

# Rachel Bale

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## Contractual disputes

Rachel advises a range of clients on contractual and commercial matters. In particular she has had the following successes:

- Successfully applying and defending strike out & summary judgment applications for commercial matters
- Advice and representation on sales livery contracts involving alleged breaches of implied term of care and skill
- Pleading particulars and defences for breaches of contract, involving multiple parties with values over £100,000
- Representation at CCMCs and direction hearings.

## Recommendations

"Another great example of a rising star at 3PB! First class service, great with the client, meticulous and the result speaks for itself on this case" – **Instructing solicitor, contractual dispute**

"Rachel approached my case meticulously. She explained everything to me in a very concise manner, which gave me a lot of confidence before we went into court. She is an asset to your services at 3PB." – **Lay client in possession matter**

"Rachel is an outstanding advocate and provided valuable and thorough advice in this matter. Her intricate scrutiny of the Claimant's claim in a short timescale assisted us in achieving a positive result for the Client." – **Instructing solicitor**

"Rachel dealt with a last-minute hearsay application notice completely in her stride in a cool calm and collected manner. She went above and beyond her instructions achieving a winning outcome for the client. I would not hesitate to instruct her again." – **Instructing solicitor**

## Academic qualifications

- LLB English and French Law, First Class Honours – Kent University
- LLM Legal Practice, Distinction – University of Law, London
- BPTC, Very Competent – University of Law, London
- Certificate in Droit Civil, Paris I-Panthéon Sorbonne University

## Scholarships

- Major Exhibition Award – Inner Temple

- Duke of Edinburgh Award - Inner Temple
- H Case Ellis Spirit of Mediation Award – International Mediation Competition, Chicago (Finalist mediator of 400 competitors)