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Professional qualifications and admissions

- 2007, Advanced Insolvency Law and Practice
Queensland University of Technology
- 2007, ARITA Insolvency Education Programme
- 2006, Admission as a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of NSW
- Graduate Diploma of Legal Practice
University of Newcastle
- 2005, Bachelor of Laws
University of Newcastle
- Bachelor of Arts
University of Newcastle

Career history

- 2018 – present: Assured Legal Solutions
- 2016 – 2018: King & Wood Mallesons
- 2006 – 2016: Norton Rose Fulbright Australia

General experience overview

Kirk's areas of expertise include corporate restructuring and insolvency, transactions and disputes. With over 17 years' experience, Kirk has advised a wide range of major domestic and international corporates, funds and financial institutions, as well as restructuring and insolvency practitioners, directors and creditors on all aspects of corporate, securities and insolvency law.

Kirk is known for his collaborative, knowledgeable and results focussed approach.

Kirk developed his legal career at one of Australia's pre-eminent international law firms and another leading global firm, where he spent the first 13 years of his legal career.

Recent transactions

- Advising the board of a major national NDIS supplier in the lead up and during the course of a formal restructure and sale.
- Advising a major international construction company pre and post insolvency of its Australian operations involving the restructure of in excess of \$100m of debt and complex inter-company structures resulting in the successful implementation of a deed of company arrangement.
- Acting for a US based fund in respect of its exposure to an ASX listed oil and gas company and its successful acquisition of major oil and gas assets and infrastructure via a debt for equity swap and claims release.
- Acting for the liquidator of a major medical equipment manufacturer and wholesaler in respect of \$9.8m insolvent trading claim.
- Advising directors and shareholders in relation to shareholder disputes across various industries.
- Acting on various administrations of national retail chains with 100s of locations nationally.
- Numerous engagements acting for tech and other start-ups on restructuring and recapitalisation in both distressed and non-distressed situations, including on debt and equity capital raisings.



- Acting on corporate fraud and investigatory appointments to identify assets and pursue recoveries.
- Advising on and successfully defending breach of trust claims in respect of a \$27m trust fund and securing indemnification for the trustee and discontinuation of all claims.
- Acting on numerous high profile corporate collapses across retail, infrastructure, construction, property and transport industries.
- Acting as consultant internal counsel to various corporates and financial institutions, in a variety of roles, including investigations, legal project management and implementation.

