

# Lateral Partner Moves in London

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- ✔ **Baker & McKenzie**  
Abu Dhabi based Freshfields of counsel *Marc Fèvre* has joined the London office as a partner to specialise in commercial energy.
- ✔ **Berwin Leighton Paisner**  
*Andrew Sanders* joins the real estate team from Hogan Lovells.
- ✔ **Brown Rudnick**  
Insolvency & restructuring specialist *Adrian Harris* joins from the London office of Chadbourne & Parke.
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Former DLA partner *Michael Bos* has joined the product liability team from his most recent position at the New Zealand Bar.
- ✔ **Charles Russell**  
*Vanessa Barnett*, an online business, digital media and marketing law specialist has moved across from Berwin Leighton Paisner.
- ✔ **Clifford Chance**  
Financial services specialist *Monica Sah* re-joins the magic circle firm as a partner, having most recently worked at Morgan Stanley.
- ✔ **DLA Piper**  
The national firm's London office has hired two energy specialists: *Trevor Butcher* from CMS Cameron McKenna and *Irene Hurrell* from Ofgem.
- ✔ **Edwards Angell Palmer & Dodge**  
IP specialist *Richard Graham* been brought into the partnership from his position as associate at Bird & Bird.
- ✔ **Fladgate**  
*Amy Collins* has joined the corporate practice from Olswang.
- ✔ **Gateley**  
The newly renamed firm has hired *Colin Mattis* from Shoosmiths to head up its banking & finance department. It has also recruited TV & entertainment lawyer *Lisa Logan* from niche firm Candey.
- ✔ **Gates & Partners**  
Aviation and travel sector specialist *Jeremy Robinson* will become head of the competition team having left Bird & Bird and *Alok Gangola* joins the corporate team from Sprecher Grier Halberstam
- ✔ **Goodman Derrick**  
Former joint head of construction at Bird & Bird, *John Wright*, joins the mid-size City firm.
- ✔ **Hempsons**  
*Fiona McClellan* has joined the employment practice from Field Fisher Waterhouse.
- ✔ **Herbert Smith**  
The international firm has boosted its finance practice with the hires of debt capital markets partner *Andrew Roberts* from his in-house role at Fontenergy (previously at Linklaters) and acquisition finance lawyer *Will Nevin* who joins as a partner from a senior associate position at Linklaters.
- ✔ **Morgan Lewis & Bockius**  
*Martin Stewart-Smith* joins the energy transactions practice from Simmons & Simmons.
- ✔ **Norton Rose**  
Freshfields of counsel *John Conlin* has been brought into the global energy team as a corporate partner.
- ✔ **Pinsent Masons**  
Norton Rose consultant *Michael Lewis* joins the London office's financial services & insurance team as a partner.

✦ **Proskauer Rose**

The New York firm has made a trio of lateral hires for its London funds practice with appointment of *Nigel van Zyl* and *Oliver Rochman* from SJ Berwin and *Kate Simpson* from Kirkland & Ellis.

✦ **Shearman & Sterling**

Former Freshfields partner *Monica McConcille* has joined the corporate team and will lead the English equity capital markets practice.

✦ **Simmons & Simmons**

Travers Smith counsel *Caroline Murphy* will join the City firm as a partner in the corporate department.

✦ **SJ Berwin**

The firm has re-hired real estate partner *Michael Scott* from Shepherd & Wedderburn as well as Clifford Chance senior associate *Rinku Bhadoria* as a partner in the energy team.

✦ **SNR Denton**

Linklaters of counsel *Mark Cheney* has joined as a partner specialising in energy project finance.

✦ **Stephenson Harwood**

*Andrew McLean*, formerly head of energy at Weil Gotshal joins the corporate team, whilst funds partner *James Tinworth* arrives from Simmons & Simmons where he was a managing associate. Real estate partner *Stephen Sumpton* also joins from McGrigors. Announced earlier in the year, projects partners *Rebecca Carter* and *Jonathan Cripps* have now arrived from Eversheds.

✦ **Thomas Eggar**

CMS Cameron McKenna associate *Ross Berridge* joins the London office as a property litigation partner.

✦ **White & Case**

US securities duo *Michael Immordino* and *Ian Clark* are brought in as lateral hires from the London office of Latham & Watkins.

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