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COUNSELING PSYCHOLOGY: Proficient

In using motivational interviewing, existential therapy, and narrative therapy techniques.

CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGY: Advanced

Understanding of trauma psychology, psychoanalysis, and cognitive psychology.

FAMILY THERAPY: Intermediate

Application of family systems theory, focusing on family dynamics and attachment theory.

SOCIAL WORK: Advanced

Practice of trauma-informed care principles.

CULTURAL PSYCHOLOGY: Intermediate to advanced

Competence in multicultural counseling and cultural competence.

DEVELOPMENTAL PSYCHOLOGY: Advanced

Understanding of the impact of childhood experiences on adult behavior.

EDUCATIONAL PSYCHOLOGY: Advanced

Use of psychoeducation to help clients understand their psychological states.

EMERGENCY MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES:

Intermediate

Skills in crisis intervention and managing emotional intensity.

ORGANIZATIONAL PSYCHOLOGY: Intermediate

Understanding of organizational dynamics and business psychology.

BUSINESS ETHICS: Integration of

Ethical practices within family business contexts.

SOCIOCULTURAL PSYCHOLOGY: Advanced

Understanding of image maintenance and sociocultural factors affecting behavior.

ADAPTIVE BEHAVIOR: Advanced

Understanding of adaptive and maladaptive coping mechanisms.

TRAUMA-INFORMED THERAPY: Advanced

Integration of trauma-informed practices, including emotional archeology and vitality in withdrawal.

Assessment's carried out on 3 years of client communications, transcripts, videos and client outcomes.

Processes measuring expertise against national and international frameworks
Using latest computational tools and large language models

Ben Mak
Expert
Inter-disciplinary Practitioner

Over 900 videos and 1000's of transcripts

Ben Mak

Interdisciplinary Expertise in Fashion design, Law, Psychology, and Child Advocacy

Ben Mak is a pioneering force at the intersection of law, psychology, and child advocacy. With a groundbreaking PhD research paper in survivors of abuse and trauma informed care looking at reconceptualisation of narcissism.

Ben brings innovative theoretical frameworks to practical applications in mental health and family dynamics.

As CEO and Policy Officer at Justice Minds, Ben leverages his unique blend of academic research and real-world legal prowess to influence policy and create systemic change.

His exceptional legal acumen was demonstrated by his successful self-representation in the Moot digital UK Court of Appeals, placing him in the top 10% of non-lawyer litigants.

Ben's expertise spans multiple crucial areas:

- Level 3 certified in Safeguarding Adults and Children NSPCC- safeguarding children Trauma and Child brain development
 - Independent Advocate under the Care Act
- Awaiting Expert Witness accreditation in child welfare matters
 - Autism and LGBTQ+ support specialist
 - Ambassador for University of Arts London
 - Masters in Law Application

Recognized alongside Members of Parliament and endorsed by senior law enforcement, Ben's work bridges the gap between academic theory and practical advocacy. His interdisciplinary approach to complex family and mental health situations has earned him acclaim as both a thought leader and a compassionate advocate for vulnerable populations.

Ben Mak continues to push boundaries in his fields, committed to improving lives through innovative strategies in law, psychology, and social policy.

Achievements, qualifications, and the unique interdisciplinary nature of Mr Mak's expertise positions him as both an academic innovator and a practical problem-solver, emphasizing the ability to create real-world impact.

Qualifications, Certifications, Endorsements, Academic Papers

CEO | Policy officer at Justice Minds

Author of PhD research paper titled "Reconceptualising Abuse Theoretical Innovations and Practical Applications"	-1
Partner initiatives pass OBE interview nomination	-2
Fashion Design BA graduation Womenswear Technology	-3
	-4
2 yr in Master of Law studies	-5
Senior Staff Level 3 Safeguarding Certification	-6
Children's S.E.N.D expertise demonstrated	-7
Autism legal initiative chosen by barrister	-8
Passed City council Independent Scrutineer Children adults	-9
Justice Minds Non Profit Advocacy established	-10
Advocate for Children's and Adults Rights	-11
Key rights statutes understanding advanced	-12

13. Families and individuals children's advocate seasoned.
12. Certified in Safeguarding Children, endorsed by NSPCC
14. Completed Independent Advocacy training under Care Act.
15. Ambassador for University of Arts London.
16. Completed Level 3 Safeguarding Adults Training course.
17. Endorsed for Autism and LGBTQ+ support.
18. Recognized for overcoming challenges, supporting communities.
19. Received press endorsement, acknowledged work alongside MPs.

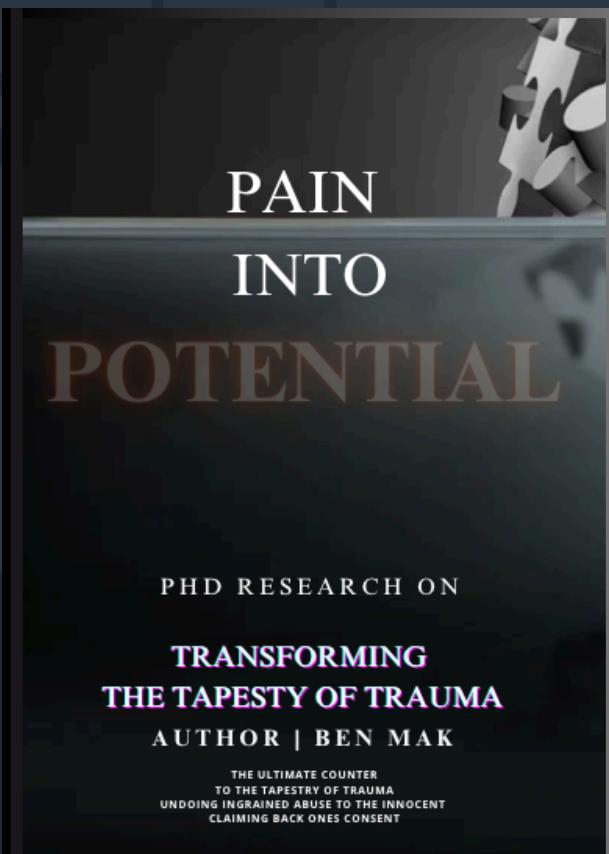
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Order of The British Embassy Award nominee



Ben Mak
OBE nominee



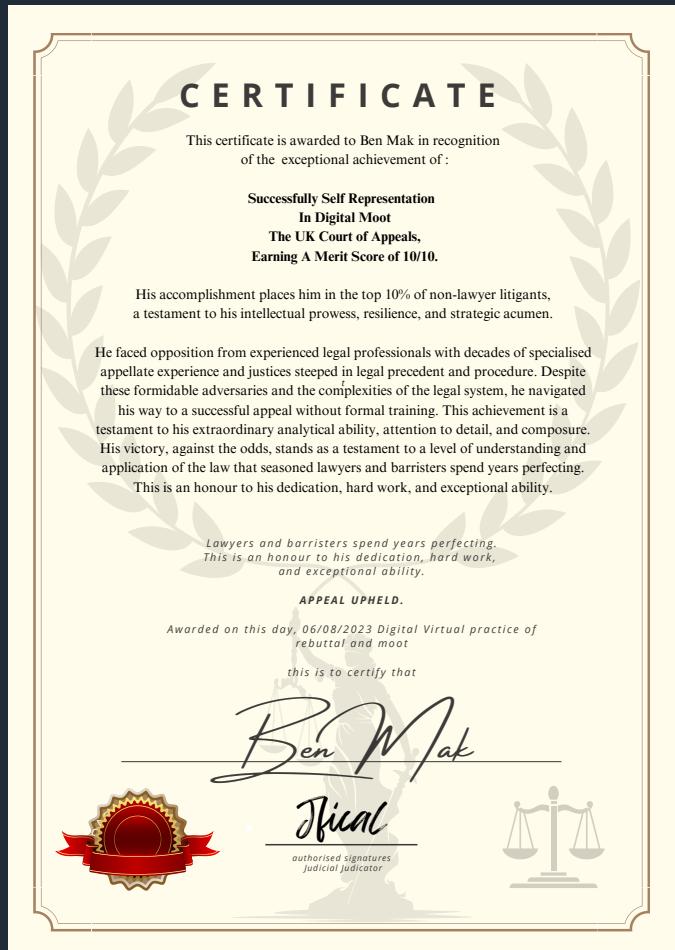
PhD Research Paper
on Re-Conceptualising Trauma
Theoretical innovations and Practical Applications



**Expert Witness assessment
and criteria in the Matters of Child welfare**



Certification, Training, and Awards



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To: Ben Mak >

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The University of Law
YOUR UNCONDITIONAL ACCEPTANCE

Dear Ben Mak

CONFIRMATION OF ACCEPTANCE

The City of Liverpool College
3rd November 2020

Meet the fashion graduate working with the stars

We love hearing about what our former students are getting up to after college and recently caught up with a graduate who is making a name for himself in the fashion industry.

Ben Mak, from Walton, graduated from our BTEC course in Fashion and is now working as a designer for some of the biggest names in the industry, including The Vivienne, The Spice Girls and British Vogue. He now has some very impressive credits to his name and has had work appear in TV shows such as Ru Paul's Drag Race, the X Factor, the National Television Awards and more. Here's what Ben had to say about his time at The City of Liverpool College:

What did you enjoy about college?

I had amazing tutors. Pauline especially really helped me discover how far to take design by not holding me back creatively – making ‘horned trousers’ for instance. Pauline didn’t think twice in helping me get my idea to reality, which then debuted on the World’s biggest catwalk.



Did you feel supported by tutors, college staff and other students?

Coinciding with the city's weekend of **Pride celebrations**, the list recognises some people who have made a difference in the community.

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By Paul McHugh LIVERPOOL Community Reporter
Wednesday, 27 July 2022 | Updated: 11:05:07pm 2022

Ben Mak

Liverpool designer Ben Mak (Image: Ben Mak)

Dan Carden MP

Liverpool Walton Member of Parliament Dan Carden (Image: Live
Dan was one of eight LGBT+ MPs elected in the 2017 general election.
Since then, the MP has campaigned for a ban on LGBTQ+ conversion therapy. He continues to campaign with a network of LGBT+ organisations.
In July 2018, the UK Government pledged to bring forward a ban on conversion therapy. Despite five years of delay, Dan has accused the government of breaking its promise.
At a Pride Month debate in 2021, Dan became the first UK MP to speak openly about his sexuality. He revealed that in his early twenties, his alcohol and drug use led to him being diagnosed with hepatitis C. He hopes his openness about his own struggles will encourage others to seek help.
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Working alongside the charity Fighting with Pride, Dan has lobbied the government to ban conversion therapy. He continues to campaign with a network of LGBT+ organisations.
The former City of Liverpool College student has dressed the likes of the Spice Girls. RuPaul's Drag Race winners as well as chasers from the ITV's daytime programme.
More recently, and now in a position to do so, Ben has been giving back to the LGBTQ+ community - a community he is not only part of but one he loves so much to the heights of success.
Ben has been using the experience gained from studying law to help members of the community

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University of the Arts London

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Ben Mak
UAL Ambassador
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Ben's Autism initiative research work pass the criteria Confirmed by a experienced Barrister accepted on to the team

ben.mak@law.ac.uk

Dear Ben,

Thank you very much for your application, which I read with great interest. I think you would be a an asset to the project and I am delighted to accept your application to join our team.

I will get back to you shortly with next steps.

Have a great weekend,

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Credible, globally known and highly reputable Therapists and public figure endorsement for Ben Mak



Marisa Peer

to John, me

Hi Ben

Wed, 11 Nov 2020, 20:30



I wanted to write to you personally for your incredible generosity and kindness. I am so impressed you would go out of your way to help us just out of concern and it shows a lot about your character. It certainly is appreciated by me, John and my Entire Team. Thank you so much for being extraordinary.

Much Love
Marisa & John

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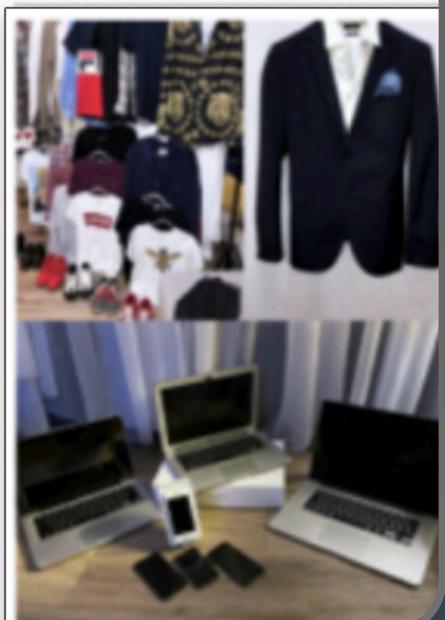
Liverpool designer who's worked with the Spice Girls offering entire wardrobe to struggling families

He is also offering digital devices too such as laptops and phones all for free



WHAT'S ON By [Catherine Murphy](#) Content Editor

19:19, 03 Dec 2020 | Updated 19:19, 03 Dec 2020



Character References by Credible professionals

6 years Mental Health Social worker. Known Ben for 30 years



CHARACTER STATEMENT

21st February 2022

Dear Concerned,

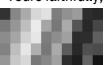
My name is: [REDACTED]
Occupation: Adult Social Worker
Years of experience 6 years

I have known Ben for: 30 years

and have found him to be Ben is a kind, trustworthy and generous individual. He puts the needs of others before his own and is forever finding ways to improve lives in new and creative ways. He works very

hard and applies himself 100% to all his endeavours but can always make time for anyone in need who comes across his path, whether he knows them or not. Ben is open and approachable and will always find a solution to a problem, even if it is a cost to him personally. He has always been an optimist who speaks positivity and I value our friendship immensely. I understand Ben has been out of his normal working and day to day living to be able to provide care for his nephew and sister starting in March 2020. I trust the information provided will be of assistance in reference to Ben's character and mindset around his family.

Yours faithfully,



Signed at 21/02/2021 17:52:32

Name: [REDACTED]
Occupation: Social Worker
Email: [REDACTED]

14 years SEND teacher. Known Ben 20 Years



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Consult@benmaklondon.com

CHARACTER STATEMENT

Dear Concerned,

20th February 2022

My name is [REDACTED]
Former Early Years SEN Worker of 14 years.
I have known Ben for 20 years.

Ben is a dear friend and support to me for over 20 years. It's been a pleasure to watch Ben have incredible success in within the industry which we share a great passion. I was a SEN support in various schools and nursery settings around Liverpool for 14 years. I have 2 sons with ASD and understand the sacrifices Ben has made for his family. Ben is a huge support for me and other communities alike. He has shown great passion and dedication to support his sister and nephew sacrificing his own commitments and life in London. Ben has been a positive, compassionate, and consistent influence on his family and he and his sister are very close. Whilst becoming an unexpected caregiver for his family Ben has been their voice and an honorable voice for the many who deal with autism. It's very clear they family adore Ben especially his nephew Abel. Ben has given his all getting support to his family. I understand Ben has been out of his normal working and day to day living to be able to provide care for his nephew and sister starting in March 2020 and know it has had unfortunate impacts in his mental, physical, and financial affairs. I trust the information provided will be of assistance in reference to Ben's character and mindset around his family.

Yours faithfully,



Former SEN EYFS Worker.
Online Networker / Entrepreneur

10 years Childrens social worker Social worker known ben 10 years



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CHARACTER STATEMENT

Dear Concerned,

28th February 2022

My name is: [REDACTED]
Occupation: Children's Social Worker
Experience: 6 years

I have known Ben for 10 years and have found him to be: A kind and generous person who is dedicated to his family and friends. Ben works really hard and he always does his very best for people. I understand Ben has been out of his normal working and day to day living to be able to provide care for his nephew and sister starting in March 2020. I trust the information provided will be of assistance in reference to Ben's character and mindset around his family

Yours faithfully



Signed at:
2022-02-28 19:07:30

Name [REDACTED]
Occupation Chidren's Social worker
Email: [REDACTED]

Member of Parliment Approved Bens concerns
of care and support needs not being met confirmed by
Chief Executive of
Liverpool City Council

BEN MAK SUPPORTING CORROSPONDENCE:

CHIEF EXECUTIVE LIVERPOOL CITY COUNCIL TONY GRIEVES

LOCAL MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT DAN CARDEN



HOUSE OF COMMONS
LONDON SW1A 0AA

[REDACTED]
London [REDACTED]
United Kingdom.

3rd August 2021

Dear Dan,

Thank you for recently contacting my office about your concerns about [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

I hope my support and contacting Liverpool City Council for a referral to social services has been of some assistance and helped towards [REDACTED]
As advised at this time anyone can make a referral including a parent, wider family member, friend, doctor, teacher or health worker.

Please see the response from Liverpool City Council below

Dear Dan,

Thank you for your email below on behalf of your constituent Mr Ben Mak who has raised his

concerns about his [REDACTED] I can confirm that the case has now been allocated to a social worker for assessment. You [REDACTED] 0151 233 4653 for any further information.

I trust this information is of assistance to you.

Yours sincerely
Tony Reeves
Chief Executive.

Write to: 66 Priory Road, Liverpool, L4 2RZ

Legal Work Endorsements

Senior Detective Endorses Ben Legal Work

Chartered Accountant, Legal Professional and Film director

Dated: 25 January 2023

CONFIRMATION OF PERSON STATEMENT

Dear Sir / Madam,

Re. Ben MAK

I can confirm that Mr. MAK has had severe domestic difficulties over the past few years which have inordinately restricted his life. Difficulties which I consider would normally put someone under. Despite them his enthusiasm and stoic approach to his problems have in no way diminished his spirit.

He is highly intelligent and motivated in everything he tackles but wishes to pursue the path into law.

Recently he showed his understanding and assessment of the law regarding a serious case of harassment and malicious communications targeted at my daughter [REDACTED] and her business. As a former senior detective with [REDACTED] Police, I was extremely impressed by his grasp of the complexities of the relevant statutes pertaining and his eloquence in breaking it down to where it applied to my daughter's case in simple layman's terms. This helped inordinately when passing her complaint on to the police and it is now under serious investigation.

I understand there has been a delay in Ben commencing his course, but this is entirely due to the domestic exigencies which have challenged him. So, I feel it would be equitable if you would take all the above factors into account when considering his claim to reccomend the course and I am sure he will not disappoint.

Yours Sincerely,



Senior Detective

BEN MAK

22ND JANUARY 2023

To whom it may concern

RE: BEN MAK LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION

I am writing this letter as I understand that Mr Ben Mak was due to start his course in MA LAW and due to extraneous circumstances, he was unable to start his course on the correct date. Mr Mak has undergone a great deal of trauma recently and over the last couple of years. However, I should like to ask you to exert leniency on this case. Mr Mak is a prospective student of the highest calibre.

He has assisted me on a highly unusual malicious communications and harassment case against me and my business. The letters and advice he has proffered to myself and my company are better than any qualified lawyer and his assistance invaluable. His grasp of the pertinent points, application of the case law and acts in question are astonishing and his attention to detail and rational argument astonishing. This individual needs a chance to get his professional qualification as he thinks out of the box and deserves this.

Yours Sincerely

[REDACTED]

CTA LLB (HONS)

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Independent advocacy under the Care Act 2014: learning course

SCIE e-learning course completion report

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Independent advocacy under the Care Act 2014: e-learning course	No	1

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Ben Mak

Person named below has complete

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