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Significant Trials (As Lead Counsel)

Weddall and Ors v Rasier Pacific Pty Ltd and Uber BV (VID 427/2021) (**Opposite Ruth Higgins SC, Rebecca Gall, Andrew Pollock, Bronte Lambourne**, 6 hearing days, 6 witnesses, judgment reserved)

Roohizadegan v Technology One Limited [2025] FCA 1619 (**Opposite Stuart Wood AM KC, Eddy Gisonda SC, Paul Jefferys**, 30 hearing days, 19 witnesses)

Media articles: “*TechOne founder to face grilling over \$80m bullying claim*”, Australian Financial Review, 7 April 2025, “*Tech veteran tells court sacking ‘could have been handled better’*”, the Australian, 9 April 2025.

Sydney Subdivision (in liq) v Chow (NSD309/2020) (**Opposite Bernie Coles SC, Michelle Castle**, 6 hearing days, 4 witnesses, judgment reserved)

Anglo American Investments Pty Ltd (Trustee) v Commissioner of Taxation [2022] FCA 971 (**Opposite Kristina Stern SC** (now Stern JA), **Julianne Jaques** (Now Jaques KC), **Courtney Ensor**, 15 hearing days, 6 witnesses)

Melbourne Corporation v Commissioner of Taxation [2022] FCA 972 (**Opposite Kristina Stern SC** (now Stern JA), **Julianne Jaques** (now Jaques KC), **Courtney Ensor**), 11 hearing days, 4 witnesses)

LLUN and Commissioner of Taxation [2017] AATA 3058 (**Opposite David McGovern SC and Reg Graycar**, 19 hearing days, 16 witnesses)

Normandy Finance Pty Ltd v Commissioner of Taxation [2015] FCA 1420 (**Opposite David McGovern SC, Julianne Jaques** (now Jaques KC), **Jill Gatland**, 16 hearing days, 12 witnesses)

Morrison v Commissioner of Taxation [2015] AATA 114 (**Opposite David McGovern SC**, 5 hearing days, 4 witnesses)

Fitzroy Services Pty Ltd v Commissioner of Taxation [2013] FCA 471 (**Opposite David McGovern SC and Jaqueline Gleeson** (now Gleeson J), 5 hearing days, 4 witnesses)

Russell Gould Pty Ltd v Ramangkura [2013] NSWSC 1114 (**Opposite Ben Katekar** (now Katekar SC), and Peter O’Loughlin, 5 hearing days, 5 witnesses)

Appellate (As Lead Counsel)

Farrell v Super Retail Group Limited (Application for Leave to Appeal Suppression Orders) [2025] FCA 170 (**Opposite Mathew Follett KC, Zoe Hillman, Daniel Ward**)

Gumm v Commissioner of Taxation [2025] FCA 1603 (Opposite **Julianne Jaques KC, Courtney Ensor**) (Application for Leave to Appeal Evidence on Commission)

Ashby v Commonwealth of Australia [2022] FCAFC 77 (**Opposite Joanna Davidson** (now Davidson SC) and **Leigh Howard**)

Addy v Federal Commissioner of Taxation ('the Backpacker Case') (2021) 273 CLR 613 (**Opposite Stephen Lloyd SC, Gim Del Villar QC**)

Anglo American Investments Pty Ltd v Commissioner of Taxation (Application for Leave to Appeal) [2021] FCA 1253 (**Opposite Kristina Stern SC** (now Stern JA), **Courtney Ensor**)

Commissioner of Taxation v Addy [2020] FCAFC 135 (Opposite **Stephen Lloyd SC, Gim Del Villar QC**)

Stallion (NSW) Pty Ltd v Commissioner of Taxation (Application for leave to appeal) [2020] FCA 554 (**Opposite Michelle Hirschhorn, Tom Arnold**)

Frangieh v Deputy Commissioner of Taxation [2018] NSWCA 337 (**Opposite Robert Weber SC and Stephanie Patterson**)

Anglo American Investments Pty Ltd v Deputy Commissioner of Taxation [2017] NSWCA 17 (**Opposite David McGovern SC and Julianne Jaques** (now Jaques KC))

Commissioner of Taxation v McGrouther [2015] FCAFC 34 (**Opposite Tony Slater QC, Michael O'Meara** (now O'Meara SC) and **David Thomas** (now Thomas SC))

Auzcare Pty Ltd v Idameneo (No 123) Pty Ltd [2015] NSWCA 412 (**Opposite Yaseen Shariff** (now Shariff J))

Allan J Heasman Pty Ltd v Commissioner of Taxation [2015] FCAFC 119 (**Opposite Michael O'Meara** (now O'Meara SC))

Millar v Commissioner of Taxation [2015] FCA 1104 (**Opposite David McGovern SC**)

Hua Wang Bank v Commissioner of Taxation [2013] FCAFC 28 (**Opposite Michael Wigney SC** (now Wigney J))

Steele v Marshan [2012] NSWCA 141 (**Opposite Elizabeth Peden** (now Peden J))

Dreamtech International Pty Ltd v Commissioner of Taxation [2010] FCAFC 103
(**Opposite Eugene Wheelahan** (now Wheelahan KC))

Notable first instance matters (As Lead Counsel)

Pigozzo v Mineral Resources Ltd and Christopher Ellison (various interlocutory disputes through until settlement (inter alia, *Pigozzo v Mineral Resources Ltd (No.2)* [2023] FCA 1489, *Pigozzo v Mineral Resources (No 3)* [2025] FCA 1142 (**Opposite Noel Hutley SC, James Lockhart SC, Ben Kremer SC**))

Media articles: “*MinRes and Steven Pigozzo end lengthy legal fight*”, The West Australian, 29 July 2024, “ ‘Enough Weasel Words’: “*Top silk joins Ellison’s legal team in row*”, Brisbane Times, 7 February 2024

Burrows v The Ship 'Merlion' [2024] FCA 220 (**Opposite Edward Cox SC, Charles Street**)

Bolink & Ors v Oriental Limited [2021] WSSC 53 (**Opposite Jeremy Kirk SC** (now Kirk JA) and **TJ Boyle**, in the Supreme Court of Samoa)

LHRC v Deputy Commissioner of Taxation and Anor (No 3) [2015] FCA 52 (**Opposite Des Fagan SC** (Now Fagan J), **Sashi Maharaj QC, Kate Morgan** (now SC) and **R Prince**)

Chemical Trustee Limited and Commissioner of Taxation [2013] AATA 62 (**Opposite Anna Mitchelmore** (now Mitchelmore JA))

Notable first instance matters (With leader)

In the matter of OneSteel Manufacturing Pty Limited (administrators appointed) [2017] NSWSC 21 (Led by **Noel Hutley SC**)

Hua Wang Bank Berhad v Commissioner of Taxation [2014] FCA 1392 (Led by **Rashelle Seiden SC**)

Appellate (With leader, excluding leave applications)

Gould v Commissioner of Taxation [2017] FCAFC 1 (Led by **Noel Hutley SC**)

Bywater Investments Limited v Commissioner of Taxation (2016) 260 CLR 391 (Led by **Noel Hutley SC**)

Commissioner of Taxation v Normandy Finance and Investments Asia Pty Ltd [2016] FCAFC 180 (Led by **Simon Steward QC** (Now Steward J))

Seymour v Commissioner of Taxation [2016] FCAFC 18 (Led by **Noel Hutley SC**)

Millar v Commissioner of Taxation [2016] FCAFC 94 (Led by **Noel Hutley SC**)

LHRC v Deputy Commissioner of Taxation [2015] FCAFC 184 (Led by **Phil Corbett QC**)

Bywater Investments Ltd v Commissioner of Taxation [2015] FCAFC 176 (Led by **John de Wijn QC**)

Chemical Trustee Limited v DCT [2014] FCAFC 27 (Led by **David Jackson QC**)

Russell Gould Pty Ltd v Ramangkura [2014] NSWCA (Led by **Robert Dubler SC**)

Southgate Investment Funds Limited v DCT [2013] FCAFC 10 (Led by **Rashelle Seiden** (later Seiden SC))

American Express Wholesale Currency Services v Commissioner of Taxation [2011] HCATrans 26 and 114 (11 February and 4 May 2011)¹ (Led by **Tony Slater QC**)

Hua Wang Bank Berhad v Deputy Commissioner of Taxation [2010] FCAFC 140 (Led by **Rashelle Seiden** (later Seiden SC))

¹ Special leave denied after two days of oral argument