# 12 King's Bench Walk

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### **AREAS OF EXPERTISE**

Inquests, Inquiries, International Law

Anna specialises in inquests, inquiries and international law.

### **International Law**

#### Detention, ill-treatment and torture abroad

Work includes:

- Foreign Ministry, Communications: on behalf of individual detained abroad (2024 Present, Junior Counsel)
- Foreign Office and UN Special Procedures, Communications: on behalf of individual detained abroad (2023 2024, Junior Counsel: Repatriated)
- X v Sweden, UN Committee Against Torture, Communication: on behalf of individual at risk of deportation and torture (2023 2024, Junior Counsel: Deportation Order withdrawn following submissions)
- Foreign Office and UN Working Group on Arbitrary Detention, Communications: *on behalf of individual detained and tortured abroad as a state-hostage* (2020 – 2022, Junior Counsel: Repatriated and UN finding of arbitrary detention)

#### Land, environment and natural resources

#### Work includes:

 African Commission on Human and Peoples' Rights, Communication concerning the Grand Ethiopian Renaissance Dam: on behalf of NGO concerning rights to land and natural resources (2022 – Present, Junior Counsel: Secured seizure of complaint)

#### Advisory work

Work includes:

- Legal expert to the Council of Europe: Opinion on Article 3 and 5 ECHR standards in response to the EU Pact on migration and asylum implication on detention conditions (2024, Junior Counsel)
- Advice on proposed EU Regulation on the protection of adults deprived of their legal capacity (2023, Junior

Counsel)

- Advice on the criminalisation of forced sterilisation at EU level (2023, Junior Counsel)
- Advice on EU Global Human Rights Sanctions Regime concerning alleged torture in the Middle East (2022, Junior Counsel)
- Advice on UN sanctions procedures concerning alleged torture in Eurasia (2022, Junior Counsel)
- Legal expert to the Council of Europe: drafted and presented codifying document on international laws concerning administrative detention conditions (adopted by Member States in May 2023 and co-authored by former European Court of Human Rights judge, Judge Ledi Bianku)