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AREAS OF PRACTICE

- Employment & Industrial
- Personal Injury
- Discrimination
- Workplace Health & Safety
- Commercial Disputes
- Administrative & Regulatory

QUALIFICATIONS

- 2005 Bachelor of Laws/Bachelor of Arts (First Class Honours)
Australian National University
- 2014 Master of Laws (*cum laude*)
University of Groningen (Netherlands)

EXPERIENCE

- 2021 Admitted to the Bar
- April 2016 –
July 2021 **HWL Ebsworth Lawyers**
Senior Associate/Special Counsel – *Workplace Relations & Safety*
Conducted litigation in the Fair Work Commission and Federal Courts, advised on employment issues (termination, transfer of business, enterprise agreements, executive employment), conducted workplace investigations.
- Nov 2011 –
March 2013 **Maxim Litigation Consultants/Lavan Legal**
Solicitor/Senior Associate – *Major Litigation*
Acted in significant commercial/contractual disputes involving the resources sector, in the WA Supreme Court, Federal Courts and private arbitration.
- April 2010 –
Nov 2011 **Office of the Fair Work Ombudsman**
Lawyer
Conducted prosecutions in Federal Courts for contraventions of the *Fair Work Act 2009* (Cth)
- October 2006 –
March 2010 **Mallesons Stephen Jaques**
Solicitor – *Litigation and Dispute Resolution*
Acted for insurers in workers compensation, public liability and medical negligence proceedings in the ACT Courts.
- 2006 Admitted to practice in the Supreme Court of the ACT
- Recognised in *Best Lawyers* (Australia) 2021 & 2022 – Litigation

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