

Oliver Rudd

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AREAS OF EXPERTISE

Personal Injury, Fraud, Costs, Product Liability, Industrial Disease, International & Travel, Inquests, Public Authority Liability, Insurance

Oliver has a wide-ranging practice with extensive experience in dealing with a range of cases from chronic pain and industrial disease litigation, to cases involving alleged defective products, professional negligence and exaggerated and fraudulent claims.

Oliver regularly acts for leading national and international insurers and is frequently instructed in advisory as well as costs matters.

Oliver acts for both claimants and defendants and has experience in representing a number of local authorities and Health Care Trusts. He has frequently been instructed in cases valued at over £1m.

Oliver's areas of expertise include the following: –

- Complex orthopaedic and psychiatric injuries;
- Brain Injuries;
- Fraud and exaggerated claims [including use of surveillance evidence];
- Fatal Accidents;
- Pain disorders including "CPRS" Complex Regional Pain Syndrome, somatoform disorders, chronic pain and fibromyalgia;
- Injuries and damage arising from alleged defective products;
- Industrial disease;
- International injury cases;
- Costs.

Qualifications & Awards

BVC (Ranked Outstanding in Personal Injury/Clinical Negligence) BPP Law School

GDL City University

MSc London School of Economics and Political Sciences

BA (Biological Sciences) Oxon

Exhibitioner (New College, Oxford)

Academic Prizes (New College, Oxford)

Sir Thomas More Bursary, Lincoln's Inn

Lord Haldane Scholarship, Lincoln's Inn

Memberships

Personal Injuries Bar Association

Directories

Oliver is an excellent barrister providing reasoned and tactical approaches to matters, with top-notch drafting skills. -Chambers & Partners, 2025

He possessed a keen eye for detail, listened and adapted arguments accordingly when he needed to, asserted his own position persuasively and by being collaborative in his approach achieved a successful settlement. -Legal 500, 2025

He is highly experienced, very easy to work with and hard-working. – Chambers & Partners, 2024

Oliver is very pragmatic and has a commercial mind. He provides helpful advice. – Chambers & Partners, 2024

Oliver's collaborative style is incredibly effective, and his equally refined advocacy is well-received by Judges. – Legal 500, 2024

He is very hands-on, thorough and approachable. He always gives 100% and is reliable. – Legal 500, 2023