I have been a criminal lawyer for the past fourteen years. My practice includes a mix of trials, appeals and regulatory work.

I understand how important it is for criminal lawyers to have an organization like the CLA that advocates for our interests, offers educational and social opportunities, and provides support. I am running for the CLA board to contribute towards the development of each of these functions.

I am interested in developing further educational opportunities within the CLA, particularly offering greater flexibility in scheduling to encourage the co-existence of family and professional obligations. In addition, I am keen to continue the CLA's work in creating mentoring opportunities for new and junior criminal lawyers. Practising criminal law can be very difficult. Ensuring that we continue to build a cohesive criminal defense bar is invaluable to our ability to practice and best represent our clients.