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Angela Rainey practises across the range of chambers' civil liability work, specialising in insurance fraud and indemnity; commercial disputes; clinical negligence and personal injury; accidents abroad; and claims with jurisdiction and choice of law disputes.

Angela is known for her practical and strategic approach to litigation, her easy and direct manner with professional and lay clients, tenacious yet measured advocacy and her rigorous cross-examination. She regularly attends joint settlement meetings and mediations, and engages actively in all forms of ADR throughout her cases. She is a skilled negotiator with a strategic approach.

Angela's experience attending detailed assessments and appeals in the SCCO, alongside costs advisory work, has informed her strategic approach to litigation, including ADR and interlocutory hearings, and advice in relation to compromising claims (whether under CPR part 36 or otherwise).

She frequently appears at trial and interlocutory hearings in the High Court and the County Court, and at appeal hearings. She undertakes the full range of pleading and advisory work.

Areas of expertise

Insurance Fraud Commercial Clinical Negligence Personal Injury Costs

Commercial

Angela is an experienced practitioner covering the full spectrum of commercial work, including advocacy; drafting pleadings; advising as to the proper construction and effect of contractual terms and conditions; strategy and settlement; and reviewing complex settlement agreements.

She is regularly instructed to appear in the High Court and the County Court in respect of trials, interlocutory applications, and in relation to injunctive relief.

She is a skilled negotiator, always with the bigger picture in mind, and is instructed to attend mediations and to advise on ADR generally.

Her experience includes:

- Multi-party contractual disputes as to terms, indemnities and enforceability;
- Arbitrations;
- Disputes as to indemnity or guarantees;
- Solicitor / Client disputes as to retainer, and fees and professional negligence;
- Injunctions, including applications for delivery up involving metadata, and preservation of evidence under CPR 25;
- Commercial debt claims;
- Drafting and advising on compromise agreements, including being instructed to advise as to the setting aside of compromise agreements.

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