

The Commercial Litigation Association Annual Conference 2014

Keynote address:

**The Rt. Hon. Sir Terence Etherton
The Chancellor of the High Court**

Monday 12th May 2014



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5.5 CPD hours

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Chancellor of the
High Court**

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39 Essex Street.**

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8:45 Registration & Light Breakfast supported by A&M Bacon



9:15 Welcome by Tony Guise, Chairman of CLAN and owner GUISE Solicitors

9:20 Keynote Address: The Rt. Hon. Sir Terence Etherton
The Chancellor of the High Court

9:55 **The Debate:** Debate the issues raised by The Chancellor of the High Court.
Reuben Glynn of A&M Bacon, Marc Wilson of AmTrust, Beverley Barton of the
Practical Law Company
Moderated by David Chalk, CLAN Executive member

10:40 Coffee Break supported by Practico Legal Costs



11:00 Settlement Offers

Cyril Kinsky QC of 3 Verulam Buildings provides an in-depth look at the current issues surrounding settlement offers, the pitfalls and how to avoid them.

11:40 **Contract Law update: 'Keep calm and carry on drafting'**
Marion Smith & Alexandra Bodnar of 39 Essex Street.

12:20 **'The ten minute slot': Integrity and Ethics in Law**
One of our bite-sized overviews, from Peter Neville Lewis of Principled Consulting

12:30 Lunch supported by Augusta Ventures and their Trinity Funding Product



1:30 **Trends in Litigation: 2014 and beyond**
Andy Ellis of Practico, Louis Young of Augusta, Ian Casewell of Mintz Group.
Key contributors offer their thoughts and take questions on the trends in litigation.
Moderated by Mark Beaumont, CLAN Executive member

2:10 Forensic Accounting and Financial Services Litigation

Will Davies, a Partner at Grant Thornton, on financial services disputes from a forensic accounting view point.

2:50 Afternoon Tea supported by Mintz Group



3:10 **Information Technology and Legal Project Management in Commercial Litigation**
Daniel Kavan of Kroll Ontrack and Neil Mirchandani of Hogan Lovells bring practitioners up-to-speed with the most important and relevant aspects of IT and the latest developments in LPM.

3:50 **Social Media and e-disclosure: Challenges, Opportunities and Threats**
Nina Barakzai, Group Head of Data Protection & Privacy, Sky

4:30 **Closing Remarks & CLAN's programme of work for 2014/2015:**
Tony Guise will lead the discussion

4:45 Networking Reception supported by Cardinus Risk Management



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