

The Lawyers Directory

Updated November 2014

Falkland Islands
Legal Practitioners

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Law Firm: Pinsent Masons LLP

Qualifications: Admitted as a solicitor in Scotland in 1993
Admitted as a solicitor in England & Wales in 1999
Practicing law in the Falkland Islands since 1997

Experience: Member of the Falkland Islands Government's legal team in Stanley from 1997 to 2013

Areas of Law: Commercial
Company Formation & Company Secretarial
Contract
Conveyancing and Property
Criminal Defence
Debt Recovery
Employment
Family, including Matrimonial and Children
Licensing
Litigation
Personal Injury
Planning
Probate
Road Traffic

Background: The first private legal practice in the Falklands was established by Gavin Farquhar of Pinsent Masons in 1988. Pinsent Masons is an international law firm, and the legal team in Stanley are able to draw on the expertise of UK- based colleagues with experience of Falkland Islands law covering a range of specialist areas including oil & gas, fishing and maritime sectors.

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QUALIFICATIONS: Qualified as a solicitor in England 1994, Family Mediator since 1995, Legal Aid Quality Mark Supervisor in Housing, Debt, Public Law and Employment. Previously member of the Housing Law Practitioner's Association and Resolution (formerly Solicitors Family Law Association) in England.

PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE: Large range of work undertaken for both individuals, companies and Local Authorities; including complex civil litigation and commercial mediations. I commenced and ran my own firm and have advised on a number of business startups having practical experience as well as providing Legal Advice. Other consultancy work has included advising on LEXCEL a quality mark for solicitors based on similar quality mark standards used in other businesses. This includes elements such as business recovery systems, training and financial management. Over the years I have built up my own network of lawyers in the UK who can be referred to for more complex matters.

UNDERTAKE LEGAL AID WORK: Yes

AGENCY WORK UNDERTAKEN: Yes

AREAS OF LAW: family, contracts, conveyancing, employment, civil claims, personal injury, professional negligence, children matters, crime, Company Formation and Company Secretary work, public law including Judicial Reviews, Insolvency, property issues, shipping, Coroner's Court.

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PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE: Initially worked in the private sector dealing with Legal Aid work, practicing in mainly Criminal and Family law. In 1999 moved to the public sector for 12 years practicing solely in criminal law. In 2011 became a partner in a high street practice in Wallsend, Newcastle upon Tyne dealing with Criminal law, Family law, Wills and Probate and debt recovery.

UNDERTAKE LEGAL AID WORK: Yes

AGENCY WORK UNDERTAKEN: Yes

COMMENCED IN THE FALKLANDS: November 2013

AREAS OF LAW: crime, licensing, family, debt recovery, coronial and shipping law

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Family

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Housing

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Product Liability

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Property

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Shipping

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Taxation

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Terrorism

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Trusts/ Settlements

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Welfare Benefit

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Hassan is a Solicitor- Advocate with Hine Solicitors, one of the largest criminal defence firms in the United Kingdom. Although, his practice is predominantly in Criminal Defence, he has Rights of Audience in all Courts and has experience with Civil Law, having appeared in Judicial Reviews and has also been instructed in Civil Matters before the High Court.

Hassan specialises in trial advocacy and appears regularly in the Crown Court and before the Courts-Martial.

He is regularly instructed in serious cases and has represented defendants in matters including serious offences of sexual misconduct, violence and fraud.

Before joining the team at Hine, Hassan was fortunate to work in the City where he gained experience in defending serious fraud cases.

Hassan also has gained considerable experience in Military Law and has been regularly instructed to represent Service Personnel in a wide variety of cases. Prior to qualifying as a lawyer, Hassan served actively with the Territorial Army in the Infantry. This has allowed him to gain an insight into Service Life.

Hassan is willing to travel to the Falkland Islands at short notice and looks forward to your instructions.

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General Profile:

- Called to the Bar in 2006, having been Top Student on the Bar Vocational Course at the College of Law.
- LLB(Hons.) from the University of Warwick in 2004 and LLM from King's College London in 2005.
- Regularly instructed since April 2008 to prosecute and defend all types of case.
- Experience of the full range of criminal offences as well as motoring offences, regulatory offences and money laundering proceedings.
- Public Access qualified, entitling me to receive instructions directly from the public.

In addition to my general criminal law practice, I have gained specialist knowledge of:

- **Fraud offences** – I am regularly instructed to prosecute benefit fraud offences and have built up a wealth of knowledge and experience.
- **Dangerous Dogs** – through defending in a number of cases I have built up a body of knowledge, in particular concerning the fate of the dog.
- **Sentencing** (generally) – prior to coming to the Bar I was employed by the Sentencing Guidelines Secretariat.

What can I offer you?

- Advice in writing or by telephone on any aspect of criminal law, including admissibility of evidence.
- Meetings using a video-link facility or in person to provide advice.
- Representation in Court.

**Criminal
Drugs
Fraud**

**Money Laundering
Welfare Benefits
White Collar Crime**

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James was called to the Bar of England and Wales in 2005 having been educated at Charterhouse, the University of Leicester, City University and the Inns' of Court School of Law. He practises in criminal and civil law.

Services

James undertakes both advisory work and advocacy. He receives the majority of his work from instructing solicitors who value his ability to explain complex areas of law in a straightforward manner and for his focus on practical solutions to their clients' problems. James is also approved for Direct Public Access and is happy to provide initial informal advice by email.

Crime

James is a Grade 2 Prosecutor and a Member of the Attorney General's C list of prosecution advocates for the Midland Circuit. He has prosecuted or defended a wide range of offences appearing before the Crown Court, including arson, grievous bodily harm with intent, drug supply and trafficking, burglary, armed robbery, kidnap, dangerous driving and money laundering. He has appeared in the Court of Appeal on a number of occasions and has appeared in the High Court in Judicial Review proceedings against a Crown Court judge.

Recent cases include prosecuting a prisoner serving a life-sentence for inciting a friend to commit grievous bodily harm in a revenge attack, defending a conspiracy to import class A drugs into the United Kingdom and defending in a conspiracy involving the defrauding of National Savings and Investments. He has particular expertise in the Proceeds of Crime Act 2002, having worked for HM Revenue and Customs.

Civil

James has extensive experience of a variety of civil work including personal injury, consumer protection, contract, licensing and landlord and tenant law. He regularly appears in the County and High courts and is often instructed by solicitors to deal with complicated areas of law within his specialisms.

Recent cases include advising and appearing in court for Leicestershire County Council Trading Standards to enforce consumer protection legislation, appearing on behalf of the claimant in a case involving the illegal retention of property by the police and advising in a case involving smoke-free premises.

Civil Litigation

Contract

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I was called to the Bar in 1992. I specialise in all aspects of property law and landlord and tenant (commercial and residential), both litigious and advisory. My work also extends into related fields, such as property related professional negligence or insolvency. Reported cases include:

Stadium Capital Holdings (No 2) Ltd v St Marylebone Property Company Plc: concerning the correct basis for an award of damages for trespass.

Norwich City College Of Further & Higher Education v Mcquillin & Anor: involving the interpretation of restrictive covenants as to land use.

Sunberry Properties Ltd v Innovate Logistics Ltd (in administration): an insolvency case brought by a landlord.

Leftbank Properties Ltd v Spirit Group Retail Ltd: commercial rent review.

Simmons and ors v Dresden: interpretation of repairing covenants in a commercial lease and damages for dilapidations.

Bakewell Management Ltd v Brandwood and ors (House of Lords): rights of way and the acquisition of easements by prescription.

I write practitioner textbooks including "Registered Land Law and Practice" (with Charles Harpum), and "Lewison's Drafting Business Leases"

I was shortlisted as Chambers & Partners Real Estate Junior of the Year in the Bar Awards 2008 and 2011.

**Housing
Litigation
Property**

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Practice areas: Alison is an experienced and well-respected commercial litigator particularly in the field of trusts and estates. Alison has previously practised in Jersey, Channel Islands, an offshore jurisdiction recognised for its estate and trust litigation. Alison has been very successful in complex estate litigation cases, resulting in outstanding successes for her clients in this technical and challenging specialist area of the law. Alison is also an experienced commercial practitioner having advised high net worth clients in various commercial transactions including drafting complex commercial agreements. Alison currently practises in Queensland, Australia.

Awards: Vice-Chancellor's Award for Academic Excellence (Bond University)

Memberships: Honourable Society of the Inner Temple
Women Lawyers Association of Queensland
Society of Trust and Estate Practitioners (STEP is the leading worldwide professional body for practitioners in the fields of trusts, estates and related issues, with more than 16,000 members in 66 countries. For further information see www.step.org)

Languages: English
French

Admission Dates: 4 March 2011 High Court of Australia
15 March 2010 Queensland, Australia
9 October 2003 Bar of England and Wales*
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Civil Litigation
Commercial/Business
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Qualified as a solicitor in 1995 and practised in criminal defence and family law (private and public). I gained higher rights (criminal division) in 1999 and thereafter was called to the bar in 2001.

During my 11/12 years at the bar I have defended in the crown court serious cases involving rape, murder, fraud and numerous tax frauds and money laundering cases commonly described as white collar crime many of which have been high profile.

I also prosecute regularly for the crown prosecution service and the attorney general and i am also therefore very familiar with the full spectrum of welfare benefit fraud and other regulatory breaches both on the side of prosecution and defence.

I have also practised over the years in family law dealing with private law children cases, public law cases both for the families and local authority and of course ancillary relief proceedings in relation to the finances.

Inquest work is also a regular aspect of my practice representing the interests of families in what can be upsetting and distressing circumstances.

Family

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Inquests

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Regulatory

Taxation

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Employment law

Richard accepts instructions from Claimants and Respondents both to advise and attend Tribunals. He has developed good relationships with the in-house teams of a number of public transport employers and accepts public access instructions.

Reference:

I have been using the service of No 5 Chambers for a number of years on a range of employment issues and have worked with Richard Case for over 10 years. I find the chambers, and Richard in particular, to be extremely professional and knowledgeable when dealing with Employment Tribunal claims. He is always thorough in his preparation and has built up a strong and detailed knowledge of our business and I would have no hesitation in recommending him. Debbie Lamshead (HR Business Partner First Group – London).

Personal injury law

Richard has a broad range of experience acting for Claimants and Defendants in employers' liability, public liability, road traffic, occupiers' liability and Fatal Accidents Act claims. A particular area of expertise is in defending fraudulent insurance claims.

Employment**Personal Injury**

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David practices in Commercial and Chancery litigation and advice, Professional Negligence and Employment. He has considerable breadth of experience in other fields which is particularly useful in "cross-over" cases. An Accredited Commercial Mediator. Recent cases include financial services, civil fraud, misrepresentation, and the other commercial torts, acting for both Claimant and Defendant in the Chancery Division, Companies Court and Queen's Bench Division. Heavy civil fraud actions have included both "ordinary" civil litigation and as the basis for unfair prejudice petitions in the Companies Court. Other fields include professional negligence, contract, insurance, company law (including restoration, share reduction and company director disqualification), partnership disputes, insolvency, copyright, database rights and passing off, contested will and inheritance act disputes, judicial review in the commercial context and property as well as senior executive employment work. Conduct of mediations is an important part of this work. David has acted in one Falkland Islands case but has been instructed in a number of other off-shore jurisdictions including BVI, Cayman Islands and the Channel Islands. He is familiar with off shore trust devices and with charity law.

**Chancery
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**Contract
Employment**

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Personal Injury

Both Claimant and Defendant work, including:

- Claims arising out of road traffic accidents, slipping and tripping accidents on highways, occupiers' liability and employers' liability and assaults.
- Claims arising out of accidents occurring abroad (including "holiday" claims and direct claims against foreign insurers and defendants).

Civil Litigation

Common law practice, including costs and other civil procedure issues, landlord and tenant, and professional negligence claims.

Contract & Commercial

Breach of contract claims, including non-payment of professional fees.

Debt & Insolvency

Claims for debt recovery, including obtaining charging orders and orders for sale, bankruptcy and winding-up petitions, both for petitioners and respondents.

Employment

Both claimant and respondent work, including claims for unfair dismissal and discrimination.

Education

LLB Law with French Law (UCL), CSDF (Paris II), BCL (Oxford), Fluent French.

Bankruptcy/Insolvency**Civil Litigation****Contract****Employment****Litigation****Personal Injury**

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Education:

Trinity Hall, Cambridge University

I have been a barrister practising in civil law for over 30 years. As a barrister I advise clients as to the merits of their case and I advise on what needs to be done to improve the prospects of success. If the only way to obtain redress is to issue court proceedings I draft various documents that need to be presented to the court and I attend the hearing of the case as an advocate for the client.

I have a wide experience in civil cases that include bailment, consumer credit, contract, commercial, director's disqualification, health and safety at work, immigration, landlord and tenant, mortgage repossessions, nuisance, personal injuries, professional negligence, and sale of goods. As a civil law barrister I do not practise at all in criminal law. I should also say that both family law and employment law are not areas I usually deal with.

My particular areas of expertise are:

Personal injuries, whether it be as a result of a road traffic accident, travelling as a passenger by air or sea, an injury at work or whilst engaged in leisure activities, occupier's liability, or as a result of defective products. I am experienced in fatal accident cases and in coroner's inquests

Medical negligence. I have acted for claimants in orthopaedic, vascular, obstetric, ophthalmic, neurological, and immune system disorder cases

Immigration, asylum and nationality matters. I have acted for all manner of clients who wished to come to the United Kingdom on a temporary or permanent basis and for an equal number who are present in the United Kingdom and who faced the threat of removal.

I also sit as a fee part (part-time) immigration judge in London and have done so since 1996.

Civil Litigation Clinical

Negligence

Commercial/Business

Construction

Contract

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Environmental

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Immigration

Inquests

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LL.B. (Hons.) – First class

Richard is an established mixed criminal and civil practitioner. He is a Bar Council-approved direct access practitioner, and had conducted numerous formal mediations on behalf of his clients. He is regularly instructed for his client-friendly manner and exceptional advocacy.

He has been instructed in all categories of serious and complex crime including attempted murder, rape, grievous bodily harm, money laundering and fraud. He has acted as a junior alone in cases prosecuted by a QC and is an experienced and successful appellate advocate.

Richard is experienced in dealing with a wide spectrum of civil disputes, and is often instructed early in proceedings to ensure that his clients receive the most commercially realistic advice at the outset of the litigation.

Richard has successfully conducted a number of multi-track commercial and contractual disputes. Cases often involve contractual disputes including oral variation, or credit agreements. He is increasingly instructed in construction disputes, involving substantial and complex expert evidence. He has most recently been instructed in a case involving the installation of a fire and security alarm systems at Christie's warehouse.

Richard is a long-established employment law specialist, again concentrating on contractual disputes and unfair dismissal claims. He has also successfully acted in a number of cases where the claimant has been awarded substantial damages for either sex, racial or age discrimination.

Richard has acted for a number of clients in the Chancery Division in respect of beneficial trusts arising out of property or probate disputes. Often he has taken a difficult case involving little documentary evidence, and using novel argument has successfully established that a trust subsisted and that his client had a beneficial interest in it.

Chancery**Commercial/Business****Construction****Contract****Criminal****Employment****Fraud****Money Laundering Murder****Probate/Wills/Administration of****Estates**

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Fellow of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators 2006.

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LL.M in European Union (Commercial) Law University of Leicester 2006.

Diploma In Arbitration University College Dublin 2003.

Diploma In Legal Studies & Barrister-at-Law Degree King's Inns, 2003.

M.Econ.Sc in European Economics and Public Affairs Dublin European Institute 1998.

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Practice Area/s: Provide advocacy and specialised legal drafting services as a Barrister in and for tribunals and courts of all types whether dealing with criminal or civil law. General practitioner since 2003 with experience in Employment law, Family law including divorce, Civil law including debt recovery, personal injuries claims, claims for breach of contract, road traffic accident claims. Specialist in Construction law, Competition law, ADR law including Arbitration and Mediation. Act as both counsel in arbitrations and mediations and as an Arbitrator or Mediator. Experience in ADR shown *inter alia* by co-authorship of textbook 'Arbitration Law' and former lecturership in dispute resolution. Have acted in 60 ADR hearings since 2007 as counsel or neutral at or before hearing or post hearing with the said matters dealing with disputes with a value anywhere between €1,000-€5 million. Whilst primarily in practice as a Barrister in Dublin having been called there first in 2003; I have been in practice in England on a secondary basis since 2007 first as Door Tenant at Guildford Chambers, then an associate tenant at Clarendon Chambers and more recently at Warrenside Chambers and Temple Court Chamber in London.

Construction

Contract

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Employment

Family

Mediation

Personal Injury

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Claire has been practising as a commercial/civil litigation solicitor since 2002 and has developed specialist experience in all aspects of dispute resolution, mediation and arbitration and has worked in both the private and public sector.

Claire represents individuals, public bodies and companies from initial instructions right through to trial.

Expertise

- Real estate litigation
- Partnership disputes
- Personal injury litigation
- Contentious employment
- Contentious probate
- Debt recovery
- Freezing orders and asset tracing
- Military law

Claire views each case as a personal challenge and aims to meet each client's individual needs while finding a favourable solution.

Claire is an ex Territorial Army officer and in her spare time enjoys watching Chelsea FC, walking her dogs and playing tennis.

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Areas of practice

- Clinical negligence
- Personal injury
- Fatal accidents
- Coroners' inquests
- Defective products

Dr Ellis practised as a medical officer in the Royal Navy, then as a solicitor specialising in healthcare and product liability litigation at DAC Beachcroft Solicitors, London, before transferring to the Bar in 1997. He has been an Assistant Deputy Coroner in London since 2000, and is a qualified mediator. He is the author and assistant editor of a number of leading medico-legal textbooks, including the clinical negligence chapter in Butterworths' Personal Injury Litigation Service.

Dr Ellis is ranked by the 'Legal 500' and 'Chambers & Partners' as a leading junior barrister in clinical negligence and personal injury at the London Bar: *"...impresses sources with his medical know-how, approachability and depth of knowledge beyond that of his contemporaries... you win cases with him because he helps everyone through the evidence calmly and effectively and makes over-aggressive hired guns seem foolish..."*.

Assistant Deputy Coroner (Outer West London)

Clinical Negligence**Inquests****Personal Injury****Product Liability**

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LLM (Lond), University College, London (UCL) - Commercial and Corporate law

Experience:

Andrew Emery is a commercial Barrister specialising in international disputes. He has particular experience in Energy matters (oil and Gas), Shipping cases, as well as offshore financial matters (offshore trusts and hedge funds). He also has experience in matters of Public International Law. He has been instructed on matters in The Bahamas, The Cayman Islands, The British Virgin Islands, Pakistan and the USA. He has also advised Governments in relation to the granting of oil drilling rights, diplomatic relations.

He can offer advocacy (in Court and in Arbitration), drafting of pleadings, written legal advice/opinion. He has appeared in Courts both in the UK and abroad and in Arbitrations in the UK, Singapore and New York (ICSID, LMAA, ICC).

Examples of work include:

- Advising and representing oil companies in relation to various commercial disputes (breach of contract, disputes over oil drilling rights);
- Advising and representing Banks and various Financial providers in connection with offshore trusts, hedge funds;
- Provided written advice to various Governments on Diplomatic and State Immunity issues;
- Major construction disputes;
- Various general commercial disputes.

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Construction

International

Litigation

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Publications: Commercial Judicial Review, Sweet & Maxwell (2000); Care Standards Act 2000, OUP (2003); Bullen and Leake's Precedents – (Education), Sweet & Maxwell (2009)

Philip Engelman has been in practice for over 30 years. During that time he has represented clients from both the domestic and international arena, including private individuals; companies; local government; central government; public organisations and Trade Unions, including the Royal College of Nursing, the Law Society, the Association of Chartered and Certified Accountants, the Official Solicitor, GMB, NALGO (now UNISON) and PROSPECT.

He has appeared in the House of Lords; Privy Council; Court of Appeal; Divisional Court; Administrative Court and in the Queen's Bench and Chancery divisions of the High Court.

He has also appeared in many Tribunals including the Employment Tribunals, the Care Standards Tribunal, Special Educational Needs Tribunal, General Medical Council, Family Health Services Appeal Authority, Nursery Midwifery Council, Solicitors Disciplinary Tribunal and the new First-tier and Upper Tribunals.

He has been heavily involved in equal pay litigation and has appeared in many cases concerning local and NHS authorities; bonuses and shams; collective agreements and the EU Directive; legal professional privilege, settlement agreements, contribution proceedings; Genuine Material Factor; grievance procedure; equal pay; TUPE and legal pay; schools and equal pay; definition of sham; identification of comparator by name.

Judgment has just been handed down (1st February 2012) in a case in which the first challenge to a local authority's Green Book Job Evaluation Study has been upheld.

He is currently involved in a number of cases on public procurement. He has advised and appeared for both Claimants and Defendants including local authorities and a well-known children's charity. He also advises and appears in cases on confidentiality. He is currently advising on the contents of local authority records and the Data Protection Act. He advises doctors and the Medical Protection Society. He has recently advised on the issue of doctors and the right to a private life.

He is also advising in a case concerning compensation for miscarriage of justice in relation to one of the last executions carried out in this country. He has also advised and appeared recently in cases concerning: bankers, bonuses and employment; Care homes and breach of contract by a Local Authority; Under sea survey; Political parties; A prisoner's right to vote; A school's conversion to Academy Status; Solicitors and the Legal Ombudsman; Serious Case Reviews and information held by local authorities and arbitration proceedings concerning solicitors.

Over the years he has been involved in much high profile litigation, and his clients have included those who have suffered miscarriage of justice; those on death row in the Caribbean and elsewhere; animal rights groups; ethnic minority Bar students; and more prosaically, international tennis players.

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Public/ Administrative

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I am a qualified solicitor (1996) and barrister (2003).

I defend people accused of a wide range of criminal offences, from the relatively minor to the most serious; from burglary and theft to rape and murder. I also appear in the Mental Health Review Tribunal. I am an accredited mediator. I have a particular interest in Human Rights and Mental Health and have written and lectured on these subjects.

I was born and brought up in Dublin. I graduated from Trinity College, Dublin with a degree (MA) in history. Before becoming a solicitor I worked in bookselling and publishing. I was a partner at Burton Copeland, a well-known firm of criminal defence solicitors, where I was involved in the appeal of Sally Clark and a huge duty diversion prosecution known as the London City Bond case. In 2007 I spent time with New York Public Defenders in the Bronx.

I am an experienced and successful Defence lawyer. I understand the enormous stress any allegation of wrongdoing causes and promise helpful and speedy advice by email, telephone or in person and robust representation in court.

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Background

I was called to the Bar in 1999 and have practised as a barrister at Trinity Chambers on the North East Circuit since completing my pupillage in 2000.

I am a member of the Attorney General's Regional Panel of counsel.

Areas of Practice

1. Employment; I advise on and appear in the full range of employment litigation in the employment tribunal, the High Court and the County Court. I also have experience of internal disciplinary proceedings. I deal with cases involving unfair and wrongful dismissal, discrimination (including whistleblowing), equal pay and TUPE. I am regularly instructed in cases involving allegations of misuse of confidential information and breach of post-termination covenants. My practice is split evenly between representing employers and employees.
2. Commercial/Business; my practice encompasses commercial contract disputes, partnership, shareholder disputes and commercial fraud.
3. Probate/wills/administration of estates; I am regularly instructed in contentious probate matters including claims to remove personal representatives and claims under the Inheritance Act.
4. Bankruptcy/insolvency; I act for creditors, debtors and insolvency professionals across the full range of insolvency litigation including advisory work.
5. Construction; I advise and represent employers, contractors and sub-contractors in litigation, arbitration and adjudication proceedings.

I am authorised to take instructions directly from members of the public under the Bar Council's Public Access scheme.

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Caroline has extensive experience of dealing with all aspects of Defence and Prosecution case work and advocacy in the Crown Court and Court of Appeal. She deals with complex professional criminal matters including white collar crime, money laundering, proceeds of crime, serious fraud, robberies and drug trafficking. Her wide ranging defence and prosecution experience covers the following:-

- Murder
- Manslaughter
- Serious Sexual offences
- Violent offences
- Robbery
- Dishonesty
- Fraud
- Serious Motor offences – death by dangerous driving
- Internet Crime

Regulatory

Caroline is regularly instructed in relation to complex Coroner's Inquest matters. She deals with healthcare cases, matters involving death in custody and work accidents. Caroline deals with health and safety investigations and prosecutions. Caroline is also instructed in relation to animal welfare prosecutions and has a particular interest in equine cases. Caroline deals with licensing matters on behalf of Local Authorities and individuals as well as businesses. Caroline deals with environmental protection issues and trading standards prosecutions. Caroline also accepts instructions in relation to professional disciplinary hearings including Courts Martial.

WHAT OTHERS SAY:

"...a confident and hardworking counsel who excels at getting to the detail of a case"
Legal 500 2010

"Continues to be sought after for significant criminal defence cases" Legal 500 2008

"Is a first choice for professional crime ..." Legal 500 2007

"A quick and tough Advocate who can dominate the Court" and "First choice if you can get her." and "A real fighter who needs early booking." Legal 500

APPOINTMENTS:

Crown Court Recorder 2010

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Criminal Drugs

Environmental

Fraud

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Summary of the type of work I do:

- **Company/commercial:**
 - drafting company documentation e.g. Articles of Association, Memorandum; Partnership deeds; director service contracts;
 - advising on: interpreting company documentation; mergers and acquisitions; tax planning for companies and tax consequences and liabilities; members voluntary liquidation, dissolution and shareholder liabilities;
 - drafting contracts for companies e.g. general contracts; contracts for sale, purchase of goods and services; mergers and acquisitions.
- **Contract:**
 - drafting contracts; drafting pleadings e.g. for travel disputes.
- **International:**
 - researching and presenting papers on: the international law of fisheries; the international sea bed and the exclusive economic zone.
- **Personal Injury:**
 - advising on: quantum in road traffic cases and tax planning for compensation awarded; drafting pleadings e.g. Particulars of Claim; Defence.
- **Taxation:**
 - representing clients in disputes with the Revenue e.g. over employment status; allowable expenses; discovery assessments; interpretation of Tax Acts.
- **Trusts:**
 - drafting all types of trusts e.g. discretionary; pilot; disabled;
 - interpretation of trusts' clauses and litigation;
 - advising on: the tax implications for trusts; the role, powers, duties and responsibilities of trustees; tax planning with trusts.
- **Wills:**
 - advising on :drafting Wills and tax effective Wills; interpretation of Wills; Court of Protection matters: preparing and drafting the necessary documentation; drafting Lasting Powers of Attorney; drafting deeds of variation;
 - advising on succession under the Inheritance (Provision for Family and Dependents) Act 1975.
- **Probate:**
 - advising on the stages of Probate and the administration of estates.

My Experience

- I have over 18 years' experience in advising clients and representing them in court. I have worked for Arthur Andersen (accountants) and Clifford Chance (solicitors).
- Under the public access scheme I work directly with members of the public (without their needing to first instruct a solicitor) in their matters and have done so since 2004. Under the professional access scheme members of the various professions can now instruct me directly and I advise clients of accountancy and financial firms.

What I can offer

- High quality advice and over 18 years' experience in advising and representing clients.
- Competitive rates from a barrister who clients have described as being 'very approachable and friendly.'

**Commercial/ Business
Contract
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Member of the Criminal Bar Association.
Degree: *LL B(Hons) Law*.

Stuart Graham has over 15 years’ experience of criminal practice in the Crown Court.

Stuart Graham has experience in a wide range of tribunals. Whilst predominantly practicing in the Crown Court, he has experience in Prison Adjudications, Mental Health Tribunals, and Courts Martial. Stuart has experience of appeals to the higher courts, including defence appeals in the Court of Appeal Criminal Division and responding to Attorney General’s References.

As an overview, Stuart has experience as a barrister in crime in high level criminal cases such as aggravated burglary, conspiracies in drugs and fraud (‘cash for crash’ frauds), section 18 assaults, large scale violent disorder, rape and firearm offences.

Stuart has a particular interest in cases of a technical nature, including cases involving road traffic collision reconstruction.

Stuart’s main speciality is Aviation Law, undertaking cases on behalf of pilots and aircrew accused of breaches of the Air Navigation Order. Stuart has the distinct advantage in this field of having worked as a pilot for over 25 years in the aviation industry. Stuart commenced flying in 1985, first obtaining a basic PPL and subsequent instrument qualifications leading to becoming a Senior C.A.A. Flight Instructor with associated Commercial Pilot’s Licence. Whilst mainly defending pilots and other aviation personnel, Stuart has also prosecuted on behalf of the C.A.A. in highly technical cases such as breaches of approach/landing minima.

Stuart has the rare combination of over 25 years in professional flying coupled with his experience as a Barrister. This dual experience enables clients access to a barrister who can relate to the technicalities of flying from the real experience gained in over thousands of hours of professional flying time.

Stuart was recently specifically chosen to represent an aircraft captain prosecuted in a high profile case. This trial involved the detailed cross examination of professional witnesses such as Air Traffic Controllers and involved several highly technical aspects such as meteorology and Air Law interpretation through the use of visual aids. The trial concluded in an acquittal for the accused whose professional livelihood and career was in jeopardy. (See link to New Park Court Aviation Team for details)

Other Professional or Community Roles:

Sitting as judge of national and local schools mooting competitions from 2003 to 2012
Crown Court User Liaison Representative.
Chambers Quality and Diversity Officer.
Bar Vocational Course part time lecturing.

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Called to the bar in 1995, since then I have practised in criminal work specialising in defending allegations of sexual abuse, serious violence, drugs and fraud. Also I specialise in representing defendants who have learning or mental health difficulties.

This year I have defended trials involving multiple allegations of sexual misconduct. These cases have involved the careful cross examination of child witnesses the use of intermediaries, (which are required when witnesses have learning difficulties.)

Recent cases include;

1. Defending in a serious section 18 GBH with intent. Where consultant neuro-surgeons were called as witnesses to establish how a serious brain injury occurred.
2. Defending where serious sexual allegations had been made by the defendants own daughter.
3. Defending in a courts martial in Germany.
4. Prosecuting in a serious sexual assault case where the uncle of the young girl was the defendant.
5. Court of appeal successfully argued that an IPP was a manifestly excessive sentence in a case involving sexual allegations.

Personal circumstances; I am married with two young children. My interests are military history, cycling and playing cricket. I currently play premier league cricket for Lytham CC in Lancashire and I am a qualified English cricket board level 2 coach.

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Joseph Hart both prosecutes and defends. He is a grade 3 CPS prosecutor and member of the rape panel. His practice, however, is predominantly defence work. Since joining chambers in 2000, Joseph Hart has been practising in all areas of crime, regulatory crime and associated regulatory areas such as professional discipline and inquests. He has a growing licensing practice. Alongside a successful Crown Court practice in general crime Joseph regularly acts for Defendants in Health and Safety prosecutions in incidents involving death. This recently includes the prosecution of individuals and companies for breaches of regulations including fire safety. He regularly acts for prisoners in prison law matters, specialising in particular in parole hearings.

In crime Joseph's practice includes all areas of fraud and financial crime, particularly money laundering; EBay fraud; frauds involving the infringement of copyright legislation and conspiracy to commit fraud. His clients have included professional people. Joseph also specialises in people trafficking offences; having acted as junior, led junior, and more recently leading junior in a number of complex multi-handed people trafficking cases. He regularly acts in cases involving firearms; all degrees of sexual offences and offences of violence up to and including murder. Joseph continues to provide specialist advocacy in prison law matters particularly in respect of those serving indeterminate sentences.

He has acted as locum Crown Counsel to the Government of St Helena, in the South Atlantic. During his time on the island he prosecuted a number of serious sex cases involving very young victims. Recently he was briefed to return to the island to prosecute a high profile case involving a serving police officer.

Joseph has also prosecuted serious sexual cases on the Falkland Islands and is keen to continue and expand his overseas practice.

He maintains a keen interest in complex road traffic cases and has acted in a number of cases involving high profile individuals. Whilst his practice is mainly defence, Joseph Hart has regularly prosecuted for the Department of the Environment Food and Rural Affairs, Manchester City Council, Stoke-on-Trent City Council, United Utilities, Lancashire Fire and Rescue. He has an expanding practice in the area of fire safety law, which is a relatively new area of regulatory law.

Joseph acts regularly for the Defence in cases involving allegations of environmental crime and brings his experience of jury-based advocacy to an area of law often dominated by advocates who lack Crown Court experience. In the regulatory work which he undertakes he is involved in from an early stage and accepts instructions in inquests, particularly where there are issues of health and safety offences and questions of professional discipline.

Joseph Hart is a member of the institute of licensing and acts in licensing matters at all levels. He regularly lectures in chambers; to solicitors' firms; to prosecuting authorities, and to specific interest groups. He also teaches on the Bar Vocational Course in Manchester, and is involved in advocacy training through his Inn (Inner). He has acted as a legal advisor to television series, and has appeared on current affairs programmes in his professional capacity. Joseph has knowledge of both French and Italian legal systems and speaks Italian and French fluently; and basic German and Russian. He regularly attends the International Bar Association Conferences and was recently selected to be a member of the Bar Council's 2012 trade delegation to China.

Professional Associations: Criminal Bar Association; Institute of Licensing; Young Fraud Lawyers in the North

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Professional associations:

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Health and Safety Lawyers’ Association
Northern Circuit

Practice Summary

Michael Hayton is recommended year on year by both Legal 500 and ranked as a Leading Individual by Chambers UK, in general crime and regulatory work. Predominantly defence counsel, he has appeared as leading junior on many occasions. His practice concentrates upon the most serious cases on the criminal calendar as well as regulatory and criminal cases of the utmost complexity. His clients have included professional people, including doctors and police officers, charged with frauds and misconduct relating to their work. He also appears in sports related litigation and tribunal work. He has advised and appeared in other jurisdictions including the Isle of Man and the Falkland Islands.

Regulatory Work

Michael Hayton’s regulatory work covers all areas of health and safety prosecutions and professional conduct. He specialises particularly in medical clients, acting for Doctors in inquests, criminal proceedings and professional conduct hearings. His coroners work regularly includes Article 2 death in custody inquests. He has appeared in many Health and Safety prosecutions for both corporate and individual clients, normally in cases involving fatalities or multiple serious injuries and often within the construction and food industries. He was trial counsel in the leading case of HSE v Charget and others and has conducted many Crown Court trials in HSE prosecutions.

Crime

His practice in crime covers all areas, including fraud and other dishonesty offences; computer crime including breaches of copyright legislation; drug offences including significant conspiracies involving large amounts of both money and drugs; money laundering; sexual offences; firearms offences including the running of firearms to sectarian groups in Ireland; and offences of violence up to and regularly including murder. Michael Hayton’s practice is predominantly defence work, although he prosecutes for the Crown Prosecution Service as a Category 4 prosecutor at all levels up to and including murder and has acted for other prosecuting authorities in regulatory prosecutions.

'Very effective advocate who makes the most of what he has to work with'

- Legal 500, 2009 & 2010

'He gets results'

- Legal 500, 2008

A robust court performer'

- Legal 500, 2006

'An impressive advocate. He fights till the fat lady sings'

- Legal 500, 2005

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Virginia Hayton, following a general common law practice, has concentrated on Crime since 2001. She mainly appears on the Northern Circuit, however has appeared in Courts nationwide. She notably specialises in serious sexual offences, involving familial historic rapes and gang rape. Her general criminal work includes fraud, drug conspiracies, firearms offences and offences of violence up to and including murder. She has defended in a number of fitness to plead hearings and thereafter finding of fact hearings in particular rape and serious sex offences. She mainly Defends, however, has a significant prosecution practice as a level 4 prosecutor.

Her regulatory Crime practice includes Health and Safety Executive Prosecutions, an area in which she has delivered a series of lectures, defending in the General Medical Council and Nursing and Midwifery Council. She has considerable experience in inquests, representing insured, public sector bodies and private limited companies.

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A Solicitor Advocate with Hine Solicitors who are one of the largest criminal defence firms in the United Kingdom. He works exclusively in the Crown Court as an advocate in all areas of criminal defence work.

His recent cases have included defending allegations of serious sexual misconduct, fraud, violence and drugs cases. He has appeared in the Court of Appeal on many occasions and has considerable experience of dealing with young and vulnerable clients and witnesses.

He has experienced the law and lifestyle of the Falkland Islands at first hand having worked in the islands as the manager of the Stanley branch of Ledingham Chalmers solicitors from 1995 to 1998. He very much enjoyed living and working in the islands and is keen to continue to provide legal advice and representation to those in the islands in relation to all areas of criminal defence work.

He qualified as a Solicitor in 1987 and a Higher Courts Advocate (Criminal) in 2003. He is a court and police station Duty Solicitor and a member of the Law Society of England and Wales.

He is married with two children, both of whom spent their early years in the Falkland Islands, and is prepared to travel to the islands at short notice.

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I am a barrister who was called to the Bar in 2007. I am a member of XXIV Old Buildings in Lincoln's Inn. XXIV Old Buildings is a set of barristers' chambers providing advice and advocacy services to clients in the United Kingdom and worldwide. It is ranked by Chambers & Partners as the leading set at the London Bar for offshore work.

My experience is as a commercial and Chancery barrister. My commercial experience includes all manner of business and private disputes: claims involving company directors or shareholders; breach of contract and debt recovery actions; bankruptcy and company insolvency matters; negligence and nuisance claims; fraud and asset tracing claims; and more specialised arbitration and mediation work.

My Chancery experience includes a large amount of work involving trusts, both contentious (claims by or against trustees and beneficiaries) and non-contentious (drafting trust documents); instructions to draft wills; matters involving the validity and interpretation of wills; probate business - such as claims against executors; and matters involving charities and charitable trusts. I am the author of a textbook on 'Trust Protectors', which is a topic of importance in the international and offshore trust context.

As a member of the country's leading offshore set I have experience working in jurisdictions outside of England & Wales. I have been seconded to firms working in Guernsey and in the Cayman Islands, and have worked on numerous cases involving other British jurisdictions such as Jersey; the Isle of Man; the British Virgin Islands; and Gibraltar. I have considerable experience in 'conflict of laws' cases involving more than one jurisdiction, and am regularly engaged to advise on litigation involving local civil procedure rules.

As a barrister I would be able to supplement the work of local legal practitioners in two ways. First, I am able to provide written opinions on cases within my areas of expertise, giving guidance on specific questions of law or on the prospects of success in litigation. Secondly, I am able to assist in the conduct of litigation, drafting pleadings and other documents, advising on strategy and, if necessary, representing clients at trial or at other hearings.

Generally I receive instructions from, and work with, legal practitioners, but in cases where it is appropriate it may also be possible for members of the public to instruct me directly.

Bankruptcy/ Insolvency**Chancery****Charities****Civil Litigation****Commercial/ Business****Company****Contract****Corporate****Debt, Recovery and Defence****Fraud****Litigation****Mediation****Probate/ Wills/ Administration of Estates****Property****Trusts/ Settlements**

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Associations

Criminal Bar Association
Northern Circuit

Profile

Crime - Peter has developed a busy and broadly based criminal practise with extensive experience in both defending and prosecuting including cases of murder, causing death by dangerous driving, firearms, arson, serious sexual offences and drug conspiracies. He is a level 4 Prosecutor on the CPS Advocates Panel.

Regulatory - Peter regularly acts for the GMC in cases before the Fitness to Practise panel involving all aspects of professional misconduct. Such cases often involve sensitive subject matter and have to be handled with particular care.

Health and Safety - Peter appears on behalf of commercial clients in cases prosecuted by the Health and Safety Executive in both the Magistrates and Crown Court.

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Appointments and Professional Associations:

Appointed Recorder 2000
Member of the Criminal Bar Association

Main areas of work:

Defence Crime – Including dishonesty, violence, sex and drugs
Road Traffic

Profile:

Christopher Hudson qualified as a solicitor in 1976 and spent two years in private practice in Devon before joining the Prosecuting Solicitors Department of the South Yorkshire County Council prosecuting on behalf of the Police in South Yorkshire. He went on promotion to the Lancashire County Council Prosecuting Solicitors Department based in Blackpool where he was a Senior Prosecuting Solicitor dealing with a large volume of serious crime and he eventually joined the Crown Prosecution service. He went to the Bar in 1987, initially in the Chambers of David Sumner at Rational House in Manchester and he then joined Deans Court Chambers in 1992. Christopher Hudson is a very experienced criminal lawyer having been involved in crime for some 36 years. He has now based his practice at the Dean Court annexe in Preston where he concentrates exclusively on defence work. He has the advantage of a practice based essentially at one court centre where he is known and respected by the Judiciary and the local legal community. He is able to deal with cases from beginning to end due to the fact that he is based in Preston and he has the experience and ability to deal with even the most difficult of clients.

Criminal

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Murder

White Collar Crime

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St Hilda's College, Oxford; BA (Oxon)
Inns of Court School of law

Appointments and Professional Associations:

-Member Northern Circuit
-Member Criminal Bar Association

Profile

Janet R Ironfield specialises in criminal defence advocacy. Her principal practice includes serious offences of violence, including murder and manslaughter; armed robbery and firearms offences; drug importation, production and supply, local or regional; arson endangering life; large-scale public disorder; and driving offences, particularly those resulting in death or serious injury.

Her practice has an emphasis on serious sexual offences comprising historic and familial offences and, in particular, offences against children – including those committed by children or young persons; rape and gang rape; and the making of indecent images. Her work also includes offences of people trafficking and sexual offending arising in the context of such conduct.

Janet also has an interest in the law of the British Overseas Territories and has appeared in the Falkland Islands, recently defending at trial a Chilean national charged with violent and sexual offences. The resulting acquittal withstood a subsequent appeal by the Crown.

In addition to general criminal practise, Janet also undertakes prison law and regulatory work. She has appeared at Courts Martial and has represented many Service personnel in relation to Crown Court matters. She has been a member of Deans Court Chambers since her pupillage.

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Call to the Bar-Hon. Soc. Inner Temple 1984
Recorder of the Crown Court 2008

After a successful pupillage, Jeremy practiced for a number of years in the Cayman Islands undertaking a diverse and varied practice in Company formation, trusts and off-shore Company management as well as a busy Criminal practice.

He appeared for the Defence in three capital murder cases, (unlead) as well as many fraud and international money laundering cases. One of his last cases in the Islands was in connection with the collapse and subsequent fraud investigation into the B.C.C.I. liquidation in 1980/90.

He now carries out a busy and demanding practice involving all aspects of Criminal work ,including Prosecution and Defence work. He has been a Grade 4 Prosecutor since1998.

The main areas of prosecution work include, Fraud, murder, child sex cases and historical rape and sexual misconduct allegations.

He also has a busy Defence led practice in similar areas of law and represented the Defence in the successful Appeal dealing with the question of delay in historical sex cases: R-v-B (2003)2.Cr. App. R. 13

He has been a member of the Bar of the Cayman Islands since 1985 and a Pupil Master since 1998.

Company
Fraud
International

Money Laundering
Murder

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Gregory's practice covers all aspects of administrative law including judicial review and statutory challenges, town planning, compulsory purchase, environmental law, EU law and public procurement, education, local government, administrative law. Regularly appearing in both public inquiries and the higher courts, Gregory acts on behalf of developers, local planning authorities and third parties. Gregory is recommended as a leading silk in five separate categories in the Legal 500 (2011/12): planning, environmental, education, European Union & Competition law and administrative & public law

Short listed as environmental and planning junior barrister of the year (*Chambers & Partners 2010*) Gregory is rated as a leading planning silk in the RTPI's Annual Survey of Planning Practitioners: "Jones is regarded as very client-focused and quick on his feet". Prior to taking silk last year, Gregory was rated as a leading junior in planning, local government, environmental and education law in *Chambers & Partners Directory*, describing him as "particularly impressive in court" clearly demonstrating "a shining ability" and "an Environmental Impact Assessment star". He was rated as a top junior by *The Lawyer* survey of the Administrative Law Bar which noted that he is "instructed in heavy weight planning and environmental judicial reviews." *Chambers and Partners 2011* regarded him as "one of the best juniors to be found at both the Planning and Environment Bars".

Qualifications and Appointments: Dates of Call: **1991** Lincoln's Inn **1997** King's Inns, Dublin, Republic of Ireland **2008** Inn of Court, Northern Ireland **2011** Queen's Counsel **Educated:** New College, Oxford. MA (Oxon.), University College, London, LLM (EC law) (Lond.), Fellow of the Institute of European Law, King's College (appointed **2008**): Deputy Chancellor of the Dioceses of Truro (appointed **2008**), Exeter (appointed **2008**) and Ely (**2010-12**), Bar Council (**2007** -) Administrative Court User's Group (**2009** onwards)

Expertise: Town and Country Planning and Major Infrastructure; Compulsory Purchase and Compensation; Parliamentary and Transport and Works Act; Environmental; Administrative and Local Government Law; Education; European Union and Public Procurement Law; Ecclesiastical

Personal: Treasurer of the Oxford Union (HT 1989); President of the Oxford University Law Society (TT 1988); New College Rugby 1st XV (1986-88); British Debating Team Tour of the USA (English Speaking Union debating scholar) (21 universities across 19 states) (1989); *Stagiaire* European Commission (General Secretariat dealing with delegation of powers and written legal procedure) (1990); European Commission Young Professionals Study Tour of USA (1990); Jean-Pierre Warner Scholar to the European Court of Justice (Cabinet of Advocate General Jacobs) (1995); Senior Lecturer in EC Law at South Bank University (1993-1997); Naui Advanced Scuba Diver.

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Call - 1993 Gray's Inn

Education/Qualification:

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Appointments and Professional Associations:

HSLA

CBA

Profile

I was called to the Bar 20 years ago. In the last two decades I have developed a practice which encompasses both Prosecution and Defence work. In excess of ten years ago I was assigned Category 4 status as a Prosecutor and as a result, the Prosecution work I have undertaken has been of the most serious in terms of Criminal offending. I am a Specialist Rape lawyer having been re-assigned last year upon formal application to the DPP (although I have been a specialist Rape lawyer and Category 4 Prosecutor for some considerable time, it was necessary last year to re-apply in the UK in a large scale review of the CPS Prosecutor Approved Advocates list).

Although I have been assigned the highest level of prosecution category my preferred area of expertise lies in defence work. I specialise in sexual offences but have significant experience in murder, corporate manslaughter, fraud, drugs importation, immigration offences, serious road traffic offences (death by Dangerous Driving etc.) and over the last two decades have undertaken work at the highest level of criminal offending as well as pursuing a significant regulatory and inquest practice.

I believe that my true abilities lie in defending, where I believe in fearlessly defending my client regardless of nature of the alleged offending. I believe I am approachable and understand the anxiety that is naturally aroused as a result of criminal prosecution and strive to ensure that my client feels at all times that his/her case is being given particular care and attention.

I have on one previous occasion undertaken a case on behalf of the Attorney General. This was a very late return from a member of my Chambers and I was not engaged in any pre-charge advice. I was enthralled by the community spirit within Stanley and thoroughly enjoyed my time on the Island. I would be particularly interested in representing the interests of residents who require the assistance of an advocate and would ensure continuity of representation. Further, I would ensure that I was available (regardless of the time difference) to provide assistance and advice during the course of any criminal investigation to the defence solicitor and client.

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Murder

Regulatory

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Call – 2005 Inner Temple

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St Bedes' College, Manchester.
Magdalene College, Cambridge University – MA (Cantab)

Appointments and Professional Associations:

Criminal Bar Association
Member of the Northern Circuit
Crown Counsel to the Falkland Islands 2007

Awards:

Inner Temple BVC Exhibition and Paul Methven Scholarship 2004/5
Peter Rayburn Criminal Law Prize (GdipL 2004)
Head of School's Commendation in Advocacy (1st Place BVC 2005).

Falkland Islands Experience

I was seconded to the Attorney General of the Falkland Islands as Crown Counsel in 2007 for a period of 6 weeks. Whilst there I conducted prosecutions and worked in conjunction with the police in progressing investigations and offering advice on charging. My work at this time was extended also to assisting the Attorney General in advising on other areas of law including fishing, family issues and social care. I also assisted the Attorney General in clarifying a number of issues in relation to sexual offences and ancillary orders resulting from convictions from these offences, particularly the effect of the Sexual Offences Act 2003 (UK legislation).

Following on from my work in 2007, I have been instructed on a number of occasions by solicitors on the Islands to advise on both Criminal and Personal Injury cases. I have advised and drafted statements of case in a number of personal injury cases resulting in settlement prior to any hearing being necessary. I have advised also in a number of criminal cases. Such worked involved providing advise as to plea and sentence, as well as traveling to the islands to conduct a sexual assault trial.

I am regularly in contact with friends I met whilst in the Falkland Islands and keep up to date on all issues affecting the Islands, and I look forward to any opportunities there may be to return to conduct further work there.

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Gwion Lewis was called to the Bar in 2005 and specializes in environmental, planning, public and language law. He has a particular interest in the human rights and EU law aspects of these areas.

He has appeared as an advocate at all levels up to the Court of Appeal and has extensive experience of judicial review proceedings and planning inquiries. Since 2009, he has been a member of both the Attorney General's 'C' Panel of Junior Counsel and the Welsh Government's Panel of Junior Counsel. The most recent edition of the directory Legal 500 recommended Gwion as a specialist in planning law ("*very promising with a bright future ahead of him*"). Gwion has particular expertise in the following areas:

- all aspects of energy projects, particularly bioenergy and other renewables
- public international law of the sea
- marine protection
- water regulation
- waste management
- environmental permitting
- air quality
- climate change
- nuisance, including group litigation

Whilst many of these cases feature aspects of planning and/or environmental law, Gwion's interest in public law and judicial review extends more broadly to immigration, equality and discrimination law, care standards, social security, mental health, transport, devolution, local government, prisons and public procurement.

Gwion also has a long-standing interest in language law and regularly advises governments, corporations, individuals and non-governmental organizations in this area. Whilst he advises primarily in relation to the use of the Welsh language in Wales, he has also advised on the use of other lesser-used languages by the public sector in the UK. This makes him well-placed to advise on issues relating to the protection of cultural minorities.

Qualifications:

Gwion is a former US-UK Fulbright Scholar and has an LLM from New York University specializing in international human rights, language rights and the interface between law and security. Before studying abroad, Gwion was a Scholar of Jesus College, Oxford, where he obtained a BA and a BCL (First Class) in Jurisprudence. Whilst studying for the BCL, he focused on English and French public law, human rights, international dispute settlement and the public international law of the sea.

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Civil Litigation
Environmental
Human Rights
Immigration**

**International
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Planning
Public/ Administrative
Terrorism**

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Areas of expertise:

Divorce:

- jurisdiction, foreign nationals, nullity (marriage null and void)
- children (disputes about where they live after separation, contact with the other parent)
- financial orders after divorce (capital, maintenance, pension sharing)

Other family:

- financial provision for children of unmarried parents (capital and income)
- child support
- vulnerable children, care cases, adoption
- claims against the estate of deceased relatives

Property disputes:

- outside divorce, where joint owners of property dispute ownership
- where one joint owner is made bankrupt and claims are made by the trustee in bankruptcy

Experience:

I have been a barrister in private practice in London since 1981. I have had 30 years of experience at all court levels, from the Magistrates Court to the Court of Appeal and Supreme Court. Many of my cases have been publicly funded (particularly in cases involving children), although I have dealt with a significant number of "big money" cases as well. I am instructed by the Department of Work & Pensions on child support cases. I act for claimants in actions against the police. I also have a regular stream of cases involving disputes between joint owners of property who separate and wish to realise their equity.

Family**Property**

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Call - 2001

Education: BA (Hons) Philosophy & Literature (Warwick); Postgraduate Diploma in Law (Nottingham);
BVC (ICSL)

Specialist Teams

Member: [Courts Martial](#) [Criminal Law](#) [Human Rights](#)

Piers acts primarily for defendants in criminal matters. He has also advised individual and business clients on the institution of private prosecutions. He regularly represents corporate clients in respect of Health and Safety legislation.

He acts as Leading Counsel, sole Counsel and junior Counsel in cases covering all aspects of criminal law in Crown Courts across England and Wales; as well as appellate work in the Court of Appeal and the Administrative Court and extra-territorial work in Courts Martial proceedings.

He deals predominantly with allegations of a particularly serious or complex nature. Recent briefs have included allegations of murder, terrorism offences, rape, armed robbery, major drugs importations, high end conspiracies to supply and large scale fraud.

He is regularly instructed in cases involving Trident investigations of gang related murders and firearms related violence, and cases arising from prolonged police operations targeting organised crime.

Piers also specialises in criminal work with a political and civil liberties dimension; with a particular emphasis on freedom of expression and the right to protest.

He was Leading counsel (at only six years call) in the successful defence of one of the "Sequani Six" defendants, in what has been said to be the longest running animal rights trial in British legal history and the first effective trial under s.145 of the Serious Organised Crime and Police Act 2005.

Inquests

Piers also undertakes inquest work, most recently representing the family of the deceased in relation to controversial circumstances in which police negligence was said to have been a contributory factor to the death.

Notable Cases include:

Homicide and related grave offences

Terrorism

Other Serious Criminal Offences

Protest Cases

Regulatory and Financial Crime

Criminal Appeals

Other

Before being called to the Bar, Piers gained considerable experience running the case preparation section in the criminal department of a solicitors' firm in the Midlands. He assisted on civil actions against the police, Children Act matters and land disputes.

He has travelled extensively around the world, funding his travels with work as a scuba divemaster, English teacher and journalist. In his spare time he renovates residential boats.

Corporate

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Terrorism

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Background - Police Detective

Detective Inspector City of London Police. Regional Crime Squad, Fraud Squad and the Serious Fraud Office. Surveillance, informant and serious crime management. Leading multi-disciplinary teams investigating international fraud. Police Good Conduct Medal. Bramshill Scholar (law) at St Edmund Hall, Oxford University.

Bar of England and Wales

Senior barrister prosecuting, defending and advising in all crime and regulatory matters and a specialist tribunal advocate. Attorney Generals prosecution list, Leading Advocate in the UK defence scheme. On the MOD Courts Martial list. Public Access Scheme.

Advising public and private sector bodies in crime, regulatory matters and internal investigations - NPIA, solicitors, Federation Against Copyright Theft (FACT), POSTCOMM (UK postal regulator). Founder member and chairman of the South West Fraud Forum, a UK NGO. Extensive experience in prison, police, accountancy and medical disciplinary tribunals and prison parole boards. Legal Adviser to the Nursing and Midwifery Council (NMC) disciplinary panel.

Overseas Practice

Member of the Bar of the Sovereign Base Areas of Episcopi and Dhekalia (Cyprus). Currently advising the defence in a Caribbean island matter. Lectured in Moscow and Brussels.

Availability

In chambers London (Door Tenant at 9 Gough Square) and Bristol. Available for all matters large and small 24 x 7 on mobile and email above.

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Call - 1984

Qualifications:

Category 4 CPS prosecutor (top rated)
Rape Panel Specialist
Member of criminal Bar Association.
Direct Access qualification.

Area of practice: Crime

I have over twenty years experience in this field, prosecuting and defending most aspects of crime at Crown Court through to appellate jurisdiction (mainly Court of Appeal).

Main areas of speciality: dishonesty offences, including voluminous exhibit/disclosure material and multi-handed fraud; blackmail; fraud upon/abuse of elderly and vulnerable; kidnap; rape and other sexual offences, involving adult or child complainants; child cruelty; offences of violence up to murder.

If you think I may be of assistance in your case please contact me at above e-mail address as first point of contact thank you.

**Criminal
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Fraud**

**Murder
White Collar Crime**

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Call - 1981

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Appointed Queens Counsel, (Silk) 2010.

Practice

Alexander Milne QC has over twenty years of experience as a criminal barrister, and as a specialist in human rights and public inquiries. Following his call in 1981, and prior to commencing full practice at the Bar in 1987, he gained experience in the City of London firstly in the commercial environment of marine insurance, and then in the field of human rights, working with Amnesty International.

Throughout his career he has maintained a balance between prosecution and defence and has dealt with a wide variety of criminal law both at first instance and on appeal. He has been involved in cases of:

- Serious violence, including murder and attempted murder.
- Sexual Offences including rape, torture and child abuse.
- Computer pornography cases
- Multi-handed drugs cases, including supply and importation of Category A drugs.
- Serious Fraud Office prosecutions
- Corruption in sport (The defence of Muhammad Asif, one of three Pakistani Test cricketers accused of corruption in connection with match fixing during the tour of England in 2010).
- Car-ringing and motorcycle-ringing cases.
- He acts as a Legal Advisor to disciplinary tribunals for the General Optical Council.

He also maintained his interest in international and human rights work:

- Between July 2008 and June 2009 he was Senior Counsel to the Commission of Inquiry, headed by Sir Robin Auld, investigating possible corruption amongst current and former elected officials of the government of the Turks and Caicos Islands. This led to the report condemning corruption within the political establishment on the TCI, the suspension of local government in favour of direct rule from the UK, and criminal investigation of former politicians.
- In 2005 he worked with the Independent Police Complaints Commission, investigating the circumstances surrounding the death of Christopher Alder in police custody. He was personally responsible for drafting the majority of the resulting report to the Home Secretary.
- Between 2001-2005 he appeared before the Bloody Sunday Inquiry sitting in Londonderry and London on behalf of a number of soldiers implicated in the shootings, and on behalf of the late Field Marshal Lord Carver.
- Has appeared as a defence barrister before the International Criminal Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia, on behalf of a former prison guard from the Omarska camp, facing charges of Genocide. Also recognised as defence counsel before the UN Special Tribunal for the Lebanon.
- During the 1980s he travelled overseas as a trial observer for Amnesty International on several occasions.

Alexander Milne is an advocacy trainer for Grays Inn, and a member of the Bar Standards Board Professional Conduct Committee. He is an Associate Member of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators, and a Supporting Member of the London Maritime Arbitrators' Association

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Profile

- I was called to the Bar in Inner Temple in 1989.
- I started out in practice in Lincoln's Inn, London in 1990.
- I then went to work in-house for the Country Land and Business Association in 1995, where I became chief legal adviser.
- In 2002 I studied an LLM at University College, London in International Law.
- I joined Fenners Chambers, Cambridge, UK in 2004, and this is where I still practise from.

Areas of expertise

My practice covers general property law, probate and wills, mental health and environmental law, including:

- All aspects of real property, including title disputes and adverse possession.
- All aspects of landlord and tenant (residential, commercial and agricultural).
- Land disputes (boundary, rights of way, and nuisances).
- Co-ownership of property and rights to occupy property and claims of unmarried couples.
- Estoppel and constructive trusts (including claims against property).
- Equity claims (undue influence, mental capacity etc.).
- Contentious and non-contentious aspects of trusts and wills.
- Mental health (e.g. deputies, powers of attorney, Court of Protection).

General

I undertake work referred by solicitors and accept work directly from members of the public (under the Public Access scheme of the Bar).

I am flexible about working with and communicating with clients, including using:

- tele-conferences
- Video conferencing
- Skype.

I am happy to look at a matter on a preliminary basis without charge to see if I can assist and/or whether the matter is worth pursuing.

I am also willing and able to travel to the Falkland Islands.

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Call – 7 years

1. Bankruptcy/ Insolvency

I have a substantial professional practice in bankruptcy, and an understanding of the difficulties individuals facing the process have and the expectations of creditors. I have also acted in corporate insolvency matters, including claims in relation to assets of up to £950,000 pounds, and involving complex issues of asset tracing and realisation.

2. Civil litigation

I have a broad knowledge of civil litigation and its applicability to particular disputes, combining both contract law and general civil litigation to achieve the best result for clients. A recent case related to a construction dispute of over £300,000, where I pursued claims under a number of different heads to help achieve success for the client.

3. Commercial, business and contract

I have been involved in a wide range of high value disputes involving complex construction claims heard in the High Court, transactions at an undervalue by a company's director of over £350,000, partnership disputes and commercial landlord and tenant in claims of over £500,000. I also undertake non-contentious matters including contract reviews and drafting, a recent contract being a multiparty contract for development of offshore wind farms, which had a significant commercial value. I also advise in other areas, covering such matters as insurance and IT/web related agreements.

4. Employment

I have represented both Claimants and Respondents, dealing with high value unfair dismissal claims, encompassing conduct, redundancy, capability and dismissals where there has been a transfer of employment.

I have also been involved in many high value discrimination cases, relating to various protected characteristics, for example race and sex. I have a national practice in equal pay litigation, which occurs where there has been sex discrimination in the payment of wages. I am regularly instructed in multi-week hearings involving multiple Claimants, and regularly appear against leading counsel. I am also able to undertake advisory work in relation to organisations' HR structures, policies and procedures reducing the risk of successful litigation.

5. Personal Injury

I accept both Claimant and Defendant work, and regularly appear in the County and High Court in relation to high value cases, in particular road traffic accidents and car-hire claims in excess of £20,000. I provide written liability and quantum opinions as well as pleadings and can return papers on an urgent basis.

6. Property and Housing

I have acted in a range of property disputes, involving establishment and recognition of rights of way. I also specialise in leasehold disputes and possession claims, in particular possession claims relating to anti-social behaviour and Article 8 defences to possession. I have also acted in relation to anti-social behaviour injunctions and other Housing Act matters.

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Employment

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Call – 1968 Middle Temple

Law degree: Trinity College, Dublin.

Pupillage and tenancy at Albion Chambers, Bristol since 1968.

Member of the Western Circuit.

Albion Chambers has 50+ barristers with criminal, family, employment and general civil law teams.

My practice is in criminal law, with some aviation law.

I prosecute and defend criminal cases. I am authorised by the Crown Prosecution Service to prosecute rape cases.

I have a long and wide experience of all kinds of criminal offences.

I have been instructed in cases of murder, manslaughter, rape and other forms of sexual abuse (particularly child cases), grievous bodily harm, supply of hard drugs, fraud & white collar crime.

I have conducted Proceeds of Crime Act proceedings following a conviction.

I have appeared at inquests.

I have often been instructed by the Civil Aviation Authority to prosecute breaches of UK aviation law.

I have attended professional courses in dealing with vulnerable witnesses.

In 2011 I appeared in the Court of Appeal (Criminal Division) against the Attorney-General.

Personal interests.

Aviation (power & gliding)

Travel.

Military History, including the Falklands War

Criminal

Drugs

Fraud

Inquests

Money Laundering

Murder

White Collar Crime

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Call - 1999

Areas of Expertise: Family Law, International Law, Human Rights and Immigration

I specialise in family law, international law, human rights law and immigration. I am qualified to take instructions directly from the public as a Direct Access lawyer and as such, I am able to offer advice and representation throughout the whole proceedings, from the very start to the conclusion of the case whether it is settled or goes to Court. I also accept instructions, in the traditional manner, through a solicitor.

Family Law

I am experienced in all aspects of Family Law, including Children's matters, Divorce and Ancillary Relief proceedings.

I represent parents and other relatives in all aspects of child law including disputes over where the child and with whom the child should live with as well as contact matters. I am also experienced in public family law, in cases where the local authority is involved. I am a contributor to a guide to self-representation in obtaining injunctions in cases of domestic violence or harassment.

I advise clients on all aspects of divorce law, and represent clients in contested annulment and divorce proceedings. In Ancillary Relief cases, I have represented clients with often complex financial and property issues, including situations where parties have overseas assets and international freezing orders are sought. I also specialise in international family law and complex cases across international borders including International Child Abduction and matters where there is a conflict of jurisdiction such as when parties to a divorce begin proceedings in different countries and seek financial remedies from those proceedings.

As a legal expert in international family law I also accept instructions as an expert witness on a Single and Single Joint Expert basis. I am also a Consultant Legal Expert to the UN and the OSCE.

Immigration

I advise and represent clients in all areas of immigration, including Entry Clearance for fiancé(e)s, spouses and civil partners as well as for employment, business and student visas. I also practice in Asylum Law and Human Rights Law.

Human Rights

In my capacity as an international human rights expert, I have been instructed by the Council of Europe, the Aire Centre and the British Council to work on specific projects. I use my knowledge of human rights law across all my areas of practice.

**Family
Human Rights**

**Immigration
International**

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Call - 22nd July 2010 The Honourable Society of Middle Temple

Education:

University of Durham: 2004 – 2007 - BA (Hons) Geography – Upper Second Class (69%)

Manchester Metropolitan University: 2008 – 2009 - Graduate Diploma in Law (CPE/GDL) – Pass with Commendation (69%) - Peter Rayburn Prize for Criminal Law

Manchester Metropolitan University: 2009 – 2010 - Bar Vocational Course (BVC) – VERY COMPETENT (78%) - Richard Isaacson Memorial Scholarship Fund Nominee for finishing in the top 5 BVC candidates, The Honourable Society of Middle Temple JJ Powell Prize for achievement on the BVC

Pupillage:

Deans Court Chambers: 27th September 2010 – 27th September 2011

Criminal pupillage to include placements with the civil and family teams

Pupil of Christopher Hudson

Appointment:

Acting Crown Counsel for the Attorney General of the Falkland Islands and South Georgia & The South Sandwich Islands territory: 8th April 2011 – 3rd June 2011 - Prosecuting all crime in the jurisdiction, preparing charging advices, dealing with the first ever employment law case in the jurisdiction and acting in a general advisory role to the Falkland Islands' government in legislative matters

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Call - 1988 Lincolns Inn

Education:

Abbey Grammar School Newry
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Professional Associations:

Criminal Bar Association
Northern Circuit

Appointments:

2008 Northern Circuit Committee Member
2009 Recorder
2012 Prosecuting on behalf of Lancashire Rugby Football Union.

Profile

Historically I have prosecuted and defended all areas of Crime. More recently my practice has developed into representing individuals who have been accused of the most serious of sexual offences and prosecuting at the GMC.

I am decisive in dealing with people and explain their options in a clear unfettered way. This is very often unpalatable advice.

I deal with a wide range of personalities and treat each individual with respect, patience and courtesy.

I supplement this work with sitting in the Crown Court as a Recorder. This is an experience I thoroughly enjoy and it has allowed me to develop my skills as an advocate as a result of judging and witnessing others who appear before me.

Criminal

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Murder

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I have 34 years experience of practising criminal law as a Barrister having represented clients in magistrates and crown courts. I have also conducted appeals against conviction and sentence in the Court of Appeal. I have specialised in all aspects of criminal law covering the whole spectrum of criminal offences including fraud and serious sexual offences including rape.

I also have experience of prosecution work but my practise is very much defence biased.

As regards notable cases I have been instructed to represent defendants who have been charged with conspiracy to supply class A drugs such as heroin with a street value in excess of £1 million, benefit fraud in the sum of £150,000. Some of my cases have involved serious allegations of violence and I successfully defended a father of a 6 month old baby who was charged with child cruelty and grievous bodily harm. The child had sustained two skull fractures. The prosecution called and relied upon expert medical evidence.

I am available to undertake all criminal defence work at all court levels and guarantee to provide a first class service from the preliminary advice stage through to the court hearing and beyond.

I have been accredited by the Bar Council of England and Wales as suitably qualified to carry out direct access work.

Criminal**Drugs****Fraud****White Collar Crime**

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Education:

LLB (Hons) Law First Class (finalist of overall exceptional merit), BCL (Oxon), Bar Vocational Course: graded Very Competent

Examples of Recent Work:

Michael is an employment specialist with a practise in the UK and in Jersey. He is instructed by some of the country's leading solicitors on behalf of a number of the UK's largest employers in complex multi-day litigation. He is also instructed by and on behalf of trade unions across the country.

He has substantial experience in discrimination litigation, TUPE and related matters as well as unfair/wrongful dismissal and claims under the Working Time Regulations. He covers all stages of employment law from advising on the commencement of proceedings through to representation at tribunal and also, where necessary, advising and representing of appeals.

Michael has published widely and has been appointed onto the New Law Journal's expert panel of employment authors.

Appointments:

- Fellow of the University of Bedfordshire's National Centre for Cyber-stalking Research;
- Barrister member of the Bar Standards Board disciplinary committees (2009 -);
- Qualified mediator (2011 -);
- Qualified to accept instructions under the Bar's Direct Public Access scheme;
- External Examiner at City Law School for negotiation, drafting, employment and Free Representation Unit modules (2008-2012)

Commercial/Business**Employment****Litigation****Mediation**

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Joan was called to the bar in 2002 by the Honourable Society of the Middle Temple. Joan undertakes a wide variety of cases. Joan is a direct access Barrister. Joan has prosecuted and defended a broad spectrum of criminal cases in both the Crown Court and Magistrates Court including cases involving offences of violence, public disorder, sexual misconduct, drugs, dishonesty, benefit fraud and road traffic offences. Joan also appears in Court-Martials.

Joan has experience in cases which involve vulnerable and mentally disordered individuals and has also undertaken cases with the use of intermediaries.

As well as a Court based practice Joan regularly advises on matters relating to Crime, Licensing and Personal Injury. Joan has experience in a variety of licensing areas. She regularly appears in taxi licensing, firearms licensing and alcohol and gambling licensing cases at all levels including Magistrates Court, Crown Court and at licensing hearings before local councils.

Joan has a broad range of experience in both small claims and fast track matters. Joan receives regular instructions to advise on liability and quantum. Joan has experience in Housing matters, including possession proceedings, in particular possession relating to anti-social behaviour and anti-social behaviour injunctions. Joan has extensive experience of police disciplinary matters; she regularly advises and represents police forces and police officers at misconduct hearings, as well as at the Police Appeals Tribunal. Joan has extensive inquest experience, including inquests in respect of system failures.

Joan acts in environmental cases including fishery matters and pollution cases.

Joan appears in the Administrative Court and has considerable experience of advisory work in claims for judicial review, which has included cases involving apparent judicial bias and parole board decisions. Joan also appears before the High Court in Case Stated applications connected to her Regulatory and Criminal practice.

Joan regularly delivers seminars on licensing matters, inquests and disciplinary matters
What others say: "The addition of...Joan Smith... strengthens the practice" Legal 500 2011

Memberships:

CPS Panel Level 2
North Eastern Circuit
Institute of Licensing
Association of Regulatory and Disciplinary Lawyers
Criminal Bar Association

Criminal
Environmental
Inquests
Mental Health

Public/ Administrative
Regulatory
Welfare Benefit

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Call - 2005 Lincoln's Inn

Employment

Richard is regularly instructed for multi-day hearings in all areas of employment and discrimination law at Tribunal and appellate levels. His practice covers unfair and wrongful dismissal, discrimination, equal pay, protected disclosures and TUPE. Richard also provides advice and drafts pleadings in all areas of employment.

Business

Richard's practice covers all forms of consumer and commercial contracts, including sale of goods. He accepts instructions in relation to company and partnership law, including directors' duties and shareholder disputes.

Insolvency

Richard deals with all aspects of corporate and personal insolvency. Richard deals with bankruptcies, voluntary arrangements, administrations, liquidations and all forms of petitions and applications.

Chancery

Richard accepts instructions in all areas of landlord and tenant; residential, commercial and agricultural. He deals with possession proceedings, injunction applications/breaches, housing disputes, easements, rights of way, boundary disputes and covenants. Richard is also instructed in probate and trust matters including Inheritance claims.

Mediation

Richard is an ADR Group Accredited Civil and Commercial Mediator

External Comment:

"A "star in the making," ..."spot-on sense of judgement" and a "highly measured approach" that "gets results," say sources." Chambers & Partners 2012

'competent and sound advocate', and gives opinions that are 'nothing short of outstanding' (Commercial, insolvency and property), 'leader in his field' (Employment) - Legal 500 2011

Richard Stubbs is attracting a wealth of praise for his "diligence, client care skills and superb advocacy." One solicitor commented: "His judgement is absolutely spot-on. He will definitely go far at the Bar."

Chambers & Partners 2011

Appointments:

Attorney General's Regional Panel of Counsel

Equality & Human Rights Commission Preferred Panel of Counsel

ADR Group Accredited Civil and Commercial Mediator

Agricultural

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Commercial/ Business

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MA Medical Law and Ethics – King's College London
LLB (2:1) Nottingham Trent University

Professional Experience

After working in the NHS as a registered nurse and NHS Consumer Relations Manager, Called to Bar 1996;
Pupillage 1996-1997

Areas of Practice

Specialises in complex care proceedings Family and Mental Health and Private Law proceedings
(including domestic violence and forced marriage). Involved in work undertaken in Court of Protection
and Mental Health Tribunals.

Family**Mental Health**

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Barrister since October 1992. Practice in Newcastle upon Tyne, England.

Appointed Deputy District Judge 2010 Treasury Counsel (Civil) Regional Panel since 2001

Recommended by Chambers & Partners and the Legal 500:

"impresses peers with an "intelligent and tenacious approach," and is felt to be "no pushover" when dealing with commercial disputes. She is highly regarded for her chancery disputes practice."

"Michelle Temple is an extremely highly thought-of commercial and chancery practitioner. She also has notable expertise in handling minority shareholder claims. She is "a big hitter in Newcastle and a well-liked figure on the circuit."

"hard-working and gifted advocate" Her practice centres on commercial contract disputes, with a particular leaning towards commercial landlord and tenant cases." "garners respect for her commercial work, particularly in property litigation. She regularly appears in the County and High Court, and is praised for her "passion for her work and interest in her clients."

"Michelle Temple 'always runs her cases well' and has a busy commercial and property practice." "prepares well, and is very organised and measured in court." Legal 500

Chancery/Commercial

Regularly appears in both the County Court and High Court in all areas of Chancery including trusts, probate (including inheritance act claims), land (including boundary disputes, easements and adverse possession), partnerships, insolvency and landlord and tenant (residential, commercial and agricultural). Instructed regularly in relation to high value commercial and construction disputes. Experience in mediation in these areas in particular. Also experienced in company law disputes, in particular, minority shareholder actions.

Mental Health & Court of Protection

Dealing in particular with the financial aspects of the protection of vulnerable adults. Dealing with all aspects of Enduring Powers of Attorney and Lasting Powers of Attorney including scope of fiduciary duties and replacement of deputies. Michelle is regularly instructed by individuals and local authorities to appear in the Court of Protection and County Court and provides in-house training to local authorities. Michelle is an experienced exponent and supporter of Alternative Dispute Resolution including mediation.

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Overview

Criminal practitioner regularly instructed in cases of gravity including allegations of violence, drug importations, sexual offences (including multiple rapes), arson with intent to endanger life, fraud, money laundering, armed robbery, aggravated burglary, large scale public disorder, including football related incidents, and firearms. He has been instructed in many voluminous, complex and significant cases, in his own right and as junior counsel. He is recognised by the latest edition of the Legal 500 UK, within the Northern Circuit for Criminal law.

Criminal

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Human Rights

Money Laundering

Murder

Regulatory

Terrorism

White Collar Crime

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Mark has a firmly established reputation as a 'highly regarded' practitioner in criminal and public law. He is an experienced trial and appellate advocate who brings a keen eye for detail and a thorough knowledge of the law to every matter in which he is instructed.

Prosecution and defence of all offences at first instance and appellate stages

Mark has experience of all types of criminal offences, ranging from the most serious and complex frauds to terrorism, murder, other offences of violence, drug trafficking, money laundering, serious sexual offences and firearms offences.. In recent times, his defence work has involved working with professional white collar clients such as solicitors and directors charged with large scale fraud and other serious offences.

Regulatory work

Mark has experience of working with and advising industry regulators and knowledge of issues relating to the vires of companies to undertake acts.

Inquests and inquiries

Having appeared for a number of interested parties before Coroners' Courts and advising in respect of issues such as self-incrimination, Mark is able to advise clients in respect of the whole coronial jurisdiction.

Extradition

Mark has in-depth knowledge of extradition proceedings. He acts for requesting judicial authorities and governments as well as for requested persons.

Judicial Review and public law

In addition to conventional challenges to decisions of lower courts before the Court of Appeal, Mark has experience of judicial review proceedings. Mark is also able to provide advice and representation to those who wish to pursue judicial review remedies in respect of other public bodies

Confiscation enforcement proceedings

Mark has experience of both confiscation and enforcement regimes.

Advisory work

Mark's advisory work has included advising private individuals on the law solicitors in relation to their reporting duties and companies in relation to obtaining injunctions

Road Traffic

Road traffic law is an increasingly complex and technical area of the law. Mark has considerable experience in dealing with all aspects of it. He is happy to provide written advice to individuals on specific topics, or to provide representation at Court where charges are being pursued.

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Education: M.A. (Law), Cambridge University, Gonville and Caius College (1989 – 1992)
Bar Vocational Course, Inns of Court School of Law, London (1992 – 1993) with a Karmel Award from Gray's Inn

Professional admissions: England and Wales (Barrister, 1993 and Solicitor, 2000)
Cayman Islands (1998)
Queensland (2009) and High Court of Australia (2010)

Professional memberships: Honourable Society of Gray's Inn
Society of Trust and Estate Practitioners
Queensland Bar Association
Family Law Practitioners' Association of Queensland

Experience and awards

18 years' experience as a lawyer, principally in trusts and estate-planning and financial services, both private practice and in-house; Six year term served on the worldwide Council of the Society of Trust and Estate Practitioners (STEP); Sept 2006: featured in the City Wealth "Top 100" survey of trust and tax advisers in the Channel Islands, as voted for by peers and clients; Nov 2007: Outstanding Achievement Award from STEP for conceiving and acting as general editor of a new industry text "A Practical Guide to the Transfer of Trusteeships", setting a protocol for the transfer of trusteeships for ten jurisdictions, including standardised precedents. This work is currently reprinted in its 2nd edition; Board level responsibility for the legal, regulatory compliance and risk management functions at a leading international trusts group.

Lecturing and tutoring positions: Adjunct Lecturer (Queensland), The College of Law – Wills & Estates Program (2012 –); Member of the sessional academic panel, Queensland University of Technology (2012)

Quay 11 Chambers, Brisbane Mar 2012 to date

Barrister-at-law in practice at the private bar in Queensland, specialising in: Wills and estates; Equity and trusts; Family law; Commercial law.

Rio Tinto Limited, Melbourne May 2011 to Dec 2011 – Principal Advisor, Global compliance team

QIC Limited, Brisbane Apr 2010 to Apr 2011 – Senior Legal Counsel

Cooper Grace Ward Lawyers, Brisbane Nov 2009 to Mar 2010 – Consultant

Investec Trust Feb 2004 to Oct 2009

Lawrence Graham LLP, London May 2002 to Jul 2003 – Solicitor, in Private Capital Team

Maples and Calder, Cayman Islands and London Oct 1998 to Mar 2002 – Associate, then Senior Associate

Bircham & Co. Solicitors, London Apr 1997 to Sept 1998 – Assistant Lawyer in the firm's Private Client Dept

Hammond Suddards Solicitors, Leeds Jan 1996 to Mar 1997 – Assistant Lawyer in the firm's Private Client Dept

Coutts Group, Jersey and Zurich Sept 1994 to Dec 1995 – Assistant Counsel, reporting to Chief Trusts Counsel

Sedan House Chambers, Chester, UK Sept 1993 to Aug 1994 – Pupil to Mr Trevor Halbert (general common law pupillage)

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Criminal Law

I am an experienced criminal law advocate with a history of defending and prosecuting in serious crime including offences of terrorism, murder and complex fraud. I also have the following prosecution appointments:

- Attorney General's Panel of Prosecution Advocates
Customs & Excise and Department of Trade and Industry 2004 -2006
- Category 4 Prosecutor for the Crown Prosecution Service (2006 to date)
- Panel of Prosecution Advocates
Health and Safety Executive and Environment Agency (appointed August 2012)

Employment Law

Approximately 20% of my practice is employment law representing both claimants and respondents in unfair dismissals and racial, disability and sexual discrimination claims. I have acted as counsel in employment tribunals for cases arising out of the jurisdictions of Northern Ireland, Scotland and England. Although the statutes governing the requisite law are very similar, the procedural matters are often very different and require careful consideration

International Work

Jamaica - Awarded the Michael Self QC Scholarship in 2000. From February through to May, I worked at the Kingston Law Centre, Jamaica on capital murder trials at first instance through to appellate level at the Privy Council.

Criminal Employment

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Inn - Gray's

Education/Qualifications

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BVC - Very Competent

Appointments and Professional Associations

Criminal Bar Association

Northern Circuit

Young Fraud Lawyers Association

Manchester and District Medico-Legal Society.

Category 3 prosecutor and specialist sex prosecutor.

Main Areas of Work (and specialisms that fall within these categories)

Crime

- Serious violence and sexual offences.
- Drug Importation and supply.
- Fraud, money laundering, confiscation and asset forfeiture.
- Licensing
- Motoring Offences

Business Crime and Regulatory Crime

- Health and Safety
- Environmental
- Consumer Protection and Trade Marks
- General Medical Council
- Local Authority Prosecutions

What the Directories Say

'efficient, well prepared and flexible, and is dynamic and astute in court.' - **Legal 500, 2010**

'is a rising star.' - **Legal 500, 2011**

Profile

Rosalind prosecutes and defends serious cases of significant complexity in the Crown Court. The majority of her practice is made up of serious sexual offences and fraud.

She also has extensive experience of the Court of Appeal with an enviable success rate.

She is regularly instructed in large scale frauds and drug conspiracies involving voluminous paperwork.

She takes a methodical and diligent approach to her case preparation, is robust in court and always puts her clients first.

She is also instructed in respect of general crime including allegations of dishonestly, false imprisonment, kidnap, violence, neglect and child cruelty, drug offences and arson.

She has extensive licensing experience with a solid command of the Licensing Act and associated case law.

She regularly appears before licensing committees and the Magistrates' Court in respect of appeals. She is a member of the Institute of Licensing.

She prosecutes and defends local authority prosecutions including benefit fraud, Consumer Protection from Unfair Trading Regulation cases, food hygiene cases, building and planning regulation cases, fly tipping cases and waste disposal cases. In this context she has advised in respect of stating cases and judicial review, drafting grounds and responses if required.

In addition she defends HSE prosecutions and provides representation from inquest through to the Crown Court.

For the last 2 years she has been presenting cases on behalf of the General Medical Council at fitness to practice hearings and reviews of Fitness to Practice hearings.

Criminal Regulatory

