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BIOGRAPHICAL DATA

David STONE
White & Case LLP
London
United Kingdom



Nationality: Australian/British

EDUCATIONAL AND PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

Graduate Diploma in Notarial Practice, University of Cambridge, 2007;
Bachelor of Civil Law, University of Oxford, 1995;
B.A., LL.B., (Hons), University of Sydney, 1990.

Solicitor of the Supreme Court of Ireland;
Notary Public (England and Wales);
Solicitor Advocate (Civil) of the Higher Courts of England and Wales;
Barrister and Solicitor of the High Court of Australia;
Solicitor of the Supreme Court of New South Wales;

Awards/Accolades/Professional Activities:

Ranked top tier in Chambers UK, Legal 500 and WTR 1000.

LANGUAGES

English

PRESENT POSITION

Partner, White & Case LLP.
Authorized to sit as a Deputy High Court Judge (England and Wales).

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE BEFORE PRESENT POSITION

Partner, Allen & Overy LLP, London, 2016-2025;

Partner, Simmons & Simmons LLP, London, 2008-2016;

April 28, 2025

Partner, Howrey LLP, London, 2005-2008.

AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

Trade marks, designs, passing off, advertising, copyright.

MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL BODIES

American Intellectual Property Law Association (AIPLA);
Association Internationale pour la Protection de la Propriété Intellectuelle (AIPPI);
Association of European Trade Mark Owners (MARQUES);
European Communities Trade Mark Association (ECTA);
International Trademark Association (INTA);
Pharmaceutical Trade Mark Group (PTMG);
Solicitors' Association of Higher Court Advocates (SAHCA);
The Intellectual Property Lawyers' Organisation (TIPLLO).

EXPERIENCE IN INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

30 plus years in private practice.

MAJOR PUBLICATIONS

European Union Design Law: A Practitioners' Guide, 2nd edition, OUP, 2016.
