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EDUCATION

BA Joint Hons, Chinese and Politics, SOAS;

Graduate Diploma in Law, BPP Law;

BPTC-LLM (Bar in Practice), University of Law.

PROFILE

Before commencing pupillage, Victoria volunteered for a Pro-Bono organisation, providing support to litigants in person at immigration tribunals. She has worked at an immigration law firm handling business and personal applications. She has also worked as a court paralegal on family law cases. In 2020 she conducted legal research for an aerospace law consultancy firm.

MEMBERSHIP

Call to the Bar, Middle Temple, 2018.

PRACTICE

Victoria is assisting on a wide variety of civil and commercial cases, in particular:

- Aviation.
- Commercial.
- Banking and Finance.
- Landlord and tenant disputes.
- Insolvency (including cross-border).
- Insurance.
- Intellectual Property.

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AVIATION

Victoria is working closely with the Chambers' aviation team on court and paperwork instructions from solicitors and airlines alike in the following areas:

- Warsaw and Montreal Convention claims (cargo, passenger, baggage claims);
- Carriage by air disputes involving EU regulations;
- Denied boarding claims;
- Negligence claims.

COMMERCIAL

Victoria is gaining exposure to cases in the following areas of practice:

- Contract claims;
- Consumer Credit;
- Bankruptcy;
- Banking and finance.

SUPPLEMENTARY

Before commencing pupillage, Victoria worked as a language teacher in Madrid, Tanzania and Beijing. She also co-founded a theatre company to assist graduates with entering creative industries. She has conducted extensive legal market research into Latin America and Asia.

Scholarships and Awards:

- Harmsworth Scholarship (BPTC Major Award), Middle Temple
- BPTC Advocacy Scholarship, University of Law
- Wig Award, University of Law
- Harmsworth Scholarship (GDL Major Award), Middle Temple
- Blackstone Entrance Exhibition Award, Middle Temple

Languages:

- Spanish (Native)
- Mandarin (Proficient)
- French (Proficient)