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### Areas of expertise

Corporate and Financial Services Disputes

Dispute Resolution

Legal

Regulatory

Restructuring and Insolvency

Shareholder and Valuation Disputes

## Background and experience

Matthew qualified as an English solicitor in March 2019 and in 2021 qualified as a Jersey Advocate, having trained with Ogier. He currently offers advice in relation to a broad range of areas including commercial and financial disputes, regulatory matters, shareholder disputes, and contentious trust matters.

During his training contract with Ogier, Matthew sat in the investment funds, corporate and private client and trusts teams.

Prior to joining Ogier, Matthew worked as a paralegal in the litigation department of another leading Jersey law firm, where he assisted on a wide range of contentious and non-contentious matters.

Matthew graduated from the University of Kent in 2014 with First Class Honours in Law, and went on to complete the Bar Professional Training Course at Nottingham Law School in 2015, attaining an overall mark of 'Very Competent'. Matthew achieved a distinction on the LPC at BPP University in 2017 while working at Ogier.

Matthew won IFC Lawyer of the Year - Associate (Bronze) at the Citywealth Future Leaders Awards 2020.

#### Admitted in:

2021 - Jersey

2019 - England and Wales

### **Examples of work**

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Etablissements
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Wentworth Resources

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Team: Simon Dinning, James Angus, Chloe Watson-Hill, Ralph Spencer-Tucker, Matthew Davies, Marcela Tudose, and 1 more

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Ogier succeeds in securing a multimillion fraud... judgment for BDO and Creditforce Limited

James Angus

Team: Nick Williams, Matthew Davies

Jersey

Case

7 February 2018

Ogier advises on £125 million UK student housing joint venture

Simon Schilder

Team: Matthew Davies

Jersey

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Ogier's "truly remarkable" Jersey team maintains top... tier rankings across six practice areas 2 October 2024 | 2 min read

Ogier's position as top tier law firm in Jersey cemented in... Legal 500 rankings 28 February 2024 | 4 min read

Variations to trusts: what does the Court need to know before... it will give its approval?

James Angus

Team: Rebecca McNulty, Matthew Davies, Lara Morand

Jersey

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4 October 2023 | 2 min read

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

28 March 2023 | 3 min read

An introduction to directors' duties and liabilities in Guernse... and Jersey

Bryan De Verneuil-Smith

Team: Simon Davies, Damian Evans, Oliver Passmore, Matthew Davies, Ralph Spencer-Tucker, Andrew Tautscher

Guemsey, Jersey

2 November 2022

Fraud and contracts:
Jersey's Royal Court
provides welcome...
clarification on the
impact of fraud
which induces a
contract

Damian Evans

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Top tier Ogier in

Top tier Ogier in Jersey leader in its field in Legal 500

Katrina Edge

Team: Bruce MacNeil, Kate McCaffrey, Raulin Amy, Alexander Curry, Jonathan Hughes, Katharine Marshall, and 28 more

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16 August 2022 | 2 min read

Snapshot: Jersey's impounder restrictions in... relation to discretionary trusts

Damian Evans

Team: Matthew Davies

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31 May 2022

Industry recognition for three of Ogier's rising stars in... eprivateclient Top 35 under 35 list

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Team: Matthew Davies

Guernsey, Jersey

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### Recognition

### "Associate to watch"

Chambers UK, 2025

"Key Lawyer"

Legal 500 UK, 2025

"Clear understanding of how to deal with technical matters and ability to find solutions to complex situations is admirable, and I could not have asked for a better team to work with on this client matter."

Legal 500 UK, 2024

"Showed strong commitment to the case and had an excellent knowledge of the facts and documentation, as well as the legal issues. Was very attentive to me as a client and was always prepared to step up and deal with issues when the partner was unavailable"

Legal 500 UK, 2023

"Hard working"

Legal 500 UK, 2023

"Top 35 Under 35"

ePrivateClient, 2022

"Matthew is an excellent practitioner. Considered and calm and insightful in his advice. He inspires confidence in clients and works well with co-counsel. A safe and quality pair of hands!"

Client feedback, Citywealth Leaders List, 2021

"IFC Lawyer of the Year - Associate (Bronze)"

Citywealth's Future Leaders Awards 2020

"Top 35 Under 35"

ePrivateClient, 2021