

Why

IQ-EQ Guernsey

Guernsey is a long-established financial centre of excellence of more than 50 years. It's key finance sectors are wealth management, funds, fiduciary services, insurance and banking. One of three island territories within the British Isles, Guernsey boasts an environment of political stability and high-quality regulation.

The island has led the way in innovation, establishing the first protected cell company (PCC) in 1997 and launching the Guernsey Green Fund, the world's first regulated green fund, in 2018. Guernsey is also the headquarters of The International Stock Exchange and offers a regulated marketplace with globally recognisable clients.

With two offices and 120 people experienced in all areas of private wealth, fund and corporate services, we can provide a holistic offering to meet all of our clients' needs.



Guernsey has 50 years of expertise as a centre for international finance

Guernsey's Tax Neutrality facilitates substantial investment to and from the UK and Europe

Guernsey has a **top credit rating** of AA- credit from Standard & Poor's, representing the island's 'very strong' capacity to meet its financial commitments

Service quality is high; Guernsey is a great place to live, attracting top intellectual talent enabling a strong, stable and qualified workforce

A British Crown Dependency, Guernsey is **outside of the UK and EU,** however it shares the UK time zone and is just a 35-minute flight from London

The Bailiwick of Guernsey is **self-governing and self-funding**; it is politically stable with it's own democratically elected parliament responsible for domestic affairs, economy and tax regime and enjoys autonomy in tax and regulatory matters

Guernsey has best-in-class regulation; with a pragmatic and flexible yet robust regime

Why choose IQ-EQ in Guernsey

Comprehensive service offering: You operate across different industry segments and asset classes – we provide a complete suite of services for fund and asset managers and private and institutional asset owners

Global network: You have global structures and investments – we deliver expert services from our network of offices in 24 jurisdictions across 4 continents

Proprietary technology solutions: Technology is a key component of your strategy – we have developed technology solutions tailored to your needs; such as MaxComply, our RegTech system, IQ-EQ Cosmos, our multi-asset class reporting platform and IQ-EQ Compass, our ESG monitoring technology

Industry-leading fund administration and accounting software: You rely on quality data – we use Allvue, Yardi, FIS Investran and PFS Paxus

ESG solutions: ESG ambitions and ESG compliance are important to you – we have developed a comprehensive ESG solution for all clients from asset managers to private investors and their portfolio companies

Service standards: We understand that there is no one-size-fits-all approach for our clients and we pride ourselves on offering a boutique and flexible style to client servicing. Each of our clients has a Client Servicing Director and team, who are dedicated to client servicing alone, enabling us to provide you with attention to detail and a high-touch, highly responsive approach.



How IQ-EQ can help

all major asset owners, including both

institutional and private.

With our deep knowledge of fund structures, trusts and foundations and estate planning alongside our extensive experience in providing advice on corporate structures, we can deploy our local expertise to help you in all areas of asset ownership and management. As your business expands, so too do your compliance risks and administrative burdens. From entity establishment and Director services, to tax compliance and accounting, we provide a 'one stop shop' solution for your end-to-end business functions. With our support, your company can continue to grow while avoiding the standard business bottlenecks. Our tailor-made solutions enable you to not only focus on your firm's core activities but also retain its entrepreneurial speed and agility as it expands.

Our expertise Our services Segments Closed-ended Guernsey and non-Full fund administration Guernsey Funds specialising in: Company secretarial services Private Equity Regulatory compliance Venture Capital Director services Hybrid funds GP services Fund & Asset Managers Real Estate FCA authorised representative services We can do the A-Z, everything needed Credit funds Depositary services to start, operate and grow your fund. Listed funds All ancillary services including FATCA/ We spot and address obstacles before CRS, AML services Digital assets they appear. Whatever stage your ESG and Green funds fund is at, we have the expertise to fully support your needs wherever you operate from and wherever you domicile your structures. Full suite Corporate services: Company formation / liquidation Real Estate Full corporate administration service Merger & Acquisition Corporate secretarial services **SPACs** Director services SPVs ESG services Corporates Debt structuring Accounting services We provide corporate and accounting Securitisation services to multinationals, asset managers and corporate firms. Private Trust companies Entity establishment Managed Trust companies Provision of qualified professionals Family Offices Portfolio administration and monitoring solutions - public and private assets Foundations Asset protection Luxury assets and lifestyle management Succession planning Governance and asset holding Private & Institutional structures Luxury assets **Asset Owners** Risk management, compliance and Real Estate reporting We are uniquely placed to deliver a suite of Middle-East Legal and tax advice liaison and asset services specifically tailored around Pensions stewardship the strategy and desired outcomes of Employer solutions

ESG services



Key facts and figures*

People worldwide Worldwide locations

Assets under administration

Minimum senior team experience Funds under administration

4750⁺

25

\$750⁺bn

20yrs

800+

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MIDDLE EAST

United Arab Emirates

EUROPE

Belgium Cyprus France Guernsey Ireland Isle of Man Switzerland

Jersey Luxembourg

The Netherlands

UK

AFRICA

Mauritius South Africa

ASIA

Mainland China Hong Kong India Japan **Philippines** Singapore











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