

Eloise practises in commercial law. Before coming to the Bar, Eloise practised as a Senior Associate at Allens (then Allens Arthur Robinson) in the commercial litigation group and was Associate to Justice Finkelstein of the Federal Court of Australia.

In 2007, Eloise completed the BCL with Distinction at the University of Oxford, undertaking studies in evidence, conflict of laws and restitution. She obtained her undergraduate law degree from The University of Melbourne, receiving first class honours. She is a former editor of the Melbourne University Law Review.

Areas of Practice

- General Commercial
- Corporations
- Equity & Trusts
- Insurance
- Trade Practices
- Public Law
- Regulatory Investigations

Educational Qualifications

- BA, LLB (Hons) (Melb), BCL (Dist) (Oxon)
- Admitted on 4 October 2004 as a barrister and solicitor, Supreme Court of Victoria and the High Court of Australia
- Signed the Bar Roll on 19 November 2009
- September 2006 – July 2007:
 - The University of Oxford, Bachelor of Civil Law (Distinction) Studies in Evidence, Restitution, Conflict of Laws
- March 1997 – March 2003:
 - The University of Melbourne, Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Laws First Class Honours in Law (ranked 4th in class)

Legal Experience

Present	Barrister, Victorian Bar
September 2007 – July 2009	Allens Arthur Robinson, Solicitor/Senior Associate (from 1 July 2008) Commercial Litigation and Dispute Resolution Group
June 2005 – June 2006	Associate to the Honourable Justice Finkelstein, Federal Court of Australia
October 2004 – June 2005	Mallesons Stephen Jaques, Solicitor, Dispute Resolution Practice Group
September 2003 – September 2004	Articled Clerk, Mallesons Stephen Jaques Rotations: Dispute Resolution, Intellectual Property, Competition, Property
August 2002 – August 2003	Researcher, Intellectual Property Research Institute of Australia (part-time)
2002	Research Assistant, The University of Melbourne (casual)

Recent Matters

- Royal Commission into Misconduct in the Banking, Superannuation and Financial Services Industry, Counsel Assisting (with Rowena Orr QC, Michael Hodge QC, Albert Dinelli and Mark Costello)
- Westgem Investments Pty Ltd (receivers and managers appointed) (in liq) v Commonwealth Bank of Australia Ltd (Supreme Court of Western Australia) (ongoing litigation acting for receivers led by P Collinson QC)
- Acting and appearing for debenture holder representatives in proceedings in the Supreme Court of Victoria in the matter of Banksia Securities Limited (in liquidation) (receivers and managers appointed) (led by P Collinson QC)
- *Thompson v Geminder Holdings Pty Ltd* [2016] VSC 495 (Supreme Court of Victoria) (acting for second and third defendants in relation to contractual dispute, led by D Batt QC with D Bennett)
- *Yara Pilbera Fertilisers Pty Ltd v Apache Energy Limited* (Supreme Court of Western Australia, 2014-2015) (acting for plaintiffs in large negligence action arising from the explosion at the Varanus Island gas facilities in Western Australia in 2008, led by D Collins QC and K Lyons QC)
- *Oswal v Burrup Fertilisers Pty Ltd (Receivers and Managers Appointed)* (2013) 295 ALR 708 and related proceedings (acting for plaintiff in relation to various matters in the receivership of Burrup Fertilisers Pty Ltd, led by P Collinson QC)
- *Business Health Pty Ltd v DKN Financial Group Limited* (County Court of Victoria, 2014) (acting for plaintiff in relation to breach of a licence agreement, led by J Gleeson QC)
- *Haile-Michael v Konstantinidis* (Federal Court of Australia, 2013) (acting for Victoria Police, the Chief Commissioner and various members of Victoria Police in relation to racial discrimination claims, led by P Hanks QC, with R Orr (now QC))
- *HA v Patient Review Panel* [2013] VCAT 1628 (acting for plaintiff in relation to assisted reproductive treatment matter, pro bono)
- *Saraceni v Mentha (No 2)* (2012) 269 FLR 12 (acting for receivers and mortgagee in relation to construction of charge and related matters, led by P Collinson QC)
- *Factory 5 Pty Ltd (In Liq) v State of Victoria (No 2)* [2012] FCAFC 150 (acting for the State of Victoria in relation to a contract and trade practices dispute, led by T Woodward SC)
- *Auswest Timbers Pty Ltd v Secretary, Department of Sustainability and Environment* (2010) 241 FLR 360 (acting for the Department in relation to a trade practices dispute, led by P Collinson QC)
- Advice and appearances for insurers and reinsurers including RGA Reinsurance Company Australia Limited, National Mutual Life Association of Australia and ING Limited in relation to insurance policy claims, remedies and disputes (both led and unled)