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Areas of expertise

BVI Law in Europe and Asia



Dispute Resolution



Fraud and Asset Tracing



Legal



Restructuring and Corporate Recovery



Shareholder and Valuation Disputes



Banking Disputes

Corporate and Financial Services Disputes

Enforcement of Judgments and Awards

Funds Disputes

International Arbitration

Trusts Advisory Group

Background and experience

Since moving to the BVI in 2014, David has been involved in some of the largest and most complex matters before the BVI Courts. He has particular experience of interim remedies including asset freezing, disclosure and receivership orders, especially in the context of multi-jurisdictional disputes.

David joined Ogier in June 2020 from another offshore firm's Dispute Resolution and Insolvency team. Previously, David practised at the Commercial Chancery Bar in London, he remains a door tenant at Selborne Chambers. Before coming to the law he worked as a corporate finance analyst at Perella Weinberg Partners in London. He studied Politics, Philosophy and Economics at Pembroke College Oxford, where he took a first.

David has been featured in Legal 500 and Chambers and Partners.

Admitted in:

2010 - England and Wales (non practising)

2014 - British Virgin Islands

Education:

Oxford University, MA (Hons), PPE, First, 2007

City University, GDL, 2009

BPP Law School, BVC, 2010

Examples of work

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1 December 2020

Snapshot Privy Council upholds BVI Commercial Court... on appropriate forum

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Team: Brian Lacy, Oliver Payne

British Virgin Islands

Case

News and insights

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11 November 2022

Ogier in BVI praised as "the go-to firm" in Legal 500 2023

Ray Wearmouth

Team: Brian Lacy, Michael Killourhy, Nicholas Burkill, Nicholas Brookes, Grant Carroll, David Welford, and 6 more

British Virgin Islands

News

10 October 2022

BTI v Sequana: directors must continue to be aware of creditors'

interests on the road to insolvency

Jeremy Snead

Team: Victoria King, James Angus, Marc Kish, Brian Lacy, Gemma Lardner, Mathew Newman, and 3 more

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

Insight

24 May 2022

Reflections from the Wilberforce Chambers Commercial Conference 2022

Alex Horsbrugh-Porter

Team: Mathew Newman, Margeaux Newman, Gareth Parr, Charlie Dessain, Charlotte Finley, David Welford, and 2 more

📍 Jersey, British Virgin Islands, Cayman Islands, Guernsey

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11 November 2021

Ogier "the Rolls Royce firm in the BVI" in Legal 500 Caribbean Guide 2022

Nicholas Brookes

Team: Nicholas Burkill, Grant Carroll, Michael Killourhy, Brian Lacy, Simon Schilder, Ray Wearmouth, and 6 more

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News

29 June 2021

Valuations can play a key role in contentious cases

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Insight

4 June 2021

BVI Commercial Court provides guidance on the new statutory jurisdiction (Russian)

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Team: Sarah Latham

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13 May 2021

BVI Commercial Court provides guidance on the new statutory jurisdiction

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31 March 2021

Ogier's BVI Dispute Resolution team named Litigation Practice of the Year

Brian Lacy
Team: Nicholas Burkill, Nicholas Brookes, Grant Carroll, Justin Davis, David Welford, Alexander Muksinov, and 6 more

📍 British Virgin Islands

News

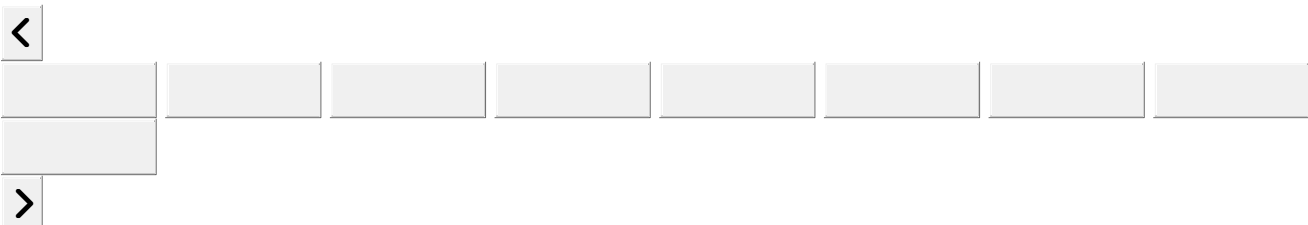
29 January 2021

Snapshot: Privy Council upholds BVI Commercial Court on appropriate forum (Russian)

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Team: Brian Lacy

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Recognition

"Recommended"

Who's Who Legal, Asset Recovery, 2022

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"Team of the Year – Litigation"

Citywealth IFC Awards 2022