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**Areas of Practice**

Civil / Commercial / Trade Practices / Bankruptcy / Revenue and Superannuation Property / Administrative / Government / Equity and Trusts / Wills and Estates / Residential Tenancies / Guardianship and Administration

General profile

Sandra has a broad commercial practice. She accepts briefs to appear in all Victorian Courts.

In addition to general commercial matters, she has specific expertise in the areas of equity, trusts and deceased estates.

Sandra presents regularly on recent developments in the wills and probate jurisdiction as well as other topics and has been invited to present for law associations, the Law Institute of Victoria and the Television Education Network (T.E.N.).

In addition to her primary areas practice, Sandra has held a long-term interest in the development of international law and its application in a domestic setting. She is pursuing this interest by undertaking her Masters in Public and International Law at Melbourne University.

She read with Ms Elefteria (Teri) Konstantinou.

Memberships and Associations

Howells' List Committee Member
New Barristers' Committee Member - Chair
Women Barristers' Association – Assistant Convenor

Academic Position / Published Articles:

Sandra is an updating author for Thomson Reuters's civil procedure commentary, '*Victorian Courts*'.

Significant cases:

Vlahos v Vlahos [2016] VSC 824 (Digby J) – An urgent application seeking leave by way of a derivative action on behalf of a company to bring an application for leave to appeal to the Court of Appeal. Sandra was led by Michael Bearman of Counsel. Instructing solicitors: DCA Lawyers (Ashley del Corral). Contra Michael Gronow instructed by Klonis Kirby & Co (Harry Klonis).

Vlahos v Vlahos Pty Ltd (No. 2) [2016] VCC 1533 (Judge Cosgrave) – An application to reopen a case after Judgment but before final orders on the grounds of fresh evidence. Sandra was led by Michael Bearman of Counsel. Instructing solicitors: DCA Lawyers (Ashley del Corral). Contra Michael Gronow instructed by Klonis Kirby & Co (Harry Klonis).