

H1 has been busy for the Leeds Corporate Practice, completing 35 deals to date, with a deal aggregate value of just under £3 billion. Below is a snapshot of some of those deals.



Adler & Allan – Advised on the acquisitions of QEM Solutions and Utility Line.



LDC – Advised on the investment in The 55 Group.



Animalcare Group plc – Advised AIM listed Animalcare and management on the disposal of Identicare to Bridgepoint.



Perspective Financial Group – Advised the management team on the investment by Charlesbank Capital Partners.



Smartsearch – Advised the shareholders and management team on the investment by Triple Private Equity.



Punter Southall – Advised on the sale of its employee benefits consulting business and the sale of its Aspire financial planning division.



Ipcorn N.V. – Advised on the acquisitions of IBSL Group and RSL Group.



BGF – Advised on the investments into Boxphish, Tevalis and TaperedPlus.



Sopheon plc – Advised on the £115m takeover by Resurgens Technology Partners.



Eden Mobility – Advised the shareholders and management team on the investment by Foresight.



Portakabin – Advised the management team and shareholders on the investment by Antin Infrastructure Partners.



Elysian Capital – Advised on the investment in the Activate Group.

Our Corporate Practice

We are a leading global corporate law firm with more than 390 corporate lawyers, including 90 corporate lawyers across four UK offices. We are ranked consistently by *Law360* as one of the top 20 law firms that had the largest global presence and were involved in the largest, most significant and groundbreaking international and cross-border matters over the past year. We believe that we are perfectly placed to advise you in relation to your proposed transaction.

- Highly ranked by *Chambers* and *The Legal 500* for Private Equity and Corporate M&A
- **Law Firm of the Year (Transactions)** at the Unquote PE Awards Ceremony 2022
- **Law Firm of the Year** Insider Yorkshire Dealmakers Awards 2022
- Short-listed for **Pan European Law Firm of the Year**, Real Deals, 2023 and 2024
- **Ranked 3rd** (UK) for Announced Deals – Ranked by Number of Deals, Factset 2023
- **Ranked 6th** (Europe) for Announced Deals – Ranked by Number of Deals, Factset 2023

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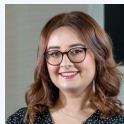
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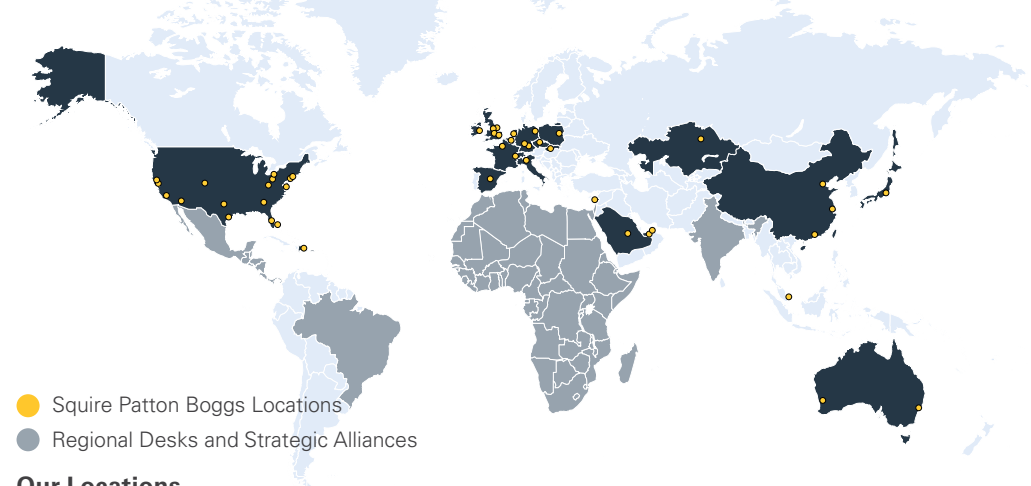
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Awards

- [The Lawyers Hot 100 2024](#)
- Mae Salem is recognised in The Lawyer's Hot 100 2024. The list celebrates standout individuals in the UK recognising a diverse list of legal professionals seen to be doing the most important work in the country.
- [National Legal Team of the Year 2024](#)
- Recognised as "National Legal Team" at the 2024 Yorkshire Rainmaker Awards.
- [The Legal 500 Northern Powerhouse](#)
- Hannah Kendrick is recognised as "Corporate Lawyer of the Year" at *The Legal 500 Northern Powerhouse Awards*.

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