



The Bar Council

Third Six Vacancy

Chambers Information

Name of chambers	3PB Barristers (3 Paper Buildings)
Address of chambers	3PB Winchester or Bournemouth offices
Chambers email	stuart.pringle@3pb.co.uk
Chambers website address	www.3pb.co.uk

Vacancy Information

Number of third six pupillages	2 +
Level of guaranteed earnings	n/a
Closing date	No deadline
Pupillage start date	immediate

Description and how to apply

3PB Barristers (3 Paper Buildings) and our thriving Criminal Team are looking to expand our team and recruit two or more probationary tenant (3rd six pupil) barristers in Winchester and/or Bournemouth to start as soon as possible with a view to being kept on permanently as a member of chambers.

This is due to the increasing volumes of work for our criminal barristers on the Western Circuit.

Successful applicants will be joining an established, successful team. We will expect you to build an excellent practice as 3PB have an abundance of high-quality work for counsel which will enable you to develop your skills as an advocate, build a large client base and help you achieve your aspirations at the bar and in the wider legal world.

Successful applicants must be able to demonstrate they have developed their professional skills during their initial period of pupillage. They will have excellent advocacy skills, strong analytical skills and great cross-examination ability. They will be able to demonstrate a real commitment to criminal law and will benefit from pro-active support and be allocated a member of chambers as a mentor (akin to a supervisor) and work alongside a more junior barrister who will fulfil a similar, but more informal, role.

You will be supported by an excellent and dedicated clerking team, as well as all members of chambers.

Probationary tenancies (3rd six pupillages) are unfunded, and the successful candidate will be expected to generate their own income from our caseload. The probationary period will last for up to 6 months, with an option after 4-months to assess progress. Successful applicants can expect to be busy and in court regularly. Supported by efficient and professional staff, this is a great opportunity to further develop your career within 3PB's friendly, collegiate environment.

Chambers is committed to providing our clients with high quality, specialist legal services through barristers with the highest reputation for advocacy, knowledge and professional standards and we are looking for candidates who will uphold these core values. We would expect to want to take up references from earlier pupillages.

Applications should be made by covering letter with the reference "3rd Six Criminal Team Application" and sent to [Tom Horder](#), the head of our criminal law team by emailing him on tom.horder@3pb.co.uk.

You should include your CV with full details of the work you have undertaken during your pupillage to date and the details of two referees – one of these should preferably be a previous Pupil Supervisor. Should we decide to pursue your application, we may well write to your referees to obtain references but would not do so without notifying you and discussing this first.

All applications will be treated in the strictest confidence.

For further details and/or to discuss matters confidentially, please contact 3PB's Crime team senior clerk, [Stuart Pringle](#) on stuart.pringle@3pb.co.uk. Click for more information about [chambers](#) including our [Pupillage Policy](#) and to read more about our very [successful crime team](#) and its work on the Western Circuit.

Chambers operates an Equal Opportunities policy and adheres to the Equality and Diversity Code for the Bar.

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