

**PROGRAM**  
**The Public Defenders Criminal Law Conference 2017**  
**18-19 March 2017**

**Saturday 18 March 2017**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Speaker</b>	<b>Topic</b>	<b>Points</b>
8:15am		Registration	
9:00am	Lloyd McDermott Mark Ierace SC	Welcome to Country Welcome by Senior Public Defender	
9:15am	Mark Speakman <i>Attorney General</i>	Opening by the Attorney General	
9:45am	The Hon. Justice Stephen Gageler AC <i>Justice of the High Court</i>	Appellate Advocacy	Barristers' Skills - 1 point
10:45am	<i>Morning Tea</i>		
11:15am	Judge Dina Yehia SC <i>Judge of District Court NSW</i>	Advocacy and expert evidence	Barristers' Skills - 1 point
12:15pm	Ajoy Ghosh <i>IT Governance and cyber security expert advising boards, CIOs and CISOs</i>	Update on Evidence of Investigation - Computer Data, Mobile Phones and Cell Towers	Substantive Law, Practice & Procedure & Evidence 1 point
1:15pm	<i>Lunch</i>		
2:00pm	The Hon. Justice Peter McClellan AM <i>Royal Commissioner, Royal Commission into Institutional Responses to Child Sexual Abuse</i>	Perspectives from the Royal Commission and its Impact on Criminal Trials	Substantive Law, Practice & Procedure & Evidence 1 point
3:00pm	Tim Game SC <i>Barrister, Forbes Chambers</i>	Tendency, Coincidence and Joint trials	Substantive Law, Practice & Procedure & Evidence 1 point
4:00pm	<i>Close</i>		

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9:00am	Penny Johnston, Arthur Moses SC, Dr Justine Rogers  <i>Penny Johnston - Former Director, BarCare, Arthur Moses SC - Senior Vice President, NSW Bar Assoc, Dr Justine Rogers - Lecturer UNSW</i>	A panel discussion on Wellbeing, Professional Identity, and the Ethics of Professional Civility in and out of Court	Ethics and Professional Re- sponsibility -1 point, Practice Management and Business Skills - 1 point
11:00am	<i>Morning Tea</i>		
11:30am	Peter McGrath SC  <i>Deputy Senior Public Defender</i>	HCA and CCA Summary	Substantive Law, Practice & Procedure & Evidence 1 Point
12:30pm	<i>Lunch</i>		
1:15pm	Jae Gerhard  <i>Forensic DNA Consultant and Principal Scientist Independent Forensic Services</i>	DNA: Avoiding Miscarriages of Justice: Issues Facing Forensic Biology/DNA evidence	Substantive Law, Practice & Procedure & Evidence - 1 point
2:15pm	Bill Neild  <i>Public Defender</i>	Sexual Assault Trials	Barristers' Skills - 1 point
3:15pm	<i>Close</i>		