

## **Andrew Ward**

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## **AREAS OF EXPERTISE**

Personal Injury, Fraud, Insurance, Inquests, Military Claims

Andrew is recommended in the Chambers & Partners and Legal 500 directories as a leading personal injury junior. He represents Claimants and Defendants in high value employer's liability, public liability and RTA personal injury claims. He has extensive experience of traumatic brain injury, amputation, chronic pain conditions, functional neurological disorder, paralysis caused by spinal injury, fatal accident claims, issues of motor insurance policy coverage and fundamental dishonesty.

The Legal 500 (2023) says:

"Andrew is a very measured and persuasive advocate at court. He is never flustered, he is scrupulously polite and he is devastatingly effective. He knows his specialist area of the law backwards, he rarely pursues bad points and he is a very sensible opponent."

Andrew is also a tenant at Exchange Chambers, Manchester.

## **Fraud**

Andrew regularly represents Defendants in cases involving allegations of Fundamental Dishonesty pursuant to Section 57 of the Criminal Justice and Courts Act 2015 and in relation to committal proceedings for Contempt of Court pursuant to CPR Part 81.

He represented the successful Defendant in <u>Brian Muyepa -v- Ministry of Defence [2022] EWHC 2648 (KB)</u> and secured the dismissal of a £3.7 million personal injury claim on the ground of fundamental dishonesty at a 12-day trial involving oral evidence from 29 lay and 10 expert witnesses.

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## **Qualifications & Awards**

B.C.L., M.A. (Oxon) (Jesus College, Oxford)

Winner of the Middle Temple Rosamund Smith Mooting Competition (2000)

Astbury Scholar (Middle Temple, 2000)