

CURRICULUM VITAE

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QUALIFICATIONS:

Academic

LLB London University

Professional

Fellow of the Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors (Building & Quantity Surveying)

Fellow and Panel Member of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators

Fellow of the Association of Building Engineers

Other

Diploma in International Commercial Arbitration

Member of the London Court of International Arbitration

Member of the Arbitration Panel of The World Intellectual Property Organisation

Member of the Academy of Experts

Immediate Past-President of The Society of Professional Engineers

Member of L'Union Internationale des Ingénieurs Professionnels

Member of the Société Nationale des Ingénieurs Professionnels de France

Past Chairman of the RICS Yorkshire Branch Building Surveyors Division

Past Chairman of the NE Branch Committee of The Chartered Institute of Arbitrators

Intermediate Diploma of The Institute of Linguists

EXPERIENCE:

Junior Surveyor with R. Costain & Sons (Liverpool) Ltd.

Junior Quantity Surveyor with Langdon & Every, Chartered Quantity Surveyors, Liverpool.

1959-1963 Senior Quantity Surveyor with John Dansken & Purdie, Chartered Quantity Surveyors, Liverpool.

1963-1972 Senior Quantity Surveyor with Leeds City Architects Dept dealing with Capital Forecasts, Building Alterations, Fire Insurance.

1972-1975 Building Surveyor with Miall Rhys Davies & Partners, Architects and Town Planners Knaresborough, dealing with structural surveys and works to existing buildings.

1975-1989 Partner in Parratt Wilson Associates, Chartered Building Surveyors, Leeds, dealing with structural surveys, alterations and refurbishment of existing buildings, building disputes and also a member of the arbitration panel of the Association of British Travel Agents.

1989-1992 Consultant in Povall Worthington, Chartered Building Surveyors and Architects, Leeds, dealing with structural surveys, alterations to existing buildings and building disputes.

1992-Present Sole Principal of David Parratt Associates, Chartered Building Surveyors, Quantity Surveyors and Building Engineers providing professional advice on building problems, reports for litigation and arbitration, services as party-appointed expert witness, single joint expert and arbitrator. Expert inspections of property in France. Right-of-Light and Party Wall Consultant. Author of paper on "Rights of Light -Problems and Anomalies"

Approximately 600 appointments as Arbitrator and more recently, after training on Civil Procedure Rules, numerous appointments as Single Joint Expert. Past member of CI Arb ABTA and Mining subsidence panels. Visiting lecturer at Leeds Metropolitan University MSc course on Construction Law and Dispute Resolution. Lecturer to seminars and training courses on Arbitration Law. Author of leading article on Arbitration in the Construction Law Journal and author of articles in the journal of The Association of Professional Engineers. Author of a critique on the Construction Industry Model Arbitration Rules. Director of the Countrywide Holidays Association.