

PI update: autumn 2019



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Content

This series of events is written and presented by expert practitioners, professional presenters and joint JPIL digest editors Brett Dixon (APIL immediate past president) and John McQuater (APIL secretary).

The one-day event will give you the most up to date insight into practice, procedure and the latest case law and will cover:

- Road traffic accidents
- Employers' liability
- Public and occupier's liability update
- Procedure
- Negligence
- Damages

BRAND NEW MATERIAL!!

**No course content is ever
the same!**

Speakers



Brett Dixon

APIL immediate past president, Brett Dixon Training

Brett is a senior fellow of APIL and the immediate past president. He is a consultant personal injury solicitor based in Lancashire. He runs Brett Dixon Training Limited delivering specialist legal training throughout the UK. He delivers training regularly on behalf of APIL via webinars and face to face courses including at the annual conference and other conferences. Brett also tours the UK annually writing and delivering the 'PI update' and 'Accidents at work' update courses. Brett is also the digest editor for JPIL.



John McQuater

APIL secretary and partner at Atherton Godfrey LLP

John is a partner and head of litigation at Atherton Godfrey LLP, Doncaster. He was president of APIL between 2009 and 2010 and was re-elected to the EC in 2012. John is a senior fellow of APIL, a member of the Law Society personal injury and clinical negligence accreditation schemes and an APIL accredited clinical negligence specialist. He is also an author in the APIL Guide series, published by Jordans, as well deputy digest editor of JPIL. John is the current APIL secretary and tours regularly with APIL training.

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RTA update:

- What do you do when the driver is unknown?
 - The latest from the Supreme Court
 - What other routes are available to you?
- When is a vehicle required to be insured?
 - Is the MIB an emanation of the state?
 - What practical questions do you now need to ask when taking on an RTA case?
- Contributory negligence and motorcyclists
- Seatbelts and findings of fact



Employers' liability update:

- How reasonable practicability works
 - Which party is the burden on to establish it?
 - Are post accident changes relevant to the question?
- Vicarious liability – limits on the sufficiently close connection test
- Why regulations matter post Enterprise Act and the recent cases



Public and occupier's liability update:

- Defective premises - inspection regimes and the duty to implement them
- Duties in relation to snow and poor weather
- Duties of game organisers

Damages:

- Professional negligence and proof of loss
- Aggravated damages
- Ogden tables
- Loss of congenial employment
- Fatal accidents and dependents



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Procedure:

- Trial bundles
- Correspondence with the court and informing the other side
- Portal
 - Mistakes
 - Exceptionality and costs
 - Death and costs
 - Costs in cases that should have been in the multi-track
- Contempt of court, experts and sentencing guidelines
- Can you claim a 100% success fee?
- Limitation and s33 discretion
- Exclusion clauses in insurance policies
- The latest Part 36 cases
- When are proceedings issued?
- Medical report agency fees
- Quasi-experts
- Costs and multiple parties
- Interim costs orders before a quantum trial has taken place
- Relief from sanctions when you did not receive the order from the court



**APIL CPD:
All levels - 6 hours**

Negligence:

- Secondary victims
- Local authority duties and children
- Does an alcohol withdrawal clinic owe a duty of care?
- Safety of teachers in their workplace
- Duty to warn of side effects from medicine

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This course gives you exactly what you need at a time of massive change.

Also, APIL corporate accredited members must attend annual PI update training.

Personal injury update - autumn 2019

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