

## Jon Whealing

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### ADMISSIONS

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Admitted to the High Court Register of Practitioners – 4 October 2022

Called to the New South Wales Bar – 29 August 2022

Admitted as a solicitor of the Supreme Court of New South Wales – 23 February 2016

### EDUCATION

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2018-2019 **Master of Laws (LLM) (Distinction)** – University College London

Modules taken:

- Comparative US Anti-Trust/EU Competition Law (1<sup>st</sup> place)
- International Commercial Arbitration
- International Commercial Litigation
- Company Law

Thesis titled “*The Expression of a Forum’s Values and its Impact on the Conflict of Laws.*”

2008-2013 **Bachelor of Laws (Hons) / Bachelor of Arts** – University of Notre Dame Australia

- Thomson Reuters Prize in Evidence Law
- Oxford University Press Prize in Corporations & Partnerships
- AMPLA Prize in Mining and Petroleum

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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2022- Barrister, 9 Wentworth Chambers

2018-2022 Associate/Senior Associate, Financial Restructuring & Insolvency, Norton Rose Fulbright

2017-2018 Lawyer, Insurance & Disputes, Mills Oakley

2015-2017 Graduate/Lawyer, Insurance & Disputes, Curwoods (now McCabes)

2014-2015 Researcher, University of Notre Dame Australia (Corporations Law)

2011-2012 Paralegal, Maurice Blackburn Lawyers

## SELECTED MATTERS

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### Led

- *Special Inquiry into Children and Young People in Alternative Care Arrangements*: led by R Glover, instructed by Johnson Winter Slattery, counsel assisting the Advocate for Children and Young People in NSW.
- *Huntley Management Limited v ASIC* [2023] AATA 2290: led by LV Gyles SC, instructed by Piper Alderman, successful review of enforcement decision made by ASIC against an AFSL holder.
- *Agnello v Maliganis Edwards Johnson*: led by DL Williams SC, instructed by McInnes Wilson, ongoing ACT Supreme Court proceedings acting for a law firm in a professional negligence claim made against it by a former client.
- *Woolworths Properties Pty Ltd & Anor v Watpac Construction Pty Ltd & Anor*: led by R Cheney SC, instructed by Clyde & Co, ongoing NSW Supreme Court proceedings acting for the head contractor in a breach of contract claim.
- *Mansour v Marhop Pty Ltd t/as Greengate Hotel* [2023] NSWDC 476: led by D Lloyd SC, instructed by Clyde & Co, acting for the Hotel in respect of assault, battery and false imprisonment claims made against its security staff.
- *The Owners - Strata Plan No 88677 v J Hutchinson Pty Limited & Anor*: led by J Neal, instructed by Hall & Wilcox, ongoing NSW Supreme Court proceedings acting for an ACP cladding manufacturer and supplier in a breach of contract claim.
- *Atomic Group Pty Ltd*: led by A Moses SC with D Stewart, instructed by Hilliard and Berry Solicitors, Federal Court application relating to the sale of a business to an international conglomerate, informally resolved.
- *In the matter of Delta Group (in liq)*: led by Dr RCA Higgins SC with M Rose, instructed by Norton Rose Fulbright, Federal Court proceedings acting for the liquidators in an insolvent trading claim against the corporate group's directors, informally resolved.
- *Fei Zhou v Stevo Kotris*: led by G McNally SC, instructed by R.J. O'Halloran & Co, NSW Supreme Court family provision proceedings acting for the executor of the estate, informally resolved.
- *Baulkham Hills Shire Netball Association v Blacktown City Netball Association*: led by D Stewart, instructed by Matthews Dooley & Gibson, NSW Supreme Court application to appoint an arbitrator, matter referred to mediation.

### Unled

- *DSL Fielding Pty Ltd v Tamworth Regional Council*: instructed by R.J. O'Halloran & Co, NSW Supreme Court proceedings acting for a plaintiff tenant in a claim against the landlord local Council, informally resolved.
- *In the matter of Mawson Infrastructure Group* [2025]: instructed by Hamilton Locke, Federal Court proceedings acting for a debtor resisting a winding up application brought against it.

- *In the matter of Matrix Group Co Pty Ltd (in liq)*: instructed by Longton Legal, ongoing Federal Court proceedings acting for a trade creditor in a mothership unfair preference claim.
- *Suparbarn Supermarkets Pty Ltd v Eyre Kingston Pty Ltd (in liq) & Anor*: instructed by Robinson Solicitors, ongoing NSW Supreme Court proceedings acting for a plaintiff in a commercial lease and breach of contract claim.
- *SafeWork NSW v Western Sydney Local Health District*: instructed by NSW Health, NSW District Court prosecution acting for an affected family member in respect of media suppression and non-publication orders.
- *Tran v Tran*: instructed by Selective Lawyers, ongoing NSW Supreme Court proceedings acting for a registered co-owner of a property in resisting a s 66G order.
- *Unispan Australia Pty Ltd v Alaa Ali*: instructed by Gadens, NSW Supreme Court proceedings seeking the payment of monies out of Court.
- *Wixels Property Holdings Pty Ltd v THN Property Funding Pty & Ors*: instructed by Swaab, NSW Supreme Court proceedings acting for a first registered mortgagee in contested sale process, informally resolved.
- *Hoyne v Ahearne*: instructed by Colin Biggers & Paisley, NSW Local Court proceedings acting for a plaintiff in a negligent tax advice claim, informally resolved.
- *In the matter of Basic Brands & Co Pty Ltd*: instructed by Lander & Rogers, NSW Supreme Court proceedings seeking to set aside a statutory demand, informally resolved.
- *Watkinson v Western Sydney University* [2023] NSWCATAP 75: instructed by Clyde & Co, Tribunal appeal panel proceedings acting for the university in an administrative law claim.

## **FURTHER INFORMATION**

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- Former NSW 2nd XI and junior cricket representative.
- Former 1st grade/club captain of Northern District Cricket Club.
- Current captain of the Australian Lawyers Cricket team.
- Member of staff at Harrow School, London, in 2010 and 2014.