

Current Issues in Procurement Litigation

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Venue:

39 Essex Chambers
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Timings:

6pm – 7pm

Topics to be covered include:

- Procurement, innovation and regeneration – the JR crossover
- Automatic suspension and the interim position – best tactics
 - Is it ever too late to bring a challenge?
 - The State aid dimension to relief and recovery
- How might Brexit change domestic procurement law?

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Fenella Morris QC is a versatile advocate with a practice that encompasses public law and human rights, regulation and discipline, local government, procurement and State Aid. She has appeared in many landmark cases in the Supreme Court and European Court of Human Rights. She appeared for Coventry City Council in the leading case concerning the domestic application of the law of State Aid. She has extensive experience of the NHS and is particularly known for her involvement in many of the leading NHS contracting cases. She often advises on innovative projects, including the vires of local councils, and agencies such as the National Parks. She has mediated and arbitrated many matters, particularly multi-party disputes raising a mixture of public and private law issues.



Kelly Stricklin-Coutinho's practice centres around EU law, in particular State aid and procurement. Her recent experience includes acting alone in judicial review proceedings for a small group of claimants on procurement issues, advice in respect of State aid and procurement concerns raised by DCLG against a local authority in the context of action to recover State aid, and advice on the impact of State aid arguments on a procurement process for a commercial operator participating in the procurement. Kelly acts for both private entities and government on both procurement and State aid issues. Kelly is a member of the Bar Council's EU Law Committee and a visiting lecturer at King's College London, where her module is part of the Centre for European Law's LLM in European Law.



Rose Grogan specialises in public, commercial and planning law. She has a growing procurement practice and is instructed by the Legal Aid Agency in the high-profile litigation over the Duty Crime Tender, which was named by The Lawyer as one of the top 20 cases of 2016. She also has experience of advising on below-threshold contracts and procurement decisions which are not caught by the Public Contracts Regulations. Rose regularly acts for central government and NHS bodies on public sector contracting / commissioning disputes and has represented the Ministry of Defence in Technology and Construction Court litigation. She is a member of the Attorney General's C Panel of Counsel