

*We don't believe in law as usual
For us, law is inspiring...*

Our story

A number of years ago, we decided that we could change the way legal services are delivered. That we could do them better. At gunnercooke, we believe the potential of our clients and our people rests with our ability to free the law and make it work as it should. Today, we attract passionate lawyers and advise with authority: every gunnercooke lawyer has a minimum 10,000 hours practising experience.

Flexibility, transparency and freedom guide everything we do. Flexibility for our people to work how they want. Transparency of cost for our clients because we removed time recordings and billable hours. Freedom for our people and clients to achieve their personal and professional aspirations.

We work with clients that believe tradition is there to be tested, not obeyed. Working together, we help them seek opportunities and push the boundaries of what's possible.

Providing a suite of corporate and commercial legal services, gunnercooke is one of the UK's fastest-growing challenger brands. Proud of what we have achieved, committed to doing more.



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Overview

What he's best at:

David is a dispute resolution solicitor with over 15 years' experience. He has a broad practice and has advised on disputes in numerous areas including Construction and Engineering, Real Estate, Intellectual Property, Insurance, Insolvency, Financial Services and Employment. David has particular expertise of dispute resolution in the Construction and Property sectors. He has a broad client base and has acted for a number of high profile clients and "blue chip" organisations.

Who he works for:

- Construction companies
- Construction professionals
- Local councils and other public bodies
- Large retailers
- SMEs and owner managed businesses
- Private individuals

Testimonials

"Conscientious, hardworking lawyer, well connected, and flexible, who easily builds strong client relationships." – Dr Leonid Shapiro, Managing Partner, Candestic

"David's knowledge of UK law is extensive, this coupled with a down to earth and factual approach to legal matters, makes him a person you will enjoy doing business with." – Dave Rollinson, Managing Director, NBTY International Limited

Experience Highlights

- Acting for a District Council in successfully defending adjudication proceedings brought by a nationally recognised construction company.
- Advising a large well known retailer and gym operator concerning a claim by a Borough Council for payment of a BID levy.
- Acting for an SME partitions contractor in successful adjudication proceedings concerning a final account.
- Acting for an engineering practice following a roof collapse in successful proceedings brought against an insurer for breach of contract.
- Acting for an SME steelwork contractor in successful adjudication proceedings concerning payment of substantial sums due under a construction contract.
- Acting for a large utility company in a claim brought by the owners of a motorway service station following major flooding.
- Acting for a tax advisory practice in respect of claims for breach of contract/professional negligence brought in the Isle of Man and English courts.
- Acting for a US engineering company in a claim for breach of contract brought by a global soft drinks manufacturer.
- Acting for a major rail maintenance company in a number of adjudications brought about following the Hatfield rail disaster.