

Zoë Hillman

Barrister

Admissions	Barrister: 2013 Solicitor: 2001
Qualifications	LLM (Corporate and Commercial Law) (UNSW): 2007 BA/LLB (UNSW): 2000
Professional experience	2013 – present: Barrister, New South Wales Bar 2009 – 2013: Partner Deutsch Miller, Corporate and Commercial Lawyers 2006 – 2009: Partner (2007 – 2009), Senior Associate (2006 – 2007) Atanaskovic Hartnell 2001 – 2006: Senior Associate (2005 – 2006), Solicitor (2001 – 2005) Mallesons Stephen Jaques (now King & Wood Mallesons)
Areas of practice	Banking & Finance Law Commercial Law Competition & Consumer Law Corporations Law Equity Insolvency Property Regulatory Investigations and Inquiries Representative proceedings

Summary

Zoë appears, both led and unled, in a wide range of commercial litigation cases, regulatory investigations and inquiries. Her clients include banks and their executives, insurers, insolvency practitioners, trustees, public and private companies and the directors, officers and members of management of corporate entities. Zoë's practice includes both large-scale, complex litigation as well as smaller matters in which she has regularly appeared unled in both the Supreme Court of New South Wales and Federal Court of Australia.

Zoë has been recommended in Doyle's Guide as Leading Commercial Litigation and Dispute Resolution Junior Counsel and Leading Insolvency and Reconstruction Junior Counsel. Prior to being called to the Bar, she was recommended as a solicitor for Dispute Resolution work in Chambers Global and the Legal 500 (Asia Pacific).

Zoë is committed to fostering fairness, equity and diversity in the practice of law. She is a member of the New South Wales Bar Association's Diversity and Equality Committee.

Sample list of matters in which Zoe has appeared or in which she is currently briefed include the following:

Royal Commission of Inquiry into Misconduct in the Banking, Superannuation and Financial Services Industry

Appearing for the Commonwealth Bank of Australia Limited.

Led by C Scerri QC (Rounds 1- 5), J Karkar QC (Round 6) and SG Finch SC (Round 7)

Representative Proceedings, Product Liability

Stanford & Anor v DePuy International Ltd & Anor

Federal Court proceedings no. NSD213/2011 (matter settled post trial: *Stanford & Anor v DePuy (No. 6)* [2016] FCA 1452).

Led by J Sheahan QC and with NM Bender

Gill & Ors v Ethicon Sàrl & Anor

Federal Court proceedings no. NSD1590/2012 (judgment reserved)

Led by AJL Bannon SC and DE Graham SC and with A Naylor and C Colquhoun.

Sanda v PTTEP Australasia (Ashmore Cartier) Pty Ltd

Federal Court proceedings no. NSD 1245 of 2016 (ongoing)

Led by KC Morgan SC and with V Bosnjak

Philipsen v American Medical Systems LLC

Federal Court proceedings no. 35 of 2018. (ongoing)

Led by DE Graham SC

Evidence, legal professional privilege

Hastie Group (in liq) v Moore & Ors

[2016] NSWCA 305

Led by NM Bender

Estates, trusts, equity

Lowe & Anor v Pascoe & Ors

Supreme Court proceedings no. 262284 of 2005 (ongoing)

Led by J Stoljar SC

Corporations Law, Directors' Duties, Equity, Insolvency

Allco Funds Management Ltd ((receivers & managers apptd) (in liq)) v Trust Co (RE Services) Ltd (in its capacity as responsible entity and trustee of the Australian Wholesale Property Fund)

[2014] NSWSC 1251

Led by J Sheahan QC and with J Hewitt.

Citizen Kane Advertising and Design Pty Ltd (Atf Kane Family Trust) v Health One Plus Pty Ltd
[2014] NSWSC 1880
Unled.

Criminal Law, Corporations Law

In the matter of the Australian Securities and Investments Commission v Black
Led by T Game SC.

Banking and Finance Law, Property and Equity

National Australia Bank Limited v Melhem & Ors
Supreme Court proceedings 127549 of 2014 (matter settled).
Acting for National Australia Bank Limited in relation to securities enforcement.
Unled.

Regulatory investigations

Zoë has appeared for numerous directors and officers in compulsory examinations undertaken by the Australian Securities and Investments Commission.