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Legal Service



## CAROL DAVIES BARRISTER PROFILE

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## AREAS OF PRACTICE

### Ancillary Relief / Public Law

Carol undertakes family law cases and concentrates on ancillary relief and Children Act 1989 Schedule 1 applications. She also deals with Children Act public law cases acting for local authorities, parents and guardians. Carol regularly advises and represents parties involved in trusts of land and cohabitation disputes.

### Civil: Personal Injury/Property/Landlord & Tenant

Carol also has a civil law practice; in particular she deals with personal injury cases, property disputes, landlord and tenant, consumer and contractual disputes.

### Chancery/Wills Probate/Inheritance & Court of Protection

Carol has a wills and probate practice and in particular deals with cases under the Inheritance (Provision for Family & Dependents) Act 1975. Carol also represents parties at Court of Protection including local authorities and families. She can advise on matters involving the Mental Capacity Act 2005, lasting powers of attorney and deputy applications and orders.

### Mediation

Having been trained as an accredited mediator by ADR Group, Carol is registered with the Bar Council as a mediator. She is qualified to mediate both civil and commercial matters, including privately paying matrimonial and cohabitation disputes.

## CASES OF NOTE

**Derbyshire County Council & Anor v Akrill & Ors** [2005] EWCA Civ 308; [2005] All ER (D) 334  
Insolvency Act 1986, section 423 - regarding transfer of property to avoid payment of residential home fees.

**Re R (Fact-Finding Hearing)** [2008] EWCA Civ 1619; [2009] 2 FLR 83  
Children Act 1989 section 8 - regarding submissions of no case to answer in private law finding of fact hearings.

## AREAS OF PRACTICE

- Matrimonial Finance & Property
- Personal Injury
- Chancery Company & Commercial
- Property
- Housing, Landlord & Tenant
- Public Law (Care & Adoption)
- Wills/Probate/Inheritance
- Mediation
- Insolvency
- Mental Health & Community Care
- Administrative & Constitutional
- Employment

## QUALIFICATION & UNIVERSITY

- (1995), Middle Temple
- LLB (Hons) University of Glamorgan and Université de Paris XIII
- Civil Dispute Mediator since February 2007

## MEMBERSHIP

- Family Law Bar Association
- Personal Injury Bar Association
- Association of Personal Injury Lawyers
- Bar European Group

## LANGUAGES SPOKEN

- Fluent Welsh
- Conversational French

## PERSONAL INFORMATION

Carol enjoys skiing and does some sailing but would like to do more of both.