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## Career History

- 1993-Present    **CEO of JTW Reinsurance Consultants**  
London-based insurance and reinsurance consultancy
- Heading up a team of experienced consultants and support staff specialising in the professional resolution of problems and disputes in the insurance and reinsurance sector. Industry leader in inspections of records work, litigation/arbitration support and dispute resolution strategies. Expertise in managing complex litigation, due diligence audits, commutation strategies and run-off management.
- 1992-1993    **Rodney-Smith & Partners (US) Inc.**  
New York-based reinsurance consultancy
- President of this US subsidiary, particular responsibilities included setting up the company, developing a marketing strategy tailored to the US market, conducting contractual inspections of records within the USA and Bermuda.
- 1984-1992    **Rodney-Smith & Partners Ltd**  
London-based reinsurance consultancy
- Director responsible for undertaking due diligence, contractual and litigation support inspections. Also responsible for reinsurance collection programmes and the development of an outsourced claims management project.
- 1983-1984    **Benfield, Lovick & Rees**  
London Market reinsurance broker
- Reinsurance technician responsible for specific marine non-proportional facultative and treaty accounts.
- 1982-1983    **Sphere Drake (Underwriting Management) Ltd**  
London Market Reinsurance Company
- Reinsurance technician responsible for specific non-marine proportional facultative and treaty accounts.

## Professional Qualifications & Accreditations

Fellow of the Chartered Insurance Institute (FCII)  
Associate of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (ACI Arb)  
Accredited as a Member of the Academy of Experts (MAE)  
Accredited as an Expert Witness by the Law Society  
Member of the British Insurance Law Association

## Speaking engagements at conferences and universities

Include London, New York, Chicago, Cologne, Paris, Barcelona, Madison and Zurich.  
In-house presentations include Swiss Re, The Hartford, Travelers, KWELM, Willis, KPMG, PwC, Equitas and Lloyd's of London.

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## Examples of assignments

2006	On behalf of two major European reinsurers, formal assessments of the adequacy of their reserves on certain major UK and US books of business
2003-2005	Coordination of audit support on claims and accounting reporting matters arising out of a series of arbitration support exercises involving personal accident spiral business.
2004	Advisory role in the overhaul of accounting and claims procedures for a major European reinsurer.
2004	Devil's advocate review of the claims management function of a major London Market run-off operation.
2001-2003	Internal audit advisory role for an international reinsurer specialising in Medical and PA business.
2002-2003	Expert witness roles on behalf of a US reinsurer heavily involved in the PA / occupational accident/ workers compensation market scandal.
2003	Inspection on behalf of an international reinsurer of a marine insurance and reinsurance account written by a London Market company.
2001-2002	Inspection review of an Australian reinsurer's participation in a Lloyd's Syndicate's marine & aviation quota share & XL programmes.
2001-2002	Ongoing arbitration concerning the adequacy of a London Market agencies' claims and accounting records and the state of knowledge between various parties involved.
1999-2000	"Due Diligence" review of newly-introduced claims adjusting and reinsurance collection procedures for the world's largest run-off company.
1998-1999	"Due Diligence" review of the technical and financial operations of a London Market underwriting agency prior to potential takeover.
1997	Review of the adequacy of the present claims and accounting procedures of an underwriting agency and recommendations as to procedural reforms.
1996-1997	Litigation concerning the adequacy of a London Market company's claims and accounting records as proof to support its reinsurance recoveries.
1995-1996	Potential litigation concerning programme structure and underwriting issues arising out of a London Market underwriting agency.
1994	Arbitration concerning the adequacy of a London Market company's books and records and historical claims procedures.
1992	Arbitration involving the adequacy of a Bermuda company's books and records and administrative procedures.
1991-1992	Potential litigation by Lloyd's Names involving the operation of a Lloyd's syndicate's " LMX " account.
1990	Litigation requiring the forensic reconstruction of accounts and the consequent state of knowledge of two London Market companies.
1989	Compensation negotiations between European reinsurers and their former UK-based managing agents hinging upon the parameters of underwriting authority.
1988	Litigation involving the statistical bases for renewal representations made by a Lloyd's syndicate to its reinsurers.
1987-1992	Litigation concerning the duty of care of a broker in administering a contractors' all risks binding authority.