

Rowan White

President of the Law Society of Northern Ireland

Rowan White holds an honours degree in law from the University of Cambridge and is currently in his second year of office as President of the Law Society of Northern Ireland. He also chairs the Society's Professional Liability Committee and leads a working group of that Committee which is currently reviewing the operation of the Society's Master Policy scheme of insurance. The scheme has, for more than forty years, provided comprehensive and cost-effective professional indemnity insurance for the entire solicitors' profession in Northern Ireland.

Rowan became a partner in the Belfast office of leading Irish law firm Arthur Cox when it set up there in 1996 and continued in that role until 2018, when he became a consultant to the firm. He is a commercial property lawyer and has been involved in many of the biggest and most complex transactions in Northern Ireland. His practice covers all areas of commercial property, including acquisitions, disposals and leases for local, national and international clients, as well as property development, finance and corporate support work. He was a founder member and the first Chair of The Northern Ireland Commercial Property Lawyers' Association.

