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Admission Dates

2000 Called to the Bar in NSW

1991 Admitted as a Solicitor in NSW

Practice Areas

- Appellate
- Children's Guardian
- Family Law
- Migration & Citizenship
- Public & Administrative

Qualifications

Bachelor of Laws, University of NSW

Bachelor of Arts, History (Hons) University of NSW

Previous Experience

1995-2000 Employed Solicitor, McDonells Solicitors

1993-1995 Employed Solicitor, Bryson-Taylor & Associates

Professional Memberships

NSW Bar Association

Vietnamese Australian Law Society (VALA)

Select Cases

Appellant - appeared as Junior Counsel

S20/2002 v Minister for Immigration (2002) 198 ALR 59

NBGM v Minister for Immigration (2006) 81 ALJR 337

Bodrodazza v Minister for Immigration (2007) 228 CLR 651

SZFDE v Minister for Immigration (2007) 232 CLR 189

Saeed v Minister for Immigration (2010) 241 CLR 252

Wei v Minister for Immigration (2015) 90 ALJR 213

Respondent – appeared as Junior Counsel

Minister for Immigration v SZLFX (2009) 238 CLR 507

Minister for Immigration v SZGUR (2011) 241 CLR 594

Speaking Engagements

Karp, L. J. 2008. *Poking into dark corners: A trawl through recent developments in migration law*. NSW Bar Association. 5th November 2008.

Karp, L. J. 2007. *There are none so blind: A tour through some of the prescriptive provisions of the Migration Act*. NSW Young Lawyers. NSW Law Society, 10 September 2007.

Karp, L. J. 2005. *Recent developments in migration law*. NSW Young Lawyers. NSW Law Society, 16th February 2005.

Karp, L. J. 2004. *Litigating migration decisions in the Federal court and the Federal Magistrates Court*. NSW Bar Association. 7th April 2004.

Karp, L. J. 2003. *Judicial Review Seminar*; Legal Aid Commission of NSW 16th October 2003.

Additional Skills

25 years of experience working with interpreters and people who speak limited English or no English at all.

Detailed written advocacy involving submissions of both fact and law has been an integral part of his practice as both a solicitor and as a barrister.