



GARDEN COURT CHAMBERS

Matthew Banks



Matthew looks to specialise in public law and community care law.

Matthew is accepting instructions. Please contact the clerks to instruct Matthew.

Matthew started his pupillage at Garden Court Chambers in October 2023.

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BACKGROUND

Matthew holds a degree in Law from the University of Cambridge and a MA in Interpreting: British Sign Language (BSL)/ English. Matthew previously worked as an advocate and BSL interpreter supporting deaf and disabled people for the past 15 years. This includes volunteer roles at St John's Deaf Community Centre and the BSL Act Now! Campaign.

Matthew previously completed a mini pupillage at Garden Court Chambers and has shadowed barristers at various chambers.

AWARDS

Major Scholarship - Inner Temple

Alumni Prize for Exceptional Service to College (St Edmund's College, University of Cambridge)

Hill Colleges Mooting Competition - Winner (2019)

Brick Court Mooting Competition - Semi Final (2020)

EDUCATION

ICCA - PGDip in Bar Practice

University of Cambridge - Law, BA

University of Leeds - Interpreting: British Sign Language/English

Level 4 NVQ in British Sign Language

Level 3 NVQ in British Sign Language

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP

The Honourable Society of the Inner Temple - Member

NRCPD - Registered Member

LANGUAGES

British Sign Language

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