

# James Willis

## Barrister

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### EXPERIENCE

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2014	Called to the bar
2010 - 2014	Senior Associate / Solicitor at Allens (formerly Allens Arthur Robinson)
2008 - 2010	Solicitor at Gilbert + Tobin
2006 - 2008	Solicitor at King & Wood Mallesons (formerly Mallesons Stephen Jaques)
2006	Admitted as a solicitor

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### AREAS OF PRACTICE

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James has had experience during his time as a legal practitioner in the following areas:

- General commercial, equity and trusts
- Corporations, directors duties and managed investment schemes
- Consumer and competition law
- Administrative law and judicial review
- Employment law and restraint of trade
- Taxation
- Insolvency
- Insurance
- Family provision

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### EDUCATION AND ACHIEVEMENTS

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2005	Winner of Lexis Nexis Constitutional Law Moot before former Justice Michael Kirby
2001 - 2005	Bachelor of Laws (Honours 1 and University Medal)
2001 - 2003	Bachelor of Arts

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### RECENT PUBLICATIONS

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*Withdrawals under a managed investment scheme – report on MacarthurCook Fund Management Limited v TFML Limited* [2014] HCA 17, BarNews Journal, Autumn 2014

*Knowing assistance: The meaning of 'dishonest and fraudulent design'*, BarNews Journal, Winter 2015

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## SELECTED CASES

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The following is a selection of matters in which James has appeared as counsel:

- *T&T Investments Australia Pty Limited v CGU Insurance Limited* [2016] NSWCA 227
- *In the matter of Gutsy Jnr Pty Limited* [2015] NSWSC 2046
- *In the matter of Apollo Property Pty Limited* [2015] NSWSC 1497
- *Normandy Finance Pty Ltd v Commissioner of Taxation* [2015] FCA 1420
- *Pilmora Pty Ltd as Trustee of the Townsing Family Trust v Commissioner of Taxation* [2015] AATA 976
- *In the matter of New South Wales Leagues' Club Limited* [2014] NSWSC 1610