



Paul is ranked in Chambers & Partners and the Legal 500 across four practice areas: Crime, Fraud, Proceeds of Crime, and Administrative Law & Human Rights. He is one of only four junior barristers in London to be ranked Band 1 in Crime in both legal directories.

Chambers UK, 2025

“He is a go-to barrister at the Old Bailey and has encyclopedic knowledge of the law” (Crime, Band 1)

“He is an expert in historical sex offences and is calm and measured” (Crime, Band 1)

“It’s his outstanding intellectual ability that gives him an advantage” (POCA Work & Asset Forfeiture, Band 1)

“Paul is exceptionally bright and hard-working. He’s a real high-flyer” (POCA Work & Asset Forfeiture, Band 1)

Legal 500, 2025

“Paul is an exceptional barrister. He is highly intelligent and has a genuine academic interest in the law. His legal arguments are therefore invariably well-researched and profound. As an advocate he is calm and measured. His submissions are so much more effective for this. He has the total respect of judges and fellow professionals” (Crime, Band 1)

Paul is Senior Treasury Counsel at the Central Criminal Court, appointed by the Attorney General to prosecute the most serious offences including murder and terrorism. In that role Paul accepts instructions from all divisions of the Crown Prosecution Service and he regularly appears in some of the most high-profile criminal cases in the country.

Alongside prosecuting, Paul maintains a busy defence practice, mainly in the areas of corporate and financial crime, cybercrime, and serious sexual offending, where his expertise is sought at all stages of proceedings.

Paul has particular expertise with regards to the proceeds of crime and judicial review. He also has a sizeable appellate practice. In the last few years he has appeared as sole counsel in over one hundred cases before the Court of Appeal and the Divisional Court.

Paul is the joint editor of, and a contributor to, Millington & Sutherland Williams on the Proceeds of Crime, and Kingsley Napley & 6KBW College Hill: Serious Fraud, Investigation & Trial. He is also a contributor to Blackstone’s Criminal Practice and Taylor on Criminal Appeals. He is a case commentator for Lloyd’s Law Reports: Financial Crime, and a regular contributor to the Criminal Law Review and Archbold Review.

Here is a selection of quotes about Paul from previous editions of the legal directories:

“Paul Jarvis is an excellent barrister who is extremely well versed in the law and an accomplished advocate.” (Crime)

“He is a true expert at defending sexual offences and a master of tactical decision making.” (Crime)

“He’s a very intelligent lawyer with the personal touch, and very relaxed and effective in his manner as an advocate.” (Crime)



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