

# Topical issues for law firm partners

We are pleased to invite you to an exclusive seminar for law firm partners, in particular managing partners and finance partners, focusing on topical issues in the sector. This session will be led by Andrew Allen, partner and head of the legal sector team at accountancy firm PKF Francis Clark and partner Sonia Fisher.

**Monday 23rd February 2026**

**4.30pm – 6pm**

**Burnetts Solicitors, 1 Citygate, Gallowgate,  
Newcastle upon Tyne, NE1 4JE**

## Programme

**Welcome:** 4.45pm by The President of Newcastle and North of England Law Society, Paul Brown

**Presentation:** 4.50pm by Andrew Allen and Sonia Fisher of PKF Francis Clark

**Followed by:** 5.45pm Q&A and networking

## Summary of topics:

- Implication of the 2025 Autumn Budget - should law firms consider incorporation?
- An update on private equity investment in the legal sector, how this could affect your firm and how would an investor value your firm
- Reducing reliance on interest income profits in your law firm
- Methods to reduce the income tax burden in 2026

## About PKF Francis Clark's legal sector team

- PKF Francis Clark is a large independent chartered accountancy firm
- The legal sector team was established over 25 years ago and works with over 150 firms annually
- We advise the full range of UK law firms from smaller boutique firms to top 50 law firms
- There are 50 members of our legal sector team who all work virtually solely on law firms
- We provide compliance services and wide-ranging high level strategic support to our clients
- We are appointed to provide benchmarking services to NatWest and other UK legal groups



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## Reserve your place

There is no charge to attend this event but numbers are limited.

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