



# Adam Ryan

**Senior Associate**

# About Adam Ryan

**Adam is an experienced commercial lawyer specialising in the technology, media and telecoms (TMT), consumer and financial services sectors.**

He is one of the lead associates in Freshfields' fintech group. Taking advantage of his commercial IP/IT experience and technology background, Adam regularly presents to clients and regulators on all aspects of fintech, including distributed ledger technology (blockchain), smart contracts, payments, insurtech, regtech and virtual currencies.

## Recent work

- Advising on acquisitions and disposals of intellectual property and IT assets in the context of international M&A, joint ventures and other transactions.
- Managing complex carve-outs and separation projects.
- Drafting and negotiating a wide variety of commercial contracts, including outsourcing and service agreements, distribution agreements, IP licences, administration agreements and mobile virtual network operator arrangements.
- Advising on IP structuring and protection issues.
- Advising on data protection/data privacy matters.

## Qualifications

### Education

- Bond University, Queensland, Australia (bachelor of information technology/bachelor of laws with honours)

### Professional qualifications

- Solicitor, England and Wales
- Solicitor, New South Wales, Australia

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