

DENNIS WILSON

Dennis Paul Wilson:

Adjunct Professor in Alternate Dispute Resolution and Administrative Law at Notre Dame University.

LLM, FCIarb, GAICD, IMI Certified Mediator, CEDR Certified Mediator, Dip. Int Comm Arb. Independent Mediator and Arbitrator, NMAS..

Profession

Barrister at Law in Australia

Admitted to practice 1978.

Singapore – fully registered to practice Foreign Law as a Foreign Lawyer in the Singapore International Commercial Court.

Independent Mediator and Arbitrator including in International Commercial Arbitration. Advisor on Corporate Governance.

Areas of Interest

Regulatory and compliance law.

Policy development and formulation including legislative review, license, permit and approval processes in the mining and resources industry.

Environmental Law, International Environmental Law, Corporate Social Responsibility, Corporate Governance, Mediation, Arbitration in all areas of dispute resolution and litigation including International Commercial Arbitration, Expert Determination, Local Government,

UNIVERSITY ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS

University of Sydney Law School:

Master of Laws – LLM (Hons 1 Eq.)

International Commercial Arbitration,

Mediation Theory and Skills,

Environmental Law in the Asia-Pacific Region,

International Environmental Law,

Global Energy and Resources Law,

International Law II,

Environmentally Sustainable Business,
Business Law in China.

Master of Laws (Business Law) (current) -

Corporate Social Responsibility,
Advanced Director's Duties,
Investment Law in Asia,
Principles of the Law of Trusts,
World Trade Organisation Dispute Resolution,
Commercial Law Fundamentals
Principles of the Common Law
Oil and Gas Contracts.

Diploma in Criminology.

Diploma in Law

Murdoch University (Perth, Western Australia):

Master of Business Administration (MBA) (current)
Post Graduate Certificate in Construction Law.

Bond University (Queensland).

Post Graduate Certificate in Family Dispute Resolution

Harvard University (USA)

Mediation and Negotiation Program.

Vrije Universiteit Brussel (Belgium)

Brussels Diplomatic Academy, Investor State Arbitration Masterclass:
Investment Arbitration.

PROFESSIONAL BODIES

Singapore International Commercial Court

Registered under the Legal Practitioner's Legislation to practice foreign law.

Institute of Arbitrators and Mediators Australia (now the Resolution Institute).

Mediation theory and skills program and accreditation

National Mediation Accreditation (NMAS) - Australia

Accredited Mediator.

Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (United Kingdom).

Diploma in International Commercial Arbitration (Dip.Int Comm Arb)

Fellow (FCIarb)

International Mediation Institute (IMI)

Certified Mediator obtained in Brussels 2014 recognising expertise in Multi-cultural and cross-border mediation.

Centre for Effective Dispute Resolution (Cedr)

Certified Mediator obtained in Singapore recognizing expertise in Multi-cultural and cross-border mediation.

Australian Institute of Company Directors

Graduate (GAICD).

International Company Directors Program Abu Dhabi.

New South Wales Bar Association

Member.

Accredited Mediator, Arbitrator and Expert Determiner – impanelled - Supreme, District and Local Courts.

American Society of International Law

Member

British Institute of International and Comparative Law

Member.

Association for International Arbitration (AIA) – EMTPJ Brussels 2014

Civil and Commercial Mediation – accredited mediator and empaneled arbitrator.

Accredited Mediator

Office of the Franchise Mediation Advisor – impanelled mediator

COURT MEDIATION AND ARBITRATION PANELS

Supreme Court of New South Wales

Mediator

District Court of New South Wales.

Mediator

Arbitrator.

Local Court of New South Wales

Mediator

Arbitrator.

Association for International Arbitration

Arbitrator

STATEMENT

2015 completed a paid consultancy which included a review of legislation in Mongolia in the extractive and resources sector, the development of policy and policy recommendations for the development of transparency and disclosure based on the public interest in that sector.

Retained as a consultant/expert to advise on the development of an environmental code in Cambodia.

My specialty at the Bar is advocacy, arbitration, mediation and advising in my areas of interest.

I am an Expert Assessor at the Vienna International Mediation and Negotiation Competition under CDRC.

I have engaged in mediation and arbitration both as mediator, arbitrator or as advocate for parties engaged in those processes in many cases since 1978.

My experience in mediation ranges over a wide variety of matters including commercial, environmental, building and construction, tort claims, workers compensation claims, wills and estate administration, family law property issues and similar.

I was the appointed arbitrator in a number of commercial arbitrations under the New South Wales and the Victorian Commercial Arbitration Acts.

The Land and Environment Court of New South Wales implements successfully its statutory conciliation, arbitration and mediation services and I have participated in numerous mediations and conciliations under the Court's legislation.

My interests in Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) flow from the recognition that CSR should be understood, known to and implemented as an important and lawful consideration by corporations and by States whose policies might include principles of CSR as an important consideration in granting consents, leases, licenses, permits or property rights for the exploitation of resources and in respect of other commercial/industrial undertakings. A firm understanding of domestic and international environmental law and issues is

crucial for the purpose of a responsible and meaningful recognition of corporate social responsibility.

My interest in Corporate Governance flows from the requirement of corporate good governance for the purpose of the implementation of responsible corporate policy and strategy.

I was retained for the purpose of reporting and advising on corporate governance and oversight of 2 governmental and semi-governmental authorities in Australia in respect of State's water resources, their discovery, exploitation, protection and distribution. .

I have been an advocate in hundreds of cases concerning development and general environmental law, including reviews of administrative decisions. I am familiar with the formulation, implementation and application of environmental law and policy, both domestically and internationally. I have acted in matters concerning Indigenous land rights and claims.

I recognize and understand principles of environmentally sustainable development and I have advised Governments and Corporates.

I am an occasional lecturer in mediation skills and theory and arbitration, including international commercial arbitration, at University of Sydney Law School and the University of Technology Sydney.

My particular interest in arbitration is the comparative differences in the rules of various institutions and the possibility of the application of universal rules both in form, substance and application. The negotiation of numerous investment treaties in the Asia/Pacific region calls for closer attention to commercial arbitration and investor/state arbitration in those respects.