

NICK TAYLOR

Year of call: 2019

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Clerked by: Louise Barnes Luke Heywood

AREAS OF EXPERTISE:

Banking & Finance Company Commercial Dispute Resolution
Insolvency Partnership Professional Negligence Real Estate
Litigation Sport Technology & Construction



Insolvency

Nick has broad experience of corporate and personal insolvency, including compulsory liquidations, voluntary liquidations, administrations and bankruptcy proceedings.

Nick regularly appears in the winding up lists, including in Manchester, Leeds, Newcastle in London.

Nick has experience of common High Court applications list matters, including administration extensions, validation orders, orders for examination and discharges of administrations.

As a second six pupil with Eleanor Temple, Nick assisted in a four day remote trial in relation to a misfeasance action brought by a liquidator against two directors involving a complex international corporate structure.

Nick has drafted applications, witness statements and advised generally in support of various insolvency and bankruptcy related applications including more recently strategy for issuing winding up petitions under the Corporate Insolvency and Governance Act 2020

Profile

Nick became a tenant at Kings Chambers in September 2020 after completing pupillage under the supervision of Andrew Latimer and Eleanor Temple. Nick accepts instructions in all areas practised by the Business and Property team.

Under the supervision of Andrew Latimer, Nick gained experience in all aspects of commercial and chancery work, with an emphasis on commercial dispute resolution, company and property matters. In his second six and under the supervision of Eleanor Temple he gained particular experience in insolvency, banking and finance.

Prior to coming to the bar Nick qualified as a chartered accountant in the corporate tax team at one of the 'Big 4' firms, which provides a useful background when dealing with matters with an accounting, financial or tax aspect.

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Qualifications:

Bar Professional Training Course, BPP Law School (2018-2019) 1st in year.

Graduate Diploma in Law, BPP Law School (2017-2018). Distinction, 1st in year.

MSci, MA (Cantab), Natural Sciences, University of Cambridge (2009-2013). Double First.

Chartered Accountant (CA), Institute of Chartered Accountants of Scotland (ICAS)

Awards:

North Eastern Circuit Prize for the highest mark on the BPTC (2019)

Park Square Chambers prize for highest mark in Civil Litigation (2019)

Kings Chambers prize for the highest mark in Company Law (2019)

DWF Prize for highest mark on the GDL (2018)

Plexus Law Prize for the highest mark in Tort Law (2018)

Advocacy, Excellence and Regional Centre Scholarships, BPP Law School (2018)

Queen Mother Scholarship, Middle Temple (2017, 2018)

Harmsworth Entrance Exhibition, Middle Temple (2018)

Samuel Taylor Scholarship, Sidney Sussex College (2012, 2013)

Tripos Scholar of Sidney Sussex College

Memberships:

The Honourable Society of the Middle Temple

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