

# SVETLANA GERMAN

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**CALLED TO THE BAR:** 2013

**PRACTICE AREAS:**

- General commercial
- Corporations
- Equity and Property
- Trusts
- Energy & Resources
- Mediation
- International commercial arbitration

## ACADEMIC

July 2007 – Present      **LECTURER (CASUAL), UNIVERSITY OF NEW SOUTH WALES, Sydney**  
 Equity & Trusts (2013)  
 Land Law (2007 & 2009)  
 Principles of Private Law (Scheduled 2014)  
 Vis Moot Coach (2008 - 2009 & 2011)

March 2011 – July 2011      **VISITING ACADEMIC FELLOW, COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY, New York**  
Centre for Climate Change Law

Jan. 2010 – May 2010      **TEACHING FELLOW, COLUMBIA LAW SCHOOL, New York**  
Mediation

Sept. 2009 – May 2010      **COLUMBIA LAW SCHOOL, New York**  
LL.M. (James Kent Scholar, GPA 3.8)

Feb. 2002 – Dec. 2006      **UNIVERSITY OF NEW SOUTH WALES, Sydney**  
LL.B. (Distinction Average)

Feb. 2002 – Dec. 2005      **UNIVERSITY OF NEW SOUTH WALES, Sydney**  
B.Sc. (Psychology) (Distinction Average)

Aug. 2006 – Dec. 2006      **MCGILL UNIVERSITY, Montreal**  
LL.B Academic Exchange

## PRIOR LEGAL EXPERIENCE

Sep. 2009 – Present

### **MEDIATOR, Sydney and New York**

- Mediator, Peace Institute New York (2010-2011)
- Mediator, NAMS (2013)

Feb. 2004 – August 2009

### **ALLENS ARTHUR ROBINSON, Sydney**

- Lawyer, Energy & Resources Corporate Group (2007-2009)
- Lawyer, Banking & Finance (2008)
- Summer Clerk (2005)

## PRIOR POLICY & COMMERCIAL EXPERIENCE

July. 2011 – Jan. 2013

### **BONSTON CONSULTING GROUP, Sydney**

Senior Associate

June. 2010 – April. 2011

### **OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF NEW SOUTH WALES, Sydney**

Policy Advisor to Treasurer of New South Wales and Minister for State and Regional Development

## BAR ADMISSIONS

- New South Wales Bar (2013)
- Solicitor in New South Wales (2007)

## AWARDS

- JAMES KENT SCHOLAR AWARD** (2010) (highest honours Columbia Law School awarded in recognition of outstanding academic achievement)
- Academic Scholarship Columbia Law School (2009)
- Academic Scholarship McGill University (2006)

## MEMBERSHIPS

- New South Wales Bar Association
- Nationally Accredited Mediator in Australia (NMAAS)
- Mediator accredited in New York, NY Peace Institute
- Member of Institute of Specialist Dispute Resolution (ISDIR)
- Registering as Family Dispute Resolution Practitioner (FDRP) with Attorney General's Department

## PUBLICATIONS - BOOKS

S German, "Social Norms, Carbon Labels and Trade law: Increasing individual awareness through a mandatory carbon-labeling scheme and assessing its WTO legality (2010) *Columbia University Press (LLM Thesis)*

## PUBLICATIONS - ARTICLES

- S German "The Cost of Carbon – examining the competitiveness and international trade dimensions of the Waxman- Markey House Bill, *Center of Climate Change Law, (Columbia University 2009)*
- S German "Employment Arrangements" (2007) 26 ARELJ 28, *Australian Resources and Energy Law Journal*
- S German "Confirming the Scope of Fiduciary Duties" (2007) 26 ARELJ 122, *Australian Resources and Energy Law Journal*