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AREAS OF EXPERTISE

Personal Injury, Industrial Disease, Group Litigation, Costs & Litigation Funding, International & Travel, Inquests, Insurance, Abuse



Rebecca has an active practice in Chambers' core areas of expertise and is developing specialisms in group actions, disease, international and travel law, and costs work.

In **personal injury**, Rebecca maintains an established court practice and acts for both Claimants and Defendants in CCMCs, applications and trials. As part of her multi-track practice, she has a particular interest in employers' liability claims.

In **group litigation**, Rebecca is instructed on multinational actions in product liability, toxic torts and aviation.

In **disease**, Rebecca is instructed in claims arising from exposure to asbestos as both sole and junior counsel. She is also experienced in work-related diseases and military claims.

Rebecca is instructed as a second junior to Steven Snowden KC and Dr Achas Burin on the Lampard Inquiry.

Prior to pupillage, Rebecca worked as a paralegal to a silk specialising in catastrophic injury, which has given her a sound understanding of high-value and complex personal injury work.

She taught contract administration and law at University College London. Rebecca studied History at Newnham College, Cambridge, where she graduated with a first-class degree.

Personal Injury

Recent instructions include as junior counsel in a complex claim raising issues of *res judicata*, sole counsel in claim following a fall from height resulting in a traumatic brain injury, and a claim arising from the assault of an NHS clinician.

Rebecca has experience in fundamental dishonesty and fraud actions for Defendants and their insurers, both in her own right and assisting senior counsel with extensive disclosure reviews.

She has also represented clients appealing awards determined by both the Criminal Injuries Compensation Authority and the Armed Forces Compensation Scheme.