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EDUCATION

HARVARD LAW SCHOOL, Cambridge, Massachusetts

LL.M., 2000.

Scholarships:

Harvard University Frank Knox Scholarship

Australian Federation of University Women Scholarship

Fulbright Scholarship (not taken)

UNIVERSITY OF SYDNEY, Sydney, Australia

LL.B, Honors: 1st Class Honors.

Diploma of Education, 1993

Bachelor of Economics, 1992

LEGAL EXPERIENCE

Aug 2002 - present

Barrister, Sydney

P. Blashki Award 2002 (highest aggregate mark in NSW Bar Exams)

Appointed silk: 2016

Sept 2000 - May 2002

Sullivan & Cromwell, New York

Litigation Attorney

4Apr 1997 - Jul 1999

Mallesons Stephen Jaques, Lawyers, Sydney

Lawyer

Additional

Admissions:

Admitted as a barrister to Supreme Court of New South Wales, 2002.

Admitted as a solicitor to Supreme Court of New South Wales, 1997.

Admitted as an attorney to Supreme Court of New York, 2001.

Admitted as an attorney to Federal Court (Southern District of New York) 2001.

Committees:

Gilbert + Tobin Centre of Public Law, Advisory Committee.

Professional Conduct Committee (No 5), NSW Bar Association.

Chair of Women Barristers Forum.

Secretary of the Public Law Section of the NSW Bar Association.

Head of Readership Committee at Banco Chambers.

RECENT CASES

Administrative

Malek Fahd Islamic School Limited v Non-Government Schools Not-For-Profit Advisory Committee [2020] NSWCATAP 19

BP v State of New South Wales [2019] NSWCA 223, [2019] NSWCA 230

Lee v Commissioner of Police (No 3) [2019] NSWSC 694

State of New South Wales v BP [2019] NSWSC 699; [2019] NSWSC 806

Yancoal Mining Services v The Secretary NSW Department of Planning and Environment in the capacity as the NSW Resources Regulator [2019] NSWIRComm 1079; [2018] NSWIRComm 1044

MLC Nominees Pty Limited v McNally [2018] FCA 1950

Australian Competition and Consumer Commission v ACM Group Ltd (No 3) [2018] FCA 2059

State of New South Wales v Bilal Haoucher [2018] NSWSC 1436

Shop, Distributive & Allied Employees' Assoc v Secretary, NSW Treasury [2018] NSWSC 1760

CMD v NSW Office of the Children's Guardian [2018] NSWSC 1348

Wirrabara Village v Secretary, Department of Planning and Environment [2018] NSWLEC 138

Australian Marriage Equality Ltd v Minister for Finance Cormann [2017] HCA 40

Re Kelvin [2017] FamCAFC 258

State of New South Wales v Le [2017] NSWCA 290

Australian Energy Regulator v Australian Competition Tribunal & Ors [2017] FCAFC 79

Banerji v Minister for Immigration and Border Protection & Ors [2017] HCATrans 101

Freelancer v Office of Australian Information Commissioner [2017] AATA 2426

Meriton Property Services Pty Limited & Ors v UrbanGrowth NSW [2017] NSWCATAD 71

Khalid v Legal Aid Commission of NSW [2016] NSWSC 1640

M v Mental Health Review Tribunal [2016] NSWSC 572; [2015] NSWSC 1876

Z v Mental Health Review Tribunal [2015] NSWCA 373; [2015] NSWSC 1425

Tarkine National Coalition Inc v Minister for the Environment [2015] FCFC 89

Jones v Pearson & Electoral Commissioner [2015] NSWSC 1324

Ryan v Minister for Planning [2015] NSWLEC 88

Ocean Shores Community v Byron Shire Council & Anor [2015] NSWLEC 171

Registrar of Births, Deaths and Marriages v Norrie (2014) 250 CLR 490; [2014] HCA 11

Rossi v Living Choice Australia Ltd (No 6) [2014] NSWLEC 116

Northern Inland Council for the Environment Inc v Minister for the Environment [2013] FCA 1418

Dr Reimers v HCCC [2013] NSWCA 366

Norrie v Registrar of Births, Deaths and Marriages [2013] NSWCA 145

Coalpac Pty Ltd v Minister for Planning and Infrastructure [2013] NSWLEC 52

French v Minister for State [2013] FCA 263

Director-General, Family and Community Services re Felicity [2012] NSWCA 272

Parramatta Freedom Business Association v Parramatta Council [2012] NSWLEC 139

Hinkley v Star City Pty Ltd [2011] NSWCA 299

Shellharbour City Council v Minister for Planning [2011] NSWCA 195; [2012] NSWLEC 96

Health, disciplinary & professional negligence

Mid North Coast Local Health District v Hickson [2019] NSWCA 165

Davison v Legal Profession Admission Board [2019] NSWSC 959

Council of the New South Wales Bar Association v DEJ [2019] NSWCATOD 186

Dr DYB v Medical Board of Australia [2019] NSWCATOD 162

Health Care Complaints Commission v Dr Petros [2019] NSWCATOD 83

Health Care Complaints Commission v Dr Reid [2018] NSWCATOD 162

Chen v Health Care Complaints Commission [2017] NSWCA 186

Dr Hadi v Medical Board of Australia [2017] NSWCATOD 143

Anastasia Rothonis BHT Theo Rothonis v Dr Lattimore [2016] NSWSC 1409

Quach v Health Care Complaints Commission [2016] NSWCA 10; [2016] NSWCA 49; [2015] NSWCA 63; [2015] NSWCA 187; [2015] NSWCA 311

Dr Amos v Western NSW Sydney Local Health District [2016] NSWSC 1162

Smith v South Western Sydney Local Health District [2015] NSWSC 1168

Qasim v Health Care Complaints Commission [2015] NSWCA 282

Dr Reimers v Health Care Complaints Commission [2013] NSWCA 366; [2012] NSWCA 317

Health Care Complaints Commission v Dr Philipiah [2013] NSWCA 342

Health Care Complaints Commission v Dr Gorman [2012] NSWCA 251

Dr Andrew Katelaris v Medical Tribunal of New South Wales [2010] NSWCA 377

Coronial Inquiry: re death of Olga, John, Jack and Jennifer Edwards (2019)

Coronial Inquiry: re death of Baby K and Baby I (2019)

Coronial Inquiry: re death of Baby J (2019)

Coronial Inquiry: re death of Hardy (2018)

Coronial Inquiry: re death of Lau (2017-2018)

Coronial Inquiry: re deaths of babies BLGN and DG (2017-2018)

Coronial Inquiry: re death of Douglas at Canberra Hospital (November 2016, April 2017)

Coronial Inquiry: re death of McDonnall at Wollongong Hospital (April 2016)

Coronial Inquiry: re death of Baker at Liverpool Hospital (March 2015)

Coronial Inquiry: re death of Jafari at Villawood Detention Centre (Dec 2014)

Coronial Inquiry: acted for St John of God re Quakers Hill Nursing Home fire (Sept 2014)

Coronial Inquiry: acting for emergency registrar re death of Tripodi (Oct 2014)

Coronial Inquiry: acted for Catholic Health Care re death of Zimmerman (March 2014)

Coronial Inquiry: acted for Westfield in relation to death at Westfield Mt Druitt (2007)

Constitutional

Attorney General for New South Wales v Gatsby [2018] NSWCA 254

Burns v Corbett, Gaynor v Burns [2018] HCA 15; [2017] NSWCA 3

Babington & Ors v Commonwealth of Australia & Anor [2016] FCAFC 45; [2015] HCATrans 44

SG v NSW Crime Commission [2016] NSWSC 1615

Tajjour v State of New South Wales (2014) 254 CLR 508; [2014] HCA 35

O'Flaherty v City of Sydney Council [2014] FCFC 56

A v Independent Commission Against Corruption [2014] NSWCA 414

Lennon v TNT Australia Pty Ltd [2013] NSWCA 77

O'Flaherty v City of Sydney Council [2013] FCA 344

Assistant Commissioner Michael James Condon v Pompano Pty Ltd (2013) 252 CLR 38

Plaintiff M47-2012 v Director General of Security (2012) 251 CLR 1; [2012] HCA 46

Crosby & Anor v Kelly [2012] FCAFC 96

Wotton v Queensland (2012) 246 CLR 1

Phonographic Performance Co of Australia Limited v Commonwealth of Australia (2012) 246 CLR 561

Momcilovic v The Queen (2011) 245 CLR 1

Commercial & Equity

Karimbla v State of New South Wales [2015] NSWSC 778

Novartis Pharmaceuticals Australia Pty Ltd v Bayer Australia Limited [2015] FCA 35; [2013] FCA 929; [2013] FCA 1201; [2013] FCA 1323

AIT Investments Pty Ltd v Markham Property Fund No 2 Pty Ltd [2015] NSWSC 216

Tanamerah Estates Pty Ltd as Trustee for the Alexander Superannuation Fund v Tibra Pty Ltd [2013] NSWCA 266; [2013] NSWSC 36