

Christopher Bealey.

Year of call Call:

Barrister • 2023

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Practice Profile

Christopher joined chambers as a tenant in October 2024 following successful completion of pupillage.

Christopher is regularly instructed in a wide range of criminal and regulatory cases. In his short time in chambers, he has already become sought after by solicitors. He has built a strong practice in the Crown Court prosecuting and defending trials encompassing a range of offences including assault and child neglect. In addition to his trial work, Christopher is developing a strong practice representing private clients in driving related matters, consistently obtaining good results.

In the regulatory sphere, Christopher often represents clients at final hearings at the HCPC and NMC.

Prior to joining Crucible, Christopher volunteered at Citizens Advice Bureau, where he gained experience helping vulnerable individuals and advising members of the public in a broad range of areas.

Outside of work, he enjoys playing sports, in particular, hockey and running. He uses his experiences playing on a team to help build relationships inside and outside the court.



Past and Recent Instructions

R v S - Represented a mother accused of assaulting her child and her ex-husband in the Crown Court. Following trial, the defendant was acquitted of all counts.

R v H - Represented a defendant charged with ABH. After a 3-day trial, the defendant was acquitted in 15 minutes.

R v T - Represented a teaching assistant charged with common assault of a 6-year-old student within their care. The defendant, who was of good character, was acquitted following a successful submission of no case to answer.

Inquest touching upon the death of JB
[Pontypridd Coroner's Court] - Represented an interested party in a jury inquest following a

death in custody.

Prizes

 University of Law BPC Prize for Examination in Chief 2022

Qualifications

- 2020 MA Classics, 2:1, Trinity College, Cambridge.
- 2021 Graduate Diploma in Law, University of Law - Outstanding.
- 2023 Bar Practice Course, University of Law - Competent.

