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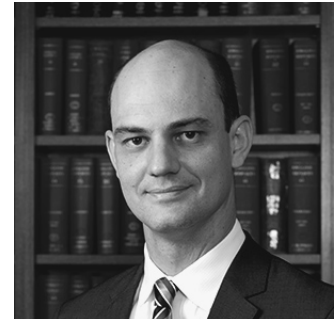
YEAR OF CALL: 2009

Matthew has more than ten years of post-admission experience in commercial litigation, particularly banking, construction, resources, insolvency and insurance.

He has been listed in Doyle's Guide as 'Leading' in Commercial Litigation & Dispute Resolution, Insolvency and Arbitration.

Matthew has a keen interest in public interest litigation and is a significant contributor to *pro bono* community legal services. He is the current President of LawRight Inc and Chair of the Queensland Legal Assistance Forum.

He is a professional member of the Resolution Institute as well as being a Nationally Accredited Mediator.



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AREAS OF PRACTICE

Appellate, Arbitration, Banking, Building & Construction, Class Actions, Commercial Equity, Competition & Consumer, Contract, Corporate Insolvency & Bankruptcy, Corporations, Insurance, Intellectual Property, International, Judicial Review & Administrative, Land Law & Property, Resources & Energy, Succession.

CASES

CRG [2019] QCAT

June 2019, Professional Discipline & Regulatory

John Hopkins Financial Services Pty Ltd v De Lene & Anor [2018] QDC 252

December 2018, Contract

Johnson v Minister for Home Affairs [2018] FCA 1940

November 2018, Judicial Review & Administrative

Oceltip Pty Ltd v Noble Resources Pte Ltd & Ors [2018] QSC 317

September 2018, Resources & Energy, Judicial Review & Administrative

Johnson v George [2018] QSC 140

June 2018, Succession

Garda Capital Ltd v Herron Todd White (Sydney) Pty Ltd [2018] QSC 079

April 2018, Contract

Bexalaw Pty Ltd (in liq) (David J) [2018] 3 Qd R 322

February 2018, Corporate Insolvency & Bankruptcy

Bloomfield & Grainger & Anor [2018] QSC 013

January 2018, Corporate Insolvency & Bankruptcy, Land Law & Property

Tri-Star Petroleum Company v Australia Pacific LNG Pty Ltd [2017] QSC 136

June 2017, Resources & Energy

Ennis v Credit Union Australia [2017] FCCA 549

March 2017, Competition & Consumer

Mouglalis v Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Ltd [2017] FCAFC 47

March 2017, Appellate, Corporate Insolvency & Bankruptcy

Grainger & Bloomfield [2015] FamCA 32

January 2017, Corporate Insolvency & Bankruptcy, Land Law & Property

Oceltip Pty Ltd v Noble Resources Pte Ltd [2016] QSC 246

October 2016, Resources & Energy

Sanderson v Bank of Queensland Ltd [2016] QCA 137

May 2016, Appellate, Competition & Consumer, International, Judicial Review & Administrative

Bradshaw v Griffiths [2016] QCA 20

February 2016, Appellate, Land Law & Property

Grainger & Bloomfield [2015] FamCAFC 221

November 2015, Corporate Insolvency & Bankruptcy, Land Law & Property

FKP Residential Developments Pty Ltd v the Body Corporate for Ridges Peregian Springs [2015] QCATA 141

September 2015, Appellate, Judicial Review & Administrative, Land Law & Property

Re Bulwinkel Enterprises Pty Ltd [2015] QSC 112

May 2015, Corporate Insolvency & Bankruptcy, Corporations

Donzenac Pty Ltd v MCV Enviroworks Pty Ltd [2015] FCA 361

April 2015, Intellectual Property

Promoseven Pty Ltd v Markey, in the matter of Bluechip Development Corporation (Cairns) Pty Ltd (in Liquidation) (Receivers and Managers Appointed) [2015] FCAFC 12

February 2015, Appellate, Corporate Insolvency & Bankruptcy, Corporations

***Julstar Pty Ltd v Hart Trading Pty Ltd* [2014] FCAFC 151**

November 2014, Appellate, Competition & Consumer

***J M Kelly (Project Builders) Pty Ltd v Toga Development No. 31 Pty Ltd (No 6)* [2014] QSC 262**

October 2014, Building & Construction, Contract

***Promoseven Pty Ltd v Markey, in the matter of Bluechip Development Corporation (Cairns) Pty Ltd (in Liquidation) (Receivers and Managers Appointed)* [2013] FCA 1281**

November 2013, Corporate Insolvency & Bankruptcy, Corporations

***Filmana Pty Ltd v Tynan* [2018] QCA 256**

September 2013, Appellate, Contract

***AWX Constructions Pty Ltd v IDH Modular Pty Ltd & Anor* [2013] QSC 218**

August 2013, Building & Construction, Contract

***Bank of Queensland Ltd v Chartis Australia Insurance Ltd* [2013] QCA 183**

July 2013, Appellate, Insurance

***Citypoint (Hotels) Pty Ltd v AIB Pty Limited* [2012] QCA 126**

May 2012, Contract, Land Law & Property

***Julstar Pty Ltd v Hart Trading Pty Ltd* [2013] FCA 1359**

May 2012, Competition & Consumer

***Essential Beauty Franchising Pty Ltd v Essential Beauty (Qld) Pty Ltd* [2012] FCA 12**

January 2012, Contract

***Walker v Government of the Republic of Vanuatu* [2011] FCAFC 138**

November 2011, Appellate, International

***McElligott v Boyce* [2011] QCA 117**

June 2011, Corporate Insolvency & Bankruptcy

***Swanbank Industrial Park Pty Ltd & Anor v RD Catelan Investments Pty Ltd as trustee for RDC Trust & Anor* [2010] QSC 354**

September 2010, Land Law & Property

EXPERIENCE

Matthew has acted in disputes in the fields of banking, construction, mining, oil and gas, insolvency, bankruptcy, real property, contract, commercial, insurance, franchising (for both franchisors and franchisees), class action, intellectual property (patents, trademarks, copyright and confidential information), body corporate, trade

practices, trust and guardianship.

Matthew's recent and ongoing work includes:

- Acting in *Tri-Star Petroleum Company v Australia Pacific LNG Pty Ltd*(BS10110/14) (claims concerning entitlements in petroleum leases, led by A Pomeranke QC and D Clothier QC).
- Acting in *Oceltip Pty Ltd v Noble Resources Pte Ltd*(BS3899/15) (contractual claims in relation to mining royalties, led by A Crowe QC).
- Acted in *Burdett-Baker v Turner* (BS11046/14) (recovery proceedings by liquidators, formerly led by S Brown QC (as she then was)).
- An appointment by the Queensland Civil and Administrative Tribunal to act as independent representative of an Adult whose capacity is under challenge (pro bono, unled).
- Acted in *Westpac Banking Corporation v Stirling & Ors* (BS1848/13) (pro bono, acting in multi-party recovery proceedings, leading C Curtis).
- Various recovery proceedings on behalf of lenders, including *Bank of Queensland Ltd v Sanderson* (BD2801/14), *Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Ltd v Clark* (BD4793/13), *Provident Capital Ltd (recrs and mgrs. apt) v Holland*(BS1385/2014), *Credit Union Australia Ltd v Ennis* (BRG7/2016).
- Appearing for a bank in multiple actions arising from the collapse of Storm Financial, including actions commenced by ASIC and a class action proceeding (led by A Crowe QC and S Couper QC).

RECOMMENDATIONS

Doyle's Guide to the Australian Legal Profession

2019 – 'Leading' Junior for Arbitration (National)

2019 – 'Leading' junior for Commercial Litigation and 'Recommended' junior for Insolvency & Restructuring (Queensland)

2018 – 'Leading' Junior for Arbitration (National)

2018 – 'Leading' Junior Counsel for Insolvency (Queensland)

2018 – 'Leading' Junior Counsel for Commercial Litigation (Queensland)

2017 – 'Recommended' Junior Counsel for Commercial Litigation (Queensland)

2017 – 'Leading' Junior for Insolvency (Queensland)

2017 – 'Recommended' Junior for Insolvency (National)

2017 – 'Leading' Junior for Arbitration (National)

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2020 – Listed for Insolvency and Reorganisation Law

APPOINTMENTS

Nationally Accredited Mediator

Chair of the Queensland Legal Assistance Forum: Bar Association of Queensland nominee; Member of the Mental Health Service Planning Working Group

President of LawRight Inc (previously the Queensland Public Interest Law Clearing House / QPILCH): Immediate past Treasurer and Secretary; Elected barrister member of the Management Committee; Regular presenter at Community Legal Centre Continuing Legal Education Seminars and student training clinics; Regular acceptor of pro bono referrals through various schemes; Co-organiser of the Magistrates Court Enforcement Hearing Duty Lawyer Scheme; Federal Court Self Representation Service Mentoring Reference Group member; Volunteer Fair Work Commission Conciliator

Member of the Bar Association of Queensland Pro Bono Committee

Honorary Solicitor to the Sri Lanka Society of Queensland Inc

MEMBER

Professional Member of the Resolution Institute (Nationally Accredited Mediator)

Member of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators

Member of the International Institute of Space Law

Member of AMPLA

CAREER

2009-present Barrister

2006-2009 Solicitor (Tucker & Cowen)

EDUCATION

2020 University of Melbourne, Candidate for Master of Laws by Coursework

2018 Certificate in Adjudication (pursuant to the Building and Construction Industry Payments Act 2004)

2017 Professional Certificate in Arbitration (Adelaide)

2016-2017 CiArb, Diploma in International Commercial Arbitration

2005 University of Queensland, Bachelor of Laws (Honours IIA)

2004 Monash University, Master of Diplomacy and Trade

2002 University of Queensland, Bachelor of Arts (Double Major in German)

AWARDS

2017 Professional Certificate in Arbitration Achievement of Excellence Award

2004 Monash University Prize for Top Graduating Student in Master of Diplomacy and Trade

2004 University of Queensland, Vice Chancellor's Scholarship

2004 French Department of Foreign Affairs Student Exchange Scholarship

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