

# A-2 Events

## School visits and educational promotions

Department of Business Law and Taxation staff and graduates contribute to faculty contact with secondary school students designed to provide a bridge between secondary education and tertiary education opportunities within the faculty:

- Ken Devos, Careers Night at St Bede's College, Mentone, August 2005
- Tony Van Der Westhuysen at Eltham High School careers evening 2005
- Danny Khoury in his capacity as acting Head of Faculty at the Berwick campus addressed Cranbourne Secondary College Students (Year 11 and Year 12, August 2005), Pakenham Secondary College Students who visited Berwick campus (Years 10, 11 and 12, October 2005) and addressed visiting international counsellors (3 November 2005)
- Danny Khoury presented two information speeches at Berwick Open Day
- Wayne Gumley represented the department at the Postgraduate Expo at Melbourne Town Hall on 4 October 2005. He was back at Melbourne Town Hall on 22 November 2005 to represent the department at Future Environmental Leaders.

Staff represent the department at the Monash Open Day and various education fairs.

## Monash Expertline statistics

Monash statistics showed that Carolyn Sutherland was the third most popular with visitors to Expertline in October 2005, a searchable database of Monash academics available to comment in the media on their areas of research and teaching expertise.

## Update Tertiary ENTER Guide 2005

	2005
BBus (Law) Caulfield	83.30
Final Year 12 offers	30
Final total offers	37
Final Year 12 offers (full fee)	6
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<b>Total offers</b>	<b>43</b>

## Top intake schools BusEco 2005

- Glen Waverley Secondary College
- Haileybury College
- Scotch College
- Melbourne High School
- Balwyn High School
- Mac.Robertson Girls' High School
- Mount Scopus Memorial College
- Sacred Heart Girls' College Oakleigh

Every year the VCE students at Sandringham College have the opportunity to attend a Career Awareness Morning as part of their ongoing careers program.

Sessions with speakers from Monash University are always popular and Wayne Gumley from the Faculty of Business and Economics is no exception. Students often find working their way through the myriad of choices available to them post school very daunting. Wayne clearly explained the structure and differences between the wide range of business and commerce courses. He also answered queries regarding subject selection, pathways and graduate outcomes. This personal contact goes a long way to alleviating confusion and develops a very positive relationship between the faculty and the prospective student. The staff and students at Sandringham College really appreciate and value these career information sessions.

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## Guest lectures

### The Hon Bruce Billson MP

Former Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Foreign Affairs, 'Opportunities for Australians in international trade', International Trade Law, 23 March 2005

### Leoora Black

Australian Centre for Corporate Social Responsibility, Corporate social responsibility, Corporate Crime, second semester, Caulfield, 20 September 2005

### David Ciampa

NAB compliance and former student, Stock Exchange and Derivatives Law, 4 May 2005, Caulfield

### Michael Heffernan

Analyst, F W Holst and media commentator, Stock Exchange and Derivatives Law, 3 May 2005, Clayton

### Daniel Levy

Greenfields Financial Services Lawyers, Regulatory issues relating to superannuation funds, Superannuation and retirement benefits, 10 May 2005

### Donna Lorenz

Monash student, a prize winner in the Prime Minister's Community Business Partnership Corporate Social Responsibility essay competition 2004, Corporate social responsibility, Corporate crime, 6 September 2005

### Mei Ling Perry

ASX compliance professional, Stock Exchange and Derivatives Law, 4 May 2005, Caulfield

### Andrew Hickenbotham

Owner/manager, Hickenbotham Winery, Dromana, Environmental law for business/Corporate environment responsibility, 12 July 2005

### Peter Lunt

Manager Sustainability Investments, VicSuper, Environmental law for business/Corporate environment responsibility, 11 July 2005

### **Bruce McMullin**

Manager, Institutional and Corporate Sustainability, ANZ Bank, Environmental law for business/Corporate environment responsibility, 11 July 2005

### **Elisabeth Saunders**

ASIC, and a former student, Stock Exchange and Derivatives Law, 3 May 2005, Clayton

### **Lisa Sheahan**

Acting Waste Services Coordinator, Environmental law for business/Corporate environment responsibility, 12 July 2005

### **Ron Torres**

Director, Statutory Planning, City of Glen Eira, Environmental law for business/Corporate environment responsibility, 26 April 2005

### **Duncan Turner**

Group Manager, Statutory Services, City of Glen Eira, Environmental law for business/Corporate environment responsibility, 26 April 2005

### **Graham Walker**

Head of Wholesale Credit Policy, ANZ Bank, Environmental law for business/Corporate environment responsibility, 11 July 2005

### **Danielle Welsh**

Senior Sustainability Analyst, VicSuper, Environmental law for business/Corporate environment responsibility, 11 July 2005

### **John Woolf**

Special counsel, Herbert Geer and Rundle lawyers, Legal professional privilege, Tax administration and policy, Caulfield

## **Research and staff seminars**

Phillip Lipton and Leon Zwier\* (Arnold Bloch Leibler solicitors), Tort vs corporate law: a fight to the death for asbestos victims, Clayton, 28 April 2005

Wayne Gumley and Sean Lucy\* (Phillips Fox solicitors), Corporate environmental responsibility, Caulfield, 26 May 2005

Ken Devos, Australian taxpayers' attitudes towards tax evasion and the penalties for tax evasion, Clayton, 19 August 2005

Rick Krever, Interpreting tax laws: what is the legitimate role of judges and administrators?, Caulfield, 21 October 2005

Shelley Marshall\* (University of Melbourne) and Richard Mitchell, presented by Richard Mitchell, Enterprise Bargaining, Managerial Prerogative and the Protection of Workers Rights: An Argument on the Role of Law and Regulatory Strategy in Australia under the *Workplace Relations Act 1996* (Cth), Clayton, 2 December 2005

A staff retreat was held at the Sebel Heritage in the Yarra Valley on 12 and 13 December. The retreat was a strategic planning opportunity and a stepping stone to consolidating a united impact on the department's business and operational culture.

## **Staff presentations**

### **Conference publication: full written paper refereed proceedings (DEST E1)**

This category refers to full written versions of conference papers, which are published.

Gerald Acquaaah-Gaisie, Grand corruption – a crime against humanity, Global Business and Technology Association International Conference, published in Delener and Chao (eds), *Global Markets in Dynamic Environments: Making Positive Connections Through Strategy, Technology and Knowledge*, Readings Book, 9-17, Lisbon, July 2005

Ken Devos, Taxpayers' attitudes towards tax evasion and the penalties for tax evasion, Global Business and Technology Association International Conference, published in Delener and Chao (eds), *Global Markets in Dynamic Environments: Making Positive Connections Through Strategy, Technology and Knowledge*, Readings Book 299-309, Lisbon, July 2005

Aashish Srivastava and Sharif As-Saber\* (Management), 'Regulating information and communication technology: a critical review of Bangladesh's draft IT Act', published in As-Saber and Alam (eds), *Business and Government in Bangladesh in the 21st century*, Department of Management and Bangladesh High Commission, 26 pages, Melbourne, 7 November 2005

Aashish Srivastava, 'Is the pen mightier than the electronic signature?', *International Telecommunications Society Africa-Asia-Australasia Regional Conference*, 15 pages, Perth, 28-30 August 2005

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*Richard Cullen (pictured) at Twillingate, Newfoundland, Canada ("The iceberg capital of the world – witness the icebergs that sank the Titanic") while attending the Canadian Rural Research Foundation Annual Conference*

## **Conference publication: full written paper (non-refereed proceedings)**

Stephen Barkoczy, GST, CGT, partnerships, trusts and international tax, Core tax workshop series, Law Institute of Victoria, 13 August 2005

Stephen Barkoczy, Corporate taxation, Core tax workshop series, Law Institute of Victoria, 26 August 2005

Stephen Barkoczy, Superannuation, FBT, and tax planning, Core tax workshop series, Law Institute of Victoria, 27 August 2005

Brian Brooks, Globalisation and human rights, XX11th World Congress for Philosophy of Law and Social Philosophy, Granada, Spain, May 2005

Brian Brooks, Sports, law and the environment, X1th World Congress of the International Association of Sports Law, Johannesburg, South Africa, November 2005

Richard Cullen, Seminar on the change of leaders in Hong Kong, Asian Law Centre, Faculty of Law, University of Melbourne, April 2005

Richard Cullen, Seminar on the rule of law in Hong Kong, Faculty of Law, University of Hong Kong, June 2005

Richard Cullen, Seminar on the rule of law in Hong Kong, Faculty of Law, University of Western Australia, August 2005

Richard Cullen, Big lessons from small places, invited rapporteur, National Rural Research Network, Canada, inaugural conference at Twillingate, Newfoundland, Canada, 13-15 October 2005

Richard Cullen, Taxation and democracy in Hong Kong, Osgoode Hall Law School, Toronto, Canada, 19 October 2005

Richard Cullen, Rule of law in China and Hong Kong, US State Department Conference on China, Washington DC, 7-8 November 2005



- Paula Darvas, Describing the social responsibilities of companies in the language of human rights: conflict with traditional legal theory, Corporate Law Teachers' Association Conference 2005, University of Sydney, 7 February 2005
- Paula Darvas, Corporate responsibility: myth and reality, Law Students for a Just Community Conference 2005, plenary speaker, Mt Evelyn, 5-7 August 2005
- Paula Darvas, Proposed workplace reform, National Tertiary Education Union, Monash branch, NTEU training afternoon, Clayton, 14 July 2005
- Paula Darvas, Challenges in ethical business, Corporate Responsibility Group, Amnesty International, Deloitte, 8 December 2005
- Anthony Forsyth, Arbitration extinguished: the impact of WorkChoices on the Australian Industrial Relations Commission, WorkChoices: The Devil in the Detail, Queensland Industrial Relations Society Seminar, Brisbane, 9 November 2005
- Anthony Forsyth, Arbitration extinguished: the impact of WorkChoices on the Australian Industrial Relations Commission, International Quality and Productivity Centre Conference, Implementing Industrial Relations Change, Melbourne, 14 December 2005
- Wayne Gumley, The legal framework for corporate environmental responsibility, Austcham, Hong Kong Sustainable Development Committee, Hong Kong, 14 June 2005
- Wayne Gumley, Environmental issues for business managers in China, Guangdong University of Foreign Studies, Guangzhou China, 17 June 2005
- Wayne Gumley, The impact of tax expenditures on rural land use in Australia, 6th biennial conference of the Canadian Association of Ecological Economists, York University Toronto, 11 pages, 27-29 October 2005. Full paper published on Conference Website at [www.cansee.org/2005\\_proceedings\\_e.aspx](http://www.cansee.org/2005_proceedings_e.aspx)
- Rick Krever, Tax concessions and foreign direct investment, Asian Development Bank conference, Vientiane, Laos, May 2005
- Rick Krever, Contemporary issues in the VAT, Southern Africa Taxation Institute seminar, University of Pretoria, South Africa, June 2005
- Rick Krever, Applying tax policy, Vienna University of Economics, October 2005
- Paul Latimer, Whistleblowers as heroes or traitors, staff seminar, Southern Cross University Law School, 9 pages, 21 September 2005
- Paul Latimer, Whistleblowers - heroes or traitors?, Business School, QUT, 9 pages, 23 September 2005
- Paul Latimer, Turning whistleblowing legislation to your advantage, Deacons seminar, Brisbane, 9 pages, 26 September 2005
- Jeanne Nel, Gender equality and African customary law in South Africa: 1994 to 2004, Security for Africa: Internal and external aspects, 10th Conference of Africanists, Moscow, 24-26 May 2005
- Jennifer O'Reilly and Cindy Seetoh\* (Barclays Bank Singapore), Australian private sector privacy: aim vs impact in an electronic age, Academy of Legal Studies in Business Conference 2005, San Francisco, 5 August 2005
- Bill Orow, Superannuation plus practical taxation issues for commercial lawyers, Commercial Law Intensive Day, Law Institute of Victoria, 17 March 2005
- Janine Pascoe and Shanthi Rachagan, Key developments in corporate law reform in Malaysia, Corporate Law Teachers' Association Conference, Faculty of Law, University of Sydney, 7 February 2005
- Nazreen Shaik-Peremanov, Basel II: an international legal perspective, International Conference on Commercial Private International Law, Centre for Business Law, University of South Africa (UNISA), 13 September 2005
- Nazreen Shaik-Peremanov, Torture and ways of combating torture: international, national perspective and human rights, Zimbabwe Lawyers for Human Rights, Harare, Zimbabwe, September 2005
- Paul Sugden, Spiderman web shooting to a download near you – USA v Griffiths, Intellectual Property Law Teachers Conference, University of Tasmania, Hobart, January 2005
- Carolyn Sutherland, Regulating dismissals: the impact of unfair dismissal legislation on the common law contract of employment, Labour Law, Equity and Efficiency conference, Melbourne Law School, 9 July 2005
- Carolyn Sutherland, Equal opportunity issues in recruitment and selection, University of Melbourne, 6 May 2005, 22 June 2005, 31 October 2005 and 24 November 2005
- Paul von Nessen, Financial services reform: what can be learned from the Australian experience?, Keynote Address to the Annual Banking Law Update, University of Johannesburg, South Africa, 20 April 2005
- Paul von Nessen, Financial services reform: lessons from Australia, Academy of Legal Studies in Business Annual Conference, San Francisco, California, 5 August 2005
- Paul von Nessen, The Australian legal system: the illegitimate, unrecognised US offspring?, Business Law Department, the University of Florida, Gainesville, Florida, 18 October 2005
- Paul von Nessen, Internationalising the common law: if Australia can play cricket, why can't the US?, Legal Studies Department, University of Plymouth, UK, 25 October 2005
- Paul von Nessen, Legislative and regulatory responses of Australia to corporate governance failures: international comparisons and implications for Hong Kong' Paul Hastings and Asian Institute of International Financial Law Corporate Governance Seminar, University of Hong Kong, 9 November 2005

\* indicates outside presenter

## Professional and other presentations

- Helen Anderson and Wayne Gumley, Appropriate and timely feedback, CHEQ symposium on Ideas for Student Feedback, 24 August 2005
- Ken Devos, Web site queries for CPA Australia for candidates of the CPA Taxation program conducted during first and second semester 2005
- Ken Devos, CPA On-line Workshop, second semester 2005
- Ken Devos, CPA Professional Development Workshops, conducted during first and second semesters 2005
- Ken Devos, Australian taxpayers' attitudes towards tax evasion and the penalties for tax evasion, guest seminar, Corporate Crime guest lecture, September 2005
- Ken Devos, CPA Taxation Study Group, 2005 Meetings and Presentations
- Paul Sugden, Copyright, crime and the internet, Staff seminar, Monash University Malaysia, 30 March 2005
- Eu-Jin Teo, Research and teaching in the Department of Business Law and Taxation at Monash University, Administrative Review and Constitutional Law Committee of the LIV, 1 September 2005
- Eu-Jin Teo, guest lecture, Taxation of Employees and Independent Contractors, graduate tax unit, second semester 2005
- Tony Van Der Westhuysen, Income tax and GST audits, CPA Australia training workshop, Melbourne
- Tony Van Der Westhuysen, Income tax and GST audits, CPA Australia training workshop, Adelaide
- Tony Van Der Westhuysen, four two day Corporate income tax workshops, CPA Australia, Melbourne

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