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## Admissions, Qualifications and Memberships

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- 2025: Barrister, New South Wales Bar
- 2019: Solicitor, New South Wales
- 2018: Bachelor of Laws (Hons) and Bachelor of Science (Pharmacology) (Distinction), University of New South Wales

## Principle Areas of Practice

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- Class Actions
- Contracts & Commercial Transactions
- Bankruptcy and Insolvency
- Building and Construction
- International Law
- Appellate
- Intellectual Property & Technology
- Professional Negligence
- Consumer Protection
- Real Property
- Strata & Community Title
- Employment & Industrial

## Professional Experience

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- 2025-Present: Barrister, Ninth Floor Selborne Chambers
- 2020-2025 Senior Associate, Banton Group
- 2017-2020 Associate, Squire Patton Boggs
- 2019- 2022 Teaching Fellow (2019-2025) and Research Assistant (2017 -2020), University of New South Wales

## Selected Cases (as solicitor)

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- *Hunt Leather Pty Ltd v Transport for NSW* [2023] NSWSC 840; *Transport for NSW v Hunt Leather Pty Ltd*; *Hunt Leather Pty Ltd v Transport for NSW* [2024] NSWCA 227; *Hunt Leather Pty Ltd & Anor v. Transport for NSW, High Court Proceedings, S20/2025 and S21/2025*. Nuisance class action proceedings against Transport for New South Wales in relation to its planning and procurement of the Sydney Light Rail Project. Ongoing.
- *R&B Investments atf R&B Pension Fund & Anor v Blue Sky Alternative Investments Ltd (Receivers and Managers Appointed) (In Liquidation) & Ors*, Federal Court Proceedings NSD 665/2022. Shareholder class action proceedings against former directors and auditors of Blue Sky Alternative Investments Limited. Ongoing.

- *Jewel of India Holdings Pty Ltd (In Liq) & Ors v Commonwealth Bank of Australia*, NSW Supreme Court Proceedings 2024/00057353. Unconscionable conduct, breach of contract and misleading and deceptive conduct proceedings. Settled.
- *Commonwealth Bank of Australia v Kishore Matta & Anor*, NSWSC Proceeding No. 2025/00038430. Personal guarantee enforcement proceedings. Settled.
- *In the matter of Jewel of India Holdings Pty Ltd ACN 141 963 813 (in liquidation)* [2022] NSWSC 356. Examination summons set aside motion. Motion dismissed.
- *In the matter of Jewel of India Holdings Pty Ltd ACN 141 963 813 (in liquidation)*, NSW Supreme Court Proceedings 2021/00202957. Public examinations of the administrators of the Jewel Group of Companies (in liquidation). Finalised.
- *In the matter of Jewel of India Holdings Pty Ltd (In Liquidation) ACN 141 963 813*, Federal Court Proceedings NSD152/2023. Public examinations of the Directors of the Jewel Group of Companies (in liquidation). Finalised.
- *Edgemont Investments LLC v Tyndall Capital Pty Ltd* [2024] FCA 1116 (Derivative leave application). *Edgemont Investments LLC & Ors v Tyndall Capital Pty Ltd & Ors*, Federal Court Proceedings NSD789/2024. Shareholder oppression and breach of director's duties proceedings. Settled.
- *Trilogy Funds Management Limited (ACN 080 383 679) as trustee and responsible entity of the Pacific First Mortgage Fund (ARSN 088 139 477) v CBRE (V) Pty Limited (ACN 083 694 357)*, NSW Supreme Court Proceedings 2021/00104179. Professional negligence claim in relation to the valuation of a commercial marina property. Settled.
- *Trilogy Funds Management Limited as the Responsible Entity for the Pacific First Mortgage Fund (ARSN 088 139 477) v QBE Insurance (Australia) Limited*, NSW Supreme Court Proceedings 2020/00350194. Insurance coverage dispute. Settled.
- *Cocoon Data Holdings Pty Ltd v Macquarie Telecom Pty Limited*, NSW Supreme Court Proceedings 2020/00275538. Breach of contract, misleading and deceptive conduct and breach of fiduciary duties claim in relation to the reselling of software products. Ongoing.
- *City Pacific Ltd (in liq) v CBRE (V) Pty Ltd (No 2)* [2022] NSWSC 295. Professional negligence claim in relation to the valuation of a commercial marina property.
- *Forge Group Limited (in liquidation) (Receivers and Managers Appointed) (and Anor) v Peter Geoffrey Hutchinson (and Ors)*, NSW Supreme Court Proceedings 2017/00237882. Claim by the liquidators of Forge Group Limited against its directors and auditors. Settled.
- *Fiji Roads Authority v MWH Limited*, Fiji High Court Proceedings No HBC 324 of 2016. Breach of contract claim concerning the construction of various road upgrades in Fiji. Settled.

- *Downer EDI Rail Pty Ltd v John Holland Pty Ltd; John Holland Pty Ltd v QBE Insurance (Australia) Ltd (No 5); Kellogg Brown & Root Pty Ltd v John Holland Pty Ltd (No 4)* [2018] NSWSC 326. Professional liability and contract dispute concerning the construction of the Auburn rail maintenance facility.