

EVAN WALKER

Education

- 1999 Awarded Dean's Certificate in Macroeconomics and Microeconomics (University of Newcastle)
- 2001 Bachelor of Commerce (Major: Financial Accounting) University of Newcastle
- 2003 Bachelor of Laws University of Newcastle
- 2008 Insolvency Practitioners Association of Australia Insolvency Education Program incorporating postgraduate Advanced Insolvency Law University of Southern Queensland

Professional Qualifications

- 2004 Admitted to the Roll of Practitioners in the Supreme Court of NSW
- 2004 Admitted to the Roll of Practitioners in the High Court of Australia
- 2004 Postgraduate Diploma in Legal Practice (College of Law)
- 2010 Admitted to the NSW Bar

Professional Experience

- 2004 to 2010: Senior Commercial Litigation Lawyer at Turnbull Hill Lawyers
- 2010 onward: Barrister practicing from Ground Floor Wentworth Chambers

Additional Professional Activities:

- 2005 Tribunal member of the Hunter and Central Coast AFL
- 2006 Director of the Hunter and Central Coast AFL
- 2004 to 2007 Director of the Newcastle and Hunter Junior Business Chamber
- 2007 to 2009 Hunter and Central Coast AFL Independent Arbitrator on Appeals
- 2011 Macquarie University Law School Competitions Adjudicator

Areas of Legal Practice and Experience

Corporate Insolvency: Setting aside statutory demands; Contested winding up applications; Recovery of voidable transactions; Insolvent trading; Advising liquidators and security holders; Reinstatement of deregistered companies; Director examinations; Termination of winding up; Appointment of provisional liquidators and administrators; Applications to the court by liquidators

Personal Insolvency: Setting aside bankruptcy notices; Contested petitions; Recovery of voidable transactions; Advising trustees and creditors; Examinations of bankrupts and associates

Company Law: Directors duties; Shareholder oppression

Revenue: Director Penalty Notices; Staying enforcement proceedings pending review of assessment; Insolvency litigation arising from taxation liability

Property: Mortgages and securities; Caveats; Mortgage possession proceedings and Contracts Review Act; Appointments of trustees for the sale of jointly owned property; Disputes arising from contracts for sale of land

Equity: Partnership disputes; Injunctions; Appointment of receivers; Trusts; Trustee and fiduciary duties; Succession

Commercial: Insurance; Professional negligence; Contractual disputes; Debt recovery; Guarantees

Building and Construction: Home owners warranty insurance; Security of payments; Construction and design disputes involving professional negligence

Trade Practices: Misleading and deceptive conduct claims; Consumer protection; Unfair contracts