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### AREAS OF EXPERTISE

Inquests, Clinical Negligence, Industrial Disease, Personal Injury, Credit Hire, Fraud

Ed accepts instructions across all practice areas in Chambers. He specialises in healthcare and inquest law and is frequently instructed in lengthy and complex hospital inquests, including enhanced Article 2 inquests and jury inquests.

### Fraud

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Ed is regularly instructed in cases where fraud is alleged. The majority of these instructions relate to fraudulent and fundamentally dishonest whiplash and credit hire / storage claims. Ed has extensive trial experience cross-examining claimants on these issues. He has appeared in many cases where ancillary costs issues have arisen (including obtaining wasted costs orders against solicitors, third party costs orders, and disapplying QOCS).

### Qualifications & Awards

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Bar Professional Training Course, (Outstanding).

Graduate Diploma in Law, (Distinction).

BA (Oxon) (History & Politics; First Class; 1<sup>st</sup> place in year).

Major Scholar, Inner Temple (2012)

Scholar, St. Catherine's College, Oxford (2007-2009)

### Cases

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***Greenway & Ors v Johnson Matthey Plc* [2016] EWCA Civ 408.** Whether platinum sensitisation is an actionable injury and/or capable of giving rise to more than nominal damages in contract and/or an exception to the rule against recovery for pure economic loss in tort.

***McBride v UK Insurance Ltd* [2017] EWCA Civ 144** Whether the Court should revisit its earlier decision in *Stevens v Equity Syndicate Management* [2015] EWCA Civ 93 regarding the correct approach to the calculation of Basic Hire Rates in credit hire litigation.

***R (on the application of Parkinson) v HM Senior Coroner for Kent [2018] EWHC 1501*** – leading case concerning the domestic application of ECtHR jurisprudence on Article 2 in hospital inquests