

## QUALIFICATIONS

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- 2019 – 2020      **Master of Law (Hons) – University of Cambridge**
- Papers: international commercial litigation; law of restitution; advanced private law; and legislation. Satisfied the examiners in commercial law.
  - Degree requirements completed in 2020; formal in-person graduation forthcoming.
- 2011 – 2016      **Bachelor of Arts (Media & Communications)/Bachelor of Laws (Hons) – University of Sydney**
- Prizes and scholarships*
- Dean’s List of Excellence in Academic Performance (2016);
  - International Exchange Scholarships (2016 and 2014);
  - Academic Merit Prize (2016 and 2013);
  - Winner, Justice Gummow Cup (intervarsity equity moot, 2015);
  - Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences Exchange Scholarship (2014);
  - Marion Macaulay Bequest Scholarship (2014);
  - Stephen Salsbury Prize for the Relationship of Economics to Politics (2012); and
  - Catherine Lumby Prize for Excellence in Media and Communication Studies (2011).
- Exchange programs:*
- Utrecht University, Utrecht, The Netherlands (2016).
  - Georgetown University, Washington, D.C., United States (2014).

## ADMISSIONS

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- May 2022      Barrister, New South Wales.
- Oct 2017      Lawyer, Supreme Court of New South Wales.

## PROFESSIONAL WORK

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- 2022 –      **Barrister – 5 Wentworth Chambers**
- Areas of practice:
- Appellate (civil & criminal)
  - Banking & finance
  - Bankruptcy & insolvency
  - Commissions of inquiry
  - Contracts & commercial
  - Corporations & securities
  - Equity & trusts
  - Public & private international law
  - Public law (administrative, constitutional & revenue law)
  - Real property
  - Trade practices
- 2021 – 2022      **Associate – Allens (with secondment to the Dispute Resolution Group at the Australia and New Zealand Banking Group Limited)**
- Acting for the Bank in commercial litigation and regulatory investigations spanning various areas of commercial law.
  - Matters before various courts and tribunals, mainly state Supreme Courts.
- 2020 – 2021      **Lawyer – Arnold Bloch Leibler**
- Practice in the litigation division, focusing on general commercial litigation and white-collar crime.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Matters spanned various jurisdictions including the Local Court, the Supreme Court of New South Wales and the Federal Court of Australia.</li> </ul>
2018 – 2019	<b>Lawyer – Gilbert + Tobin</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Rotations in the litigation and tax practice groups.</li> <li>• Acted for Westpac in the Banking and Financial Services Royal Commission.</li> <li>• Acted in commercial litigation in various courts and tribunals such as the Federal Court of Australia and the Administrative Appeals Tribunal.</li> <li>• Advised on tax implications of various proposed banking and corporate transactions.</li> </ul>
2017 – 2019; 2021	<b>Casual Academic – University of Sydney</b> Examiner in Federal Constitutional Law under supervision of Professor Gerangelos.
2017 – 2018	<b>Associate – The Hon. Justice Farrell, Federal Court of Australia</b>
2015 – 2016	<b>Summer clerk and paralegal – Gilbert + Tobin</b> Secondment in July and August 2016 as intern at the North Australian Aboriginal Justice Agency (NAAJA) in its criminal law division in Katherine, the Northern Territory.
2014 – 2015	<b>Paralegal – Australian Securities Exchange Limited (ASX)</b>
2013	<b>Intern Journalist – <i>The Sydney Morning Herald</i> and <i>The Sun-Herald</i> (Fairfax Media)</b>

#### EXTRACURRICULAR

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2018 – 2019	<b>Pro bono law – Gilbert + Tobin</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Legal advice nights at Marickville Legal Centre.</li> <li>• Advice and other litigation for the Refugee Advice and Casework Service (RACS). See, e.g., <i>ARM18 v Minister for Home Affairs</i> [2018] FCCA 3326 (application for judicial review by a refugee applicant).</li> <li>• Work on a firm initiated ‘wills project’ providing free wills and estate planning services to Aboriginal clients in various parts of Australia.</li> </ul>
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#### SELECT PUBLICATIONS

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2021	Fabian Di Lizia, ‘The Requirement of Property or Possessory Rights for Relief Against Forfeiture’ (2021) 95 <i>Australian Law Journal</i> 641.
2018	Fabian Di Lizia, ‘More Than Just a Humble Abode: The Implications of Constitutional Citizenship Rights for Passport Law’ (2018) 44(1) <i>University of Western Australia Law Review</i> 116.

#### OTHER LANGUAGES

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Italian: fluent proficiency.  
French: basic proficiency.  
Spanish: elementary proficiency.