



Roy Siciliano

Lawyer

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Professional qualifications and admissions

- 1984, Admission as a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of NSW
- 1984, Solicitor pre-admission course *College of Law*
- 1983, Bachelor of Laws *University of Sydney*

Career history

- 2016 – 2017, ICR Legal
- 2014 – 2016, Commonwealth Bank of Australia, including Bankwest
- 2012 – 2013, Gadens Lawyers
- 2008 – 2012, Deacons Lawyers, later Norton Rose
- 2006 – 2008, Galilee Solicitors
- 2000 – 2006, Tzovaras Yandell, later Wright Stell
- 1988 -1996, Laurence & Laurence Solicitors

General experience overview

Roy is an insightful, results-focused commercial lawyer specialising in finance, property and commercial transactions for corporate, SME and individual clients. He has also acted for various banks and financial institutions in lending, recoveries and insolvency transactions and providing general advice over 25 years in private legal practice.

In addition, Roy spent some 4 and a half years as an in-house counsel with one of Australia's Big Four banks, including a role as the senior lawyer in that bank's procurement department.

Major transactions and achievements

Prior to joining Assured, Roy was involved in many substantial transactions including the following:

- Advising on regulated and unregulated credit, both transactional and non-transactional:
 - in private practice when he acted for Adelaide Bank (as it then was) and a number of other lenders from the mid-1990's to around 2007; and
 - in his role as in-house counsel at Bankwest.
- Acting for a large, national radiology group in relation to a \$50 million facility from a major bank.
- Acting for a major bank in relation to a \$40 million receivables financing facility to a software distributor.
- Acting for a second-tier bank in relation to a \$20 million aged care facility construction advance.
- Acting in a team representing a major Australian financial institution's \$232 million acquisition of a South Australian Schools PPP.
- Heading a large team of lawyers and paralegals acting for a range of lenders in the SMSF lending space.
- Creating from scratch and / or significantly expanding mortgage lending practices at various firms.



Memberships and associations

- 1984 – present, Law Society of New South Wales

Recognition and awards

Whilst an internal legal counsel at Bankwest, Roy was nominated on 6 occasions by Bankwest colleagues (internal clients) as a “Bankwest Hero” for, among other things, “going above and beyond to provide practical legal solutions”, being approachable and adopting a “one-team”, collaborative approach. These awards were categorized as follows: Simplicity & Customers Award; Customer Experience Award (x2); and People & Culture & Customers Award (x3).

