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Areas of Practice

- Intellectual Property
- **Competition and Consumer Protection**
- Pharmaceutical and biotechnology
- Commercial
- Constitutional
- **Appellate**

Education

University of Tasmania – Bachelor of Laws (Hons I) and Bachelor of Science (Biochemistry)

2008

- University Medalist
- Passes with High Distinction in all courses
- Unit prizes in Evidence, Professional Conduct, Supervised Research (Intellectual Property Law), Constitutional Law 1 and 2, Criminal Law, Contracts, Torts, Civil and Criminal Procedure, Organic Chemistry, Chemistry 1, Calculus and Applications: Specialised

College of Law, Victoria – Graduate Diploma in Legal Practice 2010

University of Cambridge – Master of Laws (Hons I)

2014

- Intellectual Property, International IP, Restitution, Commercial Equity
- Thesis on principles of contribution between wrongdoers

Experience

Barrister, 5 Wentworth Chambers | 2014 – Present

Mentor, Out for Australia | 2015 – Present

Solicitor, Allens | 2009 – 2013

- Melbourne Litigation & Intellectual Property group
- Sydney Competition group

Associate to the Hon Chief Justice R S French AC, High Court of Australia 2010 - 2011

Appointments New South Wales Bar Association, Wellbeing Committee

Intellectual Property Society of Australia and New Zealand

Barrister, New South Wales Bar 2014

Solicitor, Supreme Court of Victoria and Federal Court of Australia 2010

Professional Recognition

Best Lawyers Australia, Intellectual Property Law

Chambers & Partners, Intellectual Property: The Bar, Band 2 Junior

Doyle's Guide, Leading Intellectual Property Junior Counsel (NSW and Australia)

Selected Cases

- Xiamen Huadian Switchgear Co Ltd v Powins Pty Ltd: Passing off, registered trade mark infringement and Australian Consumer Law proceedings, unled, instructed by Spruson & Ferguson, Federal Court of Australia (judgment reserved)
- <u>Biogen Inc</u> v Pharmacor Pty Ltd: Patent proceedings, led by N Murray SC, instructed by Herbert Smith Freehills, Federal Court of Australia (proceedings ongoing)
- <u>Copyright Agency Limited</u> v Department of Education (Qld) & Ors:
 Copyright tribunal proceedings, led by N Murray SC, instructed by Banki Haddock Fiora (proceedings ongoing)
- Boehringer Ingelheim Animal Health USA Inc v Zoetis Services LLC:
 Appeal from Patent Office opposition decision, led by P Flynn SC, instructed by Spruson & Ferguson, Federal Court of Australia (proceedings ongoing)
- <u>Novartis AG</u> v Pharmacor Pty Limited: Patent proceedings, led by C Dimitriadis SC, instructed by Clayton Utz, Federal Court of Australia (proceedings ongoing);
- <u>Baxter Healthcare</u> v Eisai: Patent opposition proceedings, led by N Murray SC, instructed by Minter Ellison (settled before hearing)
- Zoetis Services LLC v Boehringer Animal Health USA Inc: Patent opposition proceeding, led by P Flynn SC, instructed by Spruson & Ferguson (proceedings ongoing)
- <u>PharmaMar SA</u>: Patent term extension application, unled, instructed by Wrays, Patent Office [2020] APO 8

- <u>Stratus LLC</u> v Diros Inc: Patent proceedings, led by N Murray SC, instructed by Allens, Federal Court of Australia (settled before trial)
- Neurim Pharmaceuticals (1991) Ltd v Generic Partners Pty Ltd: Patent proceedings, acted for both respondents, led by N Murray SC, instructed by Herbert Smith Freehills, Federal Court of Australia (judgment reserved)
- Commscope LLC v <u>Schneider Electric</u>: Patent proceedings, led by J Cooke, instructed by Banki Haddock Fiora, Federal Court of Australia (settled at mediation);
- TCCC v <u>Suntory Holdings Limited</u>: Patent opposition, led by N Murray SC, instructed by Davies Collison Cave, Patent Office (decision reserved)
- Australian Fifty Leaders Pty Ltd v <u>Lawcover Insurance Pty Ltd</u>: Copyright infringement proceedings, acted for respondent, led by C Burgess, instructed by Sparke Helmore (settled before final hearing)
- H Lundbeck A/S v Alphapharm Pty Ltd; Aspen Australia Pty Ltd; Apotex Pty Ltd; Sandoz Pty Ltd: Patent proceedings, acted for three respondents, led by D K Catterns QC, C Dimitriadis SC, N Murray, instructed by King & Wood Mallesons (settled before final hearing in respect of those respondents)
- Regeneron Pharmaceuticals Inc v <u>Kymab Limited</u>: Appeal from Patent Office, acted for respondent, led by T Cordiner QC, instructed by Griffith Hack, Federal Court of Australia (settled before hearing)
- Apotex Pty Ltd v Warner-Lambert Company LLC (No 3) [2018] FCAFC
 26; [2017] FCA 94: Patent infringement and revocation proceedings,
 led by AJL Bannon SC and C Dimitriadis SC, instructed by Allens, Federal
 Court and Full Court
- Encompass Corporation Pty Ltd v InfoTrack Pty Ltd [2019] FCAFC 61; [2018] FCA 421: Patent infringement and validity, led by D K C Catterns QC and C L Cochrane (trial), S J Goddard SC and C L Cochrane (appeal), instructed by Shelston IP, Federal Court and Full Federal Court (successful at trial and on appeal—patents revoked for lack of manner of manufacture)
- Authentics Australia Pty Ltd v <u>The Academy Brand Pty Limited</u>: Trade mark infringement proceedings, acted for respondent, led by J S Cooke, instructed by Moray & Agnew (settled before hearing)

- <u>Dyno Nobel</u> v Orica: Patents, acted for alleged infringer/revoking party, led by A J L Bannon and C L Cochrane, instructed by Spruson & Ferguson (settled)
- <u>Pronova BioPharma Norge AS</u> v Naturalis SA: Patent opposition, led by Katrina Howard SC (settled after written submissions, before hearing), instructed by Ashurst
- Roadshow Films Pty Ltd v Telstra Corporation & Ors [2016] FCA 1503:
 Copyright, site blocking order litigation, acting for M2 carriage service providers, unled, instructed by Thomson Geer, Federal Court
- Dincel Construction System Pty Limited v <u>AFS Systems Pty Ltd</u> [2018]
 FCAFC 157; [2017] FCA 791: Patent, acted for alleged infringer, led by P Flynn (trial) and D Shavin QC and P Flynn (appeal), Federal Court and Full Federal Court (successful at trial—patent not infringed) and on appeal)
- <u>Clipsal Australia Pty Ltd</u> v Clipso Electrical Pty Ltd (No 3) [2017] FCA 60: Trade mark infringement and revocation, passing off, misleading and deceptive conduct, patent infringement, registered designs infringement, led by J S Cooke, Federal Court (successful at trial)
- Clipsal Australia Pty Ltd v Clipso Electrical Pty Ltd (No 4) [2017] FCA 436: Successfully obtained indemnity costs award based on Respondents' conduct at trial
- <u>ACCC</u> v Woolworths Limited [2016] FCA 44: Product safety, penalty hearing in February 2016, led by RCA Higgins, instructed by Baker + McKenzie, Federal Court
- Les Laboratoires Servier v Apotex Pty Ltd [2016] HCASL 143: Patents, led by A J L Bannon SC and C L Cochrane, instructed by Allens, application for special leave to appeal to the High Court of Australia
- Knott Investments Pty Ltd v Winnebago Industries Inc [2016] ATMO 15: Trade mark proceedings, led by M Darke SC, instructed by Corrs Chambers Westgarth, Trade Marks Office
- Knott Investments Pty Ltd v <u>Winnebago Industries Inc</u>: Trade mark proceedings, led by M Darke SC and A Shearer, instructed by Corrs Chambers Westgarth, Federal Court (settled before trial)
- Otsuka Pharmaceutical Co Ltd v Generic Health Pty Ltd (No 2) [2016]
 FCAFC 111: Patent law, led by AJL Bannon SC and C Cochrane, Full
 Federal Court

- Bluescope Steel (AIS) Pty Ltd v Illawarra Coal Holdings Pty Ltd: Contract law, led by A Myers QC and RCA Higgins, instructed by Gadens, New South Wales Supreme Court (settled before hearing)
- <u>Nichia Corporation</u> v Arrow Electronics Australia Pty Ltd: Patent proceedings, led by S Burley SC and C Cochrane, instructed by Allens, Federal Court [2015] FCA 699
- Synlait Milk Limited v Synlait Pty Ltd: Trade mark and consumer law, led by C L Cochrane, Federal Court (settled before hearing)
- Keller v <u>Emirates</u>: Aviation law, unled, instructed by Norton White, New South Wales Local Court
- Mouti v <u>Nguyen</u> [2015] NSWCA 93: Contract law, led by A Tokley SC, New South Wales Court of Appeal (settled after remitter)
- Roach v <u>William Hill Australia</u>: Consumer law, unled, NCAT (settled before hearing)
- Yu v <u>Sportingbet</u>: Consumer law, unled, NCAT (proceedings dismissed)
- McCloy v New South Wales (2015) 257 CLR 178: Implied freedom of political communication, led by DMJ Bennett QC AC, I Faulkner and A Flecknoe-Brown, instructed by Toomey Pegg, High Court of Australia
- <u>Kupsch</u> v Zanker: Special leave application, led by DMJ Bennett QC and SJG Thomas, instructed by Rossi Legal Lawyers, High Court of Australia
- Société Des Produits Nestlé v Christian [2014] FCCA 2368: Trade mark infringement proceedings, led by S Burley SC in Federal Court, led and unled appearances in Federal Circuit Court, instructed by Banki Haddock Fiora

Publications

'To Deem or Not To Deem? Bypassing the declaration process under Pt IIIA of the *Competition and Consumer Act*' (2012) 20(3) AJCCL 184

'Think Smaller' (2012) 20(3) AJCCL 203

'Prometheus v Mayo Collaborative Services: Blunt axes and sharp drafting practices' (2012) 22(1) Journal of Law, Information and Science 55

'New PBS reforms to affect pharmaceutical manufacturers', Allens Focus, August 2012

Submission to the Senate Inquiry on the Marriage Equality Bill 2010 (Cth), 2012

Submission to the Senate Inquiry on the Patent Amendment (Human Genes and Biological Materials) Bill 2010 (Cth), 2011

'Grand Chamber considers whether testimony of absent witnesses violates fair trial right' (2012) 70 *Human Rights Law Centre Bulletin*

'Court decision brings cold comfort to franchisor', Allens Focus, July 2010

'Laughing Matters: Parody and Satire in Australian Copyright Law' (2010) 20(1) Journal of Law, Information and Science 61