# **Womble Bond Dickinson**



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### **About our organisation:**

Womble Bond Dickinson is a transatlantic law firm, providing high quality legal capability to a wide range of regional, national and international clients from 27 key locations across the United States and the United Kingdom. In the UK, Womble Bond Dickinson advises in excess of 40 FTSE 350 companies, many of the largest businesses in the country, Government organisations and wealthy individuals. With a focus on 12 key sectors (Energy and Natural Resources; Financial Institutions; Healthcare; Insurance; Manufacturing; Real Estate; Retail and Consumer; Transport, Logistics and Infrastructure; Pharmaceuticals, Biotechnology and Life Sciences; Technology, public service, third sector and Private Wealth) the firm's experience allows it to build strong relationships and deliver an excellent service to clients. Here in Newcastle we are proud to include Nissan. Atom Bank and Venator in our client list.

### How many internships are you offering?

We are offering one internship.

### Where will the internship(s) be based?

In our Newcastle Quayside office.

# **Duration of internship:**

1 week.

# Dates of internship, if fixed:

Week commencing 21 September 2020.

## Working hours / hours per week:

35 hrs/week.

### About the internships:

An opportunity to work alongside our Newcastle teams to gain an appreciation of how a business operates and an insight into life at a transatlantic law firm.

Do applicants have to be studying a particular subject or in a particularly Faculty, or would a particular subject be preferable?

No.

Do applicants have to have any specific skills or existing knowledge? (for example, coding, social media expertise, foreign language ability, etc.):

No.

Do applicants have to be DBS checked?

No

# Describe your ideal intern in five words:

Enthusiastic, confident, driven, proactive, inquisitive.

#### **Remuneration:**

We will offer £325 per week. (The College has committed to providing free room-only accommodation in Durham City to all students undertaking internships, and limited travel subsidies to students undertaking unpaid placements during the summer vacation 2020.)

### We are supporting the Intern:NE initiative because:

We are passionate about the opportunities for graduates here in the North East and are keen to do everything we can to highlight what we can offer. Our Newcastle office is our largest with almost 500 employees including 16 trainee solicitors across two year groups. Trainees routinely speak of a "best of both worlds" experience in which they can do high quality work for reputable clients with the advantage of living in a fabulous region. Our Training Principal Paul Stewart moved here 18 years ago after qualifying in London and speaks about the ability to do high quality work for excellent clients in a friendly, supportive environment.

# How to apply for this internship:

Please send an up to date electronic CV and short video application explaining what you would bring to the internship (maximum 2 minutes long) to Helen Marr at <a href="mainto:helen.marr@wbd-uk-com">helen.marr@wbd-uk-com</a> by 5pm on Friday 3 April 2020.

# If you have any further questions about the internship, please contact:

Helen Marr (0191 279 9090) at helen.marr@wbd-uk-com