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Sadie Crapper's practice concentrates on personal injury and clinical negligence and police law. She is ranked by the legal directories for both fraud and Personal Injury.

Sadie has a nationwide practice and is always pleased to attend conferences and to give seminars and lectures at her clients' convenience.

Areas of expertise

Personal Injury

Fraud

Clinical Negligence

Administrative & Public (inc. Police Law)

Regulatory and Disciplinary

Alternative Dispute Resolution

Regulatory and Disciplinary

Professional Discipline & Regulations

Sadie's work in this field continues to grow: she continues to excel in all matters of police disciplinary work but is building on her experience in healthcare regulation.

More recently Sadie has extended her regulatory experience to matters before the Bar Standards Board and Solicitors Regulation Authority and is keen to develop her practice in the regulation of the legal profession in complement to her developing professional negligence practice.

Notable cases include:

- Defending police officers before the Police Appeal Tribunal after dismissals under the performance regulations and under the misconduct regulations

- Submissions to the Police Medical Appeals Board in connection with injury on duty and ill-health pension appeals
- Defending Solicitors before the Solicitors Disciplinary Tribunal

Professional Negligence

Sadie primarily practices in the area of Solicitor's negligence and has extensive experience of cases involving personal injury including missed limitation dates (which extends to limitation in respect of foreign claims) and under-settlement, and cases involving employment law claims including poor conduct of employment tribunal claims and pension loss.

Notable cases include:

- 30+ linked professional negligence claims against a firm who missed limitation dates in claims by police officers for negligent misrepresentation against their force
- A claim against a solicitor for missing a limitation date in a personal injury claim relating to and accident abroad
- A claim against a solicitor for potential negligence in manner in which an employment claim was handled

Recommendations

- Chambers UK 2021:
 - Personal injury (Band 2) – *'She is meticulous and has great attention to detail.' 'She is always well prepared and is excellent in cross-examinations.'*
 - Motor insurance fraud (Band 1) – *'She's very good on paper, has an eye for detail and is extraordinarily thorough. I have the highest respect for her.'*
- Legal 500 2021:
 - Personal injury (Leading Junior, Tier 3) – *'Bright; willing; fierce in your favour; meticulous.'*
 - Insurance fraud (Leading Junior, Tier 1) – *'Bright; willing; fierce in your favour; meticulous.'*
- Chambers UK 2020:
 - Personal injury (Band 2) – *'She's commercially minded but up for a good fight if matters need to be taken to trial. She's very thorough and will give you good, sensible advice.' 'Sadie is incredibly thorough and covers every single base to ensure the best settlement possible for every client. She's excellent in conference and is particularly good at putting experts at ease. She shows great empathy, and her professionalism gives her clients a great deal of confidence.'*
 - Motor insurance fraud (Band 1) – *'Displays excellent attention to detail when reviewing complex pieces of evidence. She spots points others miss and is tactically astute.'*
- Legal 500 2020:
 - Personal injury (Leading Junior, Tier 3) and Insurance fraud (leading junior) – *'Junior counsel of choice in difficult cases.'*
- Chambers UK 2019:
 - Personal injury (Band 2) – *'Sadie is a highly intelligent and skilled barrister. Her strategic approaches are very well appreciated.' 'She is very tough against her opponents; she is a no-nonsense advocate who is always on the ball.'*
 - Motor insurance fraud (Band 1) – *'An excellent barrister in court.' 'She is brilliant. She's full of*

common sense and she does this extremely well.'

- Legal 500 2019:
 - Insurance fraud – (Leading Junior, Tier 1) – *'Incisive, has an excellent and personal approach to clients.'*
 - Personal injury – (Leading Junior, Tier 4) – *'She is a leading junior who is extremely good at cutting through the issues.'*

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