#### Alexandra Sidossis

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## **Practice Summary**

Alexandra is dually-qualified as a barrister in England and Wales and as a New York attorney, a qualified commercial mediator and an Associate Member of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (ACIArb). She accepts instructions in all of Chambers' core areas, with a focus in commercial cases, and particularly employment law and arbitration. Alexandra is also a member of the Attorney General's Junior Junior Scheme.

In her employment practice, Alexandra has represented both Claimants and Respondents in the Employment Tribunal, in multi-day unfair dismissal, discrimination and TUPE cases. Often, she is successful in reaching favourable settlements for her clients. Most notably, Alexandra recently conducted a 7-day TUPE preliminary hearing, representing 8 claimants against 8 Respondents.

Alexandra is instructed as a sole and junior counsel in commercial ad-hoc and institutional arbitrations, including instructions to advise by reference to English law in international matters.

Alexandra is dedicated to pro-bono work. Having been a volunteer at FRU since August 2016, she has represented a number of clients in their appeals to the Social Security Tribunal, and in Employment Tribunal cases. Further, she undertakes work with Advocate.

## **Memberships**

- The Honourable Society of Lincoln's Inn, Denning Society, member
- The Employment Lawyers Association, member
- New York State Bar Association, member
- American Bar Association, member
- London Shipping Law Centre, Young Maritime Professional (YMA)
- Transparency International Professional Support network (TIPS), managing committee
- Legal Panel Member of Whistleblowers UK

# **Qualifications**

- Call to the Bar of England and Wales, October 2016 (Lincoln's Inn)
- Counselor and Attorney at Law, State of New York, USA
- Associate Member of Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (ACIArb)
- Commercial Mediator

#### **Education**

- City University London, Bar Professional Training Course, July 2016
- Queen Mary University of London, LLM Commercial Corporate Law, September 2015
- University of Kent, LLB European Legal Studies, June 2014