

# Running a brain injury case - intermediate 2020



**London  
Manchester**

**5 May  
9 June**



Whether looking to build on recent experience or develop new skills, this course will explain how to avoid common pitfalls when investigating causation and quantum issues; how to increase damages on behalf of your brain injured client; how to maximise the potential of rehabilitation; and how to run a profitable caseload.

Supported by comprehensive reference materials, use of practical examples and tactical advice, the course will cover the following topics in detail:

- How to take full advantage of effective case planning and preparation in brain injury litigation
- The role of the case manager
- Life expectancy
- Mental capacity issues
- How to set up and monitor effective rehabilitation regimes and decide upon the right setting, including the cost/benefit of certain types of provision
- When and how to make best use of provisional damages & PPOs
- How to investigate and present heads of loss successfully, including advice on how to get witness statements and schedules working most effectively for your client
- Giving best advice and support in a family setting, including family therapy and advice on relationship breakdown
- What we learn from the experience of injured clients
- Costs issues relating to traumatic brain injury cases

***"Both speakers were very good and made the subject interesting"***

***"The course demonstrated practical examples"***

## Speakers

**Matthew Stockwell** is a leading barrister at Exchange Chambers, conducting serious injury litigation and welfare related public matters throughout England & Wales. Matthew's caseload is made up almost exclusively with a mixture of high value (or other importance to the parties), sensitivity and complexity. Matthew served on the national executive committee between 2007 and 2015 - as vice president in 2012 and president in 2013. Matthew also has extensive experience of fatal accident, clinical and professional negligence claims and other cases of medical and technical complexity.

**Colin Ettinger** conducted personal injury work for over 40 years. He led the personal injury department at Irwin Mitchell's London office for over 20 years until he retired in 2019. Colin has been active in APIL since its formation. He is a past president of APIL and a life member, a Senior Fellow Emeritus and held APIL accreditation for spinal injuries and brain injuries accreditations. His involvement continues as a Corporate Assessor. He is also a Patron of RoadPeace, a charity that supports and campaigns in the interests of victims of road crashes. In November 2019, Colin received the Lifetime Achievement Award at the Personal Injuries Awards event.

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**...recognising and building expertise in personal injury law**

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Corporate accredited firm	£205 + VAT	
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