

The Supreme Court Annual Corporate Law Conference

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Supreme Court
of New South Wales

Tuesday, 11 August 2009, 2.00 – 6.00pm

The global credit crisis has placed company directors under extreme pressure, for on the one hand the economic situation has made doing business and obtaining access to finance more difficult and uncertain, while on the other hand, the law continues to demand that directors act in the best interests of the company (including creditors, when the company is in difficulty), that they exercise due care and diligence in financial and other matters, and that they avoid allowing the company to trade while insolvent. The director's task appears to have become more difficult, and yet there are moves for further regulation of the compensation of directors and officers.

Speakers

In the Best Interests of the Company (Including Creditors?)
Professor Ian Ramsay, University of Melbourne

Recent Developments in Liability for Insolvent Trading
Ian Jackman SC, Sydney Bar

Directors' Duty of Care and Diligence
Neil Young QC, Melbourne Bar

New Trends in the Regulation of Executive Compensation
Professor Jennifer Hill, University of Sydney

How Do Directors Sleep at Night?
Alan Cameron AM, Blake Dawson

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