# 41 St ANNUAL 2014 CONFERENCE

10<sup>TH</sup> - 12<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER MILLENNIUM HOTEL QUEENSTOWN, NEW ZEALAND



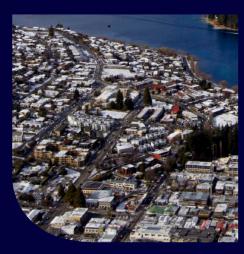








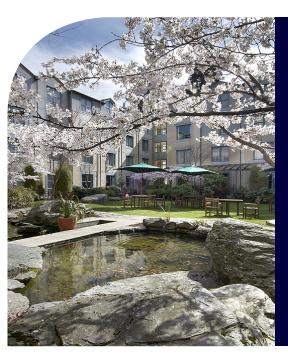












### Welcome Reception

#### **Millennium Hotel**

When: Wednesday 10th September

6.00 - 8.00pm

Where: Millennium Hotel Gallery

**Dress code:** Smart casual

**Cost:** Included for conference delegates

additional guests: AU\$75.00



### Day 1 Thursday 11th September

OPENING SESSION

F S DETHRIDGE MEMORIAL ADDRESS

9.00am Welcome

Matthew Harvey
President, MLAANZ

9.05am Introduction of the Dethridge

Memorial Speaker

Neil Beadle

Vice President (NZ), MLAANZ

9.15am **F S Dethridge Memorial Address** 

The Hon Justice Alan MacKenzie

High Court of New Zealand

10.00am SESSION 1

CONTRACT

Crew negligence and marine claims

**Professor Robert Merkin** 

Lloyd's Professor of Commerical Law

University of Exeter

11.00am Morning Tea

11:30am SESSION 2

INTERNATIONAL LAW - HUMAN

TRAFFICKING

Employment of crew on foreign fishing vessels in New Zealand: a

confused legal regime

**Peter Dawson** 

Partner

Dawson & Associates Ltd

Craig Tuck

Slave Free Seas

1.00pm Lunch

2.00pm SESSION 3

**INSURANCE** 

Wreck removal challenges

**Paul Smit** 

Claims Manager

Shipowners Singapore

The challenges of insuring risk in a multi-modal, international supply

chain

**Alan Wilkins** 

Marine Practice Leader OAMPS Insurance Brokers

3.15pm Afternoon tea

3.45pm SESSION 4

HOT TOPICS

Singapore

Leong Kah Wah

Partner Rajah & Tann LLP

New Zealand

**Felicity Monteiro** 

Solicitor Wilson Harle

--

Australia

**Maurice Lynch** Senior Associate

Piper Alderman

5.30pm Close of day one

6.30pm Optional social event

**Skyline Queenstown** 



### Gala dinner

**Mount Soho Winery** 

When: Friday 12th September

7.00pm - 11.00pm

Where: **Mount Soho Winery** 

304 McDonnell Road

Queenstown

**Dress Code: Smart Casual** 

Cost: Included for full conference

> delegates. Additional guests at AU\$150.00



### Day 2 Friday 12th September

**SESSION 5** 9.00am

PRACTICE MANAGEMENT

Marketing for young lawyers

Peter McQueen

Director

Peter McQueen Pty Ltd

How best to brief a barrister

**David Goodwin** 

Barrister, Victorian Bar

**Tammy Young** 

Barristers' Clerk

Young's List Pty Ltd

10.15am Morning Tea

10.45am **SESSION 6** 

**REGULATORY MATTERS** 

Oil spill detention and security

Ian Maitland

Partner

Wallmans Lawyers

The criminalization of maritime

accidents

**Michael Chalos** 

Partner

K&L Gates, LLP

12.30pm Lunch

1.30pm **SESSION 7** 

**ADMIRALTY** 

Time for arrest - Admiralty prevails over the cross border insolvency rules in the case of the

"New Giant"

Michael McCarthy

Partner

Lowndes Associates

and

Alan Sherlock Partner

Hesketh Henry

**Constituting limitation funds** under New Zealand law

Paul David QC

Eldon Chambers, Auckland

Afternoon tea 2.45pm

3.15pm **SESSION 8** 

**ETHICS** 

**Current ethical issues in Admiralty** proceedings

**Gregory Nell SC** 

Seven Wentworth Chambers

Ethics: A New Zealand perspective

His Honour Judge Broadmore

**District Court** New Zealand

4.25pm Closing address

Pat Saraceni

Vice President (Aust) MLAANZ

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING 4.30pm

7.00pm **Gala Dinner** 

Mount Soho Winery

#### **CPD/CLE Points**

This year's programme contains topics to enable legal practitioners to obtain most of their CPD/CLE points for the year. There are sessions on substantive law and professional skills. There is also a session on ethics and one on practice management.

Regardless of your occupation, there is something in each session about maritime law that will spark your interest.



### General Information

September is the cross over from winter to spring so the temperature can vary from very cold to mild. It would be best to anticipate cold weather and bring layered clothing with a heavy jacket.

230 volts, 50 Hz. Most power sockets in New Zealand accept three-pin plugs.

#### Goods and Services Tax (GST):

New Zealand has a 15% goods and services tax which will be charged on any additional goods or services (such as accommodation) purchased in New Zealand. Registration fees include 15% NZ GST

#### Visas and passports:

All New Zealand visitors are required to carry a passport which is valid for three months after the date you intend to travel. Most nationalities do not require a visa. For further information about visas please visit www.immigration.govt.nz

#### Air transport:

Air New Zealand, Qantas, Jetstar and Virgin fly directly into Queenstown.

#### **Ground Transport:**

A taxi from Queenstown airport to the hotel will cost approximately NZ\$38. Airport shuttles also operate. For more information go to www.supershuttle.co.nz

#### Travel insurance:

It is strongly recommend that delegates should make their own arrangements for travel insurance as registration fees do not include insurance of any kind. The conference organisers and MLAANZ cannot take responsibility for any accidents or losses incurred by delegates.

### **Optional Social Event**

### Thursday 11th September

#### Dinner and Star Gazing at Skyline, Queenstown

Marvel at the stunning views as you ride the Skyline Queenstown Gondola - the steepest cable car lift in the Southern Hemisphere, and one of the must-do activities in Queenstown!

Enjoy a 3 course dinner with the best views in the region, 450 metres above Queenstown and Lake Wakatipu to the top of Bob's Peak. Then appreciate the clear, unpolluted skies of Queenstown as the perfect setting for Skyline Queenstown's stargazing experience.

Keen stargazers have the opportunity to access a 'hidden world' not seen by the naked eye, and impossible to see in many other locations around the world. Skyline Stargazing takes visitors to a specially-constructed area high above the Gondola, where there is no trespassing light, allowing for an unbelievably clear view of the night sky.

If Stargazing is not your thing then just sit back and enjoy the view, the food and the company of your fellow delegates.

Ticket cost includes transport to Skyline, gondola transport up to the peak, 3 course dinner and guided star gazing. Drinks will be at own expense.

When: 6.30 - 10.30pm

Where: Skyline Queenstown

Dress code: Casual and warm

Cost: AU\$99.00 per person

(drinks are at own expense)

Note: This event is optional and is not included in the registration fee.





#### **Conference Venue** Information

The Millennium Hotel Cnr Frankton Road & Stanley Street, Queenstown

Tel (+64 3) 441 8888 Fax (+64 3) 441 8889 www.millenniumhotels.com

The Millennium hotel is a 4 Star Plus and Enviro-Gold Qualmark rated hotel. It is only minutes from Queenstown central shopping, entertainment and outdoor activities.

#### Accommodation Information

#### The Millennium Hotel

Cnr Frankton Road & Stanley Street, Oueenstown

Tel (+64 3) 441 8888 Fax (+64 3) 441 8889 www.millenniumhotels.com

Superior room

NZ\$185.00

Superior room +

per room per night

NZ\$205.00

breakfast for 1

per room per night

Junior Suite

NZ\$235.00 per room per night

Junior Suite +

NZ\$255.00

breakfast for 1

per room per night







Major Sponsor

## CLYDE&CO

**General Sponsors** 









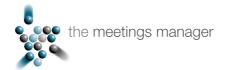








Organiser:



#### The Meetings Manager

Suite 16/7 Rosebery Place, Balmain, Sydney NSW 2041 Tel: +61 (2) 9810 7322 Fax: +61 (2) 9810 7320 Email: meetings@tmm.com.au www.tmm.com.au

Conference website:

#### www.eiseverywhere.com/ehome/mlaanz2014

This website will have the most up-to-date programme information

Images shown in this brochure were very kindly supplied by Destination Queenstown, Mount Soho Winery, The Millennium Hotel and Skyline Queenstown.

#### Registration form - make it easy, register online at www.etouches.com/mlaanz2014 TITLE **ADDRESS SURNAME** FIRST NAME CITY STATE **POSTCODE** NAME BADGE TO READ **POSITION MOBILE ORGANISATION EMAIL DIETARY REQUIREMENTS Registration Fees:** (fees include 15% NZ GST) **Payment Details:** Early bird (register and pay by Friday 25th July) Payments can be made in Australia dollars by credit card, cheque or by EFT. EFT details will be printed on your invoice. Member AU\$850.00 Non member AU\$999.00 **Registration fee:** Standard fees Member AU\$1050.00 Registration fee includes one ticket to the welcome reception Non member AU\$1200.00 I will be attending the welcome reception Young member/Student registration AU\$300.00\* no. of additional guests (less than 3 years of practice) @ AU\$75.00per person \*Conference sessions only, social tickets can be purchased seperately Name of guest: Full fees include: morning & afternoon tea, lunches, gala dinner and Registration fee includes one ticket to the conference dinner conference documentation. Please note the optional event on Thursday is not included. I will be attending the conference dinner no no. of additional guests **Accommodation:** @ AU\$150.00per person Please book rooms as soon as possible as they are subject to Name of guest: availability at time of booking. Please provide credit card details which will be forwarded to the **Optional Thursday Social Event:** (not included in registration fee) hotel to guarantee your booking. No. of tickets Check-in time is 2.00pm and check-out time is 10.00am. @AU\$99.00 per person Cancellation policy: Cancellation less than 28 days prior to arrival Name of additional guests: date may incur the full cost of your accommodation booking. This is at the discretion of the hotel. TOTAL \$ Millennium Hotel ☐ I would like to pay by EFT, please send me an invoice Superior Room (room only) NZ\$185.00 Superior Room (room and breakfast for one) NZ\$205.00 A cheque payable to The Meetings Manager Pty Ltd is enclosed Junior Suite (room only) NZ\$235.00 Please charge the following credit card\* ☐ Junior Suite (room & breakfast for one) NZ\$255.00 Mastercard Visa Amex Arrival date Departure Date card number All rooms are non smoking room Expiry date **CCV Number** Cancellations: Signature If you are unable to attend, a substitute delegate is welcome at no extra charge. Where no substitute is available, AU\$165.00 will be deducted from (credit card payment not valid without signature) your registration fee for cancellations received by The Meetings Manager in writing at least 28 days prior to the event. Thereafter no refunds can be made. Please print cardholder's name \*These details will be passed to the hotel if you have booked accommodation Privacy Policy: By registering for this conference, relevant details will be held on a database at To Register: The Meetings Manager Pty Ltd and MLAANZ. A delegate list will be provided to all conference participants (name, position and organisation only).

#### Register online: www.etouches.com/mlaanz2014

or please complete this form and return to: The Meetings Manager Pty Ltd Suite 16/7 Rosebery Place

Balmain, Sydney NSW 2041 or fax to +61(2) 9810 7320

Information may also be made available to parties directly related to the

this manner please email meetings@tmm.com.au

the content of the conference program.

conference including sponsors. If you do not wish your information used in

It may be necessary for reasons beyond the control of the organisers to alter