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AREAS OF EXPERTISE

Personal Injury, Industrial Disease, Costs & Litigation
Funding, Fraud, Credit Hire, Inquests, Insurance, Abuse



Rebecca accepts instructions in all areas of personal injury. She appears in court several times a week in hearings and applications and is frequently instructed on paperwork matters.

Prior to pupillage, Rebecca worked as a paralegal to a silk specialising in catastrophic injury. Before coming to the Bar, Rebecca worked in the NHS and local authorities on service planning and management, experience she brings to her practice. She taught contract administration and law at University College London.

Rebecca is assisting Steven Snowden KC and Dr Achas Burin as a second junior on the Lampard Inquiry, the independent statutory inquiry investigating the deaths of mental health inpatients in Essex.

Rebecca studied History at Newnham College, Cambridge, where she graduated with a first-class degree.

Costs & Litigation Funding

Rebecca has established herself in the costs team at 12KBW and her practice continues to grow in this area.

She has experience in the following:

- Advising on costs recovery after strike out;
- Securing costs following interim applications;
- Show cause orders for wasted costs;
- Securing a four-figure sum for costs arising from 'unreasonable conduct' on the small claims track;
- CCMCs.

Rebecca is assistant editor of the 12KBW Costs Blog with Deputy Costs Judge Andrew Roy KC.

Her recent article on wasted costs was published in the Association of Costs Lawyers' Journal.