

# Grant Long

Group Principal



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## Qualifications

Bachelor of Laws  
Bachelor of Urban & Regional  
Planning  
Accredited Specialist – Planning &  
Environment Law

## Areas of Expertise

Planning  
Environment  
Government  
Mining

## Overview

Grant is an experienced Planning & Environment Lawyer who, prior to joining Nexus ran a boutique legal practice. Prior to that, Grant was the in-house corporate lawyer for one of the largest council's in New South Wales.

Specialising in the areas of planning, environment, administrative law and mining, Grant has 20 years' experience conducting cases of considerable economic, environmental and social significance. He has acted for a range of clients from large development companies to individual landowners.

Grant has extensive experience litigating in merit, judicial review and criminal proceedings in the Land & Environment Court. He has also appeared in the Supreme Court, Court of Appeal, Federal Court, District and Local Courts.

Grant has also prepared and run courses at the University of Technology Sydney and lectured at the University of Newcastle.

Grant has a background in planning, having completed a degree in Urban & Regional Planning before undertaking and completing his law degree.

## Recent Experience

Grant's recent experience includes:

- acting for applicants for development in merits appeals in the Land & Environment Court;
- acting in judicial review proceedings in the Land & Environment Court;
- acting for a development company defending criminal charges concerning allegations of illegal development;
- advising in relation to the permissibility of development, prospects on appeal and ancillary aspects of the development assessment process;
- acting for various clients in tree disputes in the Land & Environment Court; and
- advising in relation to quarries.

