

Experts in Outsourced Risk and Compliance Solutions

Diversity Survey 2023







Q1. Select one category which best describes your role in the firm.

Full equity solicitor partners	Partners, members or directors who	
	are not solicitors should be recorded in	1
	the 'Managerial role'	
Coloriad or partial aquity colicitor	category Below	
Salaried or partial equity solicitor	Partners, members or directors who are not solicitors should be recorded in	
partners		4
Calicitar (act restaurs)	the 'Managerial role' category below. All other practising solicitors including	
Solicitor (not partner)	assistant solicitors, associates, or	4
	consultants.	•
Other for coming value		
Other fee earning role	Includes fee earners such as trainee solicitors, members of CILEx who are	
	not Chartered Legal Executives	1
	(Fellows), or CILEx Practitioners and	-
	paralegals i.e. those who are not	
	authorised persons'.	
Polo diractly supporting a foo oproor	Includes legal secretaries,	
Role directly supporting a fee earner	administrators, legal assistants, or non-	2
	fee earning paralegals.	2
Managerial role	Includes non-lawyer managers,	
	directors, or members and others such	1
	-	_
	as practice managers, finance, or account managers etc	
IT/HR/other corporate services role	Not an authorised person and not	
	individuals in a managerial role -	0
	includes finance or accountancy	
	roles.	
Barrister	Individuals authorised by the Bar	0
	Standards Board.	
Chartered Legal Executive (Fellow)/	Individuals authorised by CILEx	1
CILEx Pra	Regulation.	
Licensed Conveyancer	Individuals authorised by the Council for	0
	Licensed Conveyancers.	
Patent or Trade Mark Attorney	Individuals authorised by the Intellectual	
,	Property Regulation Board.	0
Costs Lawyer	Individuals authorised by the Costs	
	Lawyer Standards Board.	0
Notary	Individuals authorised by the Master of	
	the Faculties.	0
Prefer not to say		0
Tatal		0
Total		14



Q2. Which age category are you in?

	Full equity solicitor partners	Salaried or partial equity solicitor partners	Solicitor Not partner	Other fee earning role	Role directly supportin g a fee earner	Managerial role	IT/HR/other corporate services role	er	Chartered Legal Executive (Fellow)/ CILEx Practitioner	Licensed Conveyancer	Patent or Trade Mark Attorney	Costs Lawyer	Notary	Prefer not to say	
16 – 24	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
25 – 34	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
35 – 44	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
45 – 54	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
55 – 64	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
65+	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Prefer not to say	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Totals	1	4	4	1	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	14



Q3. What is your sex ?

	Full equity solicitor partners	Salaried or partial equity solicitor partners	Solicitor (not partner)	Other fee earning role	Role directly supporting a fee earner	Managerial role	IT/HR/other corporate services role	Barrister	Chartered Legal Executive (Fellow)/ CILEx Practitioner	Licensed Conveyancer	Patent or Trade Mark Attorney	Costs Lawyer	Notary	Prefer Not to Say	
Male	1	4	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Female	0	0	3	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Other preferred description	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Totals	1	4	4	1	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	14



Q4. Is the gender you identify with the same as sex registered birth?

	Full equity solicitor partners	Salaried or partial equity solicitor partners	Solicitor (Not Partner)	Other fee earning role	Role directly supporting a fee earner	Managerial role	IT/HR/other corporate services role	Barrister	Chartered Legal Executive (Fellow)/ CILEx Practitioner	Licensed Conveyancer	Patent or Trade Mark Attorney	Costs Lawyer	Notary	Prefer not to say	
Yes	1	4	4	1	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	ł
No	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	I
Prefer not to say	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Totals	1	4	4	1	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	14



Q5. Do you consider yourself to have a disability according to the definition in the Equality Act 2010?

	Full equity solicitor partner	or partial	Solicitor (not partner)	Other fee earning role	Role directly supporting a fee earner	Managerial role	IT/HR/other corporate services role	Barrister	Chartered Legal Executive (Fellow)/ CILEx Practitioner	Licensed Conveyancer	Patent or Trade Mark Attorn ey	Costs Lawyer		Prefer not to say
Yes	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
No	1	4	4	1	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Prefer not to say	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	1	4	4	1	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0



Q6. Are your day-to-day activities limited because of a health problem or disability which has lasted, or is expected to last, at least 12 months?

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Yes, limited a lot	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Yes, limited a little	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
No	1	4	4	1	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Prefer not to say	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	1	4	4	1	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0



Q7. What is your ethnic group?

	Full equity solicitor partners	Salaried or partial equity solicitor partners	Solicitor (not partner)	Other fee earning role	Role directly supporting a fee earner	Managerial role	IT/HR/other corporate services role	Barrister	Chartered Legal Executive (Fellow)/ CILEx Practitioner	Licensed Conveyancer	Patent or Trade Mark Attorney	Costs Lawyer	Notary	Prefer not to say
7. What is your ethnic group?														
Asian/ Asian British														
Bangladeshi	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chinese	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Indian	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pakistani	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Any other Asian background	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Black/ Black British														
African	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Caribbean	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Any other Black background	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mixed/ Multiple ethnic group														
White and Asian	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
White and Black African	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
White and Black Caribbean	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Any other Mixed/ Multiple ethnic background	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
White														
British/ English/ Welsh/ Northern Irish/ Scottish	1	3	2	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Irish	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gypsy or Irish Traveller	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Roma	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Any other White background	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other ethnic group														
Arab	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Any other ethnic group	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Prefer not to say														
Prefer not to say	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	1	4	4	1	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0



Q8. What is your religion or belief?

	Full equity solicitor partners	Salaried or partial equity solicitor partners	Solicitor (not partner)	Other fee earning role	Role directly supporting a fee earner	Managerial role	IT/HR/other corporate services role	Barrister	Chartered Legal Executive (Fellow)/ CILEx Practitioner	Licensed Conveyancer	Patent or Trade Mark Attorney	Costs Lawyer	Notary	Prefer not to say
No religion or belief	0	1	2	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Buddhist	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Christian	1	3	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hindu	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jewish	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Muslim	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sikh	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Any other religion or belief	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Prefer not to say	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	1	4	4	1	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0



Q9. What is your sexual orientation?

	Full equity solicitor partners	Salaried or partial equity solicitor partners	Solicitor (not partner)	Other fee earning role	Role directly supporting a fee earner	Managerial role	IT/HR/other corporate services role	Barrister	Chartered Legal Executive (Fellow)/ CILEx Practitioner	Licensed Conveyancer	Patent or Trade Mark Attorney	Costs Lawyer	Notary	Prefer not to say
Bi	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gay/ Lesbian	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Heterosexual	1	3	4	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Other preferred description	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Prefer not to say	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	1	4	4	1	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0



Q10. What type of school did you attend for the most time between the ages between the ages 11 and 16?

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State-run or state-funded school (selective on academic, faith or other grounds)	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
State-run or state-funded school (non-selective)	0	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Independent/ fee-paying school	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Independent/ fee-paying school, where I received a bursary covering 90% or more of my tuition	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Attended school outside the UK	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Don't know/ not sure	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Prefer not to say	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	1	4	4	1	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0



Q11. Did either of your parents attend university by the time you were 18?

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No, neither of my parents attended university	1	2	2	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Yes, one or both of my parents attended univer	0	1	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Don't know/ not sure	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Prefer not to say	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	1	4	4	1	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0



Q12. What was the main occupation of your household earner when you were about 14?

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Modern professional/traditional professional														
occupations such as: teacher, nurse,														
physiotherapist, social worker, musician, police	0	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
officer (sergeant or above), software designer,	U	3	3	0	0	U	0	U	0	U	0	U	U	0
accountant, solicitor, medical practitioner, scientist, civil engineer.														
Senior, middle or junior managers or														
administrators such as: finance manager, chief													1	
executive, large business owner, office manager,	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
retail manager, bank manager, restaurant manager,							-					-		-
warehouse manager.													1	
Clerical and intermediate occupations such as:														
secretary, personal assistant, call centre agent,	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
clerical worker, nursery nurse.														
Technical and craft occupations such as: motor														
mechanic, plumber, printer, electrician, gardener,	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
train driver														
Routine, semi-routine manual and service														
occupations such as: postal worker, machine														
operative, security guard, caretaker, farm worker,	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
catering assistant, sales assistant, HGV driver,	v	v	Ū	Ū	Ū	v	v	Ū	0	Ũ	Ŭ	v	Ŭ	v
cleaner, porter, packer, labourer, waiter/waitress, bar staff.														
Small business owners who employed less than 25														
people such as: corner shop owners, small														
plumbing companies, retail shop owner, single	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
restaurant or cafe owner, taxi owner, garage														
owner														
Long term unemployed (claimed Jobseeker's														
Allowance or earlier unemployment benefit for	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
more than a year)														
Other, such as: retired, this question does not apply to me, I don't know	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Prefer not to say	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
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Totals	1	4	4	1	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0



Q13. Are you a primary carer for a child or children under 18?

	Full equity solicitor partners	Salaried or partial equity solicitor partners	Solicitor (not partner)	Other fee earning role	Role directly supporting a fee earner	Managerial role	IT/HR/other corporate services role	Barrister	Chartered Legal Executive (Fellow)/ CILEx Practitioner		Patent or Trade Mark Attorney	Costs Lawyer	Notary	Prefer not to say
Yes	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
No	1	0	4	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Prefer not to say	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	1	4	4	1	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0



Q14. Do you look after or care for someone with long term physical or mental ill health caused by disability or age (not in a paid capacity)?

	Full equity solicitor partners	Salaried or partial equity solicitor partners	Solicitor (not partner)	Other fee earning role	Role directly supporting a fee earner	Managerial role	IT/HR/other corporate services role	Barrister	Chartered Legal Executive (Fellow)/ CILEx Practitioner	Licensed Conveyancer	Patent or Trade Mark Attorney	Costs Lawyer	Notary	Prefer not to say
No	1	4	3	1	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Yes, 1 - 19 hours a week	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Yes, 20 - 49 hours a week	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Yes, 50 or more hours a week	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Prefer not to say	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	1	4	4	1	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0