Sustainable Investment Consulting

Foundations and Family Offices

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About Sustainable Investment Consulting Services Charting your foundation and family office impact report

Our people and planet face serious challenges from natural disasters, rising inequality and the growing climate crisis. No corner of our planet is immune from the consequences. We are far from powerless in the face of these global threats. This is a race we can win, and fortunately there is a growing movement to align our financial system with sustainable development.

Private capital plays an increasingly important role in supporting this transition and engaged philanthropists, foundations and investors are stepping up to the plate to create solutions.

Never have so many opportunities to make a real difference been available. Or such effective tools - including impact investing. Today, more and more individuals are looking to align their personal values into the way they give and invest.

Ogier Global's Sustainable Investment Consulting team works to support foundations, family offices and charities seeking to leverage their impact capital for good and to make a positive impact.

We do this by helping our clients reimagine how to generate impact from their endowments by providing impact management, measurement and conducting impact due diligence services.

Quite simply, we help philanthropists and impact investors deploy capital mindfully and harness the potential of innovative financing solutions to elevate impact.

Our Services

Foundations

Foundations can achieve and deliver environmental and social outcomes through several means, including traditional grant-making, program-related investments (**PRIs**) and mission-related investments (**MRIs**). These strategies form the basis of a foundations impact investing toolkit.

Foundations have played a critical role in developing and pioneering this move towards a holistic impact approach.

Whether you are looking to optimise your foundations grant strategy, or seeking to leverage PRI and MRI to achieve impact, we can help. We can support you to develop your impact strategy, develop your foundations theory of change and impact philosophy, conduct impact diligence and screening of grantees and investments, build your impact measurement and management approach and help you report aligned to best practice impact standards.

Family offices

Impact investing has become a powerful mechanism for family offices looking to balance their desire to preserve wealth through the generations with income needs and investment sentiment of the current generation.

According to recent data, a quarter of family offices are engaged in impact investing and over a third expect to increase their impact allocation in the next five years.

Impact investing can provide families with a path to make more informed investment decisions and to invest in alignment with values.

We work with family offices and individuals to develop and design your impact journey and to translate this into your portfolio.

Impact Investing Toolkit **Foundations** Program-Related Grants Investments (PRIs) Mission-Related Loans, Loan Guaruntees, Investments (MRIs) No financial return goal Equity investment Endowment investing with a Financial returns are not the goal to achieve market-rate primary goal financial returns while delivering social or environmental impact

What we provide

We provide impact services to foundations and family offices at all stages of their impact journey

Impact strategy

Why are you considering impact investing and have you developed policies or codes addressing your beliefs?

Policy: Do you have a workable impact policy statement in place aligned with your family office investor belief statement?

Codes: Have you conducted an impact health-check of your portfolio?

Beliefs: What is the family rationale, impact vision and beliefs for adopting Impact, have you developed your risk, return and impact profile and amended the family charter to reflect this?

Impact training

Who is going to take responsibility for impact governance and investment decisions in the family office?

Team: What is the internal oversight structure for impact?

Tasks: How will impact tasks be organised?

Training: What impact training will be provided to family office CIOs and to second and third generation beneficiaries?

Impact integration

Structures: What family wealth structures for long-term wealth preservation are in place focusing on impact principles (eg charitable or non-charitable purpose trusts, foundations of companies limited by quarantee)?

Investment powers: Have you drafted investment powers in your trust or foundation to factor impact considerations in line with your impact belief statement?

Investment and risk

management: Have you translated your impact policy into investment management processes and how will these be incorporated into risk control procedures?

Investment products: Have you considered outcomes-based philanthropic structures, blended finance instruments and/or impact investments to help you meet your philanthropic and impact goals?

Impact measurement and management

How will you monitor your portfolio impact performance?

Metrics: What metrics will you use to measure impact progress in your portfolio?

Measurement: Have you developed an in-house impact measurement and management process aligned with impact standards (eg impact reporting, investment reporting and investment standards, impact management project etc)?

Reporting: Have you drafted your impact report and impact journey?

Leonie Kelly

Director, Head of Sustainable Investment Consulting



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Practice Areas: Sustainable Investment Consulting, Ogier Global

Background:

Leonie Kelly leads Ogier Global's Sustainable Investment Consulting services to private equity firms, asset managers, institutional investors, family offices, foundations and corporates working to integrate ESG factors into operations and investment processes, and to navigate ESG policy and regulation. As a respected voice in the industry with more than 12 years' experience as an expert in sustainable finance, Leonie is well placed to assist clients across the broad spectrum of ESG and impact solutions.

Leonie has considerable experience as an expert in sustainable finance and has lived and worked in Ireland, UK and Hong Kong.

She is an advisor to Sustainable Finance Initiative Asia, a member of the Securities & Futures Commission Climate Change Expert Group, and a mentor at Resolve Foundation Hong Kong.

She has been a panel member at various ESG and sustainable finance forums including BNP Paribas Sustainable Future Forum, Social Enterprise Summit HK, Green Bonds Asia, Private Wealth Asia Forum and is an active author of ESG market insights.

Prior to joining Ogier, Leonie was a Partner at Sustainable Finance Initiative Asia focused on building an investor platform to promote the growth of sustainable finance in Asia and mobilise private capital for positive impact. Leonie was also previously Head of Impact Innovation & Investment at the Zoological Society of London where she led the development of the world's first Rhino Impact Bond. At Deloitte LLP she principally worked across sustainability and impact advisory projects for financial institutions, corporates, charities and social enterprise.

Leonie is a Fellow of the Finance Innovation Lab of London, and holds a MSc in Environment & Development from The London School of Economics & Political Science, and a BA in Economics and Geography from Trinity College Dublin, Ireland.

Kate Hodson

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Practice Areas: DeSustsinable Investment Consulting, Hedge Funds, Investment Funds, Private Equity

Admitted in:

- 2008 England and Wales (non practising)
- 2015 British Virgin Islands

Background:

Kate Hodson is a partner in Ogier's investment funds practice and global Head of ESG (Legal). She specialises in the formation and structuring of investment funds and other types of investment structures including trusts. She has twice been named one of Asia's Top 40 under 40 lawyers by Asian Legal Business and has also been named among the top law lawyers for Ultra High Net Worth Individuals by Billionaire.com in conjunction with Wealth. Having achieved her Masters in Energy and Environmental Law from the Chinese University of Hong Kong, she launched Ogier's global Sustainable Investing and Impact Funds practice. She has particular experience in working with impact fund strategies focused on education, healthcare, aquaculture, real estate and climate mitigation.

Kate is also a member of Ogier's environmental working group and a member of the leadership group for its Diversity & Inclusion initiative.

Kate serves as a director on the board of the World Wide Fund for Nature Hong Kong and is also a member of its finance committee. Part of her role with WWF Hong Kong has involved working with the Bankable Nature Solutions team as well as advising the sustainable finance team on their environmental consultancy role to the Climate Impact Asia Fund.

Kate obtained her Bachelor of Science from Nottingham University and subsequently completed her graduate diploma in law (GDL) and the Legal Practice Course with distinction at Nottingham Law School. In 2020, Kate completed a Masters in Energy and Environmental Law from The Chinese University of Hong Kong where she achieved a Scholarship for Academic Excellence.

Kate is a member of the Law Society of England and Wales and registered as a foreign lawyer in Hong Kong.

Recognition:

A safe pair of hands who is willing to go out of her way to deal with client demands. Her industry and regulatory knowledge on the ground in the Cayman Islands is also impeccable.

FLR 1000, 2020

Among all the lawyers I've spoken to in the world, she is the best one, from response time to knowledge. She is very good at translating legalese into normal speech.

Chambers Global, 2020

Kate Hodson is one of the best lawyers I have ever worked with. IFLR 1000, 2020

Kate was named one of Asia's Top 40 Lawyers Under 40 in 2019. **Asian Legal Business**

Jacqueline Loh

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Practice Areas: Ogier Global Private Wealth

Admitted in:

- Ontario, Canada (nonpractising)
- Hong Kong (non-practising)
- England and Wales (nonpractising)

Background:

Jacqueline, who was named as one of the Top 10 Professionals in China and Hong Kong last year, works with Ogier's legal and corporate administration teams as a trusted advisor to HNWI and UHNWI clients in the Asian region.

Jacqueline is a Member of Law Society of Ontario, Law Society of Hong Kong and Law Society of England and Wales and Member of The Society of Trust and Estate Practitioners (STEP). She is a former Chairman of STEP's Hong Kong branch and continues to have material involvement as Council Member.

Jacqueline has numerous accolades to her name, including being named in The Citywealth 2018 IFC Power Women Top 200, the Citywealth 2019 Top 10 Professionals in China and Hong Kong and was also shortlisted as one of The Citywealth 2021 IFC Advisor of the Year - Succession Planning/Trusts.

In addition to having more than 20 years of private wealth experience, Jacqueline was Head of the Philanthropy Services, North Asia with HSBC Trustee. In that role, Jacqueline assisted global families to fulfil their philanthropic goals and desires. With the help of a

team, Jacqueline advised and provided guidance to hundreds of families in North Asia in pursuit of different social causes to achieve maximum impact. Jacqueline's involvement was from developing the initial visions, providing the necessary structures, finding the appropriate projects and causes to the ongoing management of the structures.

Recognition:

Jackie is one of those rare professionals who understands both the tax structuring aspects and the fiduciary responsibilities of being a discretionary trustee.

Client feedback

Very clear and frequent communications as well as good written documents are regular intervals.

Client feedback

Excellent and high quality advice. **Client feedback**

Straight forward and clear minded. Anticipate problems before they arise.

Client feedback

Sarah Mercury

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Practice Areas: Ogier Global Private Wealth

Background:

Sarah is Director and Head of Private Wealth, Jersey, leading a team composed of trust and company administration specialists. Sarah has experience in all aspects of private wealth including trusts, companies, foundations, private trustee companies and partnerships.

Sarah has more than 25 years' experience in the finance sector in Jersey and is a member of the Society of Trust and Estate Practitioners.

Prior to joining Ogier in 2019, Sarah was a Director of a global administration provider's private wealth business, where she acted as a professional trustee and director on a wide range of structures for UHNW clients from Europe, the Middle East and Asia. This included a significant association with an ultra-high net worth family, which included a private trust company, trusts and foundations.

She also fulfilled the role of trustee and director on a structure holding a large portfolio of prime London commercial real estate and acted as trustee on numerous family trusts for UHNW individuals and families across various jurisdictions working with a broad range of assets including real estate, art, classic cars, luxury yachts, private aircraft, investment portfolios, bank deposits, listed and unlisted securities.

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Practice Areas: Sustainable Investment Consulting, ESG - Environmental Social and Governance, Ogier Global

Background:

Hardik is a sustainabilityfocused leader with more than
15 years of experience spread
across Environmental, Social
and Governance (ESG) research
and investing, climate change
and carbon credits advisory, and
business intelligence domains. As a
part of Ogier Global's Sustainable
Investment Consulting team, Hardik
helps provide a wide variety of
sustainable investment solutions to
clients.

Prior to joining Ogier, Hardik was responsible for building GMO's global ESG capability across investment product areas and asset classes. His efforts included creation of GMO's proprietary country ESG model as well as the company-level GMO ESG Score, helping various investment teams with their ESG integration and engagement efforts, and designing Fund level ESG reports for various strategies.

At Sustainalytics he led a global team of analysts focused on ESG ratings and thematic research. Previously, he was an ESG Ratings associate at MSCI and, as a senior climate change consultant with Ernst & Young, has helped register a wide variety of carbon credit projects with the UNFCCC under the Clean Development Mechanism defined in the Kyoto Protocol.

Hardik regularly volunteers with the CFA Institute as well as the CFA Society Singapore. He is a member of CFA Institute's ESG Technical Committee and has also been actively involved in reviewing, updating, and co-authoring new ESG-related content for the CFA as well as CFA Institute's Certificate in ESG Investing curricula.

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Practice Areas: Sustainable Investment Consulting, ESG - Environmental Social and Governance, Ogier Global

Background:

Kasia Zatorska is a senior manager within Ogier Global's Sustainable Investment Consulting team and brings more than 14 years of experience working with asset managers, asset owners and hedge funds to the role. Prior to joining Ogier, Kasia led Institutional Shareholder Services (ISS) Hong Kong office and oversaw the firm's wider Asia-ex Japan portfolio. At ISS, Kasia deepened her knowledge of ESG metrics, reporting standards and stewardship codes. Prior to her time at ISS, Kasia was at Legal and General Investment Management in London; where she gained firsthand experience on how to design and implement ESG thematic frameworks.

Kasia is a macroeconomist by training and has substantial expertise in research and quantitative assessment. Her journey with sustainable investment started in 2013 at Legal & General Investment Management (LGIM) where she was employed to research long-term sustainability in the asset management investment themes. She also worked for several years as an ESG consultant for LGIM delivering research for the deployment of the Future World Fund, with a particular focus on climate change.

During her time at Institutional Shareholder Services, Kasia was an active member of the Asia Investor Group on Climate Change (AIGCC), the Hong Kong Green Finance Association and other Asia-based industry groups.

Kasia holds an MSc in International Economics from Poznan University of Economics and an MSc in Political Science

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Practice Areas: Ogier Global, Sustainable Investment Consulting, ESG

Background:

Shirley Lo is an assistant manager within Ogier Global's Sustainable Investment Consulting team, with experience in ESG and sustainability and a solid understanding of the sustainability landscape. Shirley previously worked in the Climate Change and Sustainability Services team at a leading consultancy firm, where she helped clients respond to the growing regulatory and stakeholder concerns.

Before joining Ogier in 2022, Shirley supported an energy company in demonstrating its commitment to sustainability along the value chain by enhancing its responsible procurement framework.

Shirley has provided professional advisory services in setting governance structures, strategies, performance KPls, and the disclosure approach for clients from various industries, including banking, utility, real estate, customer goods, food and beverage, entertainment, and hospitality management.

Shirley holds a BSc in Environmental Management and Technology from the Hong Kong University of Science and Technology.

