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LAWYERS



Grow into the future... with Wallmans Lawyers.

Clerkship  
and Graduate  
Opportunities



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Established in 1908, Wallmans Lawyers is a highly regarded full service firm, with expertise in the South Australian market spanning over a Century.

## Why Wallmans

Our Partners are recognised as leaders in a number of fields of practice, so at Wallmans you will be learning from and working with some of Adelaide's most respected practitioners. We pride ourselves on setting the highest professional standards.

Clients choose Wallmans because they hear good things about us and they stay because we give them no reason to look elsewhere.

Wallmans comprises a full service team of over 90 staff, incorporating 15 Partners and 40 lawyers. As a firm we are large enough to offer diversity and real career opportunities with exposure to a range of practice areas, yet not so large as to be impersonal.

## Connecting with our community

Wallmans, as a successful business recognises its obligations to make a positive contribution to the community in which it operates. Firm-wide, we sponsor, donate money and volunteer for a range of charities including Novita Children's Services, The Royal Flying Doctor Service (Central Division) and The Adelaide Festival Centre Trust (The Children's Christmas Party).

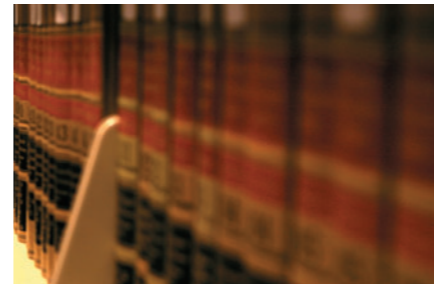
## Areas of Practice

### CORPORATE

- Business and Commercial
- Competition and Consumer
- Employment and Workplace
- Hospitality and Licensing
- Insurance
- Litigation and Dispute Resolution
- Local Government
- Mediation Services
- Medical
- Planning and Environment
- Professional Discipline
- Property, Construction and Infrastructure
- Retirement Villages and Aged Care
- Taxation and Superannuation
- Transport

### PERSONAL

- Injury
- Tax and Estate Planning



*“The bodies we support genuinely appreciate not only financial assistance, but the benefits we can provide by making our skills available to them. We actively encourage all of our staff to participate in these efforts, and appreciate the generosity of those who become involved.”*

Chris Wellington, Partner.

*“Wallmans understands the importance of developing a law firm's major asset: its people. We encourage and support our staff to be successful in achieving both their professional and non-professional goals.”*

Trevor Edmond, Managing Partner

## What we offer

At Wallmans, our working environment is relaxed, yet stimulating, challenging and professional. We encourage self-development and provide opportunities for staff to achieve their utmost potential via mentoring, internal and external development and training programs. Offering a genuine team approach is one of our greatest strengths.

With clear guidelines for progression and regular reviews and structured development plans, Wallmans offer you a career, not just a job.

With an active social club undertaking a range of functions, charity events and sporting activities throughout the year, Wallmans support strong working and social relationships between staff.

### Our core values are central to everything we do:

- Accountability
- Family, Fun and Celebration
- Excellence and Integrity
- Respect and Cooperation
- Enthusiasm and Creativity

*“Wallmans are very encouraging of any social activities within the firm. There are regular events held by the social club and actually, everyone gets involved. As you may not have daily contact with staff from other practice areas, these events are a great chance to socialise and catch up with the greater Wallmans team.”*

Tori Rees, Associate

## Programs

### PLT Placements

Six-week placements are offered in the following blocks, although dates may be negotiated to suit study requirements.

March – May

September – November

November – February

### Summer Clerkships

Applications are welcome for penultimate or final year law students. Four-week clerkships are offered between December and February.

Please refer to the back of this brochure for application information.

“As a younger lawyer in the firm, I have had the opportunity to not only seek the advice of many mentors, I have had the opportunity to provide advice as a mentor. Thus while enhancing my legal skills, I am developing leadership skills.”

Victoria Shute, Senior Associate

## Interested?

Many of our senior lawyers started with us as clerkship participants.

We view the summer clerkship program and PLT placement program as your first opportunity to experience life as a lawyer in a medium sized, fast paced legal practice.

You are provided with the opportunity to gain exposure in a range of practice fields, which you may not have previously considered.

In order to assist you to make a smooth transition from student to professional we offer a structured placement program, to allow you to fully participate in firm life and to gain the upmost experience in the time you spend with us.

A typical Clerkship at Wallmans would include the following:

- Meeting with the Managing Partner and HR Manager to discuss your program.
- Introduction to staff members and responsible Partners.
- Comprehensive training in our systems and procedures to allow you to operate within our environment.
- Attending client meetings and conducting interviews with witnesses.
- Conducting and reporting on factual and legal research.
- Collating and indexing documents for use in trials and mediation.
- Preparing letters of advice, opinions and drafting of Commercial and Court documents.
- Accompanying clients to Barristers Chambers or to Court.
- Attending Court Registries and Public Offices.
- Participating in practice section meetings and internal training programs.
- Attending firm social events, networking seminars and business development activities.

“It is the attention to detail and the ‘going the extra mile’ for clients which sets Wallmans apart from its competitors. Wallmans truly values and rewards hard work and effort while acknowledging the importance of both work/life balance. A great place to work.”

Brian Paris, Senior Associate

## To apply

For more information and to submit your application please visit the Careers Section on our website:

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