



Charles Bagot QC

Charles is a barrister at Gatehouse Chambers (formerly known as Hardwicke) in London. He was appointed as Queen's Counsel in 2018 and his practice is in complex, sensitive and high value personal injury and clinical negligence litigation. He sits in a part-time judicial capacity in the High Court, County Court and Crown Court. He was formerly a panel chair of the Bar Disciplinary Tribunal. He is an accredited advocacy and ethics teacher for new practitioners through Inner Temple, of which he is a Governing Bencher.

Charles is highly rated for his forensic skills, strong negotiating and persuasive advocacy. His practice is in claims arising from catastrophic brain and psychiatric injuries, spinal fractures, amputations and fatalities. He is known for his expertise in cases involving allegations of exaggeration and dishonesty.

He has been at the cutting edge of legal developments in the field of psychiatric injury/secondary victim litigation and fatal accident claims.

Charles is regularly instructed in international injury litigation often involving cross-border issues. He has advised major international insurers in various high value injury and clinical negligence cases being litigated in, for instance, the Cayman Islands, the Bahamas, Bermuda, and Gibraltar. His UK litigated cases also often have an international dimension with recent instructions



having cross-border issues involving a range of jurisdictions including the USA, the Caribbean, Brazil, India, Poland, France, Bulgaria and Belgium. He also has experience acting as an expert witness on UK law for foreign courts and as an accredited mediator.

Charles is on the Editorial Boards of both Kemp & Kemp: the Quantum of Damages and the Personal Injuries and Quantum Reports. He is a member of the Executive Committee of the Personal Injuries Bar Association.

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