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Education

Bachelor of Laws (Hons I & University Medal) | University of Sydney 2020

- R G Henderson Memorial Prize (first in the order of merit) and 18 other prizes
- First in various subjects, including Administrative Law, Public Law, Torts, Insolvency, Advanced Contracts, Public International Law and Legal Ethics

Bachelor of Economics (Hons I & University Medal) | University of Sydney 2018

- Joye Prize in Economics (first in cohort) and other prizes

Professional experience

Barrister | New South Wales Bar 2023–present

Senior Lawyer | Australian Government Solicitor (Dispute Resolution) 2021–2023

Tipstaff/Associate to the Hon Justice A J Meagher | NSW Court of Appeal 2020–2021

Selected cases

Appellate

New South Wales Local Aboriginal Land Council v Minister Administering the Crown Land Management Act [2026] NSWCA 183

Statutory construction – interaction between *Native Title Act 1993* (Cth) and *Aboriginal Land Rights Act 1983* (NSW).

For the appellant, led by J Gleeson SC (instructed by Chalk & Behrendt).

NTMA Pharmaceuticals Pty Ltd v Beardmore [2026] FCAFC 23; (2026) 315 FCR 450

Judicial review – jurisdiction of Pharmaceutical Services Federal Committee of Inquiry.

For the respondent, led by A Berger KC (instructed by AGS).

Koutsouroupas v Minister for Health and Aged Care [2026] FCAFC 13; (2026) 314 FCR 472

Judicial review – challenge by Chemist Warehouse to validity of subordinate legislation.

For the respondent, led by A Berger KC (instructed by AGS).

G Global 120E T2 Pty Ltd v Commissioner of State Revenue [2025] HCA 39; (2025) 99 ALJR 1465

Constitutional law – validity of retroactive federal and State laws disapplying immunities from tax discrimination.

For the plaintiff in M60/2024, led by J Gleeson SC and S Hartford-Davis (instructed by Johnson Winter Slattery).

Gamage v Riashi [2025] NSWCA 84; (2025) 117 NSWLR 336

Administrative law – power of Independent Commission Against Corruption to institute criminal prosecutions for corrupt conduct.

For the appellant, led by M Karam (pro bono).

Haigh v Haddad [2025] NSWCA 28

Summary dismissal – prohibition on recovery of reflective loss – abuse of process.

For the respondents, led by V Thomas SC (instructed by CSO (NSW)).

Zaksaw Pty Ltd v Gudu [2024] NSWCA 296

Judicial review – whether jurisdictional error by District Court in alleged misconstruction of offence provision.

For the respondent, led by Z Heger SC (instructed by CSO (NSW)).

Secretary, Department of Communities and Justice v Stewart [2024] NSWCA 59

Statutory construction – calculation of workers compensation for workers with prior injuries.

For the appellant, led by P Herzfeld SC (instructed by Hall & Wilcox).

Commercial, equity and class actions

Doyle's Farm Produce Pty Ltd v Murray Darling Basin Authority [2026] NSWSC 1036

Class action – allegedly negligent operation of the Murray-Darling river system.

For the defendants, led by S Callan SC and T Prince SC (instructed by Ashurst).

White Oak Commercial Finance Europe Ltd v Insurance Australia Ltd & Ors (FCA, NSD1039/2021, Thawley J) (ongoing)

Claims arising out of the collapse of the Greensill Group.

For the applicant, led by J Sexton SC, T O'Brien and J Jaffray (instructed by Ashurst).

Cayzer v Phoslock Environmental Technologies Ltd (FCA, VID1072/2024) (ongoing)

Shareholder class action – alleged auditors' negligence.

For KPMG, led by P Herzfeld SC and A Hammond (instructed by Ashurst).

R&B Investments Pty Ltd v Blue Sky Alternative Investments Ltd (FCA, NSD665/2022, Lee J) (ongoing)

Shareholder class action – alleged breaches of continuous disclosure obligations and misleading or deceptive conduct.

For Blue Sky, led by J Hutton SC and T O'Brien (instructed by Gilbert + Tobin).

Novce Grujoski v Peter White & Ors (NSWSC, Equity – General, 2022/378618) (ongoing)

Claims against Ernst & Young for breaches of fiduciary duty, negligence and misleading or deceptive conduct by former partner.

For the plaintiff, led by T O'Brien.

Australian Gypsum Industries Pty Ltd t/a Consolidated Energy v CSR Building Products Ltd (FCA, NSD1070/2025, Halley J) (ongoing)

Competition law – misuse of market power (insulation) – economic duress.

For the applicant, led by T Prince SC and B Hancock.

Collins & Ors v Stadium Australia Club Ltd & Anor (NSWSC, 2026/270848) (settled)

In the matter of Meribel Invest FIR Pty Ltd and In the matter of Meribel Capital Group [2026] NSWSC 593

Willis v Abraham (No 2) [2025] NSWSC 276

Lucky v Ives (Winding Up Application) [2024] FCA 1501; *Lucky v Ives* [2023] FCA 1571; *Lucky v Ives (No 2)* [2024] FCA 970

MJK Investments Pty Ltd v Kennedy [2024] NSWSC 1398

In the matter of Kentel Australasia Pty Ltd [2024] NSWSC 1352

Mereworth Property Pty Ltd v Mereworth Pastoral Pty Ltd [2024] NSWSC 475

Lorebray Pty Ltd v Liddy (No 2) [2024] NSWSC 1020; *Lorebray Pty Ltd v Liddy (No 3)* [2024] NSWSC 1257

Spagnolo v Parramatta Leagues Club Ltd (NSWSC, Equity – General 2022/251414) (settled)

Public, government and regulatory

Obeid v Commissioner of Taxation (ART, Kennett J, various files) (reserved)

Contracts – dispute as to termination of Platinum Memberships of Accor Stadium.

For Venues NSW, led by J Hutton SC (instructed by MinterEllison).

Corporations – ratification of agency relationship with disqualified director – dispute as to ownership of shares in Firmus Grid.

For the plaintiffs/applicants, led by O Jones SC.

Adverse possession – dispute as to factual possession and openness of intention.

For the plaintiff, led by C Gleeson SC (instructed by Corrs Chambers Westgarth).

Applications for just and equitable winding up and for derivative leave under s 237 of *Corporations Act 2001* (Cth)..

For the applicant, led by T O’Brien (instructed by Polczynski Robinson).

Application for specific performance and orders for re-transfer of shares in commercial entity – cross-claim seeking relief against penalties and forfeiture.

For the defendants, led by C Bova SC (instructed by Artemide Law).

Application for order convening members’ meeting under s 249G of *Corporations Act 2001* (Cth) — allegation by defendant of oppression.

For the plaintiff, led by C Bova SC (instructed by Artemide Law).

Dispute as to purported compromise of proceedings – construction of settlement offer.

For the plaintiffs, led by T O’Brien (instructed by Marque Lawyers).

Debt – characterisation of transaction – claim by beneficiaries in the name of trustee company.

For the plaintiffs, led by M Condon SC.

Dispute as to eligibility for directorship of former chairman of Parramatta Leagues Club – construction of constitution and oppression.

For the plaintiff, led by D McLure SC.

Appeals by the Obeid family against objections decisions in relation to multiple transactions over several decades.

FJGR v Minister for Immigration and Citizenship (FCA, NSD874/2026, Younan J) (conceded)

eSafety Commissioner v X Corp (Civil Penalty) [2026] FCA 629

New South Wales Aboriginal Land Council v Minister Administering the Crown Lands Management Act (Brunswick River Claim) [2025] NSWLEC 144

HWMW and Director-General of Security [2025] ARTA 105

Attorney-General of the Commonwealth of Australia v Ghazzawy [2023] NSWSC 1527

David Fox v Planning Ministerial Corporation [2023] NSWLEC 109

Unled

McGinn v Law Society of New South Wales [2026] NSWSC 987

LRMD and Minister for Immigration and Citizenship [2026] ARTA 742

Arakji v Pharmaceutical Services Federal Committee of Inquiry [2025] FCA 1420

Ramsay Health Care Australia Ltd & Ors v Australian Human Rights Commission [2025] FCA 2

For the Commissioner, led by D McLure SC and M Hirschhorn (instructed by MinterEllison).

Judicial review – application of s 36(2C)(a)(ii) of the *Migration Act 1958* (Cth) – territorial location of conspiracy offence.

For the applicant, led by O Jones SC (instructed by Heretic Law).

Civil penalty – contravention of *Online Safety Act 2021* (Cth).

For X Corp, led by P Herzfeld SC (instructed by Thomson Geer).

Class 3 appeal under s 36(6) of the *Aboriginal Land Rights Act 1983* (NSW).

For the appellant, led by Z Heger SC (instructed by Chalk & Behrendt).

Review of adverse security assessment issued by ASIO.

For the Director-General, led by J Single SC (instructed by AGS).

Application for interim extended supervision order under the *Criminal Code 1995* (Cth).

For the plaintiff, led by T Begbie KC and J Edwards (instructed by AGS).

Class 3 compensation claim – characterisation of public purpose for compulsory acquisition.

For the respondent, led by N Eastman SC (instructed by Ashurst).

Appeal against refusal of claims on the Law Society's Fidelity Fund.

For the Law Society.

Application for review of non-revocation of visa cancellation decision.

For the applicant (pro bono).

Judicial review – dispute about validity of constitution of Committee of Inquiry.

For the Commonwealth (instructed by AGS).

Judicial review – application to quash termination of discrimination complaint by AHRC.

For the Commonwealth, intervening as contradictor (instructed by AGS).

Kinnane v The Bulahdelah Tennis Club Inc
[2024] NSWSC 1103

Corporations – dispute as to expulsion from membership of incorporated association – application of s 1322 of the *Corporations Act 2001* (Cth).

For the plaintiff (instructed by O’Loughlin Westhoff).

ENF17 v Minister for Immigration and Multicultural Affairs [2024] FedCFamC2G 828

Judicial review – migration.

For the Minister (instructed by AGS).

McGinn v Australian Information Commissioner
[2024] FCA 1185; (*No 2*) [2024] FCA 1196;
(*No 3*) [2024] FCA 1271

Judicial review – decision not to investigate further the applicant’s complaint under the *Privacy Act 1988* (Cth) – various interlocutory issues.

For the Information Commissioner (instructed by AGS).

Advices

Led and unled advice work for various commercial entities and the Commonwealth, New South Wales, Victorian and Northern Territory governments, briefed by firms including King & Wood Mallesons, Clayton Utz and AGS.