

# Kathy Sozou

## Partner in Sydney

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Kathy is a Restructuring Partner and Registered Liquidator with over 25 years' experience advising businesses in Australia and the UK through complex financial and operational challenges.

She is a trusted adviser to boards, management teams, secured creditors and shareholders, helping them navigate both risk and opportunity in distressed situations.

Kathy advises across the full spectrum of restructuring and insolvency matters. Her experience spans independent business reviews and advisory engagements, including Safe Harbour support, through to formal appointments such as Receiverships, Voluntary Administrations, Deeds of Company Arrangement and Liquidations.

She has worked across a broad range of industries, with recent experience in private healthcare, retail, insurance, manufacturing, aged care and financial services.

As a board member of ARITA, Kathy plays an active leadership role in the profession, including leading the organisation's diversity initiatives and engaging with regulators and industry bodies.

## Engagement Experience —

Recent notable engagements include:

- Voluntary Administrator and Deed Administrator of Eric Insurance Limited, resulting in a successful wind-down of operations and creditors paid in full.
- Receiver and Manager to the Tritium Group of entities, a NASDAQ listed manufacturer of electronic fast chargers with global operations.
- Receiver and Manager of Anagram International LLC, the Australian business of the UK Wonder Group providing wholesale party supplies.
- Advising a client to successfully navigate key supplier risk through scenario-based playbooks and contingency planning for delivery of a renewable energy infrastructure project facing working capital constraints.
- Liquidator of Apollo Kitchens and Infracraft Detailed Joinery, both manufacturers of custom, high-end joinery.
- Assisting the Liquidators in the Forum Group of Companies appointment.
- Advising stakeholders in relation to capital constrained insurance entity and assisting in a capital raise.
- Advising stakeholders in relation to a distressed regional aged care facility.

## Qualifications & Memberships —

- Registered Liquidator
- Fellow, Australian Restructuring Insolvency and Turnaround Association (ARITA)
- Member, Turnaround Management Association (TMA)
- Member, Chartered Accountant (CA) ANZ
- Bachelor of Commerce (Accounting and Finance)

## Board Roles —

- Deputy President, ARITA
- Executive Management Committee, McGrathNicol

## Key Industries —

- Insurance
- Renewables
- Aged care
- Construction and engineering
- Retailing
- Franchising
- Investment banking



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