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Practice Areas: Spearheads the firm's team which deals with contentious and non-contentious matters for Employers and Employees. Regularly involved in advising clients as to their wider commercial requirements, often in conjunction with other departments in the firm. Key Employment colleagues include Partner Martin Donoghue and Senior Associate Victoria Russell. He has overseen a significant influx of Employment Tribunal and Employment Appeal Tribunal cases, overseeing a significant increase in instructions from overseas clients and the involvement in cases relating to the News Of The World debacle. He has a wide remit within the firm which includes responsibility for the firm's overall Marketing and PR. He is regularly asked to comment by the media (TV, Radio and Newspapers) on employment law issues.

Professional Memberships: The Law Society, Employment Lawyers Association, British Italian Law Association.

Career: Trained at McKenna & Co (now CMS Cameron McKenna), qualifying 1990. Moved to The Simkins Partnership 1992 (now Michael Simkins LLP) and joined Silverman Sherliker LLP 1998.

Personal: Lived in Italy until 1976; attended University College School Hampstead [1984], London School of Economics and Political Science (LLB Honours) [1987], The College of Law Chancery Lane [1988], King's College London (Dip. Cop.) [1996]. Fluent Italian speaker. Speaks reasonable French.

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Nicholas Lakeland of Silverman Sherliker provides clients with *"pragmatic advice, sensitive to their needs as a business."* He primarily represents employers and is reported to have an ability to *"explain the issues succinctly and accurately."*

