

## Corporate Solicitor (0-1 year PQE)

### The role

We'd be very interested in talking to individuals who have recently qualified as a solicitor or who are due to qualify in 2019, to work in our award-winning corporate team.

All candidates should have experience in one or more of the following areas:

- working with SMEs, owner managed businesses and large corporates;
- mergers and acquisitions;
- shareholder agreements;
- listed company transactions and IPOs;
- PE/venture capital transactions

The right person will be welcomed into our team, that deals daily with a range of corporate finance transactions and a spread of work ranging from working with early stage businesses and start up arrangements through to major fundraising, IPO and merger and acquisition work.

So who are we looking for? We want someone who has an interest in this area of law based on experience of dealing with corporate finance transactions, a proactive, self starter, with a strong technical ability, a committed and strong work ethic, exceptional client service, a problem solver and a strong and capable team player. We've also set our sights on an individual with excellent people, communication and client management skills, an interest in business development and good commercial awareness.

### Our Team

We think our Corporate team is a special place to work. You'd be part of a team that is ranked number 1 in the region by both Chambers & Partners and Legal 500 legal directories. We have also been named Corporate Law Firm of the Year by North East Insider Dealmakers Awards 8 times in the last 12 years so you'd also be working with award winning lawyers who are recognised as leaders in their field.

The Corporate team is a key part of the wider Muckle LLP team, which is over 150 people strong. We all work together in one open plan office so there are no closed doors, just close working relationships.

We care deeply about our local community too, and create lots of opportunities for employees to give back and make a difference. For example, you could use your two days' paid volunteering leave to support a local cause you care about, or nominate them to receive a grant from our charitable fund at the Community Foundation.

From workplace running, cycling and walking clubs to fun events organised by our BEAM (Being Engaged At Muckle) team, we've created a unique culture which has been recognised by a number of awards:

- Investors In People Gold award accreditation
- Investors In People Health and Wellbeing accreditation
- North East Better Health at Work Silver award
- Journal North East Best Place to Work (Medium Sized Company) award

So how does all that sound? If you're looking to work in a friendly, open environment and want to develop your career in a forward thinking, commercial North East law firm, then this is an excellent opportunity.

To apply, please email your CV together with an introductory letter outlining your salary expectations to [recruitment@muckle-llp.com](mailto:recruitment@muckle-llp.com).

Best of luck!