach of confidence	Unled for the Respondent

Class actions

Zulic & Anor v CMC Markets Asia Pacific Pty Ltd (NSD410/2022) (ongoing)	Misleading or deceptive conduct — unconscionable conduct — negligence — breach of contract	Led by E Collins SC, T Kane, A Lyons, J Birrell and L Muir for the Applicants

Regulatory

ASIC v Cohen (NSD2083/2025) (ongoing)	Financial services — conflicted remuneration Director's duties — care and diligence	Led by C Caleo KC, T Kane and M O'Brien for the Appellant