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## SENIOR COUNSEL APPOINTMENTS FOR 2020

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NEW SOUTH WALES  
BAR ASSOCIATION

The President of the New South Wales Bar Association, Tim Game SC today announced the names of 26 barristers who have been appointed as Senior Counsel (SC).

The successful applicants for 2020, in order of their length of service at the Bar, are:

Frank Veltro  
Jason Downing  
Andrew Fernon  
Vahan Bedrossian  
Ken McKay  
Jodi Steele  
Justin Hogan-Doran  
Ben Katekar  
Madeleine Avenell  
Andrew Harding  
Andre Zahra  
Sue Chrysanthou  
Richard Potter  
Thomas Brennan  
James Emmett  
Christopher Withers  
Angus Lang  
Houda Younan  
Sophie Callan  
Justin Williams  
Yaseen Shariff  
Chloe Burnett  
David Lloyd  
Jonathon Redwood  
Perry Herzfeld  
Tim Castle

The designation of certain barristers as Senior Counsel by the President of the Bar Association is in accordance with published principles and intended to serve the public interest.

The appointment of Senior Counsel provides a public identification of barristers whose standing and competence justify an expectation, on the part of those who may need their services, as well as on the part of the judiciary, that they will provide outstanding service as advocates and advisers, to the good of the administration of justice.

Each July, barristers wishing to be appointed Senior Counsel apply to the President of the Bar Association for consideration. Their applications are then considered by the Selection Committee, who take into account the views of a large number of barristers, solicitors and members of the state and federal judiciary.

The Senior Counsel Protocol is available on the New South Wales Bar Association web site.

Practice information concerning each of the new Senior Counsel is available through the Bar Association's 'Find a barrister' database at <http://find-a-barrister.nswbar.asn.au/>.

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