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Patrick Halliday is a highly regarded specialist in procurement and employment law. His practice also covers public law; pensions law (focusing on public sector schemes, discrimination and public law aspects of pensions); and commercial disputes involving former employees and directors.

Patrick is a member of the Attorney General's "A Panel" of counsel.

He is recommended by the legal directories in four practice areas: procurement (tier one); employment (tier one); administrative & public; and pensions. In June 2021, he was named "*Barrister of the Week*" in the Lawyer magazine.



Patrick is brilliant on public cases with a procurement element. His attention to detail is first-class.

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Expertise

Inquiries, Inquests & Investigations

Between 2008 and 2011 Patrick was junior counsel to the Baha Mousa Public Inquiry into the death of Baha Mousa in British Army custody in Iraq in 2003 and into the use of "conditioning" techniques by British soldiers. During approximately 100 days of witness evidence Patrick was responsible for examining a number of witnesses on behalf of the Inquiry.

Achievements

Appointments

Attorney General's 'A' Panel of Counsel (since 2021).

News, Articles & Publications

'The Remuneration Codes' in *Conduct and Pay in the Financial Services Industry* (2017, Routledge, ed Ogg and Leiper)

'European Union Law' in *Tolley's Employment Handbook* (2016, LexisNexis)

Joint editor of 11KBW's Procurement & State Aid Briefing

Restitution and Public Bodies (Judicial Review Vol 12 Issue 3)

Education

First class degree in Social and Political Sciences from Pembroke College, Cambridge University

Distinction in the law conversion course at City University

Other

Bedingfield Scholarship and Arden Senior Scholarship from Gray's Inn

Foundation Scholarship and a Foundress Prize from Pembroke College

Major scholarship at Haileybury College

Member of ELBA, ALBA, ELA, PLA, COMBAR

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Very easy to get on with, very bright and very client-friendly.

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Has a really flexible, user-friendly approach and totally understands what is required in a case. You don't have to explain things to him.

WHO'S WHO LEGAL

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An excellent junior counsel able to handle independently complex procurement law cases.

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Meticulously well-prepared

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An excellent cross-examiner

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He's a brilliant barrister with a ferociously insightful mind, who is enormously client-friendly and reassuringly calm at all time.

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Thorough, hard-working and a man of real intellectual sharpness.

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A deft touch with clients, opponents and judges alike. Reliably and consistently excellent.

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Extraordinarily incisive and clear in his analysis

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