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King's Bench Walk

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AREAS OF EXPERTISE

Personal Injury, Clinical Negligence, Inquests, Fraud, International & Travel, Public Authority Liability, Credit Hire, Insurance, Product Liability, Criminal Injuries Compensation, Abuse, Common Law, Aviation

Alex joined 12 King's Bench Walk as a tenant in October 2009 having successfully completed pupillage at these Chambers.

Alex enjoys a busy court practice, appearing on most days on behalf of claimants and defendants from interlocutory hearings to multi-day trials. He has a wealth of experience in procedural applications and regularly advises on liability, quantum and procedural matters, as well as drafting statements of case, Part 18 requests, Part 35 questions and applications.

Alex has good working knowledge of German.

In his spare time, Alex enjoys baking, skiing, running and triathlon. He is currently aiming to complete his first full distance Ironman in 2018.

Credit Hire

Alex acts in high value credit hire claims and regularly drafts pleadings and advices for credit hire claims, particularly those arising out of "LVI" and staged accidents. Recent experience includes:

- Acted for the Defendant insurer where the Claimant hired a scooter to replace one he was using for uninsured business use and to work illegally contrary to his student visa. Illegality was a central issue in the claim.
- Acted in a claim for hire charges in excess of £150k. The Claimant had hired a replacement Porsche but at the time of the trial on liability was in jail for drug dealing related offences.

Qualifications & Awards

LLB (European), Exeter University (First Class Honours)

LLM (German law), Saarland University, Germany (highest classification and highest mark in the year)

BVC, BPP Law School London (Very Competent)

Sir Thomas More Bursary (Lincoln's Inn, 2005)

Markus Zalewski Prize for Best LLB European Student Performance in the Year Abroad (2005)

Honourable Mention under the Martin Domke Award for Best Oral Advocate in the General Rounds of the Annual Willem C. Vis International Commercial Arbitration Moot (2004/2005)

School of Law Commendation for an Outstanding Contribution to Exeter University (2004)

Prize for Best Undergraduate Mooter at Exeter University (2003)

Western Circuit Mooting Cup (2003)

Memberships

PIBA

Honorary member in good standing of the Tampa Bay American Inn of Court.