



## David R White

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David White is recognised as a future leader across a number of Chambers' key areas, including coronial, health & safety, personal injury and common law work.

He has been instructed in a number of high profile cases, both alone, and as a junior.

Before the Bar, David served a short commission in the British Army.

## Expertise

### Inquests & Inquiries

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David has been instructed in many sensitive and lengthy cases, including the London Bridge Inquests, and the Inquests relating to the Shoreham Air Disaster.

He is instructed frequently on behalf of families, insurers, companies, and public bodies in inquests. He has also conducted a number of pro bono inquests on behalf of the families of deceased servicemen as part of the Royal British Legion's Service Inquest Scheme.

### Personal Injury

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David has extensive knowledge and experience in the fields of personal injury and clinical negligence, including in loss of dependency claims and complex quantum disputes with, for example, loss of earnings/pension and future care claims. He has a focus on military claims, given his background, and particular knowledge of issues relating to vicarious liability, having succeeded in the Court of Appeal in *Kafagi v JBW Group Ltd* [2018] EWCA CIV 1157.

David acts for both claimants and defendants across a broad range of areas, in particular in employers', product and public liability matters. He has particular interest and experience in cases relating to outdoors and adventurous activities and sports, and has acted for some of the country's largest leisure providers.



## Clinical Negligence

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David has extensive knowledge and experience in the fields of personal injury and clinical negligence, including in loss of dependency claims and complex quantum disputes with, for example, loss of earnings/pension and future care claims.

## Health & Safety

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David regularly represents clients in both the Magistrates' and Crown Courts in interlocutory hearings and pleas-in-mitigation. He also drafts bases of plea, and undertakes advisory work. David conducts training and conferences in this area, including for major FTSE 100 clients.

## Motor Insurance Fraud

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David is recognised as one of the foremost advocates in the field of insurance fraud. He regularly appears in both fast and multi track trials in this area, and advises insurers in complex matters, including claims in the tort of deceit.

## Credit Hire

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David has a strong reputation in the field of credit hire. Regularly instructed by both sides, though primarily for defendants, he has experience of all of the major arguments and has advised on, and run, a number of appeals in the area.

## Awards

- Major Scholar, Inner Temple

## Education

- BVC (Very Competent) and Graduate LLB (First Class), Nottingham Law School
- GDL (Distinction) , Nottingham Law School
- BA (Hons) Politics (First Class), University of Sheffield
- SSLC Commissioning Course, Royal Military Academy Sandhurst

## Memberships

- PIBA
- HSLA