



PUPILLAGE FAIR

Programme

Which Practice Area?

10:30 - 11:30 and 14:30 - 15:30

This is an opportunity to hear about different areas of law that they may not have thought about applying to before. The barristers will give a taste of the type of work that they are involved in.

Funding and Surviving the BPTC

11:00 - 12:00 and 13:00 - 14:00

This will be a realistic look at the approaches some students take to financing the BPTC. The Inns of Court will run through the various scholarships available, explain the application procedures and give tips on other opportunities. We will also have BPTC graduates and tutors who can explain the reality of studying for the BPTC.

Meet the pupils

10:00 - 11:00 and 14:00 - 15:00

This is a drop in session for students to meet current and future pupils. It is an opportunity for applicants to ask questions and get advice from their peers in an informal setting. (There will be no pupillage panels in this room so feel free to ask the questions that you've always been too embarrassed to ask).

Pupillage Applications: Dos and Don'ts

12:00 - 13:00 and 14:00 - 15:00

This is a talk from barristers and pupils about the pupillage application process. Most of the panellists are on their chambers' pupillage selection panel and will talk about what they look for in an application both on paper and in person.

Mature Students and Career Changers

12:30 - 13:30

An opportunity to hear from a selection of barristers who joined the Bar after first having a career in a different area. All of the panellists are happy to share their own experience of joining the Bar and offer advice on how others might do the same.

Pupillage Application and CV Clinic

10:30 - 15:00

This is an opportunity for students to have their CV/ applications read by a barrister. This will be a one-to-one session in a breakout room. Please bring your CV and sign up for a slot on the day.