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Admissions, Qualifications and Memberships

- Called to the NSW Bar May 2009
- Admission to the Legal Profession April 2002
- BA, LLB (Hons), University of Adelaide, South Australia 1998, 2001
- Graduate Diploma in Legal Practice, 2001
- Entitled to practice in all Australian jurisdictions (Commonwealth, State and Territory)
- Professional member of the Australian Restructuring Insolvency and Turnaround Association (ARITA)

Principal Areas of Practice

- Appellate
- Banking
- Commercial
- Consumer Protection
- Contracts
- Equity
- Corporate Insolvency
- Bankruptcy

- Trade Practices & Competition
- Insurance
- Partnership Disputes
- Real Property
- Restraint of trade
- Securities and investments
- Trusts

Previous Professional Experience

- Senior Associate, Henry Davis York
- Senior Associate, Kelly & Co Lawyers
- Solicitor, Thomson Playford
- Associate to the Hon. Justice M. Nyland AM, Supreme Court of South Australia
- Law Clerk, Crown Solicitor's Office (SA)

Recognition

 Listed in Doyles Guide as Leading Commercial Litigation & Dispute Resolution Junior Counsel and Leading Insolvency & Restructuring Junior Counsel and Best Lawyers in Australia for Insolvency and Reorganisation Law

Selected insolvency related cases – where appeared unled or as lead counsel

- Brereton (Administrator), in the matter of Whyalla Ports Pty Ltd (Administrators Appointed) (Receivers and Managers Appointed) [2025] FCA 774 (O'Callaghan J) Extension of convening period
- Law Capital Pty Ltd v Dixon, in the matter of Accident Claims Lawyers Pty Ltd (Subject to a Deed of Company Arrangement) [2025] FCA 762 (Jackman J) s 70-90 production orders / costs
- Mansfield (Trustee), in the matter of Frugtniet v Frugtniet [2025] FCA 803; Mansfield (Trustee), in the matter of Frugtniet v Frugtniet (Reopening Application) [2025] FCA 804 (Stewart J) Bankruptcy
- In the matter of Spring Street Property Group Pty Ltd [2025] NSWSC 422 (Black J) Receivers
- Marsden, in the matter of Brindabella Christian Education Limited (Administrators Appointed) [2025] FCA 456
 (Derrington J) Judicial advice
- Translawcom Pty Ltd trading as Brander Smith McKnight Lawyers v Oracle Insolvency Services [2025]
 FedCFamC2G 531 (Judge Cameron) Removal of trustee
- Goyal, in the matter of Procuret Holding Pty Ltd (Administrators Appointed) [2025] FCA 85 (Shariff J)
 Extension of convening period
- VRG Bidco Pty Ltd, in the matter of VRG Bidco Pty Ltd [2024] FCA 1088 (Stewart J) Validation application under s 1322(4)
- Re Town Tavern Blacktown Pty Ltd (Admins Apptd) (Recs and Mgrs Apptd) [2024] FCA 405 (Halley J) Extension
 of convening period
- Re Salena Estate Wines Pty Ltd (Admins Apptd) [2024] FCA 316 (Halley J) Extension of convening period
- Destination Brisbane Consortium Integrated Resort Operations Pty Ltd as Trustee v PCA (Qld) Pty Ltd (subject to a Deed of Company Arrangement) [2024] QSC 178 (Hindman J) Variation of DOCA, judicial advice
- In the Matter of the Pindan Group [No 7] [2024] WASC 371 (Strk J) Judicial advice
- Re Balamara Resources Ltd [2023] NSWSC 1349 (Black J) Injunctions
- Re Robust Construction Services Pty Ltd (In Liq) and Robust Construction Services 2 Pty Ltd (In Liq) [2023]
 NSWSC 1156 (Williams J) Application under s. 447A
- Benjamin Hornigold Ltd v John Bridgeman Limited [2023] FCA 1195 (Markovic J) Leave to commence where restructuring arrangement under s. 453S
- Deputy Commissioner of Taxation v ACN 607 537 548 Pty Ltd, in the matter of ACN 607 537 548 Pty Ltd (in liq) [2023] FCA 933 (Goodman J) Application for appointment of special purpose liquidator
- Bumbak v Dalian Huarui Heavy Industry Group International Co Ltd, in the matter of Duro Felguera Australia
 Pty Limited (Subject to a Deed of Company Arrangement) [2023] FCA 765 (Farrell J) Proofs of debt directions under s 90-15
- Re Cathro (in his capacity as liquidator of Cubic Interiors NSW Pty Ltd (in liq) (ACN 099 127 330)) (2023) 168
 ACSR 289 (Cheeseman J) Appointed contradictor / Statutory interpretation ss 558FL and 588FM
- MF Lady Pty Ltd (Trustee) v Henry Morgan Ltd [2022] FCA 978 (Jackson J) Winding up on just and equitable ground
- Re Pindan Group Pty Ltd (Admins Apptd) (No 4) [2022] WASC 143 (Strk J) Judicial advice
- Commonwealth v Castel Electronics Pty Ltd [2022] FCA 432 (Lee J) Deferral of deregistration
- Re Pindan Group Pty Ltd (Admins Apptd) (No 4) [2021] WASC 480 (Strk J) Application under s. 447A
- LFI Ventures Pty Ltd v Carter, Australian Vocational Learning Institute Pty Ltd (in liq) [2021] FCA 1555 (Goodman J) Application for leave to amend
- In the matter of SBL Solutions Pty Ltd (subject to DoCA) [2021] NSWSC 2002 (Black J) Proceedings to set aside Deed of Company Arrangement; [2021] NSWSC 1003 (Black J) Application for leave to reopen

- Kogan, Re Rogulj Enterprises Pty Ltd (in liq) [2021] FCA 856 (Cheeseman J) Approval under s. 477(2B); [2021] FCA 1137 (Yates J) Application for joinder; (No 2) [2021] 1504 (Cheeseman J) Approval under s. 477(2B);
- Re Commonwealth Bank of Australia [2021] NSWSC 401 (Black J) Statutory demands
- Brooks, in the matter of Mezethes Salamanca Pty Ltd (Subject to DOCA) v Mezethes Salamanca Pty Ltd [2021]
 FCA 378 (O'Callaghan J) Deeds of company arrangement
- Mansfield v Thousand Angeles Island Pty Ltd (in liq), in the matter of Thousand Angeles Island Pty Ltd (in liq)
 (No 2) [2021] FCA 283 (Farrell J) Judicial advice
- Avant Garde Investments Pty Ltd (in liq), Re Avant Garde Investments Pty Ltd (in liq) v Cheema [2021] FCA 125 (Jagot J) Approval under s. 477(2B) and judgment
- Nikitins (Liq) v EncoreFX (Australia) Pty Ltd (In Liq), EncoreFX (Australia) Pty Ltd (In Liq) (No 2) (2021) 149 ACSR 533; [2021] FCA 27 (Colvin J) Judicial advice
- In the matter of Octaviar Administration Pty Limited (in liquidation) [2020] NSWSC 927 (Rees J) Corporations Application for approval of remuneration
- In the matter of Riverside Spares Pty Ltd (in liquidation) [2020] NSWSC 839 (Emmett AJA) Corporations Approval under s. 477(2B)
- James v ANZ (No. 1) [2020] FCA 662 (Jagot J) Bankruptcy Application for leave to further amend statement of grounds; James v ANZ (No. 2) [2020] FCA 663 (Jagot J) Bankruptcy Application to set aside bankruptcy notice on ground of misstatement
- In the matter of The Natural Grocery Company Pty Ltd (subject to DOCA) [2020] NSWSC 572 (Black J) Corporations Insolvency Application for leave to under s. 442C to sell property
- O'Ryan v Golding (No. 2) [2019] NSWSC 1349 (Hammerschlag J) Application to stay just and equitable winding up; (No. 3) [2019] NSWSC 1372 (Hammerschlag J) Corporations Insolvency Application for leave to appoint administrators; (No.4) [2020] NSWSC 424 (Hammerschlag J) Corporations Application for approval of remuneration
- Plutus Payroll Australia Pty Ltd (In Liq), Re (2019) 139 ACSR 536; [2019] NSWSC 1171 (Black J) Corporations —
 Insolvency Judicial advice
- In the matter of Anke Smart City (HK) Ltd (in liq) [2019] NSWSC 312 (Black J) Corporations Distribution of surplus to foreign company
- Australian Executor Trustee Ltd v Provident Capital Ltd (2018) 125 ACSR 133; [2018] FCA 439 (Rares J)
 Corporations Court appointed receiver remuneration approval; (No 2) [2018] FCA 1969 (Rares J) Second remuneration approval; (No 3) [2020] FCA 1840 (Rares J) Third remuneration approval
- Plutus Payroll Australia Pty Ltd (In Liq), Re [2018] NSWSC 1092 (Black J) Corporations Insolvency —
 Provisional liquidator remuneration approval Indemnity deed approval
- Kogan (Administrator), Red Lea Chickens Pty Ltd (Recs and Mgrs Apptd) (Administrators Apptd), Re [2018] FCA
 669 (Gleeson J) Corporations Creditors' meeting Convening period extension of time
- Scott, Tzukuri Pty Ltd (Administrators Appointed), Re [2018] FCA 16 (Rangiah J) Corporations Creditors' meeting Convening period extension of time
- Ramsay v Compton [2018] FCA 742 (Gleeson J); [2017] FCA 612 (Flick J) Bankruptcy
- Walley; Poles & Underground Pty Ltd (Admin Apptd), Re [2017] FCA 486 (Gleeson J) Corporations —
 Insolvency Liquidators Conflicts Judicial advice
- AMT Group Pty Ltd (Admin Apptd), Re [2017] FCA 303 (Yates J) Corporations Creditors' meeting —
 Convening period extension of time
- Bamboo Direct Pty Ltd (In Liq), Re [2016] FCA 264 (Gleeson J) Corporations Insolvency Sale of assets Judicial advice

- Australian Executor Trustees Ltd v Provident Capital Ltd (Recs and Mgrs Apptd) (in Liq) [2016] FCA 337 (Rares J) Corporations Insolvency Trustees Judicial advice; (2015) 107 ACSR 567; [2015] FCA 781 (Rares J) Judicial advice; (No 4) [2012] FCA 1506 (Rares J) Corporations Debentures Amendment to deed; (No 3) [2012] FCA 1253 (Rares J) Judicial advice
- Hayes; Dick Smith Holdings Ltd (Adm Apptd) (Recs and Mgrs Apptd) Re [2016] FCA 24 (Yates J) Corporations
 Insolvency Administrators Extension of convening period; (No 2) [2016] FCA 529 (Yates J)
 Corporations Voluntary administration Notice of second meeting of creditors
- In the matter of Bobos Engineering Australia Pty Limited [2015] NSWSC 2045; [2015] NSWSC 2050; [2015] NSWSC 2027 (Brereton J) Corporations Administrator's application under s. 440A
- National Australia Bank Ltd v State of New South Wales [2014] FCA 298 (Perram J) Bankruptcy
- Pascoe, in the Matter of Brentwood Village Ltd (in Liq) [2014] FCA 1295 (Gleeson J) Corporations —
 Insolvency Liquidators Litigation funding agreement approval
- Lesvos Pty Ltd, Re [2012] NSWSC 1288 (Brereton J) Corporations Directors Unreasonable director related transactions
- Carson, Re; Hastie Group Limited (No 5) [2012] FCA 1174 (Emmett J) Corporations Approval under ss. 477(2A) and 477(2B); (No 4) [2012] FCA 968 (Emmett J) Winding up on just and equitable grounds; (No 3) [2012] FCA 719 (Yates J) PPSA Sale of unclaimed plant and equipment; (No 2) [2012] FCA 717 (Emmett J) Convening period extension of time
- National Australia Bank Ltd v State of Victoria (2010) 118 ALD 527; [2010] FCA 1230 (Bennett J) Bankruptcy –
 property disclaimer

Selected commercial cases – where appeared unled or as lead counsel

- Big Review TV Ltd (in liq) v FC Securities Pty Ltd [2025] FCA 222 (Moore J) Security for costs
- Kulakovski v Kurmond Homes Pty Ltd [2023] FCA 992 (Lee J) Withdrawal of undertakings
- Benjamin Hornigold Ltd v John Bridgeman Limited (No 3) [2025] FCA 94 (Needham J) Pleadings, representation, costs
- Driver v Botanical water Technologies Pty Ltd [2024] NSWSC 1409 (Ball J) Fiduciary duties, oppression
- Ghosh v Scott Newton trading as Shaw Gidley (No 9) [2024] NSWSC 740 (Kunc J) Banking
- Aurenne Group Holdings Pty Ltd v Sentinel Corporate Advisory Pty Ltd [2022] NSWSC 1664 (Hammerschlag CJ in Eq) Director's application for leave to represent
- Nguyen v Star Pty Ltd [2022] NSWSC 969 (Harrison AsJ) Summary dismissal
- Wentworth Place Pty Ltd (in liquidation) (administrators appointed) v Gregory Ray Golding [2020] NSWSC 928 (Hammerschlag J) Application for indemnity costs lump sum costs orders
- Koonara Management Pty Ltd v Rockliff (No 3) [2020] FCA 523 (Gleeson J) Application for indemnity costs lump sum costs orders
- Brokenshire Ventures Pty Ltd v Commonwealth Bank of Australia & Anor [2019] NSWSC 1471 (Adamson J)
 Banking Negligence
- Jameson Global Investments Pty Ltd v Byron Bay Land Development Pty Ltd [2019] NSWSC 729 (Ball J)
 Contracts Fiduciary Duties
- Burkett v Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Ltd (No 2) (2018) 133 ACSR 411; [2018] VSC 723 (Croft J) Banking –
 Deeds and Other Instruments Agency Restitution
- MWP Transport Pty Limited v Michael Thomas Kent [2018] NSWSC 1119 (McDougall J) Application for orders
 ancillary to freezing orders; [2018] NSWSC 524 (McDougall J) Application to stay proceedings where
 concurrent criminal and civil proceedings

- National Australia Bank Ltd v C H Protheroe Pty Ltd [2017] NSWSC 387 (Davies J) Banking pleadings
- Maksacheff v Commonwealth Bank of Australia [2017] NSWSC 22 (Campbell J) Banking; (No 2) [2016] NSWSC 1109 (Campbell J) Summary dismissal; [2016] NSWSC 1108 (Campbell J) Practice and procedure Parties Amicus curiae; [2016] NSWSC 1586 (Schmidt J) Banking
- Westpac v Allerton [2016] NSWSC 1076 (Ball J) Banking
- Robinson; Reed Constructions Australia Pty Ltd (in Liq), Re v JFK Interiors Australia Pty Ltd [2015] FCA 1500
 (Farrell J) Practice and procedure Joinder Identity of party
- Engel v National Biodiesel Ltd (2015) 245 FCR 436; (2015) 330 ALR 436; (2015) 109 ACSR 173; [2015] FCA
 1114 (Markovic J) Corporations —Shareholder application under ss 247A, 247C
- Westpac Banking Corp v Barber [2015] NSWSC 1606 (Hammerschlag J) Banking
- Lee v Knapik [2015] NSWSC 334 (Garling J) Appeal from Local Court
- Patel v Agromin (Aust) Pty Ltd [2015] NSWSC 282 (Young AJA) Preliminary discovery
- ANZ Banking Group v Arapali [2014] NSWSC 881 (McDougall J) Discovery
- Westpac Banking Corporation v Diagne (2014) 17 BPR 33,551; [2014] NSWSC 822 (Ball J) Banking
- Provident Capital Ltd v Anderson (No 3) [2013] NSWSC 705 (Beech-Jones J) Costs against solicitor
- Provident Capital Ltd (recs and mgrs apptd) (in liq) v Quaid Partners Pty Ltd [2013] NSWSC 645 (McCallum J) Time limit extensions
- Taleb v National Australia Bank Ltd (2011) 82 NSWLR 489; (2011) 16 BPR 30,247; [2011] NSWSC 1562 (Bryson AJ) Equity Priorities Banking
- Lilex Pty Ltd (recs and mgrs apptd) v Smallseeds Pty Ltd [2011] NSWSC 1426 (Black J) Banking Real property
 — Caveats
- Westpac Banking Corporation v Mason [2011] NSWSC 1241 (McCallum J) Banking
- BT Securities Ltd v Lobel [2011] NSWSC 33 (Harrison J) Banking
- Westpac Banking Corporation v Corry (2011) 16 BPR 30,577; [2011] NSWSC 1014 (Johnson J) Banking
- National Australia Bank v Nikolaidis (2011) 15 BPR 29,287; [2011] NSWSC 506 (McCallum J) Banking
- Total Real Estate Training Pty Ltd v Howard [2011] NSWSC 735 (Gzell J) Preliminary discovery/inspection
- International Skin Care Suppliers Pty Ltd v Whyte [2011] NSWSC 46 (Barrett J) Injunctions

Appeals – where appeared unled or as lead counsel

- Commissioner of Taxation v Bosanac (No 7) [2021] FCAFC 158 (Kenny, Davies and Thawley JJ) Equity –
 Presumption of advancement; (No 2) [2022] FCAFC 5 (Kenny, Davies and Thawley JJ) Costs
- Golding v O'Ryan [2019] NSWCA 259 (Bell P, Macfarlan, Gleeson JJA) Procedural fairness
- Maksacheff v Commonwealth Bank of Australia [2017] NSWCA 126 (McColl JA and Emmett AJA) Banking;
 [2017] NSWCA 76 (Sackville AJA) Banking
- Cicek v Estate of late Solomon [2014] NSWCA 278 (Meagher, Barrett and Ward JJA) Banking Reopening of case
- Kelly v Westpac Banking Corporation [2014] NSWCA 348 (McColl, Gleeson JJA and Sackville AJA) Banking
- Benchmark (Aust) Pty Ltd v National Australia Bank Ltd [2012] NSWCA 130 (Barrett JA, Sackville AJA) Banking
- Secretary, Dept of Families, Housing, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs and George, Re [2011] AATA
 91 (Deputy President Hon. Tamberlin QC, Letcher QC) Social Security Administrative law

Selected cases – where appeared led

- Botanical Water Technologies IP Ltd v Driver [2025] NSWCA 162 Appeals Fiduciary duties (led by Dr Michael Rusk KC)
- Dracoma Pty Ltd v Changela [2025] NSWSC 83 (Stevenson J) Voidable transactions (led by Greg Laughton SC)
- Bosanac v Commissioner of Taxation (2022) 275 CLR 37; (2022) 405 ALR 424; (2022) 96 ALJR 976; (2022) 65
 Fam LR 508; [2022] HCA 34; Trusts presumption of advancement (led by Noel Hutley SC)
- Re Jewel of India Holdings Pty Ltd [2022] NSWSC 356 (Williams J) Application to set aside examination summonses/orders for production Abuse of process (led by Jeremy Kirk SC)
- Canavan v ICRA Rolleston Pty Ltd (Recs and Mgrs Apptd) (In Liq) [2022] FCA 117 (Downes J) Application for leave to amend (led by Robert Dick SC); (No 2) FCA 137 (Downes J) Appointment of special purpose liquidators (led by Robert Dick SC)
- James v Australia and New Zealand Banking Group Ltd [2022] FCAFC 18 (Rares, Murphy and Banks-Smith JJ)
 Bankruptcy (led by Jeremy Stoljar SC)
- ANZ Banking Group Ltd v James [2021] FCA 768; (No 2) [2021] FCA 784; (No 3) FCA 788 (Cheeseman J)
 Bankruptcy (led by Jeremy Stoljar SC)
- Compton v Ramsay Health Care Australia Pty Ltd (No 2) [2018] FCAFC 21

 Bankruptcy (led by Jeremy Stoljar SC)
- Hodges v Sandhurst Trustees Ltd [2018] FCA 1346 (Lee J) Class Actions settlement approval (led by Mark Hoffmann QC); [2017] FCA 401 Class Actions - procedural (led by Mark Hoffmann QC
- MWP Transport Pty Ltd v Kent [2018] NSWSC 300 (Ball J) Freezing and ancillary orders (led by Adan Bell SC)
- Ramsay Health Care Australia Pty Ltd v Compton (2017) 261 CLR 132; (2017) 345 ALR 534; (2017) 91 ALJR
 803; (2017) 122 ACSR 115; [2017] HCA 28 Bankruptcy (led by Jeremy Stoljar SC); (2017) 256 FCR 345; [2017]
 FCAFC 221 (led by Robert Newlinds SC); (2016) 247 FCR 387; [2016] FCAFC 125 (led by Robert Newlinds SC); (2016) 246 FCR 508; [2016] FCAFC 106 (led by Robert Newlinds SC)
- Swan Services Pty Ltd (in liq), Re [2016] NSWSC 1724 (Black J) Corporations Insolvent trading (led by Robert Newlinds SC)
- Brentwood Village Ltd (in liq) v Terrigal Grosvenor Lodge Pty Ltd (No 4) (2016) 122 ACSR 378; [2016] FCA 1359
 (Markovic J) Corporations Directors Breach of duties Penalty (led by Robert Newlinds SC)
- Kisimul Holdings Pty Ltd v Simms [2016] NSWSC 814 (Ball J) Contract (led by Mark Hoffmann QC)
- Ramsay Health Care Australia Pty Ltd v Compton [2015] NSWSC 163 (Hammerschlag J) Guarantees non-est factum (led by Robert Newlinds SC)
- Brentwood Village Ltd (in Liq) v Terrigal Grosvenor Lodge Pty Ltd (No 2) [2015] FCA 944 (Gleeson J)
 Interlocutory injunctions (led by Robert Newlinds SC)
- Solarus Projects Pty Ltd (Receivers and Managers Appointed) (In Liquidation) v AAI Ltd Trading As Vero
 Insurance (No 8) [2015] NSWSC 412 (Campbell J) Insurance (led by AS Martin SC)
- Brentwood Village Ltd, Re [2015] NSWSC 1342 (Brereton J) Corporations Insolvency Examinations (led by Robert Newlinds SC)
- Razdan v Westpac Banking Corporation [2014] NSWCA 126 Banking (led by Jeremy Stoljar SC)
- International Skin Care Suppliers Pty Ltd v Commonwealth Bank of Australia [2013] NSWSC 1768 (Hammerschlag J) Banking (led by Alec Leopold SC)
- Australian Executor Trustees Ltd v Provident Capital Ltd (2012) 203 FCR 461; (2012) 90 ACSR 650; [2012] FCA
 728 (Rares J) Debenture trustee application for appointment of receivers (led by Alexander Street SC)
- International Skin Care Suppliers Pty Ltd v Whyte [2011] NSWSC 463 (Barrett J) Fraudulent dispositions (led by Bernard Coles QC)

- Garage Fashions Pty Ltd v Insurance Australia Ltd t/as NRMA Insurance [2011] NSWSC 968 (Schmidt J)
 Insurance (led by Peter Braham SC)
- Australian Securities and Investments Commission v Fortescue Metals Group Ltd (2011) 190 FCR 364; (2011) 274 ALR 731; (2011) 81 ACSR 563; [2011] FCAFC 19 Corporations Continuous disclosure Directors Breach of duty Care and diligence (led by David Jackson QC)
- Nominal Defendant v Saleh (2011) 57 MVR 412; [2011] NSWCA 16 insurance (led by Geoffrey Watson SC)
- Rubicon Asset Management Ltd (admin apptd), Re (2009) 77 NSWLR 96; (2009) 74 ACSR 346; [2009] NSWSC 1068 (McDougall J) Managed investment schemes (led by Adam Bell SC)