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Bar Admissions

July 2010	Queensland Bar
September 2017	New South Wales Bar
July 2015	New Zealand
October 2015	Singapore International Commercial Court

Brief Details of Professional Experience

Principally commercial practice. Appeared with leaders in trials and appeals in the Supreme Court of Queensland and the Federal Court, in a constitutional case in the High Court, in a trial in the High Court of New Zealand and in commercial arbitrations

- Advised and appeared for Commonwealth, State and local Government, banks, a religious institution, a large publically listed oil and gas company and other large corporates
- Wide experience appearing in matters on the Supreme Court of Queensland's commercial list, supervised case list and caseload intervention list including circa 40 unled appearances in substantive applications in the Supreme Court of Queensland (all forms of injunctions – including anti-suit injunctions, in restraint of trade and concerning mortgages – freezing orders, summary judgment, strike out)
- Circa 40 unled appearances in substantive applications in other Queensland Courts, Federal Courts and New South Wales Courts, including urgent matters before Duty Judge in the Supreme Court of New South Wales
- Appeared unled in over 20 trials in the Federal Circuit Court of Australia, Magistrates Court of Queensland and the Queensland Civil and Administrative Tribunal (“QCAT”)
- Appeared unled in 10 appeals in the District Court of Queensland and QCAT
- Appeared unled in an appeal in the Queensland Court of Appeal

Other Professional Activities

- Associate to the Hon Justice JA Dodds-Streeton, Victorian Court of Appeal, Federal Court of Australia
- Queensland Bar Association sub-committees, *Bar Care* and *University Relations* and New South Wales Bar Association, *Health and Wellbeing Committee*
- Former Honorary Lawyer, Cycling Queensland

Education

BA/LLB (Queensland), LLM, in progress (Melbourne)

Sample Publications

- “The Varieties of Restitution by I Jackman SC” *Australian Law Journal* (Book Review) (Forthcoming)
- Contributing editor of *Queensland Civil Practice*, annotated UCPR (Thomson)

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