

Farhana Mukith

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AREAS OF EXPERTISE

Personal Injury, Fraud, Clinical Negligence, Insurance, Credit Hire, International & Travel, Professional Negligence, Industrial Disease, Product Liability, Costs

Farhana accepts instructions in most areas of Chambers' work, with a particular interest in personal injury, fraud and costs. She has a varied practice representing both Claimants and Defendants across many of 12KBW's areas of expertise.

Farhana has a growing reputation as a fraud specialist and is often instructed to advise insurers on high value claims involving exaggerated injury and loss to staged accidents.

Her unparalleled knowledge of fundamental dishonesty law makes her a go-to junior in this area. She is regularly instructed at early stages of litigation to shape the case and lead it to a successful resolution.

Farhana's expertise in dishonesty cases overlaps with her interest in costs law. Her knowledge in this area allows her to robustly pursue a finding of fundamental dishonesty at trial and seamlessly transition to costs law by disapplying QOCS, obtaining a costs order against the Claimant, and assessing those costs in a Detailed Assessment.

Farhana regularly delivers talks on both fraud and costs.

Costs

Farhana is experienced in a wide variety of costs work including:

- Costs Assessments both Summary and Detailed
- Costs Budgeting
- Fixed Costs in Fast Track Trial under CPR 45 and securing costs on an exceptional circumstances basis pursuant to CPR 45.29J
- Interim Applications for Costs
- QOCS
- Applications for Wasted Costs Orders pursuant to CPR 46.8
- Part 36 Consequences
- Exceptions to QOCS pursuant to CPR 44.16(1) where there has been a finding of fundamental dishonesty

- Exceptions to QOCS pursuant to CPR 44.16(2)(a) where there is a mixed claim including a claim made for the financial benefit of a person other than the Claimant

Qualifications & Awards

BPTC: Very Competent, Kaplan Law School

LLM: Distinction, UCL

LLB: First Class, 2nd place in year

Lord Denning Scholarship

Hardwicke Entrance Award