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# Jerome Silva – Barrister

Called 2001

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## Practice Profile

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**Personal Injury** (Fast Track and Multi Track), **Contract** and **Landlord and Tenant**. **Regulatory work and disciplinary tribunals** – regular case Presenter for the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants (ACCA). Prison Law with a particular emphasis on Parole Board review hearings involving all prisoners including mandatory sentences.

All areas of **criminal** prosecution and defence work including all offences against the person, public order offences, theft act offences and drugs offences including PII. Junior Counsel in a seven handed drugs conspiracy case. Particular experience in relation to aircraft offences (reported case in this area).

## Reported / Notable Cases:

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### **R – v – Cooper [2003] EWCA Crim 3277; [2004] 2 Cr.App.R.(s)16**

(The case involved an appeal against sentence in relation to drunkenness on an aircraft. It was the first reported case in which a defendant/appellant did not receive a custodial sentence for this offence -and at time of writing remains the only one.)

### **R – v - Meek and others**

(a seven defendant supply of drugs case involving two interlinking conspiracies. The case involved extensive audio visual surveillance and all the issues – such as general admissibility and PACE – that arise from such evidence.

## Education and Qualifications

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Duke of Edinburgh Scholar (Inner Temple).

<b>2001</b>	Called to the Bar (Inner Temple).
<b>2000 – 2001</b>	Inns of Court School of Law
<b>1996 – 1999</b>	University of Exeter LLB (Hons.)

### **Professional Courses**

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Serious Sexual Offences (Criminal Bar Association) 2007

Public Interest Immunity 2006

DNA 2006

Expert Witnesses 2006

Human Rights Act 2005

### **Professional Memberships**

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Inner Temple

Personal Injury Bar Association

Criminal Bar Association

South Eastern Circuit Bar Mess