

London-based derivatives lawyer

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Straumur-Burdaras is extending its product range into what is a relatively new area for the bank - the derivative and structured products market. The successful candidate will be integral to the establishment and growth of this offer and will quickly be involved in helping the capital markets team create new products. You will also use your derivatives knowledge to structure deals before the term sheet stage.

In addition, with the assistance of external counsel, you will be responsible for setting up the internal processes to ensure that deals are transacted smoothly and efficiently. You will have extensive knowledge of derivatives and structured finance (the bank covers a range of asset classes, including currency, interest rates, commodities, equity, etc), and experience of working in the London market, ideally with some time spent in-house.

For a totally confidential discussion about this opportunity, please call Marcia Fawns at Law Professionals on 020 7845 4286, or email marciafawns@lawprofessionals.co.uk. Law Professionals has been exclusively retained on this project and all direct or third-party CVs will be forwarded to them for their consideration. Law Professionals is a recruitment consultancy which is part of Hydrogen Group Plc.

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