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Academic & Professional Qualifications

- Sarah holds a Bachelor of Laws (First Degree Honours) and Bachelor of Arts (With Distinction) from Deakin University and an MBA (With Distinction) from the University of Western Australia.
- Sarah is a qualified solicitor and an associate of Chartered Accountants Australia & NZ.

Experience and Core Competencies

- Before joining PwC Australia, Sarah worked as a lawyer at Blake Dawson (now Ashurst). Sarah has worked at PwC for the last eight years across PwC Sydney, Melbourne and Perth.
- Sarah is a partner in Australia's Financial Services tax practices and her clients include a range of domestic and foreign banks, algorithmic traders, wealth managers. Sarah provides income tax compliance services, as well as tax structuring and due diligence advice with respect to acquisitions and disposals of assets,.
- Sarah also leads Australia's FinTech and Cryptocurrency tax practice. She works with a number of Australian companies that are conducted and have completed ICOs, and with major Australian cryptocurrency exchanges. Sarah is also involved in consultation with regulators in respect of digital currency and has strong connections with Australian industry bodies.