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Julian Milford was called to the bar in 2000. His main areas of practice are public law, information law, and employment law. Julian undertakes advisory and judicial review work in the field of public and constitutional law for central and local government, other public authorities, and individuals, and has been instructed for and against government on issues of major public importance. He advises on and acts in cases concerning information rights in the civil courts and statutory tribunals, and has been instructed in significant data protection and freedom of information cases, having a particular specialism in national security cases and proceedings in the Investigatory Powers Tribunal. He acts in employment cases in the civil courts and Employment Tribunal, and has experience across the Tribunal's statutory jurisdiction, including extensive experience of acting in large-scale discrimination/equal pay claims and industrial action cases. His experience in discrimination law and the breadth of his expertise makes him well placed to undertake investigations and inquiries in the employment or regulatory context. He also practices in the field of education law, particularly in cases involving higher education institutions.



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Expertise

Investigations

Julian's experience in discrimination law in both employment and non-employment fields and the breadth of his expertise makes him well placed to undertake investigations and inquiries in the employment or regulatory context. He has undertaken investigations for central government, local government and the private sector. Recent experience includes undertaking an independent investigation into complex allegations of bullying and harassment by a partner in a leading UK law firm.

Achievements

Publications and Appointments

Contributor to Tolley's Employment Handbook and Butterworth's Employment Service.

Julian sits as a Recorder (Crime) on the Western Circuit.

Education

Julian read English at St. John's College, Oxford, and studied piano and piano accompaniment at the Hochschule für Musik in Vienna, the Curtis Institute of Music in Philadelphia and the Guildhall School of Music. He spent a number of years as a full-time professional pianist and chamber musician.



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He is intellectually rigorous and works very well with clients, commanding their complete confidence.

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He is effective and charming.

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He has an exceptional mind as well as being extraordinarily good with all kinds of different clients.

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Julian is a very considered advocate. He strongly advocates for his client but he is not unnecessarily aggressive or combative, which is a real strength in my view in a public law barrister.

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Extremely knowledgeable and a good communicator who cuts to the chase and puts people at ease.

CHAMBERS AND PARTNERS

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An exceptional barrister, who is very bright and has excellent technical knowledge. He has a razor-sharp mind, and is able to unravel the most complex of factual and legal cases into concise and convincing submissions.

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Expert, client-friendly, phenomenally clever and hard working. A perfect combination in a data barrister.

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He is a star of the public law Bar

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