

Property Law Program

Day 1 | Thursday, 28 August 2025 | International Convention Centre, Sydney

Time	Topic	Speakers
8.30am – 9.30am	Conference opening	Jacqueline Dawson Chair, Specialist Accreditation Board, The Law Society of New South Wales
	Presidential address	Jennifer Ball President, The Law Society of New South Wales
	Keynote address	The Honourable Andrew Bell Chief Justice of New South Wales
	Major sponsor	Kerrie Lalich Chief Executive Officer, Lawcover
9.30am – 10.00am	Morning tea break	
10.00am	Welcome by Chair	Dr Stephen Pallavicini Special Counsel, Thomson Geer
10.00am – 11.00am	Navigating NSW surcharge land tax and purchaser duty: Are your clients caught within the net?	Michelle Hirschhorn Barrister, 5 Selborne Chambers
11.00am – 12.00pm	A summary of the NSW strata title laws	Jane Crittenden Principal, Jane Crittenden Lawyer
12.00pm – 12.50pm	Lunch break	
12.50pm – 1.50pm	Panel: The impact of AML/CTF reform on property practice	Jeremy Moller (Moderator) Senior Advisor, Risk Advisory, Norton Rose Fulbright Michael Osborne Director and Principal, Osbornes Lawyers Georgiena Ryan Principal Lawyer, Regional Business Lawyers
1.50pm – 2.50pm	Compulsory acquisition of land and valuations	Peter Barakate Partner, HWL Ebsworth
2.50pm – 3.15pm	Afternoon tea break	
3.15pm – 3.30pm	Stream sponsor: PEXA	Kate Camilleri General Manager, Industry Strategy and Delivery, PEXA
3.30pm – 4.30pm	Current issues in conveyancing practice 2025	Tony Cahill Legal author and commentator
4.30pm – 5.15pm	Disputes in relation to real property	The Honourable Justice Ian Pike Judge, Supreme Court of New South Wales
5.15pm – 6.15pm	Networking reception	

Day 2 | Friday, 29 August 2025 | Live online

Time	Topic	Speakers
8.30am	Welcome by Chair	Dr Stephen Pallavicini Special Counsel, Thomson Geer
8.30am – 9.30am	Navigating transactions and mortgages involving family finance	Therese Catanzariti Barrister, 13 Wentworth Chambers
9.35am – 10.35am	Traps and tips for complex sale of business transactions	Amy Mourd Principal, Mourd Evans Lawyers
10.35am – 10.50am	Break	
10.50am – 11.50am	NSW housing reforms: Recent policy developments to increase the state's housing stocks	Paul Vergotis Partner, Madison Marcus
11.55am – 12.55pm	Complex mortgages and security arrangements: Navigating risk in non-bank lending	Samantha Parsons Principal, Parsons & Partners
12.55pm – 1.00pm	Conference close	Dr Stephen Pallavicini Special Counsel, Thomson Geer

On-demand | Available from Friday, 29 August 2025

Time	Topic	Speakers
Available from 29 August 2025	Caveats in practice	Vikram Misra Barrister, Clarence Chambers