

Admissions and qualifications

Barrister: 2018

Solicitor: 2006

University of Sydney, Bachelor of Law (Hons 1) (2004)

University of Sydney, Bachelor of Arts (majoring in History and Government) (2000)

Experience

2012 – 2018, **Herbert Smith Freehills, Sydney, Senior Associate**

Acting as a leading Senior Associate in a range of major litigation including *Apple v Samsung*, *Anchorage Capital Partners v ACPA*, *Networks NSW* merits review and judicial review proceedings.

2009 - 2012, **Herbert Smith, London, Solicitor,**

Working in Litigation including major commercial cases in sectors including financial services, resources, retail, property development and international trusts, with UK and global clients.

2005 – 2008, **Freehills, Sydney, Solicitor,**

Working in intellectual property, commercial litigation and corporate (mergers and acquisitions, private equity).

Client Secondments

2017, **Tabcorp Limited, Sydney**, providing legal and regulatory advice in the Financial Crime Regulatory team.

2011, **Standard Chartered PLC, London**, acting as legal advisor in Standard Chartered's global banking material litigation team, advising on major disputes in the UK, Sri Lanka, Singapore, Malaysia and Pakistan and other jurisdictions.

2005, **Aristocrat Leisure Limited, Sydney**, acting as legal advisor in Aristocrat's intellectual property team.

Awards

First Class Honours, Sydney University Law School.

Pitt Corbett Law Scholarship, Sydney University.

Walter Reid Scholarship, Sydney University.

Aspinal Kemp Law Scholarship, St Paul's College, Sydney University.

Cannington Law Scholarship, St Paul's College, Sydney University.

Foundation Scholarship, St Paul's College, Sydney University

Publications

International Patent Litigation (2nd Edition) (forthcoming) – co-author of Australian chapter.

“The Right of Publicity”, *Australian Intellectual Property Law Bulletin*, 2014, Volume 27, No. 1, 3-8.

“Applying the Designs Act 2003: Multisteps in the right direction”, 2013, co-authored with Stuart Irvine.

Selected recent cases (as a solicitor)

Acting for **Tabcorp Limited** in relation to the first civil penalty prosecution under the Anti-Money Laundering and Counter-Terrorism Financing Act 2006 (Cth) brought by the Australian Transaction Reports and Analysis Centre (AUSTRAC) in the Federal Court of Australia.

Acting for **Apple Limited and Apple Australia** in multiple sets of Federal Court of Australia proceedings with Samsung Electronics Co. Limited concerning allegations of patent infringement, design infringement, and breaches of the Competition and Consumer Act 2010 (Cth), including successfully acting for Apple in relation to Samsung’s appeal to the Federal Court of Australia Full Court on the issue of relying on additional evidence (*Samsung Electronics Co. Limited v Apple Inc.* [2013] FCAFC 138).

Acting for **Anchorage Capital Group L.L.C. and ACPA Pty Ltd** in defending proceedings alleging trade mark infringement, misleading and deceptive conduct and passing off, including obtaining indemnity costs. Advised and acted for the respondents in their successful response to the Applicant’s appeal to the Federal Court of Australia Full Court appeal. (*Anchorage Capital Partners Pty Limited v ACPA Pty Limited (No 2)* [2014] FCA 1165, *Anchorage Capital Partners Pty Limited v ACPA Pty Limited (No 3)* [2015] FCA 1436, *Anchorage Capital Partners Pty Limited v ACPA Pty Limited (No 4)* [2016] FCA 218, *Anchorage Capital Partners Pty Limited v ACPA Pty Ltd* [2018] FCAFC 6).

Acting for **Ausgrid, Endeavour Energy and Essential Energy** in successful merits review proceedings before the Australian Competition Tribunal concerning regulatory revenue determinations by the Australian Energy Regulator. Also advised and acted on applications by the Australian Energy Regulator to the Federal Court of Australia Full Court seeking judicial review of the Australian Competition Tribunal’s decisions (decision reserved). (*Applications by Public Interest Advocacy Centre Ltd and Ausgrid* [2016] ACompT 1, *Applications by Public Interest Advocacy Centre Ltd and Endeavour Energy* [2016] ACompT 2, and *Applications by Public Interest Advocacy Centre Ltd and Essential Energy* [2016] ACompT 3).

Acting for **Cantarella Bros. Pty Ltd** in Federal Court of Australia proceedings concerning breach of confidence, copyright infringement, breach of contract and contraventions of the Corporations Act 2001 (Cth), including urgent interlocutory proceedings which successfully obtained an interlocutory injunction. (*Cantarella Bros. Pty Ltd v Du Bois* [2016] FCA 1115).

Acting for **Cantarella Bros. Pty Ltd** in Australian Patent Office and Federal Court of Australia proceedings opposing patent applications by a number of parties.

Acting for a **major pharmaceutical company** in Federal Court of Australia proceedings for patent infringement, including urgent interlocutory proceedings which successfully obtained an interlocutory injunction.