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Areas of Practice

- Intellectual property
- Competition and consumer protection
- Corporate/commercial
- Equity

Admissions

May 2016 Barrister, New South Wales

July 2009 Solicitor, Supreme Court of New South Wales and High Court of Australia

Education

2009 – 2012 Master of Industrial Property
University of Technology Sydney

2006 – 2008 Bachelor of Laws (Hons.)
University of New South Wales

2001 – 2004 Bachelor of Arts (Hons.)
University of Sydney

Experience

August 2013 –	Corrs Chambers Westgarth
April 2016	Associate (Intellectual Property Litigation)
September 2011 –	Deutsch Miller
November 2012	Associate (General Commercial Litigation)
June 2009 –	Shelston IP Lawyers
September 2011	Solicitor (Intellectual Property Litigation)
January 2009 –	Spruson & Ferguson
June 2009	Trade Marks Attorney

Selected Cases as a Solicitor

Patents

Merck Sharp v Dohme Corp. ats Ono Pharmaceutical Co. Ltd

- Acting for Merck bringing invalidity proceedings against patent owned by Ono/Bristol-Myers Squibb NSD 954/2014 (ongoing)
- Defending patent infringement proceedings subsequently brought by Ono/Bristol-Myers Squibb

Reckitt Benckiser Healthcare (UK) Ltd ats GlaxoSmithKline Australia Pty Ltd

- Acting for Reckitt Benckiser bringing patent infringement proceedings, and defending invalidity proceedings [2013] FCA 583 [2013] FCA 736
- Defending recusal application [2013] FCA 1043
- Defending appeal to Full Federal Court [2014] FCA 810 [2015] FCA 486

Novozymes A/S ats Danisco A/S

- Acting for Novozymes defending patent infringement proceedings, and bringing invalidity proceedings [2011] FCA 282
[2013] FCAFC 6
- Bringing appeal to Full Federal Court

Trade marks; consumer protection

Dunlop Aircraft Tyres Limited ats The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company

- Acting for DATL defending trade mark opposition brought by Goodyear NSD 159/2015
- Defending proceedings brought by Goodyear for trade mark infringement and breach of ACL NSD 356/2015
(ongoing)
- Bringing cross-appeal in infringement proceedings seeking removal and cancellation of Goodyear's trade mark registrations

Winnebago Industries Inc. ats Knott Investments Pty Ltd

- Acting for Winnebago bringing proceedings for breach of ACL [2014] FCA 1167
- Defending trade mark opposition brought by Knott [2015] FCA 827
- Defending proceedings for breach of ACL brought by Knott [2015] FCA 1214
[2015] FCA 1327
[2015] FCA 1437

Designs

Hunter Pacific International Pty Ltd ats Martec Pty Ltd

- Acting for Hunter Pacific bring proceedings for infringement of registered design under *Designs Act 2003* (Cth) NSD 185/2015
(ongoing)

Other

In the Matter of Wan Jia (Australia) International Development Pty Ltd

- Corporations [2012] NSWSC 1007
- Dispute between directors
- Defending application to bring derivative proceedings in the name of company

Other Experience

August 2008 – Spruson & Ferguson

January 2009 Trade Marks Assistant

June 2008 – Spruson & Ferguson/Thomson Reuters

August 2008 Researcher – Shanahan’s Australian Law of Trade Marks and Passing Off, 4th Ed.