



business & commercial . media & arts . intellectual property

# Capability statement



*Providing efficient,  
plain-English  
private client legal  
services  
to businesses, non-  
profits and artists*



## Lloyd Dewar Principal

Bachelor of Laws  
Bachelor of Economics

Lloyd was born and raised in Melbourne and graduated from Monash University (Clayton) in 1996.

Lloyd commenced his legal career at a large suburban practice, before moving into the city working for larger commercial firms.

Lloyd opened his **own firm in 2011** and has many valued clients including manufacturers, retailers, music and media talent, service providers, licensed venues, software and media companies.

Dewar Law specialises in **reviewing and drafting** all forms of commercial agreement and providing advice in relation to corporate structures. **Intellectual property law** has also become a major

focus due to a large entertainment and media clientele.

Lloyd enjoys acting for **non-profit organisations** and has been primary legal adviser to Melbourne International Jazz Festival and radio station PBS FM (for whom he served also as a director). His passionate interest in **music and media** is played out in his private life in which he is a radio announcer, music historian and documentarian.

Dewar Law's valued clients include retailers (Godfreys, OC Energy, Pilkington Jewellers, Breathe Yoga & Pilates), non-profits (No Lights No Lycra, PBS FM), manufacturers (Cambur Industries) and digital/new media companies (Visualism, iOM, Fidget Friend, Liquorice Studio).

## Specialty areas

### **BUSINESS LAW ADVICE**

Business structures  
Incorporation  
Privacy and SPAM law advice  
Debt recovery  
Partnership disputes  
Non-profit structures  
Employment disputes

### **COMMERCIAL AGREEMENTS**

Terms and conditions of trade  
Partnership / shareholder / unitholder agreements  
Distribution and reseller agreements  
Services, consulting and agency agreements  
Purchase and sale of business  
Building contracts  
Employment agreements  
Director's duties and indemnities

### **INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY | ENTERTAINMENT | MEDIA**

Intellectual property sale and licence  
Confidentiality and non-disclosure agreements  
Trade mark applications and disputes  
Recording and publishing contracts  
Artist management agreements  
Website compliance and contracting

### **PROPERTY**

Commercial leases: retain and non-retail  
Residential tenancies  
Licences, sub-leases and assignment of lease

### **WILLS AND ESTATES**

Wills and powers of attorney

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