

JOB DESCRIPTION

Private Equity – Senior Associate – London

ABOUT US

RPC is a dynamic, collaborative and commercial law firm. We love our work, but we love our clients more. Those clients are often household names, many of our lawyers are market leaders, and by investing in long-term relationships together we achieve award-winning results.

Headquartered in London and with offices in Bristol, Hong Kong and Singapore, we support our clients globally, both through our own offices and by collaborating with leading law firm networks. We are big enough to handle the most complex matters, and agile enough to adapt quickly to the opportunities and challenges our clients face. Through our commitment to and focus on five strategic areas of importance – Commercial & Financial Disputes, Insurance, Regulatory, Retail & Consumer and Technology & Media – complemented by a wide variety of practice areas, our revenue increased by 43% in the last three years.

That commercial success is reinforced by our unique culture. Clients and recruits are often surprised by just how different – how approachable – we are. We hire people with personality and invest heavily in their professional development and wellbeing. Every person at RPC should feel valued, respected and free to be themselves. And we want to help everyone achieve their ambitions – our clients as much as our people.

DIVERSITY, EQUITY, INCLUSION & BELONGING

We are problem solvers. Whether in front of clients or behind the scenes. To solve problems creatively for clients, we need diverse collaborative thinking; drawing on different experiences, backgrounds and perspectives. That means that everyone who either applies to, or works for, the firm is treated equitably. We believe in removing barriers to equal access not least because our people define us and define what we do.

If you need support and adjustments to do your best work, whether that's during the recruitment process or throughout your time at RPC, we're here to help.





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ROLE OVERVIEW

The team

Our corporate team continues to build its private equity offering, acting for private equity investors, investee companies and management teams. We advise institutional investors and management teams on all areas of private equity buy-outs, exits and portfolio company M&A. In addition, we are active for a number of our industry clients with investment/ventures businesses.

With a five partner team in London and Singapore led by David Wallis and James Mee, the team is now acting regularly on private equity driven transactions. We are best known for our PE work within the insurance sector, regularly acting on double digit deals each year, and have acted on a number of high profile tech/data deals recently. We look after household brand retailers that are PE backed.

We are a friendly, collaborative team, with a passion for developing our people and providing them with the tools to develop successful careers.

The role

A talented Senior Associate to help further build our private equity team and capitalise on the exciting opportunities in play.

RPC's Corporate business has grown significantly and continues to hire whilst others retrench. This is a great opportunity to join a developing practice that is core to the firm's strategy.

Your role will involve acting for private equity sponsors on a range of mid-market and upper mid-market deals, management advisory work and bolt on acquisitions for private equity backed portfolio companies.

The team sits within the corporate team so you will benefit from a broader diet of work.

You will have a high degree of autonomy and client involvement; you will be encouraged and supported in helping drive the business forward.

Knowledge, skills and experience

- c.5-7 years of PQE, you will be a specialist in private equity with a strong grounding in this
 area.
- Able to deliver sound legal and commercial solutions and work collaboratively with partners and clients to achieve objectives and provide an outstanding client experience.
- Ability to manage and complete a deal effectively from start to finish.
- Committed to business development to further grow the practice, you will be able to spot and drive commercial opportunities forward.
- Ability to establish strong client relationships based on mutual trust and understanding.
- Work efficiently and commercially to maximise profitability.
- Committed to creating a supportive, inclusive, and collaborative team culture recognising and celebrating achievements.
- Ability to be an effective leader within the team who coaches and develops junior team members to achieve their full potential.