



Job Title: Legal Practitioner with Tax Expertise

Department: Private Client

Position: Full Time

Location: Newton Abbot

Salary: Competitive

WBW Solicitors is one of the largest legal practices in the South West, with offices based in Newton Abbot, Exeter, Torquay, Paignton, Bovey Tracey and Launceston. With clearly defined divisions catering for business and private clients, our teams are able to offer the very best legal advice through a full range of legal services to individuals and businesses, across a wide range of areas and commercial sectors.

The Role:

Due to recent growth we are seeking an experienced Private Client Practitioner, to join our technically strong team to carry out work on complex Probates, Trusts and Tax Planning.

The successful candidate must be able to demonstrate an understanding of the following areas of private client work;

- Fundamental principles of inheritance, capital gains and income tax and their application in an estate planning context.
- The formation, administration and taxation of trust.
- Administration of Estates (including administration of Will Trusts) variation of estates.
- Preparation of Wills.
- Providing specialist advice for the elderly clients.

Key Requirements:

The successful candidate will be an enthusiastic, willing and strong team player, have an excellent balance between technical ability and commercial awareness, possess strong organisational and inter-personal skills and be IT proficient.

STEP qualification will be advantageous, the right candidate must have experience dealing with Will Drafting, estate administration and Inheritance Tax Returns and Estate Self-Assessment Tax Returns.

Exposure to charity work would also be advantageous as well as possess the willingness to promote the firm and develop personal connections; to market the services of the department internally to the rest of the firm and WBW's services as a whole externally.

Must be professional, organised, competent, enthusiastic and ambitious. To work with other fee earners and seek advice and assistance whenever needed to develop knowledge and skills, and to improve ability.

Need to have access to a motor vehicle for work use and be insured for work purposes. The contentious probate team is based within our Newton Abbot office and the successful candidate will primarily work from here. However, we also have offices in Torquay, Bovey Tracey, Exeter, Paignton and Launceston and the successful candidate must be able to travel to these offices independently as and when required.

Contact Details:

If you would like further information or would be interested in applying for this vacancy please contact Julie Bond, HR Manager at WBW Solicitors on juliebond@wbw.co.uk.