



# Omar Malek

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Omar Malek assists clients with corporate and corporate real estate matters, including mergers and acquisitions, strategic joint ventures, private equity, company reorganisations and general corporate matters.

## Counsel with big-picture view of complex corporate matters

Omar routinely advises clients on multijurisdictional matters across a broad range of industries including real estate, financial services and hospitality representing corporate clients and owner-managed businesses.

Before joining Katten, Omar worked as a solicitor at a large firm in London focusing on private company M&A, inward investments and corporate real estate. He previously trained and qualified as a Chartered Accountant with a Big Four professional services firm, where he focused on real estate, hospitality, construction and marine industries.

Omar is multilingual, fluent in English and Malay, and proficient in Indonesian.

## Recognitions

*Recognized or listed in the following:*

- *The Legal 500 United Kingdom*
  - Recommended Attorney, 2024

## News

- Katten Advises Areim in First Joint Venture European Acquisition With VGP (May 21, 2024)
- Katten Acclaimed in The Legal 500 United Kingdom 2024 Guide (October 4, 2023)
- Katten Represents Lead Investor in Financing of a Game-Changing Mexican Fintech Company (August 16, 2023)

## Practices

- Corporate
- Mergers and Acquisitions
- United Kingdom

## Education

- ICAS, Institute of Chartered Accountants of Scotland
- GDL, University of Law, London, *LPC, MSc*
- BA, Lancaster University, *with honours*

## Bar Admissions

- England and Wales

## Publications

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- UK M&A Transactions: Key Considerations for US Buyers (July 16, 2024)
- *UK Financial Insights from Katten* | Issue 9 (March 2024)
- Companies House Reforms Begin to Bite on 4 March 2024 (March 18, 2024)
- Fraud, Reform and the Registrar: Economic Crime and Corporate Transparency Act 2023 (November 27, 2023)
- You Say Hello. I Say Goodbye: The *DnaNudge* Case and Differences of Opinion on Share Conversions and Other Variations of Class Rights (November 6, 2023)
- *ESG Guidepost* | Issue 3 (June 2023)
- Go Green or Go Home: ESG's Increasing Impact on M&A in the UK and Europe (June 22, 2023)
- More Money, More Problems: Providing additional capital to UK companies in turbulent times (May 16, 2023)
- Hot Topics in Private M&A Transactions in the UK: Macroeconomic Uncertainty, Cash Is King and Bridging Value Gaps (March 27, 2023)
- Financial Markets and Funds Quick Take | Issue 11 (February 21, 2023)
- Register of Overseas Entities – Approaching Deadline of 31 January 2023 (January 25, 2023)
- Financial Markets and Funds Quick Take | Issue 7 (October 12, 2022)
- The UK National Security and Investment Act – Guidance Notes (September 14, 2022)
- Financial Markets and Funds Quick Take | Issue 5 (August 16, 2022)
- UK Real Property Beneficial Ownership Register Progresses in England and Wales (August 8, 2022)