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LLB (law) University of Cambridge 1981

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EMPLOYMENT AND TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Fellow of Emmanuel College, Cambridge. 1983-90

University Assistant Lecturer in Law, and afterwards University Lecturer in Law, University of Cambridge, 1986-90

Senior Lecturer in Law, King's College London, 1990-93.

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Professor of Law and afterwards, Professor of Human Rights Law, King's College

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requirements with regard to the setting of pensions under the war pensions legislative scheme]

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Secretary of State for Defence v Rusling [2003] EWHC 1359 (QB) [war pensions for victims of Gulf War Syndrome]

Sengupta v Holmes [2002] EWCA Civ 773 [appropriateness of a judge who has refused permission to appeal subsequently participating in the case]

In re S [2002] UKHL 10 [starred care plans for children in local authority care and whether these are possible under Human Rights Act 1998]

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