Matthew Graham Finn



Managing Director - Arbitrator, Accredited Civil & Commercial Mediator, Construction Adjudicator, Dispute Board Practitioner and Accredited Expert Witneness

Nationality: British Current Position: Managing Director

Professional Experience

Matthew is a Managing Director in the Global Construction Practice based in London, formerly of Navigant, acquired by Ankura in 2018. He has experience in claims preparation/avoidance, arbitration, adjudication, mediation and quantum expert witness appointments in building, civil engineering, nuclear, rail, oil & gas and building services.

Matthew has worked in the construction industry as a Chartered Quantity Surveyor and Chartered Construction Manager in both consulting and contracting organisations. He has worked on a range of projects for major contractors and consultancies on projects for private, corporate and public body clients.

Who's Who Legal 2018 says: Matthew Finn is a "very enthusiastic and on the-ball" practitioner who has a strong practice in the litigation space. Instructing counsel comment that "he pays good attention to detail and his ability to think creatively is very helpful". Who's Who Legal 2019 says: Matthew Finn commands great respect from interviewees who applaud his "incredible attention to detail" and "clarity of expression", noting his "ability to work in difficult circumstances". WWL 2019 also says: Matthew Finn has "wide knowledge and skills in the field" as well as "large intellect capable of grasping detailed and complex information quickly". Who's Who Legal 2020 says: "The "exceptional" Matthew Finn is "thorough and detailed" in his analysis and remains "very calm under cross-examination". WWL 2020 also says: "Matthew Finn is "an excellent all-round quantity surveying expert" who impresses clients with "his attention to detail and ability to concisely and accurately process complex data and give a clear opinion".

Arbitration Experience

Matthew is an adjudicator and arbitrator and sits on various adjudication panels as well as domestic and international arbitration panels. Matthew sits on 28 international arbitration bodies panel. Matthew also is a practitioner for Dispute Boards MENA (Middle East and North Africa).

Appointed arbitrator on over 25 disputes both consumer and commercial. Matthew is enlisted onto the following Arbitration Institutions as an Arbitrator and Adjudicator.

Education Background

- Fellow of Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (FCIArb)
- Fellow of Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors (FRICS)
- Fellow of Chartered Institute of Building (FCIOB)
- Member of Chartered Institution of Civil Engineering Surveyors (MCInstCES)
- RICS Accredited Expert Witness
- Accredited Civil and Commercial Mediator
- Accredited and practising Member of the Academy of Experts (MAE)

- Member of Expert Witness Institute (MEWI)
- Member of Society of Construction Law
- Legal Experience Training Advanced
- Professional Award in Expert Witness
- Evidence (LETAPAEWE)
- Master of Law Degree (LLM) in Construction Law, Arbitration & Adjudication with Merit
- Bachelor Degree of Science with First Class Honours (BSc Hons) in Construction
- Foundation Degree in Construction
- BTEC National Certificate in Buildig

Expertise

Construction and engineering - building, civil engineering, nuclear, rail, oil & gas and building services.

Practice Location/ Jurisdiction

International.

Working Languages

English.

Other Relevant Experience