

David Illingworth





Clerks





Memberships

The Honourable Society of Lincoln's Inn

Personal Injury Bar Association

Education

Barrister Training Course – outstanding (BPP 2022-23)

Graduate Diploma in Law – distinction (Nottingham Law School 2020-22)

BA English, Worcester College Oxford – first class (2004)

Competition

David is led on the following matters, in which he drafts skeleton arguments and provides advice on complex topics in this rapidly developing area of law:

- Road Haulage Association & another v MAN SE & others: representing the Road Haulage Association in follow-on collective proceedings against European truck manufacturers.
- David Courtney Boyle v Govia Thameslink Railway Limited & others: representing Mr Boyle in standalone collective proceedings against Govia Thameslink and its parent companies.
- Mr Flavio de Carvalho Pinto Viegas & others v Mr José Luis Cutrale & others: representing Brazilian orange farmers in a cartel damages claim, proceeding in the Commercial Court but applying Brazilian law (including on limitation).

Publications

Bar Council Law Reform Essay Prize 2020 (GDL category): 'Medieval Institutions and God-Like Technology: Reforming the *Carltona* Doctrine'

Do political parties ever carry out "public functions"? Tortoise Media v Conservative Party [2023] EWHC 3088 (Admin)

Quantum of solace: Supreme Court to hear appeal on assessing PSLA in "mixed injury" whiplash claims

"Not a question of process but a matter of substance": Court of Appeal provides guidance on assessing proportionality



Beyond the Bar

In his spare time, David enjoys hill walking and choral singing. He has had more success introducing his primary school age son to the former than the latter.