

2020 Not For Profit Lawyer of the Year

Cate Bennett General Counsel & Company Secretary



Cate has quickly had an extremely positive impact as Movember's General Counsel – unafraid to roll up her sleeves whenever needed, and always focused on ensuring her team's work is thoughtfully aligned to the mission, values and strategic goals that drive everything Movember does to change the face of men's health.

Jack Ding
Senior Legal Counsel | Australian Catholic University



Jack is Senior Legal Counsel at ACU. It operates across nine campuses in Australia and in Rome. Through his submission, Jack has shown himself to be a trusted legal adviser who builds meaningful relationships with his clients within ACU and takes care to develop outcomes that fit ACU's purpose, values and identity.

Tara Ward
Founder & Principal Lawyer | Animal Defenders Office



Tara Ward co-founded and manages the Animal Defenders Office, which is a non-profit community legal centre run entirely by volunteers and specialises in providing free assistance in animal law matters. Tara has successfully led cases to save the lives of animals, and to support people defending the interests of animals.

