



Malcolm Bishop QC

Bencher of the Inner Temple; former deputy High Court Judge and Recorder; Hon. Fellow and Hon. Standing Counsel Regents Park College, Oxford University; former Chair Isle of Man legal Aid Commission of Inquiry

Malcolm Bishop QC has appeared in all Divisions of the High Court as well as the Court of Appeal, the House of Lords and the Privy Council. He also appears in the Caribbean and is a member of the Bar of the Turks and Caicos Islands where he defended in a five-year trial, believed to be the longest in the history of the Commonwealth. His range of expertise is unusually varied.

When he started in practice solicitors expected counsel to provide a comprehensive service and this habit of tackling diverse areas of the law has stayed with him all his professional life. As a result, he has regularly handled commercial, property, landlord and tenant, defamation, trusts and public law litigation. He regards himself as an archetypal all-rounder. He believes strongly in the importance of advocacy and the supremacy of courtroom skills.

His unusual hobby is translating into modern English the books of the New Testament from the original Greek. He has published to wide acclaim St. Mark, Matthew and John. He is currently working on St. Luke.