

## **FACULTY ANNOUNCEMENT**

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## Assistant Professor Dan W. Puchniak wins prize for best paper at the annual Australian Corporate Law Teachers Association conference

NUS Faculty of Law warmly congratulates Assistant Professor Dan W. Puchniak on being the recipient of the best paper prize at the annual Australian Corporate Law Teachers Association conference held on 5-7 February, 2012.

His paper, entitled "The Derivative Action in Asia: A Complex Reality", builds on work he has been doing for an edited book with Michael Ewing-Chow and Harald Baum (from the Max Planck Institute), including reference to chapters in the book by Assistant Professors Wee Meng Seng and Umakanth Varottil on derivative actions in Singapore and India. The forthcoming book, entitled "The Derivative Action in Asia: A Comparative and Functional Approach", benefited greatly from the symposium on derivative actions in Asia that was held at NUS in July 2010, involving many more colleagues. The book will be published by Cambridge University Press in 2012 and has already received advanced world's comparative from some of the leading corporate scholars (http://www.cambridge.org/aus/catalogue/catalogue.asp?isbn=9781107012271).



Assistant Professor Dan Puchniak with Mr Steven Wright, Director of Education & Training at the Chartered Secretaries Australia and Associate Professor Ellie Chapple from the Australian National University and current Secretary and Immediate preceding Past President of the CLTA