

# GEORGE SAMUELS

CHARTERED LEGAL EXECUTIVE

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## OBJECTIVE

I am a Chartered Legal Executive with 7+ years PQE, specialising in Private Client Law. I have worked for two respected law firms managing a busy case load of Wills, Trusts and Tax Planning. I am looking for a role as a senior fee earner with the possibility of advancing to partner.

## EDUCATION

### FCILEx

Chartered Institute of Legal Executives, *admitted 2009*

### Post Graduate Diploma in Legal Practice (PgDip / LPC)

Lincoln University, *2009*

### LL.B (Hons) 2:1

Lincoln University, *2006*

## INTERESTS

Cooking  
Homebrewing Beer  
Snowboarding  
Leatherworking  
Chess  
Rocketry  
Investing  
Lockpicking

## WORK EXPERIENCE

### FCILEx

*DFG Law Firm, 2011 - date*

As a senior fee earner, my responsibilities included working with individuals and families, providing legal advice on a variety of matters such as investments, taxation, estate management, wills and testamentary issues. Handling several high net worth individuals, and several charities. Handling a busy case load and managing transactions from start to finish. In addition I supervised two paralegals within the private client department.

### GCILEx

*ABC Law Firm, 2009 - 2011*

With my own busy caseload, my responsibilities included dealing with all aspects of private client law and commercial matters, dealing with taxation, inheritance, investments and trusts.

### Paralegal

*XYZ Law Firm, 1999 - 2003*

Assisting a Senior Partner with a range of sales, purchases and remortgages, both freehold and leasehold. My responsibilities included carrying out and checking pre-contract searches, paying stamp taxes and dealing with the registration of client and lender with the Land Registry.

## KEY SKILLS

Able to structure matters in the most beneficial way to client; saving on costs, whilst still being compliant with the law.

Good understanding of the foreign markets where clients hold their assets and funds.

Ability to deal with organisations that operate offshore or in overseas tax havens.

Excellent people management skills

Ability to handle communications, discussions and negotiations articulately and efficiently.

Comprehensive knowledge of law and commercial matters when dealing with taxation, inheritance, investments and trusts.

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