

CURRICULUM VITAE

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BIOGRAPHY

After graduating in Law, David joined the Chartered Loss Adjuster Thomas Howell Group to manage the investigation and handling of a portfolio of claims against Chartered Surveyors, Valuers, Auctioneers & Estate Agents. This led to a much wider range of Professional Indemnity matters embracing all the traditional professions, such as Engineers, Architects, Insurance Brokers, etc., and at the time the innovative and emerging Design & Build market. During his training David qualified as Associate of the Chartered Institute of Insurers, and Fellow of the Chartered Institute of Loss Adjusters.

By the early 1990s David was heading Thomas Howell's Casualty & Construction Division, and in 1997, when Crawford & Co acquired the Thomas Howell Group, he was appointed Managing Director of UK Liability Services.

In 2001, after 20+ years of adjusting, David made the move to Insurer and joined the specialist casualty QBE Syndicate 386 at Lloyd's, as Head of Professional Indemnity Claims for the Syndicate and QBE European Operations.

15 years later it was time to go back to his roots and David accepted the role of consultant to Adjustability Consulting Ltd where he brings added depth & breadth of claims experience to the firm, and particular insight into the problems insurers face in the management of PI claims.

In 35+ years of investigating and managing claims, David has been involved at all levels in many catastrophic and high-profile losses. In the construction sector his experience ranges from attending site of the 1994 Ramsgate Ferry Terminal disaster with the Swedish designers, to managing one of the largest constructions claims (£250m+) brought in the Technology & Construction Court regarding the new Wembley Stadium.

Other claims include the mismanagement of State Earnings Related Pension Scheme (SERPS) by a major life insurer in the 1980s, to more recent multi-million-pound litigation between UK Banks and world leading law firms arising from the 2008 global financial crisis.