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## Areas of expertise

BVI Law in Europe and Asia

Corporate

Funds Hub

Investment Funds

Legal

Listing services

Private Equity

Private Wealth

Structured Finance

Trusts Advisory Group

Regulatory

## Background and experience

Diana focuses on corporate, banking and listing work. She advises on a broad range of corporate, banking, derivatives and finance transactions in respect of Guernsey and British Virgin Islands entities including legal opinions, migrations, amalgamations, real estate finance, acquisitions, restructuring and regulatory aspects and has over ten years' experience of listings on The International Stock Exchange and general listing services.

Prior to joining Ogier in May 2003, Diana was a Fellow of the Institute of Legal Executives for another leading offshore law firm where she had worked since 1990 and had worked her way up from legal secretary. Diana qualified as an English Solicitor in 2008 and as a BVI Solicitor in 2009.

### Admitted in:

2008 - England and Wales

2009 - British Virgin Islands

## Examples of work

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Team: Diana Collas, James Walsh, Tobi Oluborode, Andrew Tautscher

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Bryon Rees

Team: Michelle Watson Bunn, Diana Collas, James Walsh, Tobi Oluborode, Andrew Tautscher

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Tim Clipstone

Team: Michelle Watson Bunn, Diana Collas, James Hewlett

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Bryon Rees

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## Ogier assists £300 million Hillview Real Estate fund with... acquisition

Bryon Rees

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## Ogier advises in respect of £439 million student... housing joint venture between Downing and Tristan Capital

Bryon Rees

Team: Christopher Jones, Paul Chanter, Diana Collas, Caleb Holder, Matthew Macfarlane

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## News and insights

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## Ogier services in Guernsey going from strength to strength... in latest Legal 500 rankings

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## Ogier in Guernsey recognised as market leaders in Legal 500... UK 2024 guide

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## TISE launches new transition offering within its sustainabl... finance segment

Raulin Amy

Team: Paul Chanter, James Fox, Bruce MacNeil, Kate McCaffrey, Bryon Rees, Lucy Chambers, and 2 more

Guernsey, Jersey

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## Ogier in Guernsey achieves top tier rankings in Legal 500 UK 2023 guide

Christopher Jones

Team: Paul Chanter, Bryon Rees, Michaela Jesson, Michelle Watson Bunn, Diana Collas, Gabrielle Payne, and 14 more

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## Ogier's TISE listing team

Raulin Amy

Team: Bruce MacNeil, Lucy Chambers, Emily Renouf, Paul Chanter, Bryon Rees, Diana Collas, and 1 more

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## Top tier Guernsey teams stand out in Legal 500 UK

Martyn Baudains

Team: Paul Chanter, Tim Clipstone, Simon Davies, Bryan De Verneuil-Smith, Gavin Ferguson, Christopher Jones, and 12 more

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## Record results for Ogier in Guernsey in Legal 500 and IFLR legal directories

Martyn Baudains

Team: Tim Clipstone, Simon Davies, Gavin Ferguson, Christopher Jones, Mathew Newman, Bryon Rees, and 5 more

Guemsey

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23 April 2018

## Ogier named Best Offshore Law Firm by Chambers Europe for the second time in three years

Edward Mackereth

Team: Diana Collas

Guemsey, Jersey, London, Luxembourg Legal Services

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16 October 2017

## Top tier rankings for Ogier's financial, corporate and funds teams in Guernsey

Christopher Jones

Team: Bryon Rees, Diana Collas

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## Recognition

### "Key Lawyer"

Legal 500 UK, 2023

### "Rising star"

Legal 500 UK, 2021

"Rising star"

Legal 500 UK, 2020

"Diana was brilliant; calm, articulate and professional."

Client feedback, 2019

"They did an absolutely brilliant job of being proactive and problem solving."

Client feedback, 2019

"Responsive, clear, concise and practical advice, ability to meet tight deadlines."

IFLR 1000 2018

"She gave us clear, commercial advice and she was able to issue her opinion on time without too much hassle"

Client feedback

"She was friendly and helpful, approachable and easy to contact when we needed her"

Client feedback

"I found them to be very helpful, very polite, and very attentive and supportive"

Client feedback