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Rosie practises public and human rights law in its broadest sense, with a particular interest in Court of Protection, health and social care, education and judicial review work. She is a robust and thorough advocate, meticulous in preparation.

Rosie graduated at the top of her year from Magdalen College, Oxford in Ancient and Modern History. She then converted to law, with a "Distinction" on the GDL and "Outstanding" on the BPTC from City Law School.

Since commencing practice in September 2016, Rosie has appeared as sole counsel in the High Court, Court of Protection, County Courts, Crown and Magistrates' Courts, and before the First-Tier Tribunal (Special Educational Needs and Disability), Mental Health Tribunals and Planning Inspectorate for England (PINS) Inspectors.

Areas of expertise

Court of Protection - Welfare

Court of Protection - Property and Affairs

Medical Treatment Cases

Administrative and Public

Education

Court of Protection - Property and Affairs

Rosie also advises and acts on Property & Affairs matters, including issues arising from making and revoking Lasting Powers of Attorney (LPAs) and Deputyships.

Rosie advised and acted for the local authority, already deputy for P, in an application to appoint two trustees under TOLATA 1996 to enable the sale of P's property, held in common with the elder of P's two estranged daughters. Rosie identified and sensitively addressed the concerns of P's younger daughter about how P's right to her share of the proceeds would be protected during and after the property's sale, bringing about agreement and resolution to a long-standing impasse between the daughters and local authority.

Appearing on behalf of a local authority, Rosie succeeded in obtaining a Deputyship order to manage P's property, and defeated P's son's application, where P no longer had any relationship with her son and in the context of long-standing concerns of financial abuse.

Rosie has advised a local authority acting as Deputy for P in relation to rectifying a Land Registry entry for a property fraudulently transferred out of P's name by a relative.

Memberships

- Court of Protection Bar Association (COPBA)
- Administrative Law Bar Association (ALBA)
- The Honourable Society of the Middle Temple

Qualifications

Education

- 2012-2013 The City Law School Bar Professional Training Course, Outstanding
- 2011-2012 The City Law School Graduate Diploma in Law, Distinction
- 2007-2010 Magdalen College, University of Oxford Ancient & Modern History, First Class BA Hons. – first in year
- 2002-2007 Lancing College 4 As at A level; 11 A*s at GCSE

Scholarships and prizes

- 2012-13 Middle Temple Queen Mother Scholarship, "Outstanding BPTC candidate"
- 2012-13 Certificate of Honour, Middle Temple, for "Outstanding" BPTC grade
- 2012-13 Caroline Lester Prize Finalist in Rosamund Smith Mooting Competition, Middle Temple
- 2012-13 Finalist, Graham Turnbull Human Rights Essay Prize, The Law Society
- 2011-12 Middle Temple Queen Mother Scholarship, "Outstanding GDL candidate"
- 2011-12 The City Law School, Santander Mobility Scholarship, "for Academic Merit"

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