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TEACHING SESSION: SUNDAY 7 FEBRUARY		
12.30pm - CLTA executive meeting - Law School Board Room, Level 4 and Zoom		
TEACHING SESSION		
3.00pm - 5.00pm: Teaching in a time of Covid-19 session led by Catherine Brown, QUT, Catherine Robinson, UTS, and David Brown.		
Venue Level 4 common room and Zoom		
5.30pm - Informal drinks and dinner in Glebe or Newtown		
CONFERENCE DAY 1: MONDAY 8 FEBRUARY		
9AM: WELCOME AND OPENING PLENARY ADDRESS - Lecture Theatre 101		
9am - Opening remarks: Simon Bronitt, Dean, Sydney Law School and Welcome to Country, Allan Murray		
9.15am - Overview of conference including logistics and other arrangements: Jason Harris, Sydney Law School		
9.25am - Opening address: Dr Robert Austin, Challis Lecturer in Corporate Law, Sydney Law School (introduced by Paul Redmond)		
10.45am - Morning tea (Kym Sheehan to host virtual morning tea option) - Lecture Theatre 101		
11.15am-12.45pm - Parallel 1		
A Chair: MARINA NEHME	B Chair: LUKE NOTTAGE	C Chair: MICHAEL DUFFY
Lecture Theatre 101	Seminar Room 105	Seminar Room 107
Entities that are not companies		
1. A New Charitable Incorporated Entity: A Reform Proposal (Langford, Webster, Melbourne)	International 1 1. Decoding corporate governance: Indian Landscape (Kumar Srivastava, Lucknow)	Securities Regulation and Takeovers 1. Fit for Purpose? Margin Loans over Company Securities and the Securities Trading Policies of the ASX100 (Overland, USyd)
2. A case study analysis of the impact of competition law on dairy co-operatives in Australia (Apps, Connor, Newcastle)	2. Gender diversity on Malaysian corporate boards: A law and social movements perspective (Chen, Welsh, Monash, Chaong, ACU)	2. Small Company Disclosure Requirement (Kavame, Deakin, Gellner, Fordham)
3. Directors' Duties in Indigenous Corporations - A Flawed Approach (Nehme, UNSW)	3. Reviewing the BIR from an Asian civil law perspective (Su, NCHU Taiwan, Harris, USyd)	3. Reforming the Money Lending Exceptions for Takeovers (Amson, UNSW)
4. Co-operatives: A casualty of the Corporations Act 2001 (Chh) (Chapple, Beninson, QUT)	4. The EU - Australia FTA: CSR Agn? (Sheehy, Gordon, Canberra)	4. Modifications to continuous disclosure requirements and the role of corporate knowledge, intent, recklessness and negligence in breaches: a discussion (Duffy, Monash)
12.45pm - Lunch [SPONSORED BY LEXISNEXIS WITH BOOK LAUNCH] - Lecture Theatre 101		
The title for launching is: <i>Australian Corporate Law 7e</i> , authored by Anil Hargovan, Michael Adams, and Catherine Brown. Hosted by Jason Harris		
View book: Australian Corporate Law 7e		
1.30PM - AFTERNOON PLENARY SESSION - Lecture Theatre 101		
Professors Peta Spender and Stephen Bottomley (Chair: Jennifer Hill), speakers: Michelle Worthington, ANU; David Wishart, La Trobe; Michael Legg, UNSW		
3pm - Afternoon tea		
3.30-5.30pm - Parallel 2		
A Chair: ROSEMARY LANGFORD	B Chair: JASON HARRIS	
Lecture Theatre 101	Seminar Room 105	
Directors and Officers		
1. Designing a corporate model to broaden the range of enforceable remedies available to stakeholders: an analysis of reforms in the UK, Canada, Singapore and South Africa (Feehily, Canterbury)	Insolvency 1. Examining insolvency laws, philosophy and culture under the lenses of Rawls, Jackson, and Nehru - A comparative study of Australia and India (Nalavadi, Adelaide)	
2. Companies' interests in compliance, reputation and survival after the Storm Financial litigation (Connor, O'Beid, Newcastle)	2. Section 588GAAA: A purpose well served? Exploring the multifarious interpretations and implications of Section 588GAAA (Alajlan, Mendes, Deakin)	
3. Strengthening boards through diversity - a market solution (Kamalath, AUT)	3. Successful Defences of Insolvent Trading Claims Relying upon s 588B Corporations Act 2001 (Chh) and other Myths (Smith, UNE)	
4. Identifying Company Officers (Part 2): Judicial Signposts by the High Court in ASIC v King (Hargovan, UNSW)	4. Revisiting SME insolvency and restructuring (Harris and Symes, USyd and Adelaide)	
5. Theorising the Corporate Office (Peters, USC)		
5.30pm - Close of day 1		
6.30pm - Conference dinner (Sounds Sydney, Chau Chak Wing Museum, The University of Sydney)		
DAY 2: TUESDAY 9 FEBRUARY		
9AM: WELCOME DAY 2 AND PLENARY SESSION FOR CLTA LIFE MEMBERS - Lecture Theatre 101		
9am - Welcome to day 2 and overview of logistics		
9.15am - Plenary session CLTA Life Members - 30 years of corporate law (Chair: Peta Spender)		
Participants: John Farrar, Jennifer Hill, Ian Ramsay, Paul Redmond		
10.15am - Morning tea (SPONSORED BY OXFORD UNIVERSITY PRESS WITH BOOK LAUNCH) - Lecture Theatre 101		
The title launching is: <i>Corporate Law: Concepts, Cases and Culture</i> , by Andrew Clarke, Victoria University. Hosted by Jason Harris		
View book: Concepts, Cases and Culture		
10.45am-12.30pm - Parallel 3		
A Chair: VIVIANE BRAND	B Chair: KYM SHEEHAN	
Lecture Theatre 101	Seminar Room 105	
Regulation 1		
1. Rule Breaking and Bloke Governance: The Role of Masculine Contest Cultures in Australia's 2020 Corporate Governance Scandals (Locke and Bird, Swinburne)	1. Subtle Restrictions to the Australian Corporations Law: Potential Claim for Reflective Losses by Shareholders in Investor-State Arbitration Challenging Covid-19 Regulations (Sharmin, Monash)	
2. Will data governance complement corporate governance? (Dube, Indian Institute of Technology)	2. Old and Modern View of Shareholder Voice in Australia: A comparative Approach (Diaz-Granados, Sheehy, Pender, Canberra)	
3. The Security Legislation Amendment (Critical Infrastructure Bill) 2020 (Chh): A new regime for director liability (Fady Aoun, Sydney Law School)	3. Oppression in two sections: a study of the judicial interpretation of oppression in s 232 and s 445D(1)(f) of the Corporations Act 2001 (Chh) (Hess, Adelaide)	
4. Crown Resorts and the Corporate Form (Penny Crofts, UTS and Van Rijnswijk, UTS)	4. Shareholder Activism and Cryptodemocratic Corporate Governance (Lane, Allen, RMIT)	
5. Implications of Covid 19 on the Malaysian Companies Act 2016 (Kridman, Monash Malaysia)		
12.30pm - Lunch and AGM - AGM WILL BE VIRTUAL - ROOM TO BE AVAILABLE AT USYD FOR PEOPLE TO USE THEIR DEVICES TO JOIN THE MEETING.		
2-3.30pm - Parallel 4		
A Chair: TIM PETERS	B Chair: MADOLINE TAYLOR	C Chair: KYM SHEEHAN
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Regulation 2		
1. Federal corporate regulation: historical context (Stern, VU)	Corporate purpose 1. Three Fundamental Problems with Stakeholder Governance (Schwartz, Colorado, Auckland)	Financial services 1. Insurance, Artificial Intelligence and Big Data: can provisions of Corporations Act 2001 help address regulatory challenges brought about by new technologies? (Bednarz, UNSW)
2. Corporate Power, Human Rights Grievance, and Community Struggles for Redress (Connor, Newcastle; Delaney and Marshall, RMIT; McDonald and Haines, University of Melbourne)	2. Corporate purpose: Revisiting the doctrine of ultra vires in the context of directors' duties? (Klettner, UTS)	2. The Financial Services Human Rights Benchmark' (Sheehan, USyd)
3. A National Security Approach to Corporate Regulation in Australia: A Frivolous Thought or A Timely Necessity? (Lee, ANU)	3. 2020 and the Re-Emergence of the Social Licence to Operate (Clarke, VU)	3. Third party claims on insurance policies in the event of corporate insolvency: A comparison of the current law in the common law jurisdictions and proposals for reform (Bowler, UTS)
4. Rethinking corporate regulation in Australia (Comino, UQ)	4. The Foucauldian Profit Gaze: Early Limited Liability in England and Australia and the genesis of the myopic and misconceived pursuit of Shareholder Wealth Maximisation (Tribbe, Liverpool)	
3.30pm - Afternoon tea		
4.5-3.0pm - Parallel 5		
A Chair: OLIVIA DIXON	B Chair: Michael Dirks	
Corporate crime	International 2	
Lecture Theatre 101	Seminar Room 105	
1. Can Australian Company Law be Uncivilised? A critical engagement with the ALRC's Final Report on Corporate Criminal Responsibility (Ivory, UQ)	1. Role of external advisers in continuous disclosure of Chinese listed companies: limitation of due diligence obligation and reform proposals (Gou, UNSW)	
2. Decriminalising corporate offences: is it a right move? (Perspective from India) (Misra, NLS India)	2. Independent directors in Thailand (Nottage)	
3. Corporate monsters (Penny Crofts, UTS)	3. Could New Zealand's Equity Crowdfunding Regulations be the Model for the Developing World? (Anisic, Kavame, Deakin)	
4. Revisiting and Re-situating deferred prosecution agreements in Australia: Lessons from Overseas (Liz Campbell, Monash)	4. Mandatory Disclosure in Corporate Debt Restructuring via Schemes of Arrangement: A Comparative Approach (Watters, Bond, Wan, Curtin)	
5.30pm - Conference close - Lecture Theatre 101		
6pm - intervarsity corporate law moot final, Banco Court		
8pm - Corporate law moot dinner, Verandah Bar & Restaurant		