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Diane Barker appointed as an Associate



The partners of Makinson & d'Apice are delighted to announce that Diane Barker has been appointed as an associate of the firm.

Diane obtained a Bachelor of Arts with Honours in Near Eastern Archaeology in 1998 and a Bachelor of Laws (First Class Honours) in 2000. She began working at the firm in mid-2000 as a paralegal, completing The College of Law in 2001.

She was admitted as a solicitor in 2002 and since that time, she has worked in the firm's Litigation Practice Group. Diane's practice largely consists of public liability litigation (particularly for the NSW Department of Education & Training) and commercial litigation in the District and Supreme Courts. She also has experience in the area of strata schemes law.

Throughout her working career, Diane has maintained an interest in archaeology. In 2004, she delivered a paper at the Seminar for Arabian Studies held at the British Museum, London. You may have read about this aspect of her life in a recent Financial Review article on her.

In 2005, she commenced a part-time PhD in Near Eastern Archaeology at the University of Sydney but this interest does not detract from her commitment to servicing the needs of the firm's clients.

We congratulate Diane on this recognition of the esteem in which she is held by clients, staff and partners of Makinson & d'Apice.

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