PERSONAL INFORMATION

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| Title |  |
| First name |  |
| Middle name(s) |  |
| Surname |  |
| Address for all correspondence |  |
| Post code |  |
| Phone number |  |
| Email address |  |
| Do you have any particular requirements if you attend for an interview? |  |

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INSTITUTIONS ATTENDED

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| STAGE OF EDUCATION | INSTITUTION ATTENDED |
| GCSEs or equivalent |  |
| A Levels, AS Levels, SCE Highers, IB or equivalent |  |
| Higher education (undergraduate degree; postgraduate degree; overseas study; other) |  |
| CPE/GDL |  |
| BVC/BPTC |  |
| Other professional qualifications |  |

*Note: This page will be removed before your application is assessed, so as to limit unconscious bias based on sex, gender, ethnic background, school and university attended. It’s our view that these things are poor markers for someone’s ability as a barrister, and we don’t think we need to know them in order fairly to assess the quality of your application. Please bear this in mind when completing the rest of this form, and do your best to self-censor so that (for instance) you refer to ‘University’ rather than ‘the University of Bristol’.*

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STATEMENT CONCERNING USE OF ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE

As part of our commitment to assessing each candidate's individual skills and qualifications, we ask that you do not use artificial intelligence (AI) tools or any automated services when completing this application.

AREAS OF INTEREST & START DATE

In which area of law do you want to practise? (Circle each that interests you)

Family Personal Injury & Clinical Negligence

In which year would you be available to start? (Circle both if applicable)

2025 2026

EDUCATION AND QUALIFICATIONS

GCSEs or equivalent

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| Qualification type | Subject | Grade | Date awarded |
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A Levels, AS Levels, SCE Highers, IB or equivalent

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| Qualification type | Subject | Grade | Date awarded |
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Higher education (undergraduate degree; postgraduate degree; overseas study; other)

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| Qualification type | Subject | Grade | Date awarded(state if predicted) |
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CPE/GDL

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| Grade |  |
| Date awarded |  |

BVC/BPTC

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| Grade (state if predicted) |  |
| Date awarded (state if anticipated) |  |

Other professional qualifications

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| Qualification | Subject | Grade | Date awarded |
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EXTENUATING CIRCUMSTANCES

Please tell us if there are any extenuating circumstances that are relevant to your application (Maximum 250 words)

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EMPLOYMENT AND WORK EXPERIENCE

Please add further tables and expand the text as necessary (but also try to keep the summaries concise).

Employment history (most recent first)

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| Date from | Date to | Employer | Job title |
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| Summary of duties and responsibilities |
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Work experience: legal (include mini-pupillages, marshalling etc.) and non-legal.

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| Date from | Date to | Where obtained | Your role |
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| Summary of experience gained |
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| Date from | Date to | Where obtained | Your role |
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| Summary of experience gained |
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| Date from | Date to | Where obtained | Your role |
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| Summary of experience gained |
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Non-employed positions of responsibility held

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| Date from | Date to | Where held | Your role |
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| Summary of experienced gained |
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MEMBERSHIP OF INN OF COURT

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| Inn  |  |
| Membership status |  |
| Membership number |  |
| Date joined |  |
| Date of call |  |

MERIT-BASED SCHOLARSHIPS, PRIZES AND AWARDS

Please limit this to the period since you started at university, and explain the basis on which you received your award(s) so that we can fairly assess their significance.

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| Institution | Type of award | Date awarded |
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| Details |
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REFERENCES

Please give details of two referees and tell us how they would prefer to be contacted.

Referee 1

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| Title |  |
| Name |  |
| Capacity in which they know you |  |
| Address for correspondence |  |
| Post code |  |
| Phone number |  |
| Email address |  |
| Contact preference |  |

Referee 2

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| Title |  |
| Name |  |
| Capacity in which they know you |  |
| Address for correspondence |  |
| Post code |  |
| Phone number |  |
| Email address |  |
| Contact preference |  |

PART TIME PUPILLAGE

If you are planning to apply to the Bar Standards Board for permission to undertake your pupillage on a part-time basis, please give us your reasons.

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OTHER INFORMATION

Why do you want to come to St. John’s Chambers? (Maximum 150 words)

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WRITTEN ADVOCACY

Finally, argue for or against the Terminally Ill Adults (End of Life) Bill. Note that you have a limited word count, so set out the subject briefly. Focus instead on showing us you can write in a persuasive, well-structured way.

(Maximum 250 words)

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