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Pauline is a founding partner of Hughes Fowler Carruthers. She is a well-known and highly respected family lawyer.

Pauline has worked with Frances Hughes since 1985, first at Bates, Wells & Braithwaite (where she was a partner from 1990) and now at Hughes Fowler Carruthers.

As well as specialising in complex divorce and children's work, Pauline also specialises in international adoption and surrogacy. She is a highly regarded senior mediator, well known for her work in this area. She is a fellow of the International Academy of Family Lawyers, a member of The Pensions Advisory Group and of Resolution, chairing Resolution's Pensions, Tax and Financial Remedies Committee. She is a regular broadcaster and writer on family law matters.

Pauline is consistently recognised as a leading individual in the Chambers UK guide. The Chambers UK 2022 Guide says that she is particularly noted for her representation of high net worth clients in divorce proceedings involving substantial cross-border assets, and that she *"has immense wisdom in terms of understanding how to resolve things and has great skill as a litigator and mediator"*. She was described as *"a formidable practitioner in this field"* and someone who *"thinks outside the box"* and *"has a winning attitude"*. The Chambers UK 2021 Guide noted that she *"tackles a wide array of complex family law issues"* and that it was said of her *"You know the case will be done properly and there will be no messing around"*. Chambers UK 2020 described her as *"particularly noted for her representation of high net worth clients in divorce proceedings involving substantial cross-border assets"*. She is also featured in the Spear's Family Law Index's 'Recommended Family Lawyers' list.

Pauline retains her Band 1 ranking in Chambers HNW 2021 and is described as a *"phenomenally bright, clever lawyer. She is very client focused and always has good judgement"*. The guide further praises Pauline for being *"very effective in mediation"*. Chambers HNW 2020 reconfirms Pauline's Band 1 ranking and describes her as *"well versed in dealing with high net worth clients on a range of family matters, including divorce, children, adoption and surrogacy"*. The guide further states Pauline runs a *"varied practice"* and is *"fabulous, so clever, fantastically good"*.

Chambers HNW 2019 ranked Pauline in Band 1 once again and celebrated her as a *"high net worth family law specialist and mediator"*. The guide also noted that Pauline *"enjoys a fine reputation for her focused practice in children law, divorce and adoption and surrogacy cases"* and *"does the cases extremely well"*. Retaining her Band 1 ranking, Pauline was described in Chambers UK 2019 as a *"steely"* and *"brilliant"* lawyer who *"puts her clients' case forward sensibly but robustly"*.

The Legal 500 UK 2022 describes Pauline as *"brilliant at resolving the trickiest of cases"* and reconfirms her ranking in 'The Legal 500 Hall of Fame'. The Guide praises her for being *"extremely professional"* and highlights her *"vast experience"* with complex cross-border matters, and her *"stellar"*, *"entirely deserved reputation"* adding the support she offers clients is *"second to none"*. The Legal 500 UK 2021 described Pauline as *"highly respected"* and reconfirms her ranking in 'The Legal 500 Hall of Fame'. The guide praised her as a *"formidable yet personable"*, *"brilliant solicitor"* whose *"insight is second to none"*.

Pauline studied music and worked in music publishing before qualifying as a solicitor in 1983.

She retains her interest in music and is an accomplished violinist and pianist.



A formidable practitioner in this field

CHAMBERS UK 2022



Great skill as a litigator and mediator

CHAMBERS UK 2022



Phenomenally bright, clever lawyer

CHAMBERS HNW 2021



OUR REPORTED CASES

We make every effort to settle cases but if litigation is necessary we are very expert in:

- Potanin v Potanina [2019] EWHC 2956 (Fam)
- Rogan v Rogan (2019) EWHC 814 (Fam)
- W v H (2019) EWFC B19
- Pierburg v Pierburg [2019] EWFC 24
- Timokhina v Timokhin [2019] EWCA Civ 1284
- AF v SF [2019] EWHC 1224 (Fam)
- MB v TB [2018] EWHC 2035 (Fam)
- Rogan v Rogan [2018] EWHC 2512 (Fam)
- AVR (Children) [2018] EWHC 2771 (Fam)
- Mantegazza v Mantegazza [2017] EWHC 3811 (Fam)
- GvS [2017] EWHC 365 (Fam)
- Bezeliansky v Bezelianskaya [2017] EWCA Civ 76
- MG v FG (Schedule 1 - Application to strike out Estoppel Legal Costs Funding) [2016] EWHC 1964 (Fam)
- Juffali v Juffali [2016] EWHC 1684 (Fam)
- De Renee v Galbraith-Marten [2016] EWCA Civ 537
- TM v AH [2016] EWHC 572 (Fam)
- Estrada v Al-Juffali [2016] EWHC 213 (Fam)
- Al-Juffali v Estrada & Another [2016] EWCA Civ 176
- Work v Gray [2016] EWHC 562 (Fam)
- Work v Gray [2016] EWCA Civ 286
- BD v FD (No 2) [2016] EWHC 594 (Fam)
- Re C (Older Children - Relocation) [2015] EWCA Civ 1298
- WA v Executors of the Estate of HA & Others [2015] EWHC 2233 (Fam)
- Gray v Work [2015] EWHC 834 (Fam)
- Arif v Anwar [2015] EWHC 124 (Fam)
- BD v FD (Maintenance) [2014] EWHC 4443 (Fam)
- Arif v Anwar [2014] EWHC 4669 (Fam)
- Luckwell v Limata [2014] EWHC 1035 (Fam)
- Luckwell v Limata [2014] EWHC 502 (Fam)
- MvW [2014] EWHC 925 (Fam)
- Evans v Evans [2013] EWHC 506 (FAM)
- Young v Young [2013] EWHC 34 (Fam)
- Tchenguiz-Imerman v Imerman [2013] 3627 (Fam)
- Mohan v Mohan [2013] EWCA Civ 586
- Arif v Anwar & Anor [2013] EWCH 624 (Fam)
- Mohan v Mohan [2013] EWCA Civ 586
- Tchenguiz-Imerman v Imerman [2012] EWCH 4277 (Fam)
- Evans v Evans [2012] EWCA Civ 1293
- Sofia Arif v (1) Arif Anwar Zar (2) Raziz Rehan [2012] EWCA Civ 986
- Av (1) B (2) C [2012] EWCA Civ 285
- Vv V [2011] EWHC 1190 (Fam)
- Ilya Golubovich v Elena Golubovich [2011] EWCA Civ 479
- Elena Golubovich v Ilya Golubovich [2011] EWCA Civ 528
- Golubovich v Mirimskaya [2010] EWCA Civ 1519
- Marano v Marano [2010] EWCA Civ 119
- Ahmed v Khan [2010] EWCA Civ 290



- HvH (Financial Relief) [2010] EWHC 158 (Fam) [2010] 1 FLR 1864
- Sally Ann Lykiardopulo (Appellant) v Panaghis Nicholas Fotis Lykiardopulo (Respondent) & Michael Lykiardopulo (Interested Party) [2010] EWCA Civ 1315
- (1) Robert Tchenguiz (2) Vincent Tchenguiz (3) Tim McClean (4) Nouri Obayda (5) Sarosh Zaiwalla v Vivian Imerman: Vivian Saul Imerman v Elizabeth Tchenguiz Imerman [2010] EWCA Civ 908 . W v W [2010] EWHC 1843 (Fam)
- Golubovich v Golubovich [2010] EWCA Civ 810
- Elizabeth Tchenguiz Imerman v Vivian Saul Imerman [2010] EWHC 64 (Fam)
- Elizabeth Tchenguiz Imerman v Vivian Saul Imerman [2009] EWHC 3486 (Fam)
- Marano v Marano [2009] EWCA Civ 967
- VvV (Financial Relief) [2009] EWHC 2901 (Fam)
- Iqbal Mubarik v the United Kingdom [2009] ECHR 1437
- Bokor-Ingram v Bokor-Ingram [2009] EWCA Civ 412; [2009] 2 FLR 922
- Mubarak v Mubarik [2008] JRC 136 [2009] 1 FLR 664
- MacLeod v MacLeod (2008) UKPC 64; [2009] 3 WLR 437
- AB V JLB [2008] EWHC 2965 (Fam)
- Alexandra Ella v Yuval Ella & Ors [2008] EWHC 3258 (Ch) . lvi [2008] EWHC 1167 (Fam)
- PvP [2007] EWHC 2877 (Fam)
- Mia Holman v Graham Anthony Kingston Howes [2007] EWCA Civ 877
- Hv H (2007) EWHC 459 (Fam) .Lv (1) L (2) H (a firm) [2007] EWHC 140 (QB)
- Mubarak v Mubarik [2007] EWHC 220 (Fam)
- SvS [2006] EWHC 2793 (Fam)
- Mubarak v Mubarik [2006] EWHC 1260 (Fam)
- Mia Holman v Graham Anthony Kingston Howes [2005] EWHC 2824 (Ch)
- Mark v Mark [2005] UKHL 42; [2005] 2 FLR 1193
- Moore v Moore [2004] EWCA Civ 1243
- Mubarak v Mubarik [2004] EWHC 1158 (Fam); [2004] 2 FLR 932
- Mv M [2004] EWCA Civ 168 . Cv FC (Children Proceedings: Costs) [2004] 1 FLR 362 . C v FC (Brussels II: Free-Standing Application for Parental Responsibility) [2004] 1 FLR 317
- W v W (Financial Provision: Form E) [2003] EWHC 2254 (Fam)
- Mubarak v Mubarak [2003] 2 FLR 553; [2002] EWHC 2171 (Fam)
- SvS [2002] EWHC 223 (Fam)