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James Behrens - Arbitrator

Year of Call: 1979

"going places"

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Practice Overview

James Behrens has been a chartered arbitrator since 2001, and is a fellow and former council member of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators. He holds the Chartered Institute's diploma in international commercial arbitration. He has had over 70 appointments as arbitrator, mainly in disputes concerning the computer and telecommunications business, partnerships, real property, sale of goods, and financial services. He also acts as barrister in commercial and property arbitrations. Most of his recent appointments have been in property matters. He is a member of the CI Arb property panel.

Current appointments include:

£2 million dispute concerning the management of an estate in Lambeth

Family dispute concerning a property investment partnership

Areas of Expertise

Recommendations

Mediators (*Legal 500*)

Quotes

"going places"

"definitely a rising star"

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Publications

Practical Church Management (Gracewing, 1998, 2005, 2014 and 2021)

Atkin's Court Forms volume 18(1) - ecclesiastical law (LexisNexis 2004, 2008 and 2018)

Other

Formerly a Recorder

Formerly Chancellor of the Dioceses of Leicester and Bristol

Formerly Deputy Chancellor of the Diocese of Bath and Wells

Formerly Deputy Chancery Master

Chartered Arbitrator, and CEDR accredited Mediator

Fellow of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators

Tribunal chairman for Consumer Credit and Estate Agents Act appeals

Bar Council member (1992-4), member of the working party for Information Technology and the Courts (ITAC)

(1992-9), council member Society for Computers and Law (1992-2000); trustee of Mediation UK (2000-2003); council member of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (2003-2005)

Education & Qualifications

Trinity College, Cambridge: MA

Cardiff University: LLM, PhD
