



DEEPAK NAGPAL

Call: 2018 (HK); 2002 (England & Wales)

PROFILE

Deepak is one of leading juniors specialising in matrimonial cases in England and Hong Kong.

Deepak has appeared at all levels in matrimonial finance proceedings in England, including in the House of Lords and in the Supreme Court. He has acted in some of the biggest and most complicated matrimonial cases. He has appeared in numerous landmark decisions, such as *McFarlane*; *Charman*; *Crossley*; *Granatino v Radmacher*; *Juffali*; *Gray v Work*; and *Sharp*.

In 2017, he was the Chambers Bar UK Family Junior of the Year. He was the first barrister to have been nominated for this prestigious award three times. In 2016, Deepak was awarded Family Barrister of the Year, UK in the Lawyer Monthly Legal Awards.

Deepak is renowned for his expertise in cases involving ultra high net worth and high profile individuals. The assets in Deepak's cases regularly exceed GBP 100 million and he has acted in several cases where they have been in excess of GBP 1 billion. Deepak has a wealth of experience in matrimonial cases involving complex offshore structures and trusts. He also has particular interest in restitution.

Deepak also has an unrivalled reputation in multi-jurisdictional divorce cases. It was as a result of this expertise that Deepak was expressly invited to make representations to the UK Lord Chancellor's Advisory Committee on Private International Law in relation to the European Commission's proposed Regulation on matrimonial property regimes.

Deepak has been recommended for many years as a leading junior in matrimonial finance in the Chambers Bar UK and Legal 500 directories.

In the Law Commission's Report on Matrimonial Property, Needs and Agreements, Deepak was specifically acknowledged for his advice and expertise.

Deepak is the co-editor the leading practitioner text, Jackson's Matrimonial Finance.

Deepak practices from both London and Hong Kong.

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PRACTICE AREAS

- Family / Matrimonial
- Conflict of Laws
- Equity / Trust
- Restitution / Unjust Enrichment

APPOINTMENTS AND PUBLIC OFFICE

- Member of the Ethics Committee of the Bar Council of England & Wales
- Member of the South Eastern Circuit
- Member of the LexisPSL Family Consulting Editorial Board
- UK Attorney General's 'B' Panel of Civil Counsel (2013-2018)
- Elected Committee Member of the Family Law Bar Association of England & Wales (2009-2017)

EDUCATION

Christ Church, University of Oxford

MA (Oxon) Jurisprudence (1st Class)

BCL

PUBLICATIONS AND ARTICLES

- Co-editor of Jackson's Matrimonial Finance
- Advisory Editor of the Family Court Reports

SCHOLARSHIP AND PRIZES

Hardwicke Scholarship (Lincoln's Inn)

Lord Mansfield Scholarship (Lincoln's Inn)

Megarry Scholarship (Lincoln's Inn)

Lawyer Monthly Legal Awards 2016 – Family Barrister of the Year, UK

Chambers Bar UK Awards 2017 – Family Junior of the Year (also nominated in 2010 and 2014)

LANGUAGES

English and Hindi

SELECTED CASES

FAMILY / MATRIMONIAL

- *Akhter v Khan (Attorney General Intervening)* [2019] 2 W.L.R. 771
- *Owens v Owens* [2018] 3 W.L.R. 634
- *Sharp v Sharp* [2018] 2 W.L.R. 1617
- *Mantegazza v Mantegaaza* [2018] 2 F.C.R. 864
- *Gray v Work* [2018] Fam. 35
- *Juffali v Juffali* [2017] 1 F.L.R. 729
- *Juffali v Juffali* [2017] 1 F.L.R. 702
- *Juffali v Juffali* [2017] 1 F.L.R. 669
- *Sharbatly v Shagroon* [2014] 2 F.L.R. 209

- *CR v MZ (Financial Remedies: Beneficial Ownership)* [2014] 1 F.L.R. 22
- *Shagroon v Sharbatly* [2013] Fam. 267
- *Gordon (formerly Stefanou) v Stefanou* [2011] 1 F.L.R. 158
- *JKN v JCN (Divorce: Forum)* [2011] 1 F.L.R. 826
- *W v W (Divorce Proceedings)* [2011] 1 F.L.R. 372
- *Granatino v Radmacher (formerly Granatino)* [2011] 1 A.C. 534
- *S v S (Hemain Injunction)* [2010] 2 F.L.R. 502
- *S v S (No 2) (Ancillary Relief Application to Set Aside Order)* [2010] 1 F.L.R. 993
- *Miller Smith v Miller Smith* [2010] 1 F.L.R. 1402
- *Radmacher (formerly Granatino) v Granatino* [2009] 2 F.L.R. 1181
- *Radmacher (formerly Granatino) v Granatino* [2009] 1 F.L.R. 1556
- *NG v KR (Pre-nuptial contract)* [2009] 1 F.L.R. 1478
- *Crossley v Crossley* [2008] 1 F.L.R. 14767
- *Charman v Charman* [2007] 1 F.L.R. 1246
- *Charman v Charman* [2007] 1 F.L.R. 1237
- *Charman v Charman* [2007] 1 F.L.R. 593
- *McFarlane v McFarlane* [2006] 2 A.C. 618
- *Mark v Mark* [2006] 1 A.C. 98
- *Moore v Moore* [2005] 1 F.L.R. 66
- *McFarlane v McFarlane* [2005] Fam. 171

CONFLICT OF LAWS

- *Mantegazza v Mantegaaza* [2018] 2 F.C.R. 864
- *Juffali v Juffali* [2017] 1 F.L.R. 702
- *Juffali v Juffali* [2017] 1 F.L.R. 669
- *Sharbatly v Shagroon* [2014] 2 F.L.R. 209
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EQUITY / TRUST

- *Juffali v Juffali* [2017] 1 F.L.R. 729
- *CR v MZ (Financial Remedies: Beneficial Ownership)* [2014] 1 F.L.R. 22
- *Miller Smith v Miller Smith* [2010] 1 F.L.R. 1402
- *Charman v Charman* [2007] 1 F.L.R. 1246
- *Charman v Charman* [2007] 1 F.L.R. 593