

Siân Mirchandani QC

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An excellent advocate – tenacious and extremely detailed, identifying potential problems and arguments even before they arise

- Legal 500

Siân Mirchandani QC has established a broad commercial practice encompassing construction/engineering, professional liability claims, insurance and disciplinary claims in court proceedings, arbitrations and adjudications.

Siân has a particular interest in disputes involving construction, IT, technical and scientific elements and this has led to a strong construction/engineering practice and wide ranging experience in regulatory and experimental product testing claims.

Prior to her successful first application for silk in 2018, Siân was recognised as a Leading Junior by the directories for Construction, Professional Negligence and Disciplinary.

In Legal 500, 2019 Siân is described by her clients as *“an excellent advocate – tenacious and extremely detailed, identifying potential problems and arguments even before they arise”* and *“tremendously bright, has a tenacious eye for detail, and brings a new level of strategic thinking to the table”*.

In Chambers & Partners, 2019, Siân has been commended for her approach to her cases: *“She is very competent and thorough and hits the right points in the right places”*, *“extremely responsive wherever she is and whatever the time zone. She has a very reassuring demeanour that instils confidence all round”*, *“proactive, helpful”* and *“someone who prepares the case very well”*.

Who's Who Legal, 2019 says: *“Siân Mirchandani QC is recognised for her superb professional negligence practice.”*

Winner of Chambers & Partners 'Professional Negligence Junior of the Year' 2015. Previous directory comments from clients have included *“My default senior junior”* *“She can cut through the complex very quickly”* and *She’s very strong on complex matters.”* and *“She really gets into the detail and owns a case”*. Clients have described Siân as having *“a sharp mind and excellent attention to detail”*, and reported that *“she is excellent – very pleasant to deal with and extremely robust and effective for her clients.”* and *“a very effective, hard-working practitioner with an eye for detail and the ability to present a highly persuasive argument”* and *“The great thing about her is that on every occasion her advice is strong, firm and consistent, which allows us to get an excellent settlement.”* and *“Very bright, robust, dedicated and thorough”*.

Siân has wide and considerable experience of professional liability claims, including claims against accountants and auditors, architects, building inspectors, engineers, financial services professionals, insolvency practitioners, insurance brokers and agents, lawyers (solicitors and barristers), surveyors and valuers, receivers, land management agents, farm management agents, estate agents, clinicians and veterinary surgeons. Siân is a TECBAR accredited adjudicator.

Siân also has considerable experience of professional disciplinary tribunals (particularly architects and building inspectors),



arbitrations, adjudications and mediations. Having qualified from Cambridge University as a veterinary surgeon in 1992, Siân worked in academic and general practice as a veterinary surgeon before coming to the Bar and joining Chambers in 1998.

Privacy Policy

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Areas of Expertise

Chancery

Siân has experience of a variety of chancery matters. These include the cases below.

Cases

- **Advising and acting for Trustees**
Advising and acting for the Trustees of the Independent Living Funds (1993 and the Extension Fund), in matters concerning the interpretation of the founding trust deeds, drafting of new trust deed, claims against local authorities and clients for recovery of overpayments.
- **Pursuing an extended Grepe v Loam order**
Pursuing an extended *Grepe v Loam* order (*Ebert v Venvil*) to restrain a persistent litigant-in-person from issuing further proceedings out of High Court, County Court, Bankruptcy Court, including defending defamation claims.
- **Acting for mortgagees on enforcement of mortgages**
Acting for mortgagees on enforcement of mortgages.
- **Application for committal to prison for contempt.**
Application for committal to prison for contempt.
- **Acting in landlord and tenant claims**
Acting in landlord and tenant claims (both residential and commercial).

Qualifications & Memberships

Siân is a member of the Professional Negligence Bar Association, the Society of Construction Law, COMBAR, TECBAR, the Chancery Bar Association and the London Common Law & Commercial Bar Association. She is a Committee Member of the Technology and Construction Court Bar Association (TECBAR).

Education

M.A. Vet M.B. (Cantab.) Dip. Law (City)

Insights

Surveyors and Valuers chapter of Professional Negligence and Liability

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