

Remote video hearings and electronic bundles

Tuesday, 12 May
18:00 - 19:00

This webinar presented by APIL immediate past president Brett Dixon, His Honour Judge Bird, and Master Cook who sits as a High Court Master in the Queen's Bench Division at the Royal Courts of Justice, will cover practical guidance on:

Preparation for remote video hearings before the courts

- How to prepare e-bundles
- Setting up the video hearing
- Practical and technical matters
- Skeleton arguments
- Liaising with the other party to narrow issues

Advocacy tips for remote hearings

Protocol for trial using Skype

- Platform stability
- Witness evidence
- Conduct of the trial

County Court views from His Honour Judge Nigel Bird

Remote hearings in the county court



Master David Cook was called to the Bar by Gray's Inn in 1982.

In 2005 he became an accredited mediator and was appointed a legally qualified member of the Criminal Injuries Compensation Appeals Panel (CICAP) before being appointed a fee paid tribunal judge of the first-tier (social entitlement) tribunal in 2008.

In 2009 he was elected a bencher of Grays Inn. He was appointed as a full time Master of the Queen's Bench Division of the High Court in 2011 since which time he has been one of the assigned Masters dealing with the case management of clinical negligence claims proceeding within the Royal Courts of Justice.

In 2018 he was appointed as a member of the Civil Procedure Rules Committee.

Brett Dixon is a senior fellow of APIL and current immediate president. He works as a personal injury solicitor in Lancashire dealing primarily with employers' liability matters and catastrophic injuries.

Appointed in 2015 as a solicitor member of the Civil Procedure Rule Committee and a member of their sub-committee tasked with rewriting the disease and illness pre-action protocol.

Brett is an active member of the APIL executive committee and was elected by the membership of APIL to be the vice president 2016-2017. He delivers training regularly on behalf of APIL via webinars and face to face courses including at the annual conference and national costs conferences. Brett also tours the UK annually providing the 'Accidents at work' update course.



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