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King's Bench Walk

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Richard began pupillage in October 2020, having been graded 'Outstanding' for the BPTC. Due to his examination performance, he was invited by Lincoln's Inn to give the speech on Call Day. He is currently being supervised by Richard Viney and will be available to take instructions from 1 April 2021.

To date, Richard has gained broad experience in defendant and claimant personal injury work, insurance law, aviation law, inquests, and public inquiries, having undertaken a wide variety of work in these areas for different members of chambers. He has an interest in all the core areas of chambers' work.

Prior to pupillage, Richard worked as a County Court Advocate and attended a range of hearings, including approval hearings, interlocutory applications, and small claim trials. In addition to his work as a County Court Advocate, he tutored undergraduates and postgraduates in politics and law, and successfully resolved a number of disputes while volunteering as a mediator. Richard is qualified as both a Civil and Commercial mediator, and as a Workplace mediator.

As a volunteer with the Free Representation Unit, Richard successfully represented a Claimant in the Employment Tribunal. He also volunteered as an Advocate for the Communities Empowerment Network, where he represented children who had been permanently excluded from school.

Richard studied History and Politics at the University of Exeter, graduating with a First Class degree. Owing to his performance in Finals, he was awarded a full postgraduate scholarship from Exeter to read for an MA in Political Theory.

Away from Chambers, Richard's interests include climbing, mountaineering, sailing, windsurfing, and cycling. He has climbed many of the classic routes, such as the Matterhorn and The Old Man of Hoy, and is qualified as a climbing and sailing instructor.

'Scholarships, Prizes and Awards

Lord Denning Scholarship

Lord Bowen Scholarship (top Lincoln's Inn GDL scholarship)

Hardwicke Scholarship

Buchanan Prize (for performance on the BPTC)

Lincoln's Inn Pupil Accommodation Award

Lincoln's Inn Student Accommodation Award

BPP Excellence Award

BPP Advocacy Scholarship

Full Postgraduate Scholarship from Exeter University