

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

Peter is an experienced insolvency and commercial litigation lawyer, who displays integrity, technical expertise and commercial acumen. Peter regularly acts in a broad range of litigation including

professional negligence, intellectual property, shareholder disputes, insolvency litigation and contractual disputes.



Peter also acts frequently in corporate recovery transactions, particularly pre-packaged sales out of Administration. Peter will always look at the commercial objectives of his clients and, where possible, seek to resolve disputes in a way that minimizes the client's costs, risk and management time. Where this is not possible, Peter is more than happy to roll with the punches and conduct litigation with tenacity and aggression.

Who he works for

- SMEs involved in commercial disputes of all kinds;
- Lenders with claims against their professional advisors or who wish to protect their position in distressed situations;
- Insolvency Practitioners engaged in claims against Directors and third parties or who would like advice on their duties and powers;
- Insolvency Practitioners and purchasers in corporate recovery transactions.

Testimonials

Peter regularly appears in the Legal 500 directory for Insolvency and Corporate Recovery in the North West, which in recent years has praised his "technical" ability and described him as a "key figure" of the team.

Experience Highlights

- Acting for secured lenders in a number of high-value professional negligence claims against valuers and solicitors;
- Acting in a high-value contractual dispute, in which our client was awarded more at Trial
 than it had offered to accept before the claim was issued, which meant that our client was
 also awarded enhanced interest and enhanced costs;
- Acting in significant passing off and trademark infringement litigation;
- Acting for high-profile figures in the sports industry;
- Acting in numerous sales of businesses out of Administration, which have secured thousands
 of jobs, across a range of sectors, including professional services, engineering, facilities
 management, waste management and retail.