

# APIL asbestos conference 2011

Thursday, 10 November 2011  
Marriott Victoria & Albert Hotel, Manchester

## “Managing risk in the new Jackson era”

Following demands from the APIL membership, we are pleased to bring the popular ‘APIL asbestos conference’ to Manchester. The packed one day programme includes a whole host of eminent speakers and amongst these, we are delighted to welcome **Dr Richard Attanoos**, pathologist will be giving a presentation covering asbestos fibres, fibrosis and the asbestosis range and **Senior Master Steven Whitaker** giving his view from the bench.

### PROGRAMME\*:

9.00 – 9.30am	Registration	12.55 – 1.55pm	Lunch
9.30 – 9.35	Welcome <i>Co-chairs: Karl Tonks and Cenric Clement-Evans</i>	1.55 – 2.40	Asbestos related respiratory disease - controversies in diagnosis and causation <i>Speaker: Dr Phil Barber</i>
9.35 – 10.00	The current legal landscape – setting the scene <i>Speaker: Karl Tonks</i>	2.40 – 3.25	Exposure from the engineer’s viewpoint Quantifying the dose, how fleeting? Proximity, date and type Engineering issues arising from Asmusen v Filtrona <i>Speaker: Ian Glendenning</i>
10.00 – 10.30	View from the bench A review of the Meso PD - how can we do better on behalf of claimants? Lessons to be learnt <i>Speaker: Senior Master Steven Whitaker</i>	3.25 – 3.40	Refreshment break
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10.50 – 11.50	What’s new in asbestosis? Asbestos fibres, fibrosis and the asbestosis range <i>Speaker: Dr Richard Attanoos</i>	4.00 – 4.30	Willmore and Sienkiewicz – how to handle low dose cases <i>Speaker: Ruth Davies</i>
11.50 – 12.25	Causation of lung cancer post Sienkiewicz <i>Speaker: Patrick Walsh</i>	4.30 – 5.15	Case update and trigger litigation <i>Speaker: Stephen Glynn</i>
12.25 – 12.55	Mesothelioma in Scotland from an English and Welsh perspective <i>Speaker: David Short</i>	5.15	Close of conference

#### Accredited by:

APIL entry level:  
senior litigator and above  
SRA entry level: advanced  
The Bar Standards Board

#### CPD hours:

6 hours 10 minutes

#### Cost:

Corporate accredited firms: £200 + VAT  
APIL members: £235 + VAT  
Non-members: £340 + VAT

### Speakers

**Dr Richard Attanoos**, University Hospital Llandough  
**Dr Phil Barber**, Wythenshawe Hospital  
**Cenric Clement-Evans**, APIL EC Member, Hugh James  
**Ruth Davies**, John Pickering and Partners  
**Ian Glendenning**, Pragma Asbestos Ltd  
**Stephen Glynn**, Barrister, 9 Gough Square  
**David Short**, Lawford Kidd  
**Karl Tonks**, APIL Vice President, Fentons  
**Patrick Walsh**, Pannone LLP  
**Marc Weingarten**, The Locks Law Firm, Philadelphia, USA  
**Senior Master Steven Whitaker**, Senior Master of the Senior Courts  
in the Queen’s Bench Division and Queen’s Remembrancer,  
Royal Courts of Justice

