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Areas of expertise

Corporate

Energy and Natural Resources

Legal

Mergers and Acquisitions

Private Equity

Restructuring and Insolvency

Banking and Finance

BVI Law in Europe and Asia

Equity Capital Markets

Islamic Finance

Trusts Advisory Group

Background and experience

Simon is part of Ogier's multi-disciplinary Private Equity team. He specialises in advising financial institutions and private equity sponsors on leveraged buyout and acquisition financing transactions.

Simon began his career in the corporate division at Herbert Smith where he worked from 1997 to 2001. In 2001 he left Herbert Smith, having been asked to set up the London corporate division of Washington DC based firm Shaw Pittman LLP, before moving to DLA Piper's corporate team in 2003. He became a Group Partner at Ogier in 2008.

Simon is a recommended / ranked lawyer in Chambers, Legal 500 and IFLR 1000. The Legal 500 UK 2020 edition describes him as "effective, energetic and intelligent."

Simon has been published in *Financier Worldwide*, *Offshore Investment*, *The Lawyer*, *Legal Week*, *European Lawyer*, *European CEO*, *Global Banking Financial Policy Review*, *Mining Journal* and *Jersey Finance*.

Admitted in:

2018 - Jersey

2005 - British Virgin Islands

1998 - England & Wales (non practising)

Examples of work

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Ogier advises Fortress Credit Corp in Vice Media restructuring

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Team: Oliver Richardson, James Angus, Oliver Passmore, Will Austin-Vautier, Chloe Watson-Hill

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Lithium company Livent advised by Ogier in US\$10.6... billion merger with Allkem

Alexander Curry

Team: Simon Dinning, Alex Fisher, Aaron Forster

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25 May 2023

Ogier advises Shimao on US\$395 million sale of London real... estate

Alexander Curry

Team: Simon Dinning, Chloe Watson-Hill, Alexandra Jones

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23 May 2023

Medicinal cannabis cultivator Northern Leaf advised by Ogier... in £3 million pre-IPO fundraising

Alexander Curry

Team: Simon Dinning, Chloe Watson-Hill, Marcela Tudose, Rebecca Brooke

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23 February 2023

Ogier's corporate team advises Wren House Infrastructure... on complex cross-border EV infrastructure charging joint venture

Oliver Richardson

Team: Simon Dinning, Kevin Grové, Tom Williamson, Chloe Watson-Hill

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News and insights

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Managing BVI companies

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Top tier rankings across the board for Ogier in Jersey in ne... Chambers UK guide

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Outstanding recognition for Ogier's top tier Jerse... teams in Legal 500 UK 2024

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Directors - are you interested?

Raulin Amy

Team: Alexander Curry, Simon Dinning, James Fox

Jersey

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Recognition

"Simon is a great lawyer. He is really responsive and has a great knowledge and understanding of the market"

Chambers UK, 2025

"Simon Dinning is technically very strong and provides clear, commercial and

sensible advice - he's one of the market-leading lawyers for Jersey"

Chambers UK, 2023

"Leading partner"

Legal 500 UK, 2025

"Hall of Fame"

Legal 500 UK, 2023

"Highly regarded"

IFLR1000, 2024

"Simon is an absolute pleasure to work with"

Chambers UK, 2023

"Leading Individual"

Legal 500 UK, 2024

"He is outstanding. I have worked with both onshore and offshore lawyers over many years and Simon embodies what clients look for in a lawyer"

Legal 500 UK, 2022

"Understands my business needs and tailors legal solutions accordingly. His knowledge and deal experience is crucial for me"

Chambers UK, 2022

"I would single out Simon Dinning who is excellent: he's a strong technical lawyer who is very commercial and practical"

Chambers UK, 2022

"Has established an exceptionally strong team which is able to be highly responsive and provides commercially astute advice"

Legal 500 UK, 2021

"Leading individual"

Legal 500 UK, 2021

"He is a real authority on both Jersey and BVI law. He delivers advice in a client friendly manner with a focus on solutions. This is something that he engenders in the rest of the team"

IFLR 1000, 2020

"Technically excellent, unbelievably client-focused and responsive"

Chambers UK, 2020