

# Equity and financial stress

9.15am to 1.30pm, Friday, 14 August, 2009

Dixon Room, Mitchell Wing, NSW State Library

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A halfday conference presented by the *Journal of Equity* and the Commercial Law Association

**9.15am Welcome**

Stephen Lamy, President, CLA



**9:20am The fiduciary obligation: scope of fiduciary duty**

Chairman: Professor Keith Mason

Speaker: Mark Leeming SC

Mark Leeming SC is a member of the Sydney Bar and Challis Lecturer in Equity at the University of Sydney. He is the co-author of two of Australia's leading books on equity, Meagher Gummow and Lehane's *Equity: Doctrines & Remedies* and Jacobs' *Law of Trusts in Australia* and is a member of the editorial board of the *Journal of Equity*. He practises and writes in the areas of commercial law and public law.



**10.05am Undue influence/unconscionability and third parties**

Chairman: Justice Michael Kirby

Speaker: Professor Michael Bryan

Michael Bryan is Professor of Law at the University of Melbourne. His areas of expertise and teaching are equity, trusts and restitution. He has written extensively on equity, the law of restitution and remedies. He is currently an editor of H Ford and WA Lee, *Principles of the Law of Trusts*. Professor Bryan is a Fellow of the Society for Advanced Legal Studies at the University of London.

Luncheon sponsor



**10.50am Morning tea**

**11.05am Fiduciary investment and duties of care: was Lord Eldon right?**

Chairman: Justice Margaret Stone

Speaker: Dr Joshua Getzler

Joshua Getzler is Reader in Legal History at the University of Oxford and Fellow at St Hugh's College Oxford. He is a Conjoint Professor at the University of New South Wales and a member of the editorial board of the *Journal of Equity*. His main interests are in property, equity and trusts both in their historical dimensions and in modern-day practice. He also works in economic history and law-and-economics traditions.

**11.50am Constructive trusts and insolvency**

Chairman: Justice Kevin Lindgren

Speaker: Professor Peter Watts

Peter Watts is Professor of Law at the University of Auckland. He has written extensively on the law of restitution, agency law, company law and the law of personal property. He is the current editor of the English text, *Bowstead & Reynolds on Agency*, and one of the authors of New Zealand's leading company law text, *Morison's Company and Securities Law*. He is New Zealand regional editor of the *Restitution Law Review*, Agency Law editor of the *Journal of Business Law* (UK), co-editor of the *New Zealand Business Law Quarterly*, and a member of the editorial board of the *Journal of Equity*.

**12.25pm Closing address and questions**

**12.45pm Lunch**

Glasshouse Restaurant, NSW State Library

**1.30pm Closing**

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