

Qualifications

Registered Liquidator
Registered Trustee in Bankruptcy
Bachelor of Arts (Accountancy)

Memberships

- Fellow Chartered Accountants Australia and New Zealand
- Life Member Australian Restructuring Insolvency and Turnaround Association
- Australian Institute of Credit Management
- Member of SA Committee -2007 to 2022

Specialisations

- Receivership
- Liquidation
- Voluntary Administration
- Part X
- Bankruptcy

Industry Expertise

- Property and Construction
- Energy
- Retail
- Manufacturing
- Logistics
- ▶ Tourism
- Primary



Alan has over 40 years' experience in insolvency and corporate recovery and is a registered liquidator and a registered trustee in bankruptcy with extensive experience across a vast range of industries and complex matters.

Throughout his career, Alan has been appointed to high profile corporate and bankruptcy administrations. In addition to being a personal insolvency specialist, Alan also provides company insolvency, business recovery, and investigative accountant services.

One of the things Alan has always enjoyed about his role is turning up to work each day not really knowing what the day will bring.

During his career Alan has enjoyed watching the development of his staff from raw recruits to now in several instances:

- Members of the board of ARITA including the ARITA Executive
- Partners in the SV team in Adelaide
- Partners in other practices with whom he maintains a close connection.

Alan's outside interests include playing golf at Kooyonga Golf Club where he has been a member since 1989.

In addition, Alan was on the Board of the Multiple Sclerosis Society of SA & NT from 1998 to 2020. Positions held included Treasurer, Vice President and President.

Experience

December 2019 current

SV Partners
Director

June 2018 current

Australian Restructuring Insolvency & Turnaround
Association
Member of Professional Conduct Committee

May 2007 current

Australian Restructuring Insolvency & Turnaround
Association
South Australian Committee

August 2012 - Australian Restructuring Insolvency & Turnaround May 2019 Association

South Australian Representative of the ARITA Board

June 1992 - Multiple Firms November 2019 Equity Partner



Significant Engagements

- Liquidator of Felsun Pty Ltd which involved the pursuit of a number of claims against the director which resulted in settlement immediately prior to trial.
- ▶ Receiver of a shopping centre resulting in successful negotiations with stakeholders, a sale of the property and full repayment to secured creditors.
- Receiver and Manager of a mobile catering service, allowing continuation of trade. This ultimately secured the sale of the group of entities leading to repayment of a portion of debt owing to the bank.
- ► Trustee of a bankrupt estate of an individual bankrupted by the ATO. After further investigations into the bankrupt's trusts and actions pursued, this matter resulted in repayment of ATO debt.
- Voluntary Administrator and then Liquidator of a Tier 1 supplier to the motor industry. With the support of major customers, the business traded until sold.
- Trustee of the bankrupt estate of a plastic surgeon resulting in full payment of all debts
- Liquidator of TFC (2013) Pty Ltd (Formerly "Trims Finance Co. Pty Ltd") which traded "Trims". This liquidation included the negotiated settlement of a number of 'retention of title' claims under the then new PPSA legislation, the organisation of the closing down sale and recovery of a number of unfair preference claims.
- Voluntary Administrator and subsequently Liquidator of Caring Choice Pty Ltd, a provider of care services to children, disabled persons and the aged. The liquidation has included settlement of a claim against an escrow fund, recovery action of a number of unfair preferences and claims against related parties.
- A review of a partnership of three individual borrowers from a bank subsidiary. Ultimately the financial position of 27 entities was reviewed with the result that the financier recovered all principal and interest on its debt.
- ▶ Receiver and Manager of an importer of electronically controlled, back to base waste bins, principally sold to local councils. The administration resulted in full satisfaction of the private financier's debt.
- ▶ Part X Trustee of 3 high profile but unrelated Adelaide businessmen, two of whom were property developers and the other was the owner of a number of diverse businesses which were wound up. Each of the individuals had a number of guarantees amounting to many millions of dollars and each of the Part X proposals were accepted by creditors.
- ▶ Trustee of the bankrupt estate of an Australia based investor with investments both within and outside of Australia including the United Kingdom and several countries regarded as tax havens. The bankrupt was an investor in upwards of 50 private companies.