Harding Evans
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Your lawyers, for life.

Are you our next Corporate & Commercial Partner?






Your gateway to a career that will grow with you.

Bring your ambition to Harding Evans and help shape the next chapter of our Corporate & Commercial practice. With the Commercial division identified as a strategic priority for growth, this Partner opportunity offers an experienced corporate and commercial lawyer the chance to build something significant: a stronger practice, deeper client relationships and a lasting influence on the firm's future.

This is a role for a commercially driven lawyer who strives for more. You will help define the practice's direction, develop new business and strengthen our market profile, positioning Harding Evans as a go-to adviser within our chosen sectors. Alongside growing your own client relationships, you will contribute to firm-wide strategy and turn commercial opportunities into sustainable growth.

At the heart of the opportunity is varied, complex work for a diverse client base. You will advise on acquisitions and disposals, management buyouts and buy-ins, corporate restructuring, private equity investments, shareholder agreements, joint ventures, commercial contracts and other transactional matters, combining technical expertise with clear, practical advice that puts clients first.

Your impact will extend to the people around you. Through supervision, mentoring and development, you will help fee-earners and support colleagues build their capabilities and contribute to a high-performing team. As a visible ambassador for the practice, you will bring people together, strengthen professional connections and champion the firm's values.

You will balance hands-on client work with business development and a focus on profitability, maintaining high standards of service, compliance and risk management. As a Partner, you will also play an active part in the wider management of the firm, contributing to its strategic objectives, financial performance and long-term success.

If you are ready to combine complex work with the opportunity to build relationships, develop people and influence what comes next, this is your chance to make a lasting contribution as a Corporate & Commercial Partner at Harding Evans.

A career that will *grow* with your *ambitions*

Are you our next
Corporate & Commercial Partner?

We are Harding Evans, a full-service law firm with roots in Newport which can be traced back as far as the 1800s. Today, we are a growing regional firm with multiple offices across South Wales. Having gone through a period of organic growth over the past few years, with an ambitious leadership team in place we are now actively looking to expand strategically into new geographical areas; either through merger or acquisition, or from acquiring additional office space.

Harding Evans is led by Chairman Ken Thomas, along with Equity Partners Ben Jenkins, Laura Selby, Lauren Watkins, Siobhan Downes and Wyn Williams. They are supported by Directors Karl Ford (Commercial), Martin Jones (Finance), Milena Roberts (HR) and Richard Esney (Risk & Compliance), along with Senior Managers representing IT and Marketing.

It is our mission to provide clear, honest and high-quality legal advice in an environment that is approachable, inclusive and welcoming for both our clients and our colleagues. Harding Evans' wealth of knowledge and expertise covers wide-ranging matters across both personal and commercial services. These include:

- Corporate & Commercial
- Commercial Property
- Commercial Litigation
- Sports Law
- Debt Recovery
- Employment
- Children Law
- Clinical Negligence & Serious Injury
- Family & Matrimonial
- Residential Conveyancing
- Wills & Probate
- Contentious Probate

100+

Team of talented individuals, across three offices.





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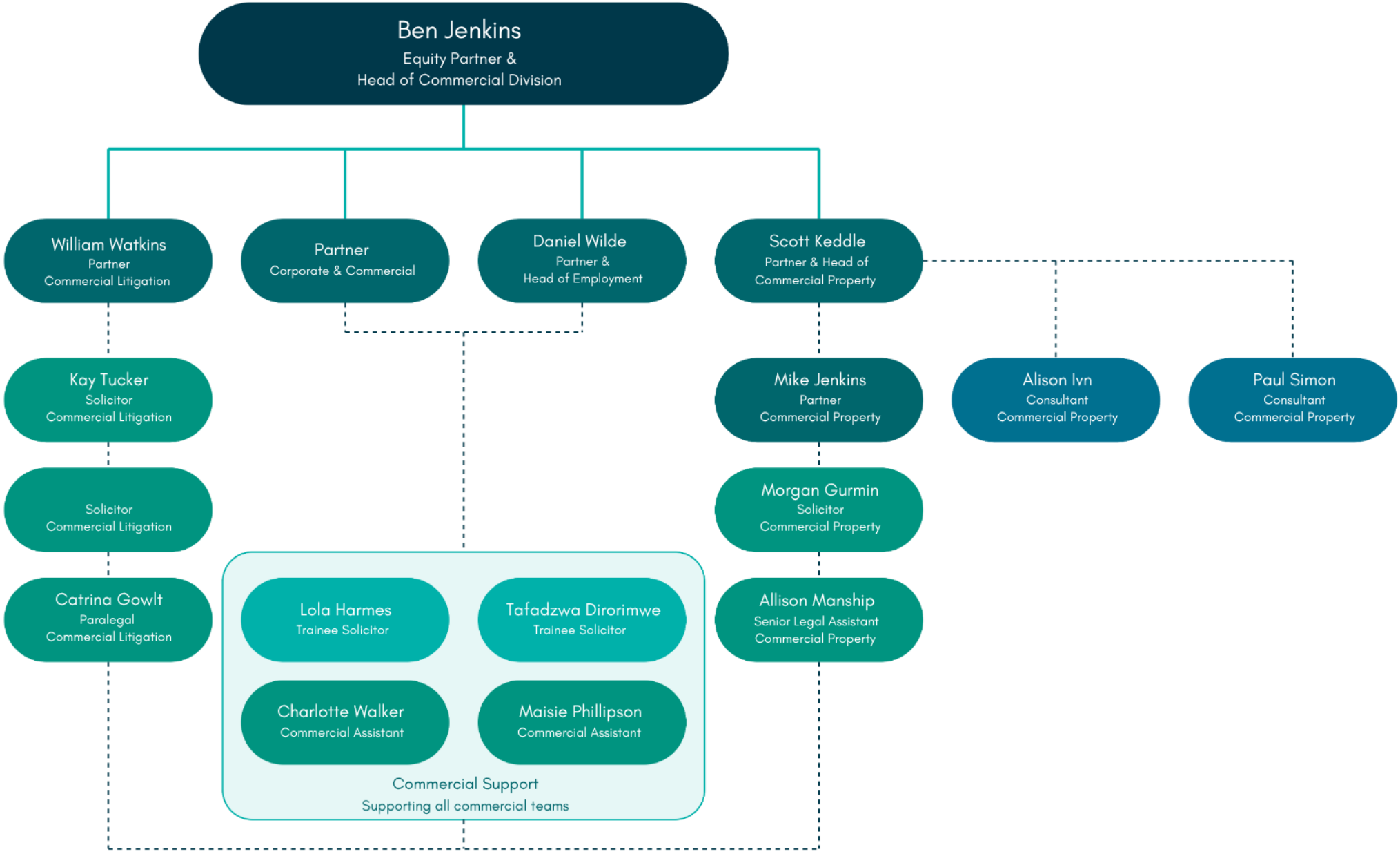
Partners across 12 practice areas.

£8m+

Turnover in last financial year (2025/26).



Welcome to
Harding Evans



Harding Evans

Commercial team structure

The Harding Evans Commercial practice has been recognised with rankings in both Chambers and Legal 500, across both a number of practice areas, and also individual lawyers.

These include rankings for:

- Corporate & Commercial
- Commercial Property
- Employment
- Commercial Litigation
- Debt Recovery
- Professional Negligence
- Sport





An *exceptional* provincial firm that punches above its weight to the point that it compares very favourably to *larger London firms.*

Legal 500

Harding Evans
Commercial team

Explore the opportunity

Whether you're ready to apply or would like to find out more about the role, please get in touch.

All enquiries will be treated in the strictest confidence.

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