Careers in Law, Finance & Media

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Wednesday 1 February 2023 - 7.00pm to 9.00pm

We are overwhelmed that four incredibly experienced professionals have agreed to attend our evening event, presenting their pathway into careers within their areas of expertise, as well as sharing some of the exciting projects they have been involved with to date. This event will take place on Wednesday 1 February 2023 at WHSB between 7.00pm and 9.00pm. Please book your free tickets ASAP via TicketSource which can be accessed at https://whsb.ticketsource.co.uk/. The event is open to pupils in all year groups, their families, carers and our local secondary school community as well.



Fiona Colwell, Partner, Paul Robinson Solicitors LLP

Fiona qualified as a Solicitor in 2001 at a commercial law firm in Bournemouth. She moved to Paul Robinson Solicitors in 2002 and made Partner in 2010. Fiona heads up the Dispute Resolution department and deals predominantly with company/commercial disputes as well as employment matters. In addition, she also enjoys undertaking corporate work.



Adam Berry, Senior Cash Management Consultant, HSBC

Adam is a Senior Cash Management Consultant at HSBC, helping corporate businesses to manage Money Transmission and Payment needs on a global scale in the most efficient ways possible. Adam has a 15-year career in the banking sector with a varied range of roles and experiences to share, ranging from Personal Lending, Banking Operations and most recently in the corporate and commercial arena.

Louisa Murray, Global Head, Key Accounts & Partners, Railsr



A financial services pioneer, Louisa was one of CIBC's and Barclays Bank's first female traders. Part of the founding team of Railsr, the leading embedded finance fintech platform, Louisa combines her keen eye for profitability with a commitment to nurturing and supporting the Railsr team through rapid growth. She strongly believes in good communication, learning to prioritise and helping every individual recognise and develop their own special talents. Louisa is currently the Global Head for Key Accounts and Partners at Railsr.



Paul Phelps, CEO, AMS Media Group

Paul emerged from a "fragmented" education with a Postgraduate Diploma in Advertising, which eventually led him from Tea Boy to CEO of a London-based Media Agency. He is a passionate exponent of the independent agency sector and conducted a MBO from the founder in 2004, overseeing the agency's evolution from analogue to digital. He is experienced in planning ad campaigns across all media channels and has worked with a wide range of brands spanning multiple market sectors. Over the years, major clients have included household names such as Red Bull, Jägermeister, Royal Ascot, Royal Caribbean and Givenchy. As a result, he much prefers working on challenger brands with big ambitions than clients stifled by protocols and politics.

We hope that you find this WHSB Careers Evening interesting, helpful and informative. Feedback is always welcomed, as well as offers of support for future events. Please contact Mr Martin Atkinson at atkinsonm@whsb.essex.sch.uk. Thank you for your support.