

Alexander Bailey

Call: 2022



Alexander Bailey is currently undertaking a specialist Employment pupillage, under the supervision of Jack Feeny.

Throughout his pupillage, Alex has assisted on matters in the Employment Tribunal, the EAT and the High Court. The work he has undertaken has been varied and has concerned issues such as: direct and indirect discrimination, harassment, victimisation, unfair dismissal, TUPE, holiday pay, and negligent misstatement in the employment context.

Alex has also assisted members of Chambers in the County Court, and shadowed Members of Chambers in the Court of Appeal.

Alex now accepts instructions to appear in the Employment Tribunal, draft pleadings, advices and other ancillary work.

Prior to joining No5, Alex completed the BCL at the University of Oxford (Christ Church) and completed his LLB at Keele University.

Alex also spent a year as a fulltime Debt Adviser at the Citizens Advice, where he provided free legal advice to individuals experiencing financial issues and negotiating with creditors on behalf of lay clients.

Career Prior to Law

Prior to changing to a career in law, Alex completed a Level 2 Diploma in Carpentry and Joinery.

After then spending some time working in the hospitality industry, Alex moved to Australia where he lived for two years. Whilst in Australia, he continued his work in the hospitality industry and also worked on a vineyard, Glenmoore, in Margaret River, whereby he worked alongside the fifth generation owner, to make wine.

Accreditations

Scholarships and Inn Awards

- Lord Denning Scholarship
- Lord Neuberger Prize
- Advocacy Scholarship (Maximum Award)

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Academic Prizes

- BPTC
- Opinion Writing (Highest Grade in the Region, and Second Highest Nationally out of over 800 students)
- Undergraduate Degree
- The Maxwell Law Prize (as the highest ranked Law Finalist in a cohort of 212)
- The Pinsent Masons Prize for the best performance in Year 3 Employment Law
- The Michael Whincup Award for the best overall performance in Year 2 Law
- The MFG Solicitors Prize for the Law Student of the Year at Keele University (given for outstanding academic ability and wider contribution to the Law School)
- The Vice Chancellors Commendation Award (first Keele undergraduate chosen to be the recipient of this prize, whilst also being the sole undergraduate in 2019 to be given the award. Alex remains the only Law Student to be awarded this prize, to date)
- The Dugdale Award for the best performance in Year 2 Contract Law
- The BLM Prize (awarded to the law student with the most improved grades from Year 1 to Year 2)
- The McMurtrie Prize (as the mature student with the most improved grades from Year 1 to Year 2)
- Module prizes (awarded for attaining the highest grade in each of the following nine subjects): Contract 1 and 2, Criminal Law 1 and 2, Equity, Law of the European Union 1 and 2, Business Leases, and Employment Law
- Alex's Criminal Law 2 Grade was also the highest awarded in the Faculty's History
- Winner of the Keele University Mooting Competition, and named "Best Advocate" by Lord Hodge who judged the Final in the Supreme Court
- Access to Higher Education Course
- Student of the Year Prize (Awarded for Academic Excellence, Resilience and Perseverance)

Memberships

- The Honourable Society of Lincoln's Inn

Qualifications

- BCL, Christ Church, University of Oxford (Courses undertaken: Restitution of Unjust Enrichment, Commercial Remedies, Business Taxation in a Global Economy and International Law of the Sea)
- Law LLB (Hons) – Keele University (1st, Ranked first in year out of 212)
- BPTC (Very Competent)

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