

Episode 115: Guest bio

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MARK TEDESCHI AM KC Barrister



Since joining Wardell Chambers in early 2018, Mark has expanded his areas of practice to include commissions and inquiries, criminal defence, disciplinary proceedings, and inquests.

In his former position as Senior Crown Prosecutor for New South Wales, Mark conducted some of the most high-profile and complex criminal trials in Australia. He has recently been involved in the Inquiry into the ACT Criminal Justice System (the prosecution of Bruce Lehrmann) and the NSW Gay Hate Crimes Inquiry. He conducted a lengthy Inquiry into the NSW Department of Education's Employee Conduct and Performance division. Mark is a Fellow of the Institute of Arbitrators and Mediators Australia.

Mark has authored a textbook on the law of International Business in Australia, and has written numerous articles on commercial law, environmental law, criminal law and history. He is also the author of four true-crime books published by Simon & Schuster Australia. He has delivered hundreds of presentations to legal societies, community groups, libraries, bookshops, charitable organisations, universities, and high school students.

Mark was appointed a Member of the Order of Australia (AM) in 2013. He is a Trustee of Sydney Grammar School, and was previously a Councillor of the State Library of NSW and a Board Member of the National Art School in Sydney.

DAVID TURNER

Host



David Turner has a gift for teasing out people's stories, so it's no wonder he is Hearsay's host. With a double Bachelor of Arts and Laws from Macquarie University, he is also an MBA candidate at UNSW's Australian Graduate School of Management.

When he isn't interviewing people on Hearsay, David is a lawyer at Assured Legal Solutions, a boutique financial services law firm located in Sydney's CBD. Prior to joining Assured, he was called to the NSW Bar, and is a former President of NSW Young Lawyers and a former Councillor of the Law Society of NSW.

David spends the little downtime that he has left reading historical fiction and tinkering on home improvement projects.

You can access David's bio on the Assured Legal Solutions website here.