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**Admissions**

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| Date of admission to the Bar                              | 2016 |
| Date of admission as a lawyer of the Supreme Court of NSW | 2013 |

**Qualifications**

**Bachelor of Laws (Distinction), University of Edinburgh**  
Placed 3<sup>rd</sup> in graduating class  
Margaret Balfour Keith Prize in public and administrative law

**Bachelor of Civil Law (Distinction), University of Oxford**  
Brasenose College  
Oxford University Hockey Club (Oxford Blue)

**BA. Media Communications – Journalism, Charles Sturt University**

**Rankings**

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|-----------------------------------------|-------------|
| Legal 500, Leading Junior Barrister     | 2023 – 2026 |
| Legal 500, Rising Star                  | 2021, 2022  |
| Best Lawyers Australia, "One to Watch". | 2022 – 2026 |

**Previous  
experience**

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| <b>Solicitor, Herbert Smith Freehills (Sydney)</b>                          | Oct 2011 – Sep 2014 |
|                                                                             | Aug 2015 – May 2016 |
| <b>United Nations HQ New York –<br/>Mediation &amp; Conflict Resolution</b> | May 2011 – Sep 2011 |
| <b>North Australian Aboriginal Justice Agency<br/>(NAAJA)</b>               | May 2010 – Sep 2010 |

## Selected cases

***Agriwealth Pty Limited & Or v Forestry Corporation of NSW 2026/00076246***

Contractual construction; breach of contract (unled)

***Nicholas Cooper in his capacity as trustee of the bankrupt estate of Frederik Suhren v Gibraltar Capital Pty Ltd ACN 610 194 986 in its capacity atf the F&L Trust 9 [2025] FCA 1297***

Declaratory relief; injunction; Bankruptcy Act (led by D Williams SC)

***Mantis Funds Pty Ltd v Edgefolio UK Limited, Supreme Court of New South Wales Proceeding No. 00311794 of 2025 (settled)***

Breach of contract, various Australian Consumer Law claims (leading C Raad; unled on interlocutory applications etc)

***Gladiator Resources Limited v Andrew John Price NSD 1027/2025 (ongoing)***

False or misleading statements; injurious falsehood (Led by M Hodge KC; leading M Aguinaldo, including on all interlocutory applications)

***Gibraltar Capital Pty Ltd atf F&L Trust 9 v Wolfram Metallurgical Pty Ltd & Ors NSD 1797/2024 (settled)***

Declaratory relief; trusts and equity; Corporations Act (unled)

***Kasaragh Investments Pty Ltd v Enablo Pty Ltd & Ors NSD 260/2025***

Corporations Act; misleading or deceptive conduct (leading S Powrie)

***Kang v Yao [2024] NSWSC 361 (ongoing)***

Fraudulent misrepresentation, breach of duty, failure to account (Led by AE Munro)

***Goldmate Group Pty Ltd v Yang [2024] FCA 722 (ongoing)***

Corporations, breach of duty of care, breach of fiduciary duty (Led by J Giles SC, and unled on directions and interlocutory appearances)

***Pearsall v National Australia Bank Ltd [2024] NSWSC 1493***

Corporations; insolvency (Led by AE Munro SC but unled on directions and interlocutory appearance)

***Wonderful Pty Limited v Faithful Investment Pty Limited [2024] NSWSC 472***

Oppression; trusts (Led by S Lawrance SC but unled on directions and interlocutory applications)

***Tyro Payments Ltd v Kounta Pty Ltd [2023] NSWSC 1384***

Contract; restraints of trade (Led by JE Giles SC, AE Munro)

***Grocon Group Holdings Pty Ltd v Infrastructure NSW [2020] NSWSC 1194; [2023] NSWSC 1352; [2023] NSWSC 1144.***

Contract; misleading or deceptive conduct; estoppel (Led by P Collinson KC, M Hodge KC, S Mirzabegian SC)

***Marlowe Homes Pty Ltd ats St George Aged Care Centre v Dual on behalf of certain Underwriters Lloyds (NSD 586/2022) (settled)***

Insurance; aged care (Unled)

***In the Matters of Careers Australia Group Ltd (in Liquidation) ACN 122 171 840 & Ors (NSD 1381/2020)***

Liquidators examinations (Unled)

## Regulatory

***Beaumont v Peel & Len Peel Holdings Pty Ltd & Ors* [2018] NSWSC 95**

Corporations Act; oppression (Led by R A Dick SC)

***J E Beaumont v D M Peel* [2019] NSWSC 465**

Corporations; members rights and remedies; receivers (Led by R A Dick SC)

***Sykes v Intermediate Capital Asia Pacific 2008 GP Limited* [2018] FCA 1848**

Security for costs (unled)

***Application of Jayne Elizabeth Beaumont* [2018] NSWSC 1705**

Contracts; principal and agency; powers of attorney (Led by R A Dick SC)

***Victor Hammond bht Glenn Hammond v Elpaty Pty Limited* [2018] NSWSC 1972**

Freezing order (unled)

***New Start Trading Group v Norman Stanley Hayde & Anor* 2016/00326760 [2017] NSWSC 1454**

Real property; estoppel; breach of contract (Led by R C A Higgins SC)

***Re Kimberly Diamonds Ltd* (2016) 116 ACSR 233**

Corporations; winding up (Led by D Sulan)

***Admark Property Group Pty Ltd (in liq) v GJ Building and Contracting Pty Ltd* [2016] NSWSC 1309**

Contempt; sentencing (Led by D Sulan)

***Re Blue Sennar Air Pty Ltd (in liq)* (2016) 11 BFRA 374; [2016] NSWSC 772**

Corporations; incidents of winding up (Led by D Sulan)

***ACCC ats Mastercard NSD 401 of 2022***

confidentiality and suppression order application on behalf of CBA (unled)

***ASIC v LGSS Pty Ltd* [2024] FCA 587; *ASIC v LGSS Pty Ltd (No 2)* [2024] FCA 665**

Greenwashing; misleading or deceptive conduct; civil penalty. (Led by J Hewitt SC)

***ASIC v AMP Superannuation Trust & Ors* [2023] FCA 488**

Financial services; civil penalty; trusts; agency. (Led by M Darke SC) ACCC v Decathlon (Australia) Pty Ltd [2021] FCA 964 Misleading or deceptive conduct (Led by R Scruby SC)

***R v Australia and New Zealand Banking Group Ltd (No. 2018/00175183) (for JP Morgan witness)***

Cartel conduct (Unled)

***ASIC v Novarise Renewable Resources International* (unreported, 9 July 2019)**

Corporations Act; Penalty (Unled)

***EPA v Jacques Earthmoving Pty Ltd & Ors (settled)***

Environmental offences; corporate criminal liability (Unled)

***AUSTRAC v Commonwealth Bank of Australia* [2018] FCA 930**

Anti-money laundering and counter terrorism financing (Led by J Sheahan QC, S Mirzabegian, N Bender)

## Commissions of Inquiry and Royal Commissions

### ***AUSTRAC v Tabcorp Ltd & Ors [2017] FCA 1296***

Anti-money laundering and counter terrorism financing

(Led by J Sheahan QC, P Brereton SC, R C A Higgins SC, S Mirzabegian SC)

### ***Operation Scandi – Independent Commissioner Against Corruption (NSW)***

Investigation and examination into the University of Wollongong (led by K Morgan SC, M Hodge KC and leading M Chen)

### ***Operation Wyvern – Independent Commission Against Corruption (NSW)***

Investigation and examination into the engagement of corrupt conduct by contractors of the NSW Government (unled)

### ***Robodebt Investigations – National Anti-Corruption Commission***

Examination hearings for public servant involved in Robodebt incident (unled)

### ***Royal Commission into Misconduct in the Banking, Superannuation and Financial Services (for CBA)***

Commissions of inquiry; banking and finance regulation (Led by R CA Higgins SC)

### ***Royal Commission into Aged Care Quality & Safety (for Bupa ANZ Healthcare Holdings)***

Commissions of inquiry; aged care (Led by J Sheahan QC and J Needham SC)

## Class Actions

### ***Jeremy Bergman ats Sportsbet Pty Ltd 2024/07057 (ongoing)***

Restitution; illegality of contract; Commonwealth & State gambling laws (led by P Solomon KC)

### ***Jeremy Bergman ats Entain Group Pty Limited 2025/01120 (ongoing)***

Restitution; illegality of contract; Commonwealth & State gambling laws (led by P Solomon KC)

### ***Nigel Peter Stack & Ors v AMP Financial Planning Pty Ltd & Ors, Federal Court of Australia Proceeding No. VID 489 of 2020 (ongoing)***

Fiduciary duties; Corporations Act; ASIC Act (led by M Hodge KC, with T Bagley, Erin O'Connor Jardine)

### ***Equity Financial Planners Pty Ltd v AMP Financial Planning Pty Ltd [2024] FCA 1036***

Court appointed independent Barrister for Settlement Distribution Scheme

### ***Alford v AMP Superannuation Limited (No 2) [2024] FCA 423***

Class actions; SIS Act (led by S Mirzabegian SC)

### ***Stanwell Corporation Limited v LCM Funding Pty Ltd [2021] FCA 1430***

Class actions; funding; managed investment schemes (Led by P Franco KC)

### ***LCM Funding Pty Ltd v Stanwell Corporation Limited [2022] FCAFC 103***

Class actions; Corporations Act; managing investment schemes (Unled)

## Arbitration

### ***Samsung C&T Corporation v Duro Felguera Pty Ltd (SIAC Arb. Case No. 065/16)***

International Arbitration; misleading and deceptive conduct; repudiation; estoppel (Led by A Archibald QC; J Sheahan QC; J Redwood)

## Administrative Law

### ***Hosseini v Genea Limited & NSW Attorney General [2021] NSWSC 1568***

Human tissue; statutory construction (Unled)

### ***CMQ17 v Minister for Immigration and Border Protection [2018] FCA 881***

Migration; application for judicial review (Unled)

### ***CMQ16 v Minister for Immigration and Border Protection & Anors [2017] FCCA 998; [2018] FCA 881***

Migration; application for judicial review (Unled)

## White collar crime

### ***Star Petroleum Refining Public Company Limited ats E-Trans Group (2020/00108109; 2020/106649; 2020/105690) (settled)***

Fraud; foreign proceedings; disclosure orders; freezing orders (Unled)

### ***Petrochemical Commercial Company Limited & 2 Ors v Nexus Management Limited & 15 Ors (settled)***

Fraud; foreign proceedings; Equitable discovery orders; harman undertaking (Led by D Studdy SC and unled in various urgent equitable applications including [2019] NSWSC 849)