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AREAS OF EXPERTISE

International & Travel, Industrial Disease, Personal Injury, Aviation, Product Liability

James specialises in cross-border claims and industrial disease litigation, with a particular focus on travel law and claims for asbestos-related disease.

James acts for both claimants and defendants and undertakes work on a CFA basis.

Product Liability

James is experienced in product liability claims under the Consumer Protection Act and at common law, including claims raising cross-border and industrial disease issues.

He is particularly interested in liability issues concerning emerging technologies, and has lectured on the implications of the Automated and Electric Vehicles Act for owners, insurers and manufacturers of driverless cars.

Qualifications & Awards

BCL (Distinction), Exeter College, University of Oxford
BPTC, City University London
BA Jurisprudence, Saint Peter's College, University of Oxford

Times Law Awards 2014: 2nd Prize
Law Faculty Prize for Criminal Justice and Human Rights (BCL)
Ralph Chiles Award for Comparative Human Rights (BCL)
Middle Temple Colombos Law Prize
Exeter College Tobias Prize in Law
Oxford Postgraduate Internship Award (UN World Food Programme Legal Office)
Exeter College Internship Grant (Court of Appeal of Hong Kong)
Saint Peter's College Law Essay Prize

Memberships

Personal Injuries Bar Association

Travel and Tourism Lawyers Association

Pan European Organisation of Personal Injury Lawyers

Publications

Division XVIII: Accidents Abroad, (2018) Butterworths Personal Injury Litigation Service

Characterisation of obligations for choice of law purposes under Rome I and II (*Committeri v Club Med*), (2018) Lexis®PSL Dispute Resolution

Rome I – Consumer Contracts (art. 6), (2018) Lexis®PSL Dispute Resolution

Case Report: Wood and Anor v TUI Travel PLC T/A First Choice [2017] EWCA CIV 11 (2017) 154 Personal Injury Law Journal 20