

DR HOLGER RONALD SORENSEN

Educational Qualifications

1981 Ph.D. in Law - University of Melbourne.
1974 LL.M.(Hons) - Victoria, University of Wellington.
1972 Law Professional - University of Auckland.
1971 LL.B. - University of Otago.

Professional Qualifications & Appointments

1999 Adjunct Professor, Faculty of Law, University of Technology, Sydney.
1995 Barrister and solicitor of the Supreme Court of Samoa.
1990 Barrister and solicitor of the Supreme Court of the Australian Capital Territory.
1984 Barrister of the Supreme Court of New South Wales.
1981 FITA (Taxation Institute of Australia)
1978 Barrister and solicitor of the Supreme Court of Victoria.
1972 Barrister and solicitor of the Supreme Court (now High Court) of New Zealand.

Professional Experience

1984 to present

Barrister, Sydney bar. Advocacy (in all superior courts) and advising primarily in revenue law (stamp duties, land tax, payroll tax, income tax, sales tax, CGT, GST). Other areas of practise include, administrative law, trusts, equity and commercial.

1983- 1984

Senior Solicitor (Investigations), Special Prosecutor's Office, Sydney (Gyles QC - now Justice Gyles of the Federal Court). Senior staff solicitor responsible for the directing and managing of investigations into "bottom of the harbour" tax schemes.

1980-1983

Partner, Melbourne commercial law firm, Messrs King, Jayasinghe & Sorensen.

1978-1980

Full-time Ph.D. student at University of Melbourne. Consultant to Melbourne law firm, Messrs. King & Jayasinghe.

1974-1978

Crown Counsel, Crown Law Office, Wellington. One of 11 Crown Counsel; practised in the criminal (primarily appeals) and civil jurisdictions; principal area of practice - revenue law.

1972-1974

Solicitor, Inland Revenue Department, Head Office, Wellington.

1971-1972

Officer, Inland Revenue Department, Auckland.

General

Co-editor of *Hills Duties Legislation* (published by Thomson ATP) since 2006.

Part-time lecturer (post-graduate programme) in stamp duties law and landtax, Faculty of Law, University of Sydney, since 2005.

Part-time lecturer (post-graduate programme), in taxation law subjects, Faculty of Law, University of Technology, Sydney since 1990.

Sometime part-time lecturer (post-graduate and under-graduate classes) at the University of New South Wales, the University of Melbourne and Monash University.

Contributor of articles published in *Taxation in Australia*, the *Law Society Journal* and *Australian Tax Review*, and occasional presenter at Taxation Institute and College of Law seminars.