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AREAS OF EXPERTISE

Personal Injury, Clinical Negligence, International & Travel, Insurance, Product Liability, Professional Negligence, Fraud

Tom is highly regarded for his expertise in matters involving serious injury, fatality, defective products, clinical and professional negligence, insurance coverage disputes and damages claims involving multiple parties.

In injury work, the latest editions of the legal directories highlight that he is ***“well known for his handling of high-value personal injury claims”*** with ***“a great knowledge of brain injury claims”***.

In product liability and group claims he is recognised as ***“adept at handling product liability cases”***, ***“able to simplify complex technical issues”*** and with ***“experience of appearing in multi-party litigation”***.

Tom is repeatedly recommended for his ability to ***“build an instant rapport with clients”***, his ***“commercial attitude and impeccable manner with clients”***, his willingness to collaborate with instructing solicitors to whom ***“he is hugely responsive and approachable”*** and for his court room advocacy where he described as ***“a highly impressive advocate”*** and ***“very robust in court.”***

Other recent feedback in the directories includes that he is ***“organised and meticulous in his attention to detail”***, ***“calm under pressure with a logical approach to cases and a great client manner”*** and ***“excellent on points of law and strong with clients”***.

Tom lives in North Yorkshire and London. He travels nationwide to represent his clients. Before coming to the independent bar, Tom was a barrister at the leading Cayman Island law firm Walkers Global.

Fraud

Tom has often been instructed by insurers where there are issues of dishonesty.

He has been instructed at first instance and on appeal in many motor fraud claims and in relation to other policies of insurance.

In [*Howlett and another v Davies and Ageas Insurance Ltd*](#) [2017] EWCA Civ 1696, Tom appeared unled for the successful insurer in the first ever Court of Appeal authority to consider the term ***“fundamental dishonesty”*** in the context of injury claims.