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## **BIOGRAPHY**

Irina is an associate in the firm's Business and Commercial Disputes team. She advises a variety of clients, from financial institutions to individuals, and has dealt with a range of general commercial and contractual disputes, as well as international arbitration, regulatory matters and contentious insurance disputes. Irina also has experience in more specific sectors, including sports, finance and fraud.

## **SPOKEN LANGUAGES**

- Romanian
- English

## ADMISSIONS

- England and Wales

## EDUCATION

University of Cambridge, BA (Law), 2018

London School of Economics, LLM, 2019

BPP (LPC), 2021

## RELATED CAPABILITIES

- Business & Commercial Disputes
- Intellectual Property & Technology Disputes
- Litigation & Dispute Resolution
- Regulation, Compliance & Advisory
- Class Actions & Mass Torts

## RELATED INSIGHTS

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Sep 05, 2025

### **BCLP successfully represents Nottingham Forest Football Club in FA case**

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Aug 04, 2025

### **The Football Governance Act – What You Need to Know**

The Football Governance Act was passed into law on 21 July 2025. This follows a long period of debate amongst legislators, regulators, clubs, fans and other market stakeholders about the future of English football, in particular in relation to financial sustainability, corporate governance and transparency. The Act reflects an admirable legislative attempt to give effect to those principles, but the extent to which they can operate together in practice remains to be seen. The dispute resolution mechanisms available under the Act also raise interesting questions about the limits of the Independent Football Regulator's powers, as well as the interplay between its decision-making functions and the courts' oversight of the public law and antitrust issues arising from the Act's new regulatory regime.

Awards

Jan 08, 2025

### **BCLP recognized in 'The Lawyer' Top 20 Cases of 2025**

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Jul 17, 2024

## **Corruption in Sport**

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## **When use of sports technology goes wrong - VAR and other technologies**

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Dec 19, 2023

## **Check Complete: Arteta decision confirms strong criticism might not be misconduct under FA Rules**

Earlier this month, a Regulatory Commission issued a significant decision limiting the scope of liability for misconduct under the FA Rules. In dismissing the FA's charge against Arsenal FC manager Mikel Arteta, the Regulatory Commission confirmed that subject to certain limits and in the right context, the rules of the game allow for criticism of decisions, even if expressed in strong terms. In this blog, we consider the implications of the ruling for the right to voice criticism within the bounds of the FA rules. *The Football Association v Mikel Arteta*