



Thursday 15 June 2017 • Registration 14.00, Prompt start 14:15, Drinks reception 17.30 onwards  
Walters Suite, Radisson Blu Edwardian, Free Trade Hall, Peter Street, Manchester, M2 5GP

# Holiday and Travel Claims

Speakers: **Zoë Thompson, Lucy Leeming, Kirsty McKinlay, Rebecca Eeley, Ian Denham, William Hamilton, Amy Rollings**

CPD Accreditation: 3 hours<sup>1</sup>

This seminar will cover the following topics:

WHAT IS A 'PACKAGE HOLIDAY' AND WHAT DIFFERENCE WILL THE NEW PACKAGE REGULATIONS MAKE?

**Zoë Thompson and Rebecca Eeley**

EXCURSIONS, EXTRAS, AGENCY, INSURANCE AND CONSUMER CONTRACTS... KEEPING A CLAIM IN THIS JURISDICTION.

**Ian Denham**

INJURIES AND ILLNESS IN THE AIR AND AT SEA: THE ATHENS AND MONTREAL CONVENTIONS

**Lucy Leeming and William Hamilton**

QUANTIFYING A HOLIDAY CLAIM – LOSS OF ENJOYMENT, DIMINUTION AND OTHER LOSSES

**Kirsty McKinlay and Amy Rollings**

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### Zoë Thompson

Call 1999: Zoë Thompson has substantial experience of all areas of travel law, including; advising local authorities on school ski trips and the enforceability of exclusion clauses; representing a foreign hotelier in a claim brought in the High Court by over 50 Claimants for cryptosporidium infection; advising as to the terms of contractual indemnities between tour operators and foreign suppliers; and advising Claimants on injuries arising out of excursions booked whilst on holiday abroad.

### Lucy Leeming

Call 1999: Lucy accepts instructions on the full range of issues arising out of foreign travel including: illness and gastric claims; personal injury arising from accidents abroad including Package Holidays and the Athens and Montreal Convention. Lucy also advises on contractual issues between consumers and tour operators and jurisdictional issues generally.

### Kirsty McKinlay

Call 2001: Kirsty has experience acting for both claimants and defendant tour operators in relation to a variety of travel litigation issues. Kirsty's practice includes dealing with package holiday claims, accidents abroad generally, jurisdictional issues and direct rights of action against insurers. Kirsty's travel litigation practice is complimented by her wider personal injury practice and particular expertise in costs litigation.

### Rebecca Eeley

Call 2001: Rebecca is developing a wide ranging practice in Travel and International Personal Injury Law. She enjoys

the challenges presented by cases with an international element having considered various aspects of European and comparative law in her studies for the BCL. She accepts instructions in a wide range of matters including package holiday cases, accidents abroad (including RTAs) and Athens and Montreal Conventions cases.

### Ian Denham

Call 2003: Ian is described by Legal 500 as 'A knowledgeable practitioner in the field of international cross-border claims.' He is also head of 9 St John Street Chambers Travel Team and Secretary to the PEOPIL RTA & Whiplash Group. He has developed an expertise in conflicts of law of law issues and has a strong technical knowledge of matters relating to jurisdiction and applicable law and in particular direct rights of action against insurers. His practice also covers package holiday claims and convention claims. Ian has presented at travel law conferences both in the UK and abroad.

### William Hamilton

Call 2008: William regularly receives instructions from both Claimants and Defendants in cases involving challenges to the jurisdiction, issues regarding the applicable law, package cases and cases involving the international travel conventions. William regularly provides seminars on these topics. William has also been called to the Northern Irish Bar.

### Amy Rollings

Call 2012: Amy has a growing practice in the field of Travel Law, and regularly advises in respect of Package Holiday and Convention claims. Prior to commencing her pupillage Amy worked as an assistant for a leading PI Silk, assisting in catastrophic cross-border personal injury claims.

**REGISTRATION** - There is a £50.00 fee for attending this seminar. All profit from the seminar is donated to 9 St John Street's charity '9 Lives' which is a community based charity working in association with Forever Manchester.

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