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Kirsty Malloch

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Memberships

- Chancery Bar Association
- Northern Chancery Bar Association
- Denning Society, The Honourable Society of Lincoln's Inn

Education

- Called to the Bar, Lincoln's Inn: 2018 (Buchanan Prize)
- Bar Professional Training Course, Manchester BPP: 2017-2018 (Outstanding)
- Excellence Award (Manchester BPP)
- Lord Denning Scholarship (Lincoln's Inn)
- Neuberger Prize (Lincoln's Inn)
- Post-Graduate Foundation Programme in Scots Law, University of Dundee: 2016-2017 (First Class)
  - Scottish Property Law Medal
- LLB Law, University of Dundee: 2013-2016 (First Class Honours, ranked first in year)
  - Harold How Memorial Award
  - Henry Scrymgeour Prize in Justice,

Wills, Trusts and Probate

Kirsty undertakes work in a broad range of wills, trusts and probate matters. She is happy to accept instructions in the following areas:

- The validity and construction of wills including the failure of gifts
- Contested wills
- Claims under the Inheritance (Provision for Family and Dependants Act) 1975
- The variation of dispositions post death
- The removal and appointment of personal representatives
- Claims for breach of duty against personal representatives

Recent work Kirsty has undertaken includes:

- Drafting a defence and representing the Defendant at the hearing of a successful strike out application concerning a claim brought against the Defendant as personal representative of an estate in respect of a failed gift.
- Advising the sole beneficiary of an estate regarding a claim for maintenance brought by the two sons of the deceased pursuant to the Inheritance (Provision for Family and Dependants) Act 1975.
- Advising on options and strategy regarding trust funds invested into a Scottish property without being properly documented.
- Advising on prospects of successfully making an application to court for an order removing trustees and bringing a trust to an end.

Law and Human Rights
- English Private Law I Medal

Recommendations

“Kirsty is responsive, helpful and very approachable. Her advocacy is excellent; she is unflappable even with the most difficult of witnesses and opponents.”

“Kirsty is happy to roll her sleeves up and get fully stuck in to a case. She is very thorough in assessing the merits and highlighting the strengths and weaknesses in a case.”
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