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University of Sydney, Sydney, NSW
Master of Taxation

Aug 2009 – May 2010

Columbia University School of Law, New York, NY
LL.M.

Mar 2001 – May 2005

University of Sydney
B.A./LL.B. (First Class Honours)

PROFESSIONAL

Oct. 2012

NSW Bar

Sept. 2010 – June 2012

Quinn Emanuel Urquhart & Sullivan LLP, New York, NY
Associate, Structured Finance Litigation Group

Cases:

- *Brookfield Asset Management, Inc. & Anor v AIG, Inc. & AIG Financial Products* (\$1.5b litigation concerning ISDA swap agreement in the Southern District of New York)
- *Heungkuk Life Insurance & Anor v Goldman Sachs International & Ors* (Fraud case concerning CDO securities in New York State Court)

Feb. 2007 – Aug. 2009

Mallesons Stephen Jaques, Sydney, Australia
Solicitor, Intellectual Property & Media

Cases:

- *Peter Bodum A/S v DKSH Australia Pty Ltd* [2008] FCA 1854 (TPA/Passing off)
- *Optiver Australia Pty Ltd v Tibra Trading Pty Ltd* [2007] FCA 1560 (Copyright)
- *Corby v Channel Seven Pty Ltd* (Defamation, Supreme Court)

ADMISSIONS

New South Wales
New York State
Southern District of New York

SELECTED CASES

Commercial / Professional Negligence

<i>Jana Pty Ltd & Anor v Ezistripdemo Pty Ltd & Anor</i>	[2017] NSWSC 1135	Contract/Rectification <i>Led by S. Balafoutis for the defendants</i>
<i>Lecos Corporate Pty Ltd & Ors v Nestle Australia Ltd & Anor</i>	Ongoing, Federal Court	Franchising/Trade practices <i>Led by K. Rees SC for the applicants</i>
<i>Joss & Anor v Crowe Horwath (Aust) Pty Ltd</i>	Ongoing, Supreme Court	Professional negligence/Tax <i>Led by J. Hmelnitsky SC for the plaintiffs</i>
<i>Re.Group Pty Ltd & Anor v Adam Kazal & Anor</i>	Ongoing, Federal Court	Copyright/Injurious falsehood <i>Led by A. Leopold SC for the applicants</i>
<i>John Joseph Symond v Gadens Lawyers Sydney Pty Ltd & Anor</i>	[2013] NSWSC 955	Professional negligence/Tax/Trade practices <i>Led by A.J. Payne SC and J. Hmelnitsky for the plaintiff</i>
<i>Unique International College Pty Ltd v Australian Council for Private Education & Training</i>	[2016] NSWSC 607	Injunction/Breach of contract <i>Led by D. Pritchard SC then K. Stern SC for the plaintiff</i>
<i>ACCC v Unique International College Pty Ltd</i>	Ongoing, Federal Court	Freezing orders <i>Led by J. Giles SC for the defendant</i>
<i>Homeground Gladstone Pty Ltd v Evolution Facility Management (Qld) Pty Ltd</i>	Federal Court (settled)	Breach of contract/Misleading or deceptive conduct <i>Led by K. Rees SC for the respondent</i>
<i>The Owners SP 76985 v AAI Ltd & Anor</i>	Supreme Court (settled)	Insurance/Professional negligence <i>Led by M.J. Darke SC for the plaintiff</i>

<i>AMACA Pty Ltd & Ors v McGrath & Anor</i>	[2012] NSWSC 1523	Application under s 562A(4) of the <i>Corporations Act</i> <i>Led by K. Rees SC for the plaintiff</i>
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<i>Statewide Secured Investments Pty Ltd v Frog Swamp Pty Ltd</i>	[2015] NSWSC 680	Set aside default judgment <i>Appeared unled for the plaintiff</i>
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Taxation

<i>Greig v Commissioner of Taxation</i>	Ongoing, Federal Court	Income tax <i>Led by B. Sullivan SC for the taxpayer</i>
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<i>B & E Poultry Holdings Pty Ltd & Ors v Chief Commissioner of State Revenue</i>	Ongoing, Supreme Court	Payroll tax <i>Led by B. Sullivan SC for the taxpayers</i>
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<i>Hart v Commissioner of Taxation</i>	[2017] FCA 572	Pt IVA, trusts <i>Led by N. Williams SC and M. Brennan QC for the Commissioner</i>
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<i>Millar & Anor v Commissioner of Taxation</i>	[2016] FCAFC 94	Income tax, Superannuation <i>Led by D. McGovern SC for the Commissioner</i>
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<i>B & E Poultry Holdings Pty Ltd & Ors v Chief Commissioner of State Revenue</i>	Ongoing, Supreme Court	Payroll tax <i>Led by B. Sullivan SC for the taxpayers</i>
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<i>Claycon Pty Ltd v Cmr of Taxation</i>	[2015] AATA 274	Excise/Fuel tax credits <i>Led by J. Hmelnitsky SC for the Commissioner</i>
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<i>Cloolan Pty Ltd v Cmr of Taxation</i>	Federal Court (settled)	Income tax <i>Led by N. Williams SC and M. O'Meara for the taxpayer</i>
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<i>Professional Admin Service Centres Pty Ltd v Deputy Cmr of Taxation</i>	[2013] FCA 1123	GST <i>Led by J. Hmelnitsky SC for the Commissioner</i>
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<i>Deputy Commissioner of Taxation v John Leaver & Anor</i>	[2015] FCA 1454	Judicial review <i>Led by D. McGovern SC and J. Jaques for the Commissioner</i>
<i>Cameron v Commissioner of Taxation</i>	[2014] AATA 499	PAYG/Income tax <i>Appeared unled for the Commissioner</i>
<i>Cronan v Commissioner of Taxation</i>	[2014] AATA 745	GST <i>Appeared unled for the Commissioner</i>
<i>Riley v Commissioner of Taxation</i>	[2014] AATA 664	Income tax <i>Appeared unled for the Commissioner</i>
Equity & other		
<i>Ibrahimi v The Commonwealth</i>	Supreme Court, judgment reserved	Negligence (class action) <i>Led by A.S. Bell SC and M. O'Meara for the Commonwealth</i>
<i>Haiye Developments Pty Ltd & Ors v The Commercial Business Centre Pty Ltd & Ors</i>	Ongoing, Supreme Court	Fraud, Equity <i>Led by M.J. Darke SC for the plaintiffs</i>
<i>Construction Technologies Australia Pty Ltd v Doueihy & Ors</i>	[2014] NSWSC 1717 & [2015] NSWSC 1850	Equity <i>Led by K. Rees SC for the plaintiff</i>
<i>Chaimandos v Sydney Water Corporation</i>	[2014] NSWSC 10	Negligence/Nuisance <i>Appeared unled for the plaintiff</i>
<i>Frog Swamp Pty Ltd & Anor v Statewide Secured Investments Pty Ltd</i>	[2015] NSWCA 376	Appeal from decision refusing to set aside default judgment <i>Appeared unled for the respondent</i>

Defamation

<i>Appco Group Australia Pty Ltd v Seven Networks (Operations) Ltd</i>	Ongoing, Federal Court	Injurious falsehood <i>Led by A.T.S. Dawson SC for the respondent</i>
<i>Edward Hayson v Nationwide News Pty Ltd & Anor</i>	Ongoing, Federal Court	<i>Led by A. Leopold SC for the respondents</i>
<i>Fairfax Publications Pty Ltd & Anor v Pedavoli</i>	[2015] NSWCA 237	<i>Led by T. Blackburn SC for the appellants</i>
<i>Pedavoli v Fairfax Publications Pty Ltd & Anor</i>	[2014] NSWSC 1674	<i>Led by T. Blackburn SC for the defendants</i>
<i>Voelte v Australian Broadcasting Corporation</i>	[2015] NSWSC 577	<i>Led by B. McClintock SC for the plaintiff</i>
<i>Kang v Channel Seven Sydney Pty Ltd & Ors</i>	[2016] NSWDC 307	<i>Appeared unled for the first & second defendants</i>

Building & Construction

<i>The Owners SP 89041 v Galyan Pty Ltd & Anor</i>	Ongoing, Supreme Court	<i>Led by F. Corsaro SC for the plaintiff</i>
<i>The Owners SP 87438 v Pafburn Pty Ltd</i>	Ongoing, Supreme Court	<i>Appearing unled for the plaintiff</i>
<i>The Owners SP 81059 v Andrews</i>	Supreme Court (settled)	<i>Led by F. Corsaro SC for the plaintiff</i>