



Julia Flanagan.

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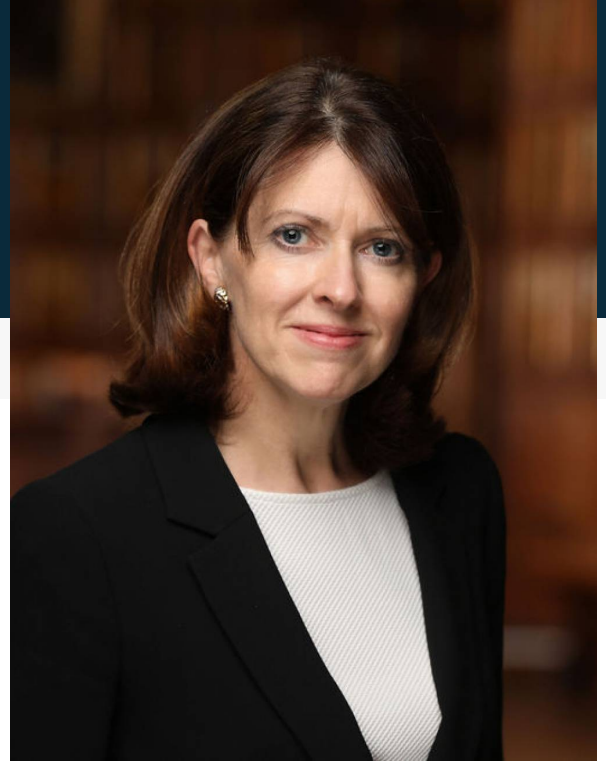
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Practice profile:

A highly experienced, innovative and hard-working advocate, Julia is a leading London junior who specialises in sexual crime, crime related to the most serious violence and financial crime. Julia's practice covers the spectrum of offences and she has appeared successfully in both the House of Lords and the Court of Appeal.

Instructed in serious and complex cases, she acts as both leading and junior counsel and is accustomed to dealing with the most sensitive cases involving vulnerable defendants and witnesses. She has successfully defended clients in trials involving multi-handed violence, sex, fraud and serious organised crime.

Julia undertakes regulatory work and is accustomed to dealing with the national press in relation to resisting pre-trial publicity.



Sexual offences:

Julia is an expert in the field of sexual offences, ranging from those involving gang rape, kidnap and torture to familial sexual offences against children. She is innovative in her approach, having, for example, successfully run the defence

of sexsomnia and is meticulous in her preparation of each case. She is well versed in the use of the S28 provisions, having successfully defended her clients on every occasion when S28 has been imposed, notwithstanding the court-imposed restrictions on cross-examination and the use of pre-recorded video testimony.

Drug offences and organised crime:

Over the past 25 years, Julia has developed a huge amount of expertise in representing defendants accused of the most serious offences, ranging from large scale conspiracies to import Class A drugs to offences of murder and manslaughter. She has an expertise in managing high volumes of evidence and data and dealing with complex issues of disclosure.

