

## PR update report



Monthly report: May 2022

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### **Summary:**

A variety of stories achieved press coverage this month, Jack Ridgway was the subject of a careers profile in *New Law Journal*. Further coverage was achieved following ACL's response to the government's clinical negligence costs plans and Jack's comments on a Court of Appeal ruling to strike out a bill of costs were picked up by the [Law Society Gazette](#) and [Solicitors Journal](#).

Elsewhere, LinkedIn activity continued with 66 new followers added this month. ACL's LinkedIn account now has 404 followers.

### **Coverage achieved:**

*New Law Journal*: [NLJ CAREER PROFILE: Jack Ridgway, Association of Costs Lawyers | New Law Journal | The leading weekly legal magazine](#) (3/5)

*Legal Futures*: [Charities and patient groups urge rethink on negligence costs plans - Legal Futures](#) (6/5)

*Law Society Gazette*: [Costs bill struck out after it failed to give fee earner details | News | Law Gazette](#) (11/5)

*Solicitors Journal*: [Solicitors Journal - Court of Appeal decision specifies what information is required in bills of costs](#) (12/5)

### **Additional activity:**

- 10/5: Drafted Manchester conference presentation synopsis and sent biogs to admin team.
- 11/5: Drafted comment on Court of Appeal ruling in AKC v Barking and distributed to media.
- 13/5: Interviewed arranged with Sarah Hutchinson on 14/6 for June article in *Costs Lawyer*.

### **Planned activity for June:**

- DVB's article to appear in *Thomson Reuters*.
- Submit articles for *New Law Journal*, *Thomson Reuters*, and *Association of District Judges Bulletin*.
- Devise questionnaire for Manchester conference.