

DANA LEVI

Barrister

ADMISSIONS

2020 Barrister

2009 Solicitor

EDUCATION

Present Master of Laws (Tax), University of Sydney

2008 Bachelor of Arts/Bachelor of Laws (Hons), University of New South Wales
Thomson Legal and Regulatory Prize for Best Performance in Contracts
Senior Mooting Champion and Best Speaker
Junior Mooting Champion
Vis International Commercial Arbitration Moot

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2020 - present Barrister

2018-2019 Senior Associate, Mills Oakley

2010-2017 Solicitor, Atanaskovic Hartnell

2008-2010 Solicitor/Law Clerk, Mallesons Stephen Jaques

SELECT CASES (AS A BARRISTER)

- Acting for the Office of the Legal Services Commissioner in appeal proceedings concerning allegations of professional misconduct: *Council of the New South Wales Bar Association v EFA (a pseudonym)* [2021] NSWCA 339 (New South Wales Court of Appeal, led by T Wong SC).
- Acting for an individual in complex commercial dispute against an incorporated association involving rectification of lease, estoppel, building defects, misleading and deceptive conduct, restitutionary and quantum meruit claims (Supreme Court of New South Wales, led by A Cheshire SC) (ongoing).
- Acting for thoroughbred horse broker defending breaches of the managed investment scheme provisions in the *Corporations Act: Stewart v Spicer Thoroughbreds Pty Ltd* [2022] NSWSC 558 (Supreme Court of New South Wales, led by M Izzo SC).
- Acting for defendant in respect of costs: *Stewart v Spicer Thoroughbreds Pty Ltd* [2022] NSWSC 637 (Supreme Court of New South Wales, unled).
- Acting for Mercedes Benz franchise dealers in proceedings against Mercedes Benz Australia in respect of shift to agency model introduced in 2022: *AHG WA (2015) Pty Ltd v Mercedes-Benz*

Australia/Pacific Pty Ltd (Federal Court of Australia, led by Tim Castle SC and C Parkinson SC) (ongoing).

- Acting for high wealth individual with international tax structure preparing response to ATO position paper (led by K Deards SC and E Kovacs) (ongoing).
- Acting for law firm in debt recovery proceedings against former clients alleging negligence and breach of disclosure obligations including application to set aside default judgment: *Atanaskovic Hartnell v Australian Style Group Pty Ltd* [2021] NSWDC 471 (District Court, unled).
- Acting for company in action against its former directors for breach of duties: *Forge Group Ltd (in liq) v Hutchinson and Ors* (Supreme Court of NSW, led by C Withers SC and A Hochroth) (settled).
- Acting for construction and asset manager in contractual dispute related to large solar farm project (Successful outcome in expert determination before John Sheahan QC, led by D Sulan SC).
- Acting for liquidators to obtain leave to continue under the cross-vesting legislation: *Andrew Sallway and Helen Newman in their capacity as liquidators of MB Australia Pty Ltd (In Liquidation) v Citadel Group Properties Pty Ltd* [2021] NSWSC 709 (Supreme Court of New South Wales, led by D Sulan SC).