Sean Jones KC

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Sean has a leading practice focused on complex and high profile cases. He acts for both claimants and defendants in claims covering the a wide range of Employment, Commercial Employment and Sport-related disputes. Clients value his approachability and commitment to team-working, the breadth and depth of his specialist knowledge, his persuasiveness in argument and his effectiveness in cross-examination.

> ***Sean's submissions in tribunal are highly persuasive and he is constantly available to us. Even extremely demanding clients are blown away – Sean is the brightest star of the senior employment Bar.***
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Expertise

Sport

Sean has advised and represented a number of football clubs in disputes with players, managers and staff including Aston Villa, Everton, Newcastle United and Nottingham Forest. He has also been instructed by the League Managers' Association and acted for former managers in actions against Fulham, Leeds United and the Football Association of Wales and for a former player against Tottenham Hotspur.

Away from football, he represented the RFU in its dispute with Bristol over the recruitment of a rugby forwards coach. He has sat as chair of disciplinary panel for British Ski and Snowboarding and conducted a disciplinary investigation on behalf of the Olympic Park Legacy Corporation.

Having run 13 marathons it is beginning to dawn on Sean that he is never going to qualify for the Boston Marathon.

> ***A leading sport employment silk, who is usually the first choice for clubs in high-profile employment issues.***
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Achievements

Appointments

Fee-paid Employment Judge

Senior Trustee of the Free Representation Unit

Employment Law Bar Association Management Committee

Bar Council

News, Articles & Publications

Employment Law Columnist for Solicitors' Journal

General Editor of Tolley's Employment Law Handbook

Education

Worcester College, Oxford, Andrew Dixon Scholar; BA (Hons) Jurisprudence, First Class; BCL.

Tactically brilliant.

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So good, lay clients ask him if they can applaud after hearings

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He is sharp and decisive, and has an extraordinary ability to present complex arguments simply

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He is an excellent sport employment specialist.

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He thinks things through very clearly and has a very sharp mind.

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A master advocate who is incredibly personable and extremely generous with his time.

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Absolutely outstanding. He has real gravitas and is strikingly bright and sharp.

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He grasps the intricacies of a case with astonishing speed.

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