

The Court of Protection: An Introduction for SEN Lawyers

Event details

Date: Thursday, 27 November 2025

Time: 17:15 arrival for a 17:30 PM start

Venue: 1 Crown Office Row, Temple, EC4Y 7HH and Online.



Guest Speakers

Amelia Walker is a public law barrister at ICOR. Amelia is a Chambers and Partners ranked junior for Education law. She acts in appeals in the first and upper tier tribunals, education judicial reviews, and private law education claims. *FXS v Mulberry Bush Organisation Ltd* [2024] EWHC 1406 (KB), a case involving the use of restraint in a residential special school, in which Amelia acted for the Claimant, will be heard in the Court of Appeal in February 2026.

In the Court of Protection Amelia is regularly instructed by local authorities, the Official Solicitor and families, recently representing the local authority in *W, Re: Capacity to Engage in Sexual Relations & Marry* [2025] EWCOP 32 (T2). Amelia's practice also includes inquests and public inquiries.



Alice Kuzmenko is a barrister at ICOR with expertise in education law and the Court of Protection. She regularly appears in the SEND Tribunal, handling appeals concerning EHCPs and advising on decisions to issue or cease Plans.

Her Court of Protection work includes health and welfare matters, reflecting her broader practice in healthcare and inquests which often involve complex medical issues and vulnerable individuals.



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