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OVERVIEW

Emma Cooper is a senior associate in the Mergers and Acquisitions practice group of the London office. Emma has experience in a wide range of corporate transactions, including private and public M&A, initial public offerings, secondary fundraisings, venture capital investments, joint ventures, group restructurings and private equity, as well as advising on corporate governance. She has worked with clients across a range of sectors including financial services, corporate real estate, technology, energy and pharma.

She completed her training contract at the firm, during which time she gained experience in the Corporate, Mergers and Acquisitions, Construction and Infrastructure, Real Estate, and Asset and Corporate Finance practice groups.

PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND

Prior to joining the firm as a trainee solicitor, Emma was a vacation scheme student in the Real Estate and Construction practice groups for the firm in 2015.

EDUCATION

- Legal Practice Course, BPP Law School, 2017 (*with Distinction*)
- Graduate Diploma in Law, BPP Law School, 2016 (*Distinction*)
- B.A., University of East Anglia, 2015

ADMISSIONS

- Solicitor of the Senior Courts of England and Wales

THOUGHT LEADERSHIP POWERED BY HUB

- 16 July 2020, COVID-19: The UK Logistics Sector: Future M&A Trends in a Post-Pandemic Environment

- 1 July 2020, COVID-19: The Corporate Insolvency and Governance Act 2020
- 6 April 2020, COVID-19: The Impact on UK Annual General Meetings

NEWS & EVENTS

- 27 May 2021, K&L Gates Advises Dianomi PLC on AIM Admission and Fundraising
- 6 April 2021, K&L Gates Advises Patrizia AG on Pair of UK Real Estate Acquisitions
- 4 December 2020, K&L Gates Again Advises Red Ventures on Pending Sale of CNET Content Services to 1WorldSync
- 4 November 2020, K&L Gates Assists Prenetics in Acquisition of Oxsed RaViD's Rapid Coronavirus Diagnostics Technology
- 2 October 2020, K&L Gates Advises Inspirit Capital on Investment in Europe's Largest Digital Cinematography and Hire Facility
- 18 September 2020, K&L Gates Advises Red Ventures on USD \$500 Million Acquisition of CNET Media Group from ViacomCBS
- 29 October 2019, K&L Gates Advises Confluence Technologies, Inc., on Acquisition of StatPro Group plc

AREAS OF FOCUS

- Mergers and Acquisitions
- Capital Markets
- Public Companies

REPRESENTATIVE EXPERIENCE

- Advised Confluence Technologies, Inc., a global leader in investment data management automation reporting technology, on its recommended cash acquisition of StatPro Group plc (LON: SOG), a global provider of cloud-based analytics and data management tools for the asset management industry.
- Advised Dianomi PLC (LON: DNM) on its listing on the AIM market of the London Stock Exchange and a £36 million placing of both existing and new shares. Dianomi is a leading provider of native digital advertising services to premium clients in the financial services and business sectors and operates from offices in London, New York, and Sydney.
- Acted for institutional sellers on the sale of an iconic central London real estate asset.
- Acted for a fund seller on the sale of its interest in a unit trust which owns prime London real estate.

- Advised a Patrizia AG fund on the purchase of c.£95m Edgbaston Residencies, Birmingham, for the development of circa 375 residential units and 20,000sq ft. retail, through a share purchase of the holding company.
- Advised a Patrizia AG fund on the c.£110m purchase from Berkeley Homes of a multi-phased development at Huntley Wharf, Reading.
- Acted for one of the largest investment managers in the United States on their acquisition of 60% of the issued share capital of an investment management company from a corporate trustee.
- Acted for one of the largest investment managers in the United States on their acquisition of the entire issued share capital of HGPE Capital Limited.
- Acted for Wheatsheaf Group Limited on their investment in Buymie Technologies Limited, a leading same-day grocery delivery company.
- Acted for Inspirit Capital on their investment in Procam Group, Europe's largest digital cinematography and hire facility.
- Advised Falfurrias Capital Partners on its investment in international media agency, Brainlabs.
- Advised Axonics Modulation Technologies Inc. (Nasdaq: AXNX), a medical technology company, on its acquisition of Contura Ltd, a privately held, UK-based medical product business.
- Advised Prenetics on its acquisition of Oxsed RaVID's Rapid Coronavirus Diagnostics Technology.
- Advised Oazo Apps Limited (t/a Summer.fi), a DeFi platform, on its spin-out from Maker Foundation and financing by UDHC, and its subsequent Series A financing led by Libertus Capital.
- Advised AutomatePro Ltd, a UK-based DevOps software provider, on its Series A funding from UK investor YFM Equity Partners.