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Education	Professional Associations	Appointments
Nottingham High School	Personal Injuries Bar Association	Editor of the Deans Court Chambers Business and Professional Group Newsletter.
St. John's College, Cambridge (MA)	Technology and Construction Bar Association	
	Fellow of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (1999)	

Areas of Specialism
Clinical Negligence
Personal Injuries
Construction
Professional Negligence
Industrial Disease
Chancery and Commercial
Court of Protection, Mental Health and Community Care Law
Court of Protection

## Profile

Tim Trotman has been a Civil Practitioner at Deans Court Chambers since 1984. Clinical Negligence experience has involved claims for wrongful conception, nephrotic syndrome, orthopaedic misdiagnosis, fetal hypoxia, inappropriate drug and implant therapy, cosmetic surgery and sports injury. Sample Construction and Professional Negligence cases have included claims arising out of engineering works to a flour mill in Trafford Park, a boiler explosion at large bakery in Stockport, defective design of heat exchanges for cattle incineration (in connection with the Government Over Thirty Month Scheme), an Arbitration concerning overage claims arising out of residential development in North Lancashire, and a disputed golf course development.

Personal injury work has included highway and factory accidents, industrial disease (asbestos, deafness, HAVs/WRULD, whole body vibration), workplace stress, brain damage, asthma, serious spinal injuries and CICA claims. Tim Trotman is also the editor of the Deans Court Chambers Business and Professional Group Newsletter.

### Publications

*'Pacific Associates -v- Baxter: Time for Reconsideration?' Construction Law Journal 1999 Vol 15, No. 6*

*'Relying on settlements: The rationale of Biggin -v- Permanite' Lloyds Maritime and Commercial Law Quarterly*

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*Local Authority Liability and Defective Buildings: The implications of Marcic -v- Thames Water Utilities Ltd'*  
*Construction Law Journal 2003 Vol 19, No. 1*

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*"The Scope of Duty Test after The Achilles"* *New Law Journal 27th January 2012*

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*"Divisible and Indivisible Injuries : Sienkiewicz v Greif (UK) Ltd"* *Personal Injury Law Journal March 2012*

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*"Health and Safety at Work: back to 1898: the Enterprise and Regulatory Reform Act 2013" - Personal Injury Law Journal March 2015.*

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*Causation in Clinical Negligence Claims after Williams v The Bermuda Hospitals Board [2016] UK PC 4" - Journal of Personal Injury Law, September 2016*

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## Notable Cases

### Personal Injury

#### **Wilkes v De Puy [2016] EWHC 3096 (QB)**

A product liability / personal injury claim relating to fatigue fracture in an artificial hip implant.

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### Personal Injury

#### **Pritchard -v- Clwyd CC**

[1993] PIQR p21

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### Mental Health / Consent to ERA hearing test

#### **Rooney -v- Automotive Financial Group Ltd**

PMILL 1998/14 p7

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### Maximum Award / Brain Injury

#### **R(on the application of M) -v- CICA [2002]**

EWHC Admin 2464

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### Arbitration/Costs/Mistake of law / Quantity Surveying

#### **Newfield Construction Ltd -v- Tomlinson**

[2004] 97 Con LR (HHJ Coulson QC)

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