

## Joshua Lodge

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### About Joshua

Joshua Lodge is a director in the Corporate Practice Group based in Leeds. Joshua advises on all aspects of corporate transactions involving private companies, with a particular focus on private equity and venture capital transactions, as well as deals in the technology sector.

Joshua regularly advises private equity sponsors, corporates and management teams on a full spectrum of private equity transactions, including new investments, bolt-on acquisitions, management incentive arrangements and co-investments.

Joshua also advises both investors and high-growth companies on venture capital investments from seed funding rounds to series A/B/C and beyond.

"Josh's commercial acumen is self-evident, guiding us through complex decisions with clear insights that maximise value. What stands out most is the speed of delivery. Josh and his team consistently meet tight deadlines without compromising quality, making him and Squires a reliable partner in every sense." Phil Parker, CEO, Sunbelt Rentals Limited.

"I've worked with Josh on several transactions including BGF's investments into Arc Inspirations and Tribepad. I view him very much as a trusted adviser who is able to provide both commercial and legal insight/challenge throughout the deal process. Strong attention to detail, solid work ethic and always strives to get the best result for his client." Rob Johnson, Investor, BGF.

"The support and advice provided by Josh, and the rest of the Squire Patton Boggs team, was first class. I was particularly impressed by Josh's technical skill and ability to identify, explain and negotiate those matters that were of key concern to management whilst at the same time establishing and maintaining a collaborative relationship with the lawyers on the other side." Simon Thomson, General Counsel and Company Secretary, Portakabin Limited.

### Experience

- Acting for the management team and other individual shareholders of Portakabin on its management buyout backed by Antin Infrastructure Partners.
- Acting for the management team of Two Circles in relation to its acquisition by Charterhouse Capital Partners.

- Advising the shareholders of data governance specialist IntoZetta on the sale of IntoZetta to Experian.
- Acting for BGF in relation to various investments, including in Boxphish, Tribepad, TaperedPlus and ARC Inspirations.
- Acting for H2 Equity Partners in connection with its acquisition of RAM Tracking.
- Acting for Rendesco on its fundraising from a consortium of institutional investors led by Clean Growth Fund and Eurazeo.
- Acting for Copley Point Capital on its UK logistics portfolio joint venture with Brookfield.
- Acting for Rendesco on its joint venture with Last Mile Infrastructure (a portfolio company of Infracapital).
- Advising the management team of Hippo Digital on GCP's investment and Hippo Digital on its subsequent acquisition of The Data Shed.
- Advising Sunbelt Rentals on its acquisitions of PKE Lighting, Acorn Film and Video and JLL Group.
- Advising Restitution Impact Limited (a unique ESG-focused quasi-litigation fund) on its first fundraising.
- Advising Elaniti Limited on its seed and subsequent fundraisings.
- Advising a co-investor of KKR on the terms of a property investment joint venture.
- Advising Imperial College Innovations, the commercialisation arm of Imperial College London on in excess of 50 spin-outs.

## Credentials

### Education

- University of Law, L.P.C., 2013
- Newcastle University, LL.B., 2012

### Admissions

- England and Wales, 2016

## Expertise

### Services

- Corporate
- Private Equity

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