

# RUTH O’GORMAN

## CURRICULUM VITAE

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### **Contact details**

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### **Qualification and admission details**

5 December 2005	Bachelor of Laws, University of Queensland
16 June 2006	Graduate Diploma in Legal Practice, The College of Law
10 July 2006	Admitted as a legal practitioner in the Supreme Court of Queensland
5 August 2009	First call to the Queensland Bar

### **Professional history**

January 2003 – June 2006	Law clerk at Bell Miller Solicitors, Russo Lawyers, Ryan & Bosscher Lawyers and Fisher Dore Lawyers (Brisbane)
June 2006 – June 2009	Solicitor at Fisher Dore Lawyers
August 2009 – present	Barrister at the private Bar in Queensland

**Principal areas of practice as a barrister**

Criminal law

Occupational law/disciplinary proceedings

Regulatory prosecutions

Inquiries

**Recent professional memberships and other professional details**

2011 – 2012	Member, Bar Council, Queensland Bar Association
2013 – 2014	Member, Bar Council, Queensland Bar Association
2014 – 2015	Member, Bar Council, Queensland Bar Association
2020 – present	Member, Bar Council, Queensland Bar Association

**Criminal Law Committee – Queensland Bar Association**

2014 – present	Committee member
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**Pro Bono Committee – Queensland Bar Association**

2017 – 2019	Committee member
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**Queensland Law Reform Commission**

2017 – 2020	Part-time member
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**Recent published cases**

Queensland Court of Appeal

*R v Dumble & Ors* [2021] QCA 161

*Comptroller-General of Customs v Inchcape Shipping Services Pty Limited* [2021] QCA 61

*Workers’ Compensation Regulator v Glass* [2020] QCA 133

*R v Geddes* [2020] QCA 94

*R v Enright* [2020] QCA 6

*R v O’Sullivan; Ex Parte Attorney-General (Qld); R v Lee; Ex Parte Attorney-General (Qld)* [2019] QCA 300

*R v Lang* [2019] QCA 289

*R v IG* [2019] QCA 208

*R v Lang* [2020] QSCPR 26

Supreme Court of Queensland

*Atwani v Commissioner of Police* [2020] QSC 123

Norfolk Island Supreme Court

*The Queen v Evans* [2019] NFSC 2

Industrial Court of Queensland

*Du Preez v Chelden* [2020] ICQ 008

*Glass v Workers’ Compensation Regulator* [2020] ICQ 001

District Court of Queensland

*EH v QPS; GS v QPS* [2020] QDC 205

Queensland Civil and Administrative Tribunal

*Health Ombudsman v Pin* [2021] QCAT 242

*Health Ombudsman v ECA* [2020] QCAT 216

*Health Ombudsman v Shemer* [2019] QCAT 53

*Health Ombudsman v NLM (No 2)* [2019] QCAT 366

*Health Ombudsman v NLM* [2018] QCAT 164