

Corporate, Commercial & Finance Law Training



The College of Law, in conjunction with the Practical Law Company (PLC), is pleased to offer an extensive range of corporate, commercial and finance law training courses.

Who are these courses for?

Our corporate, commercial and finance law courses are designed specifically for lawyers who are new to a practice area or those wishing to refresh their knowledge. All courses are ideal for junior (0-3PQE) lawyers. Firms that choose to run this training in-house often use this training as part of an introductory structured programme for their junior transactional lawyers.

About our courses

Most courses are of three hour duration, with some lasting 1 or 2 days. Some of the courses can be taken in conjunction with others to form a longer course covering several topics.

All courses feature up-to-date content and first-class delivery with an emphasis on minimising time away from fee-earning. The courses are designed and presented specifically to meet the training needs of busy transactional lawyers, and are structured to focus on the tasks that a junior lawyer is likely to undertake in practice.

Our courses are designed and taught by trainers with significant expertise and practical experience in major City firms. Learning is supported by the use of interactive case studies and drafting exercises.

Course numbers are strictly limited with participants sitting in small groups to create the best environment for effective training. All courses are integrated with PLC know-how services. Materials include copies of the slides, exercises, feedback to the exercises and detailed practice notes that are constantly updated online for the PLC Corporate Law service www.practicallaw.com/corporate.

The courses all qualify for CPD hours for both the Solicitors Regulatory Authority (SRA) and the Bar Standards Board and are approved as elective courses for the Professional Skills Course.

Delivery options

The majority of courses can be delivered both on a public or in-house basis. The course list featured overleaf is our public programme. Information on a wider range of courses available through our in-house programme can be found on our website: www.college-of-law.co.uk

Public training courses

Public courses are delivered at The College of Law, Moorgate London. Participants enrol on an individual basis and often come from firms with smaller corporate departments without a set in-house programme of training. One of the additional benefits of attending a public course is that it enables lawyers to meet and discuss relevant issues with lawyers from other firms and organisations, whilst at the same time increasing their expertise and keeping up-to-date with all recent developments.

In-house Training

Firms with a sufficient number of corporate lawyers have the option to run the programme of corporate, commercial and finance law courses in-house. This training can be arranged at either your premises or at the College's. There are many benefits of an in-house approach including a greater choice of courses, venues and dates. We will be happy to assist to design and run a programme to suit the specific needs of the firm. By encouraging your lawyers to work together, in-house training provides an excellent teambuilding opportunity.

Consortium Training

We are happy to assist those firms that do not have enough delegates to warrant in-house provision but still wish to receive in-house training to form consortia with other firms. This should enable them to choose which of the courses in a programme would most suit the needs of their lawyers as well as provide extra flexibility with dates and locations.

All the courses listed below are delivered as part of a structured public programme providing comprehensive training which delegates can rely on to cover the areas of practice most relevant to them and which can be completed over a 2 year period.

<p>Mergers & Acquisitions and Joint Ventures</p> <p>Acquisitions Overview & Due Diligence 3 hrs</p> <p>Warranties & Indemnities & Disclosure 3 hrs</p> <p>Consideration & Acquisition Finance 3 hrs</p> <p>Exchange & Completion & Financial Assistance 3 hrs</p> <p>Takeovers 6 hrs</p> <p>Asset Purchases 3 hrs</p> <p>Private Equity & Buyouts 3 hrs</p> <p>Joint Ventures 6 hrs</p> <p>Share Purchase Agreements 3 hrs</p>	<p>Life of a Listed Company</p> <p>AIM: The Alternative Investment Market 3 hrs</p> <p>Initial Public Offerings (IPOs) 6 hrs</p> <p>Financial Promotion 3 hrs</p> <p>Market Abuse and Insider Dealings 3 hrs</p> <p>Rights Issues, Open Offers & Placings 3 hrs</p> <p>Listed Company Transactions 3 hrs</p> <p>Share Capital, Borrowing and Insolvency</p> <p>Share Buybacks and Reduction of Capital 3 hrs</p> <p>Corporate Loan Facilities 3 hrs</p> <p>Taking Security 3 hrs</p> <p>Corporate Insolvency 3 hrs</p>	<p>Companies Act and other Essentials</p> <p>Companies Act - Overview 3 hrs</p> <p>Companies Act - Private Companies 3 hrs</p> <p>Companies Act - Public Companies 3 hrs</p> <p>Public Companies 3 hrs</p> <p>Directors Duties 3 hrs</p> <p>Shares and Share Capital 3 hrs</p> <p>Execution of Documents 3 hrs</p> <p>Company Meetings 3 hrs</p> <p>Groups and Reorganisations 3 hrs</p> <p>Pensions for Corporate Lawyers 3 hrs</p>	<p>Commercial</p> <p>Contract Law in Practice 3 hrs</p> <p>Terms and Conditions of Sale 3 hrs</p> <p>Agency Distributorship and Franchising 6 hrs</p> <p>Corporate Drafting 6 hrs</p> <p>Tax</p> <p>Tax for Corporate Lawyers 3 hrs</p> <p>Tax for Banking Lawyers 3 hrs</p>
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Course dates can be found on our website: www.college-of-law.co.uk

E-brochure

You can access and print our full course listing, comprehensive course outlines, tutor biographies and further information by downloading our full e-brochure from www.college-of-law.co.uk/plc-e-brochure.

You can also view our online timetable on the website for details of forthcoming course dates.

Prices: public courses

3 hour course - £275 + VAT

6 hour course - £525 + VAT

Please check our website for information on special offers and discounts.

You can download a booking form from our website www.college-of-law.co.uk

Feedback from previous delegates

"A well paced course with good materials. The knowledgeable tutor made the course interesting and as a trainee I definitely learnt a lot."

Katy Preston, Trainee Solicitor, Cobbetts LLP

"An engaging tutor who made the course varied and interesting by sharing own knowledge. Neat summaries and handouts provided"

James Darbyshire, Associate, Corporate Finance

Contact us

For further information or to book, please call us on 01483 216216 or e-mail us at pd@lawcol.co.uk. Alternatively, visit www.college-of-law.co.uk. You can also Book Online.

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