

BLACK CHAMBERS

DEREK BUCHANAN

Resumé

Professional Admissions

2022	Called to the New South Wales Bar
2019	Called to the Ontario Bar, Canada
2011	Entered on the Register of Practitioners of the High Court of Australia
2010	Admitted as a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of New South Wales

Education and Qualifications

2019	Conferred Degree of Barrister-at-Law, Law Society of Ontario, Canada
2018	Certificate of Qualification, Federation of Law Societies of Canada
2015	Accredited Specialist in Criminal Law, Law Society of New South Wales
2009	Bachelor of Arts (Distinction) and Laws and Graduate Diploma in Legal Practice, University of Wollongong

Work History

Black Chambers

2022-Present Barrister

Legal Aid NSW

2019-2022 Solicitor Advocate, Criminal Law Division, Dubbo Regional Office
2013-2017 Senior Solicitor, Criminal Law Division, Dubbo Regional Office
2012-2013 Junior Solicitor, Criminal Law Division, Dubbo Regional Office
2010-2012 Graduate Solicitor, Criminal and Family Law Divisions, Sydney Head Office

Office of the Ombudsman of Ontario, Canada

2018-2019 Resolution Officer

Department of Human Services – Centrelink

2009-2010 Advocate, Legal Services and Procurement Branch

Papers and Publications

Buchanan D, *“Tips for Your District Court Sentence Practice – What to Do and What to Avoid”*, March 2021, criminalcpd.net.au

Buchanan D, *“Table of Authorities – Applications to Exclude Formal Recorded Interviews with Police (ERISPs)”*, January 2021, criminalcpd.net.au

Broadbent N and Buchanan D, *“Tendency Evidence in 2020”*, November 2020, Sexual Assault Trials Handbook, Judicial Commission of NSW

Buchanan D, *“Table of Authorities – Reasonable Suspicion to Stop and Search Under Sections 21 and 36 LEPRA”*, January 2020, criminalcpd.net.au

Buchanan D, *“Defended Breach of Bond Proceedings”*, June 2015, criminalcpd.net.au

Conference Presentations

Orana Law Society CLE Conference, Dubbo, March 2023, *“Criminal Law Advocacy – Tips and Tricks”*

Reasonable Cause CPD Conference, Sydney, March 2021, *“Tips for Your District Court Sentence Practice – What to Do and What to Avoid”*

Legal Aid NSW Virtual Conference, November 2020, *“Tendency Evidence in 2020”*

ALS Western Zone Conference, Rydall, March 2020, *“Tips for Your District Court Sentence Practice – What to Do and What to Avoid”*

Legal Aid NSW Children’s Legal Service Conference, Sydney, 2015, and Criminal Law Conference, Sydney, 2013, *“Defended Breach of Bond Proceedings”*