



Association des Juristes Franco-Britanniques Franco-British Lawyers Society

FRANCO-BRITISH LEGAL CAREERS FORUM

Tuesday 12th November 2023

6.00 – 8.00 pm UK time

in person

UNIVERSITY OF LAW 14 Store Street, London WC1E 7DE (Bloomsbury) Store Street Building

Followed by drinks kindly provided by the University of Law

All law students, trainees and recently qualified lawyers are invited to attend the Forum organised in conjunction with The University of Law. Members of the Panel will address different aspects of legal careers in the UK and France.

All talks will be in English but questions in French are welcome.

Panel:

Simon Horsington



Barrister Grays Inn, 4-5 Gray's Inn Square Chambers.
Former Legal Director Fidelity International, Global Attorney PIMCO, Counsel Regulator IMRO, Founder member of and Vice Président d'Honneur of FBLS, Chevalier de la Légion d'Honneur, de l'Ordre National du Mérite et de l'Ordre du Mérite Maritime.

Dr. Catherine Pédamon



Westminster Law School, University of Westminster
Programme Director, Commercial Pathways LLM courses, Senior Lecturer in Law
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Lise Jaulin



Liaison judge in United Kingdom and Ireland in London/Magistrat de liaison à Londres pour le Royaume-Uni et l'Irlande. Lise JAULIN is a graduate in criminal law and international law of the universities of Poitiers (France) and Cambridge (UK). She has been a french prosecutor and judge since 2008.

Jean-François Le Gal



Partner at Pinsent Masons London, Barrister (England & Wales) and Avocat au Barreau de Paris. He started his career in Paris before moving to London in 2011. Specialises in international arbitration and multi-jurisdictional proceedings. He acts as counsel/advocate in English and/or French. Sits as an arbitrator and has acted as Chairman of an Arbitral Tribunal, Sole Arbitrator and Co-Arbitrator. Teaches Comparative & International Dispute Resolution, and Contract Law, at PSL (Dauphine) University.

Matthew Cameron



Matthew is a Member of Ashtons Legal LLP, and heads the French Legal Services team. He studied modern languages before qualifying as a solicitor in 1999, and has practised French law ever since. The team specialises in Franco-British private client law and tax advice.

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Leonardo Carpentieri



Counsel at LMS LLP in London. Avocat au Barreau de Paris and Solicitor of England & Wales specialised in international arbitration. Previously lawyer in Paris & London for international law firms. Director of the English Committee of the FBLS.

Sally Osborn



Notary Public, Past President of the Notaries Society; retired English solicitor with a London practice where she set up the “French Department”.

Oliver Chapman



Oliver Chapman is the international policy adviser for Europe and Central Asia at the Law Society. Prior to this, he worked as a lawyer in a human rights NGO and at the Council of Europe. He is Franco-British and holds an LL.M. in public international law from Leiden University.

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Elmira Jazottes



Elmira Jazottes is a young BIO awaited currently in **Gide's** London office. Elmira qualified into Gide's tax team in London as a solicitor in 2024, following her training contract with the firm. She holds a double degree (LLB/M1) in French and English law from the universities of Essex and Toulouse Capitole, an LLM from LSE, and a Master 2 in international taxation from Paris II: Panthéon-Assas in partnership with HEC.

Dawn Farrow



Current Careers Consultant and Employer Liaison at The University of Law.

Registration is free and all are welcome.

To register, please email: fbls@outlook.com

There is no fee for this event. Those attending are encouraged to become members of the Franco-British Lawyers Society (£15 annual subscription fee for students, interns and trainee solicitors).

For information, contact the FBLS Administrator at: fbls@outlook.com

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