



# Personal Injury

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The Personal Injury Conference will provide delegates with an essential update on legal, evidential and procedural developments affecting all who practise in the personal injury field. Joining our Chair, Gilles Graham, will be speakers from all sectors of personal injury practice. Our keynote speaker, Sheriff Kenneth McGowan, Sheriff in the All Scotland Personal Injury Court, is joined by speakers including Gordon Dalyell, Elena Fry, and Andrew Constable.

Our speakers will bring you up to minute information on progress and practice in the All Scotland Personal Injury Court, and current thinking on most effectively deploying experts in personal injury litigation. With the Holyrood Justice Committee having now endorsed the principal of removing limitation for childhood abuse claims, we will review the history of these claims before the Courts, the current shape of the Bill, and what practitioners need to know for the future. We will also examine the scope, extent and on-going development of vicarious liability, and will consider the impact of technological advances for those affected by catastrophic injuries, while also addressing the impact of the introduction of the new discount rate.

*The event begins at 0930. Delegate registration is open from 0900.*

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CCPD present our inaugural Legal Convention—the premier CPD and networking event from Scotland's most innovative provider. Covering a range of legal areas, we're bringing together hundreds of delegates to listen to cutting edge expertise from industry leading experts, supported by a host of sponsors and exhibitors.

# The Speakers



## GILLES GRAHAM PARTNER, CLYDE AND CO; CHAIR

Gilles is an accredited expert in personal injury, with long experience of litigating in the courts including two cases which reached the House of Lords. Individually recognised in Personal Injury in Chambers UK, where he is described as a "force to be reckoned with". A Solicitor Advocate, Gilles acts for clients across the full spectrum of liability claims, including employers' and public liability cases, occupational disease, health and safety prosecutions and fatal accident inquiries.



## SHERIFF KENNETH MCGOWAN

Sheriff McGowan was a solicitor of almost 25 years' standing, and had been a solicitor advocate since 1998, when he was first appointed to the Bench in 2006. A member of the Bench at the All Scotland Personal Injury Court since its inception, Sheriff McGowan has recently taken on the role of Administrative Sheriff for that Court and represents the Bench in the Personal Injury Users Group, which allows interface between the Court and its practitioners.



## ELENA FRY HEAD OF INSURANCE AND RISK, BRODIES LLP

Elena is Head of Insurance and Risk at Brodies, and having practised for over twenty years in claims litigation, has a wealth of knowledge and experience on all nature of personal injury claims, including catastrophic claims, disease, clinical negligence, stress and abuse. Chambers 2016 describes Elena as "very knowledgeable and someone who understands the client's needs." Elena is accredited as a specialist in personal injury law by the Law Society of Scotland, and is a member of the Forum of Insurance lawyers (FOIL).

# The Speakers



## GORDON DALYELL PARTNER, DIGBY BROWN

Gordon Dalyell is a partner in Digby Brown, based in Edinburgh, and has wide experience in dealing with many areas of personal injury, including accidents at work, road traffic accidents, fatal accident claims and claims for miscarriages of justice. Gordon qualified as a Solicitor-Advocate in 2003. He has been accredited as a specialist in Personal Injury Law by the Law Society of Scotland. He is a senior litigator member of the Association of Personal Injury Lawyers (APIL).



## ANDREW CONSTABLE PARTNER, CLYDE AND CO

Andrew's expertise extends to employer's and public liability claims, road traffic accidents and he has significant experience of high value litigation, including brain injury claims. He has been accredited by The Law Society of Scotland as a specialist in personal injury law since 2007, and is recognised by Chambers 2016 as "a very technically knowledgeable individual who has a very calm and assured manner."

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## MATERIALS

Delegates will receive a comprehensive handbook covering issues raised, including any presentation material. The handbook will be provided hard copy, and these materials will be available to purchase after the event for those unable to attend.