PKF FRANCISCLARK
Chartered accountants & business advisers

Forensic Accounting

The PKF Francis Clark Forensic Accounting team provides a quick, expert response based on over 30 years' experience in more than 1,000 cases. When you, or your client, have a dispute involving money, you need experienced operators on your side.

Our Team

- Rapid reaction - solving your or your clients' problems quickly
- Specialist expertise - highly trained and experienced professionals
- Senior experienced partners with courtroom skills
- A reputation for quality and integrity
- Fee levels reflecting a regional cost base - value for money
- Hands-on, thoughtful, deduction - ensuring the problem gets the attention it deserves

Experience

- Frequently recommended by both sides as a single joint expert
- Over 1,000 cases, 50+ of which have gone to Court
- Extensive experience of giving evidence
- Act for lawyers, insurers, corporates, loss adjusters and assessors
- Cases range from quantum less than £5K to Serious Fraud Office prosecutions

Our services

- Fraud investigations
- Personal injury, dependency and medical claims
- Business interruption
- Insurance claims
- Business sale disputes (breach of warranty / misrepresentation)
- Partnership disputes
- Construction disputes
- Divorce valuations, investigations and reports on funding
- Security for costs
- Professional negligence
- Proceeds of Crime / Money laundering

Forums

- County Court
- Crown Court
- High Court
- Arbitrations
- Mediations
- Tribunals

Why pick us?

We believe in getting to the nub of the problem straight away. With experience from over 30 years and more than 1,000 cases, even if we haven't seen a similar problem before we have the ability and desire to chase down the issues and identify or help provide the relevant evidence. We also have the resources to call on specialist advice where the case needs it, such as tax, VAT or insolvency expertise.

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Stuart Cowen
BSc FCA MAE

Partner
Forensic Accounting

Stuart has wide experience in forensic accounting issues having acted in over 1,000 cases, some 50 of which have gone to trial. He has given extensive oral evidence in County, Crown and High Courts and other tribunals. These cases range from personal injury and commercial/professional negligence claims to valuations of businesses in divorces and fraud/money laundering prosecutions.

Stuart joined PKF Francis Clark as Partner in charge of Forensic Accounting in 1999, having previously been the senior manager of PricewaterhouseCoopers' Forensic Accounting department South West and Wales region.

Stuart is a Chartered Accountant, a Member of the Academy of Experts, an Accredited Mediator and is an Accredited Forensic Accountant and Expert Witness by the Institute of Chartered Accountants England and Wales.

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William Law
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Partner
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Bill has over 30 years of experience in accounting, and during this time has developed a breadth of experience in dealing with complex forensic accounts cases. He has provided expert witness reports for mediation and Court purposes and has given extensive oral evidence in Court. These cases range from fraud investigation to business valuations and divorce related matters.

Bill has been a partner since 1990 having previously qualified as a member of the Institute of Chartered Accounts in England and Wales at a top 10 firm of Accountants.

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Adrian Way
BA(Hons) FCCA ACA

Manager
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Adrian has a wide range of experience in dealing with forensic accounting issues. His accounting background has proved invaluable to help understand complex accounting issues and to review accounting systems for potentially fraudulent transactions. He also has also developed a wide experience in the valuation of businesses for matrimonial, sale or litigation purposes.

Adrian qualified as a Chartered Certified Accountant in 2004 and joined the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales in 2011.

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How can we help?

We will be more than happy to provide you with assistance or any additional information you may require.

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