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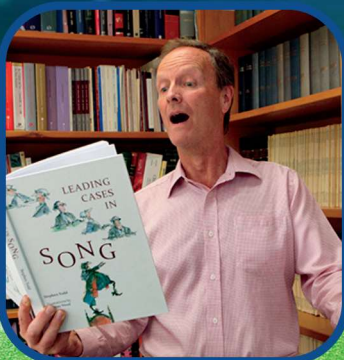
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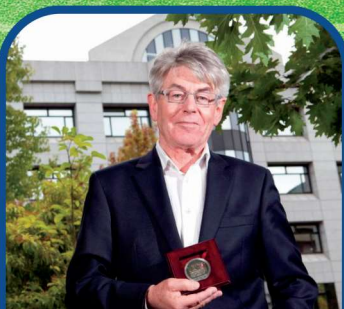
Welcome dear readers to the 2023 UC Law Lecturers Draft, Obiter-style. Isaiah and Oliver will go head to head drafting UC Law lecturers each for the upcoming Uni season. They will get five picks each, and will take it in turns to make their selections. As you know there are 'no wrong answers' in Law School. It is all about your reasoning. So, please take that into consideration, before you go starting any #OngOut or #FraddOut movements.

This was inherently tough to get fair representation as we are both only entering our third year of Law School this year. There is admittedly a huge recency bias towards 200-level lecturers as Oliver did first year in Auckland, and we both don't really remember much from first year. What does cur adv vult mean again?...

In any case, the time for talk is over, and this draft is officially open. Following the flip of a coin (tails never fails), Isaiah has won the toss, and is now on the clock!



With the first overall pick of the 2023 UC Law Lecturers Draft, Isaiah selects – Stephen Todd. It would be grossly negligent for anyone other than Prof Todd to kick off this draft. His creativity, longevity, and vocal range are second to none. As the author of *Leading Cases in Song* (available in all good stores), he will be Isaiah's leading man in the upcoming season.



With his first pick of the 2023 UC Law Lecturers Draft, Oliver selects – Philip Joseph. It would be a transgression akin to conduct subject to judicial review to allow such an experienced and accredited member of Faculty to slip through the first round. With a game IQ like no other, Prof Joseph knows the playbook inside and out (with many saying he even authored it himself). As the recipient of the prestigious IJC Research Medal in 2012, Oliver's first pick is a man



With his second pick of the 2023 UC Law Lecturers Draft, Isaiah selects – Matthew Barber. It may turn a few heads to see Dr Barber be picked this early in the draft, especially considering the impressive pool of talent that the Faculty has to offer. However, we can all be in AGREEMENT that, despite an impressive start to life as a UC Law Lecturer, his best years are yet to come, and so he is a pick for both the present and future. For Isaiah’s sake, here’s hoping there isn’t another impending sabbatical this year.



For his second pick of the 2023 UC Law Lecturers Draft, Oliver selects – Elizabeth Toomey. As the resident expert in the Faculty for Land Law, Prof Toomey has produced scholarly articles since 1994 when Fraser v Walker was still the leading case on land fraud. With a fondness for a certain metaphorized baked good, she brings a refreshing simplicity that is so far inside the box, it's outside the box. Oliver hopes this addition will make him indefeasible this season.



For his third pick in the 2023 UC Law Lecturers Draft, Isaiah selects – Ursula Cheer. It wouldn't be an Obiter Clubs Day edition without Prof Cheer. She is someone that you love to have on your side but hate to see on the other side, as she has real quality, but can also be a real nuisance to those she's up against. As the Faculty's own Minerva McGonagall, Isaiah will be hoping she has a magical season this year. (We sincerely hope none of the content in this magazine is found to be defamatory, in any way. If it is, please don't hesitate to voice your concern, and we'll get back to you in 3-500 working days x)



With his third pick in the 2023 UC Law Lecturers Draft, Oliver selects – Annick Masselot. Yeap, it's time to turn up the heat in this draft, and who better to bring the fire than Prof Masselot? Given her burning passion for the more equitable avenues of the law, and her many contributions to anti-discrimination and gender centred legal works. It is apropos that a European element is introduced to this draft. Oliver will be hoping this pick provides him that certain je ne sais quoi this season.



With his fourth pick of the 2023 UC Law Lecturers Draft, Isaiah selects – Toni Collins. Having recently completed her PhD which looked at the effect the earthquakes had on commercial landlords and tenants, you can expect Dr Collins to shake things up this season. Isaiah's fourth pick is an excellent defensive player that can jump over her opponents and block them from scoring by lodging caveats on their attacks.



For his fourth pick in the 2023 UC Law Lecturers Draft, Oliver selects – Christian Riffel. From France to Germany, Dr Riffel is yet another example of the wonderfully talented and diverse Faculty we have here at UC. With an affinity for the legal text like no other, he is a firm believer in one of sport's (and law's) most popular mantras – trust the process. Having undergone a civil law based legal training, Oliver's penultimate pick has a unique outlook on the law, and could be the difference maker this season.



For his fifth pick in the 2023 UC Law Lecturers Draft, Isaiah selects – John Hopkins. After much speculation with the Uni League Executive Committee, Dr Hopkins gets the green light to be part of this year's draft. As a comparative public lawyer, no one can compare to the panache of the Faculty's own disaster law specialist. Isaiah will be praying his final pick spells disaster to all those who stand in his way this season.



With his fifth pick in the 2023 UC Law Lecturers Draft, Oliver selects – David Jefferson. Hailing from the United States of America, Dr Jefferson is one of the newest 'tenants' in the Law School. Despite only joining the Faculty in 2021, he has done exceptionally well to acquire the interest of his students. The final overall pick in this year's draft is one that Oliver hopes will land him the victory this season.