

MATTHEW HALL

Year of call: 1999

Clerked by: Harry Young Brandon Singh

AREAS OF EXPERTISE:

Commercial Litigation Private Client, Trusts and Probate
Professional Negligence Real Estate Litigation



Professional Negligence

Matthew has a great deal of experience of acting and advising in professional negligence issues arising in the context of his other areas of expertise, i.e. land law (e.g. negligent conveyancing – recently advised on claim against solicitor for failing to advise property developer of a restrictive covenant) and trusts and probate work (e.g. negligent drafting of wills – recently advised on failure to advise testator on severance of joint tenancy). Matthew has developed a high level of expertise on the law of damages in the context of negligently advised transactions.

Profile

Matthew Hall is a specialist property and trusts and probate barrister. Although these are seen as the most “traditional” chancery areas, Matthew is particularly keen to adopt a robust, pragmatic and unfussy approach.

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Memberships

Society of Trusts and Estate Practitioners

Chancery Bar Association

Northern Chancery Bar Association

Qualifications

Oxford University BA (First Class) in Law with Law Studies in Europe (French)

City University Diploma in Law 1999

Recommendations

Chambers UK 2020

"He is very available and willing to help as well as practical and incredibly down to earth." "He is astute and aware of the tactical considerations in a case."

Chambers UK 2019

"Approachable and friendly." "He provides good advice on complex real estate issues."

Chambers UK 2018

"Very forthright and very personable. Clients like him." "Very approachable and user-friendly."

Chambers UK 2017

"Excellent junior with a keen eye for detail." "Very good, assertive and user-friendly."

Chambers UK 2016

"Very client-friendly and diligent."

"Very good to work with and very pragmatic."

Rated in Chambers and Partners as a specialist in Real Estate Litigation

"He is very accessible, excellent at thinking on his feet and persuasive in his approach."

"He is very well prepared and gets to the heart of the issue."



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