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## ADMISSIONS

May 2016            **Barrister**, New South Wales & High Court of Australia

2006                **Solicitor**, High Court of Australia

2005                **Solicitor**, Supreme Court of New South Wales

## PRINCIPAL AREAS OF PRACTICE

- Banking & Financial Services
- Commercial
- Corporations Law
- Competition and Consumer Law
- Employment and Restraint of Trade
- Equity
- Insolvency
- Insurance
- Professional Negligence

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2006 - 2015            **Clayton Utz**, Lawyer (2006-2009) and Senior Associate (2009-2015), Commercial Litigation

2004 - 2006            **DLA Phillips Fox** (now DLA Piper), Graduate-at-Law and Lawyer, Insurance Litigation

## EDUCATION

2013                **University of Sydney**, Master of Laws

2004                **University of Sydney**, Bachelor of Laws (First Class Honours)

2001                **University of Sydney**, Bachelor of Commerce

## SELECTED APPEARANCES

### Commercial

- ***DIF III Global Co-Investment Fund LP & Anor v Babcock & Brown LP & Ors* [2019] NSWSC 527 (Supreme Court of NSW)**  
Breach of fiduciary duty; negligence; misleading or deceptive conduct; professional indemnity insurance claim; directors' & officers' insurance claim (led by R Scruby SC).
- ***Dimmi v RestaurantDiary.com* [2018] NSWSC 846 (Supreme Court of NSW)**  
Breach of contract; termination; estoppel (led by JAC Potts SC).
- ***DIF III Global Co-Investment Fund LP & Anor v Babcock & Brown LP & Ors (Proceeding 2016/285820 in the Supreme Court of NSW)***  
Negligence; misleading or deceptive conduct; professional indemnity insurance claim; directors' and officers' insurance claim. Settled first week of final hearing (led by R Scruby SC).
- ***Management Services Australia Pty Ltd v PMWorks Pty Ltd & Anor* [2017] NSWSC 1743 (Supreme Court of NSW)**  
Joint venture; breach of fiduciary duty; misleading or deceptive conduct; unconscionable conduct; estoppel (led by M Cairns).
- ***RBC Investor Services Australia Nominees Pty Limited v Brickworks Limited* [2017] FCA 756 (Federal Court of Australia)**  
Shareholder oppression (led by AJL Bannon SC and JAC Potts SC).
- ***Global Investments Limited v Babcock & Brown Global Investments Management Pty Ltd; DIF III – Global Co-Investment Fund LP v BBLP LLC* [2017] NSWSC 729 & [2017] NSWSC 1202 (Supreme Court of NSW)**  
Interlocutory application; further and better discovery (unled).
- ***Ahtram Pty Ltd & Anor v Immaz International Pty Ltd & Ors* (District Court of NSW)**  
Breach of a commercial lease. Settled day 3 of final hearing (unled).

### Insolvency

- ***Thakran v TD TD Pty Ltd* [2019] FCA 829 (Federal Court of Australia)**  
Application for reinstatement of registration and winding up (unled).
- ***In the matter of Gondon Five Pty Limited and Cui Family Asset Management Pty Limited* [2019] NSWSC 469 (Supreme Court of NSW)**  
Receiver's remuneration (led by V Whittaker).

- ***In the matter of Courtenay House Capital Trading Group Pty Limited (in liquidation) and Courtenay House Pty Limited (in liquidation)*** [2018] NSWSC 404 (*Supreme Court of NSW*)

Separate question; trusts (led by V Whittaker).

- ***In the matter of Sakr Nominees Pty Ltd (in liq)*** [2017] NSWSC 668 (*Supreme Court of NSW*)

Remitted hearing; liquidators' remuneration (unled).

- ***In the matter of Southern Engineering Services Pty Ltd (in liq)*** (*Supreme Court of NSW*)

Examination summons (unled).

## Royal Commissions

- ***Royal Commission into Misconduct in the Banking, Superannuation and Financial Services Industry, 2018***

Appeared for the Commonwealth Bank of Australia (led by C Scerri QC and with Z Hillman).

## Insurance

- ***Tenix Holdings Pty Limited v Olis Insurance Pte Ltd & Ors (Proceeding 2013/381728 in the Supreme Court of NSW)***

Professional indemnity insurance claim. Settled just prior to commencement of eight week hearing (led by M Jones SC and K Williams SC).

## Appeals

- ***Management Services Australia Pty Ltd v PMWorks Pty Ltd & Anor*** [2019] NSWCA 107 (*Supreme Court of NSW Court of Appeal*)

Breach of contract; termination (led by M Cairns).

- ***PMWorks Pty Ltd v Management Services Australia Pty Ltd (2018) NSWCA 168*** (*Supreme Court of NSW Court of Appeal*)

Non-party costs orders (led by M Cairns).

- ***Sanderson as liquidator of Sakr Nominees Pty Ltd (in liq) v Sakr*** [2017] NSWCA 38 (*Supreme Court of NSW Court of Appeal*)

Appeal against a determination of liquidator's remuneration before a five-member bench of the New South Wales Court of Appeal (led by V Whittaker).