

Book Launch: “Consideration in Contract Law”

Dr Mark Giancaspro, University of Adelaide Law School



Wednesday 19 February 2025,
16:00-17:00pm



S2.09 (Warwick Law School)

About the Event

Join us for the **book launch** of *“Consideration in Contract Law”* by Dr Mark Giancaspro,. Dr Giancaspro explores the origins, functions, and impact of the doctrine of consideration, analysing its deep-rooted principles and ongoing controversies across legal systems. Dr Giancaspro traces its evolution from Roman law to modern contract principles, examining key cases (*Stilk v Myrick*, *Williams v Roffey Bros*), and whether courts might recognise unconventional forms, such as love, lucky charms, or cryptocurrency.

The event will be followed by a **drinks reception**.

About the Speaker

Dr Mark Giancaspro is a senior lecturer at the University of Adelaide Law School and a practising commercial lawyer. Mark teaches contract, consumer, and commercial law, as well as sports law, and has published widely in these areas. He has provided training on commercial and consumer law for LK Law’s Accessible Justice Project and is an active member of several professional bodies, including the Law Council of Australia (Business Law Section, Digital Commerce Committee) and the Australian Commercial Law Association.

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