



## Andrew Fay

### Lawyer

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## OVERVIEW

Andrew Fay is a commercial litigation and insolvency lawyer with particular expertise in corporate insolvency, personal insolvency, restructuring, loan recovery, security enforcement and banking and finance litigation. He assists in advising Australia's largest banks and financial institutions, listed and unlisted companies and Australia's preeminent insolvency accounting firms.

Andrew advises clients on all aspects of insolvency across a range of sectors, including retail, manufacturing, property and natural resources.

## PROFESSIONAL / CIVIC ACTIVITIES

- Member of Law Institute of Victoria
- Member of Financial Services Institute of Australasia (FINSIA)

## EDUCATION

- Bachelor of Laws and Commerce, Deakin University, 2019
- Graduate Diploma in Legal Practice, College of Law, 2019

## ADMISSIONS

- Federal Court of Australia
- High Court of Australia
- Supreme Court of Victoria

## THOUGHT LEADERSHIP POWERED BY HUB

- 20 June 2019, Crypto-asset Regulation Attracts the Attention of Global Securities Regulators (*BlogPost*)

- 17 June 2019, Banks Invest in Developing a Digital Blockchain Settlement System (*BlogPost*)
- 9 May 2019, ASX Takes First Steps in introducing its Blockchain-Based Replacement to CHESSE (*BlogPost*)
- 26 April 2019, International Cryptocurrency Regulation Top of the Agenda for the Japan G20 Summit (*BlogPost*)
- 4 April 2019, Regulators tighten the reigns on robo advisory firms (*BlogPost*)
- 4 April 2019, Cryptocurrency firms struggle to engage auditors (*BlogPost*)

## AREAS OF FOCUS

- Restructuring and Insolvency

## REPRESENTATIVE EXPERIENCE

- Assisting in advising a large Australian retail client in relation to a solvent wind-down of its retail operations, including the controlled exit of from all retail sites.
- Assisting in advising major Australian banks in relation to enforcing various securities held in respect of borrowings advanced to corporate groups, and when necessary, assisting with documenting and implementing workout strategies.
- Assisting in advising in various court proceedings, including a Supreme Court insolvency related matter which involved defending substantial unfair preference payment claims.
- Regularly advising insolvency accountants on various insolvency specific and general commercial issues.
- Regularly drafting and negotiating legal documents to formalise debt and security agreements.