Beatrice Yahia



Call: 2023

Specialist in:

- Housing & Community Care
- Civil Law
- Family Law – Private
- Family Law – Public

Experience

Beatrice joined One Pump Court as a pupil in October 2025 and completed her pupillage with One Pump Court in October 2026.

Before starting pupillage, Beatrice worked as a legal fellow at JUSTICE, where she co-authored briefings and submissions advising parliament on the legal and human rights implications of draft legislation. She also worked as an Associate Editor for Just Security, the foreign policy and national security forum based at the New York University School of Law.

Prior to this, Beatrice spent several years at Citizens Advice where she advised and represented clients on all areas of social welfare law. Through this, she served as the Welsh regional lead at the Access to Justice Foundation, overseeing the development of pro-bono and public legal education services. She also gained experience at the Freedom Law Clinic, where she worked on a CCRC appeal concerning a Diplock court wrongful terrorism conviction, and she has volunteered with Advocate.

Beatrice is supervised in pupillage by Philip McLeish and Manjeet Kaler.

Education

Bar Training Course – Cardiff University (Very Competent), 2023

LLB (Hons) – University of South Wales (First Class), 2020

Memberships

Young Legal Aid Lawyers

Housing Law Practitioners Association

Administrative Law Bar Association

JUSTICE

Human Rights Lawyers Association

Awards

Benefactors Scholarship, Middle Temple

Blackstone Entrance Exhibition Award, Middle Temple

Cardiff University Bar Training Course Scholarship