

MATRIX CHAMBERS
COMPETITION LAW PRACTITIONERS

Closing date for applications: 31 July 2025, 12PM

Matrix's Competition Team wishes to build on its recent successful expansion by recruiting a new junior member of up to five years' experience in competition law. We are seeking an outstanding specialist competition law junior to complement the existing team, who has completed their training and has either professional expertise or specialist academic qualifications in competition law.

Whilst we welcome applications from those presently undertaking the Practising Period of Pupillage, in order to commence this role, it will be necessary for a successful applicant to have obtained a Practising Pupillage Completion Form and have either applied for or obtained a Full Practising Certificate. If you are unsure about whether you would be eligible, please do not hesitate to contact us in confidence.

This is an exciting opportunity to join a busy, highly successful and growing team. We are looking for candidates who are passionate about their work and are able to demonstrate that they meet the following criteria:

- Demonstrates outstanding advocacy skills;
- Provides excellent client care;
- Committed to business development and highly skilled at building relationships, networking and maintaining a client base;
- Able to manage time effectively to meet deadlines and balance work/personal life;
- Committed to social responsibility at the Bar; and
- Passion for the law and public service.

Matrix's Core Values are at the heart of everything that we do, and candidates will need to demonstrate support of these in their work and professional relationships. Please see our [Core Values here](#). The successful candidate will also be expected to demonstrate a commitment to active participation in Matrix life.

Interested? What Now?

Applicants are asked to send their CV to Lindsay Clarke at recruitment@matrixlaw.co.uk along with a completed covering form outlining their aspirations for future practice, their reasons for applying to Matrix and a demonstration of how they meet the above criteria. The covering form can be found below or requested from Lindsay Clarke if required in an alternative format. All applications will be treated in the strictest confidence.

Potential applicants who wish to discuss their application may contact, in confidence, Rhodri Thompson KC (rhodrithompson@matrixlaw.co.uk), Lucinda Cunningham (lucindacunningham@matrixlaw.co.uk) or Chief Executive, Rachel Holmes (rachelholmes@matrixlaw.co.uk).

The closing date for applications is midday on 31 July 2025. Interviews are likely to take place in August/September 2025 but can be remote to allow for the vacation period. It is expected that the successful candidate would be invited to join Matrix for the start of the new legal term.

Positive Action Statement

Matrix strives to be an equal opportunities employer and is committed to diversity amongst its staff and members, including supporting flexible working. We therefore encourage and welcome applications from women, Black, Asian and minority ethnic individuals, disabled people, neurodiverse candidates and those who are LGBT+, as well as candidates from other groups which are underrepresented in the legal sector. We will make reasonable adjustments to enable disabled or neurodiverse candidates (including where a mental health issue is classified as a disability) to demonstrate their suitability for the position.