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Areas of expertise

BVI Law in Europe and Asia



Family Office



Legal



Private Wealth



Private Wealth and ESG



Regulatory



Sustainable Investing and ESG



Trusts Advisory Group



Channel Islands Local Legal Services

Estate Planning, Wills and Probate

Background and experience

Josephine works closely with her Dispute Resolution colleagues in connection with trustee representations to court and her Investment Fund colleagues in relation to Jersey's private fund regime.

Josephine has been recognised in Chambers HNW, Chambers UK, Legal 500 UK, Legal Week Private Client Global Elite and by Citywealth as a Future Leader.

Clients say that Josephine "has a huge amount of Jersey trust experience and is able to provide

first-rate trust advice (technical, trustee advisory, and associated areas) in a very short timescale" and a "go-to name for establishing family offices".

Josephine is an Advocate of the Royal Court of Jersey, a BVI Solicitor and a Scottish Solicitor; a member of The Society of Trust and Estate Practitioners (STEP); and a member of the Jersey Finance working party on Family Offices in Jersey.

Josephine contributes to various publications including Trust & Trustees, STEP Journal, Offshore Investment, Jersey Finance and e-private client and regularly presents to local trust companies. She is peer reviewer for 'Trust & Trustees: Foundations special edition'; co-author of the Jersey chapter of 'European Cross Border Estate Planning'; co-author of the Jersey chapter of 'Planning & Administration of Offshore & Onshore Trusts'; and a contributor to the Jersey chapter of International Succession Laws. Josephine has also spent time on secondment as in-house legal counsel to a local trust company.

Admitted in:

2021 - British Virgin Islands

2009 - Jersey

2005 - Scotland (not practising)

Examples of work

[View more examples of work](#)

28 June 2010

Multiple Legal teams at Ogier advise Waitrose on entry... into Channel Islands

Chris Renouf

Team: Jonathan Hughes, Catherine Moore, James Campbell, Josephine Howe, Matt Guthrie

📍 Guernsey, Jersey

Deal

3 March 2009

Ogier advises on the establishment of Index Ventures' fift...

fund

Josephine Howe

Deal

News and insights

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5 May 2023

Private Trust Companies, Single Family Offices and Governance Entities – changes to Jersey's AML framework and what that means in practice

James Campbell

Team: Emily Haithwaite, Josephine Howe, Matthew Shaxson, George Yates

📍 Jersey

Insight

6 February 2023

Jersey and Guernsey to delay public access to beneficial ownership records following ruling by the Court of Justice of the European Union

Natalia Fortuna

Team: James Campbell, Matt Guthrie, Josephine Howe, Catherine Moore

📍 Guernsey, Jersey

Insight



20 December 2022

Strong showing for Ogier's top-tier Trusts Advisory Group in Private Client Global Elite

News

16 December 2022

Conversations with the Next Gen: areas of development and consideration advisers are talking about

Catherine Moore

Team: Anthony Partridge, Katherine Neal, Matt Guthrie, James Campbell, Gavin Ferguson, Josephine Howe, and 1 more

📍 British Virgin Islands, Cayman Islands, Guernsey, Hong Kong, Jersey

Insight

18 October 2022

The doctrine of mistake and the rule in Hastings-Bass: statutory remedies in Jersey law

Josephine Howe

Team: Edward Mackereth, Nick Williams

📍 Jersey

Insight

30 September 2022

Top tier Ogier in Jersey leader in its field in Legal 500

Katrina Edge

Team: Bruce MacNeil, James Lydeard, Kate McCaffrey, Raulin Amy, Alexander Curry, Jonathan Hughes, and 29 more

📍 Jersey

News

26 September 2022

Trusts (Amendment No.7) (Jersey) Law 2018 now in force

James Campbell

Team: Katherine Neal, Josephine Howe

📍 Jersey

Insight

14 September 2022

Uses of the Jersey Foundation

James Campbell

Team: Josephine Howe

📍 Jersey, Guernsey, Hong Kong

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1 September 2022

Charitable and philanthropic structures in Jersey

Josephine Howe

📍 Jersey

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Recognition

"Next Generation Partner"

Legal 500 UK, 2023

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"Exceptional lawyer"

Legal 500 UK, 2023

"Short notice attention, and commercial pricing, she never fails to deliver on both"

Chambers High Net Worth Guide, 2022

"Cool, calm and collected, and good with clients"

Chambers High Net Worth Guide, 2022

"A very safe pair of hands for complicated and urgent trust and private client advice. An exceptionally dedicated and experienced trust lawyer"

Legal 500 UK, 2021

"They are always reachable, always revert back, arrange for any issues to be discussed, always available for a call to discuss and run through any larger transactions and draft documentation requirements"

Legal 500 UK, 2022

"Next Generation Partner"

Legal 500 UK, 2022

"Really good and capable trusts practitioner"

Chambers High Net Worth Guide, 2021

"Has a huge amount of Jersey trust experience and is able to provide first-rate trust advice (technical, trustee advisory, and associated areas) in a very short timescale"

Legal 500 UK, 2021

"One to watch"

Legal Week Private Client Global Elite 'Ones to Watch' Directory, 2021