

The guide recognised 29 Mayer Brown lawyers as “Leading Partners”:

- Alex Dell - Asset based lending
- Dominic Griffiths - Asset based lending; Securitisation
- Simon Fisher - Asset based lending
- Victoria Thompson – Asset based lending
- Chris Harvey - Commercial property: corporate occupiers; Commercial property: investment
- Caroline Humble - Commercial property: investment; Commercial property: development
- Iain Roberts - Commercial property: corporate occupiers; Commercial property: development
- Kwadwo Sarkodie - Construction: contentious
- Jonathan Stone – Construction: contentious, Professional negligence
- Michael Fiddy - Corporate restructuring & insolvency
- Peter Pears - Debt capital markets
- Ashley McDermott - Emerging markets
- Rachel Speight - Emerging markets; Infrastructure: project finance and development; Mining and minerals
- Miriam Bruce – Employers
- Christopher Fisher – Employers
- Jason Hungerford – EU and competition: trade, WTO anti-dumping and customs
- Chris Chapman – Financial services: contentious
- Colin Scagell – Insurance: corporate and regulatory
- Devi Shah - Insurance: corporate and regulatory
- Raid Abu-Manneh - International arbitration
- Kate Ball-Dodd - M&A upper mid-market and premium deals, £750m+

- Richard Nelson – Oil and gas
- Bob Palmer - Oil and gas
- Jay Doraisamy - Pensions: non-contentious
- James West – Private equity: transactions – mid-market deals (up to £500m)
- James Morris – Professional negligence
- David O’Connor - Securitisation
- Robert Hamill - TMT
- Charles Thain – Trade Finance

Ten Mayer Brown lawyers were recognised in the “Hall of Fame”:

- Ian McDonald - Banking litigation: investment and retail
- Jeremy Clay - Commercial property: investment
- Michael Regan - Construction: contentious; Professional negligence
- Sally Davies - Construction: contentious; Professional negligence
- Edmund Parker - Derivatives and structured products
- Ian Coles - Emerging markets; Mining and minerals
- Kate Ball-Dodd – Equity capital markets – small-mid cap
- Michael Hutchinson - Environment
- Sam Eastwood - Regulatory investigations and corporate crime (advice to corporates)
- Chris McGarry - Securitisation

Twelve Mayer Brown lawyers were recognised as “Next Generation Partners”:

- Ravi Amin - Asset based lending
- Ash McDermott – Bank lending: investment grade debt and syndicated loans

- James Morris - Construction: contentious
- Nanak Keswani - Derivatives and structured products
- Duncan Watson - Pensions: non-contentious
- Harriet Hainsworth - Equity capital markets – small-mid cap; TMT
- Jawad Ahmad - International arbitration
- Rachael O’Grady - International arbitration
- Tarun Patel - Private equity: transactions – mid-market deals (up to £500m)
- Tim Baines – Environment
- Musonda Kapotwe – Financial services: non-contentious/regulatory
- Kitty Swanson - Corporate tax

Seven Mayer Brown lawyers were recognised as “Leading Associates”:

- Veronica Lee - Asset based lending
- Lauren Theodoulou - Banking litigation: investment and retail
- James Beattie - Private equity: transactions – mid-market deals (up to £500m)
- Daniel Williams - Private equity: transactions – mid-market deals (up to £500m)
- Annabel Ersser - Property finance
- Robert Hobson - Professional negligence
- James Ford - ESG

The complete list of categories in which Mayer Brown is ranked in the 2026 edition of the Legal 500 UK includes:

- Acquisition finance
- Asset based lending
- Bank lending: investment grade debt and syndicated loans

- Banking litigation: investment and retail
- Commercial litigation: premium
- Commercial property: corporate occupiers
- Commercial property: development
- Commercial property: investment
- Construction: contentious
- Construction: non-contentious
- Corporate restructuring & insolvency
- Corporate tax
- Data protection, privacy and cybersecurity
- Debt capital markets
- Derivatives and structured products
- Emerging markets
- Employee share schemes
- Employers
- Environment
- Equity capital markets: small-mid cap
- ESG
- EU and competition
- EU and competition: trade, WTO anti-dumping and customs
- Financial services: contentious
- Financial services: non-contentious/regulatory
- Fintech: corporate and commercial
- Fintech: regulatory
- Fraud: civil

- Hospitality and leisure
- Infrastructure: project finance and development
- Insurance and reinsurance litigation
- Insurance: corporate and regulatory
- International arbitration
- IT and telecoms
- M&A: upper mid-market and premium deals, £750m+
- Mining and minerals
- Oil and gas
- Pensions: dispute resolution
- Pensions: non-contentious
- Private equity: transactions – mid-market deals (up to £500m)
- Product liability: defendant
- Professional negligence
- Property finance
- Public international law
- Regulatory investigations and corporate crime (advice to corporates)
- Securitisation
- TMT
- Trade finance
- VAT and indirect tax