

## Mishcon de Reya

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Founded by Victor Mishcon in a one-room office in Brixton in 1937 we now have offices in London and New York, employ more than 500 people, with over 300 lawyers offering a wide range of legal services to companies and individuals.

In every area of the law that we operate, Mishcon de Reya prides itself in providing a best in class service to its clients. Specifically we offer the following legal services: corporate; dispute resolution; employment; family; private client; and real estate. An entrepreneurial spirit - where candour and involvement are key - characterises our ability to develop and execute the strategies required to achieve our clients' goals in all these areas.

We are an independent firm with an international footprint that extends far beyond our offices in London and New York. A large part of our business is advising on multi-jurisdictional transactions and disputes; established links with overseas practices help serve the needs of our increasingly international client base.

Our clients are dynamic and sophisticated and we reflect that in our belief in challenging the conventional or accepted ways of working. We like to solve problems quickly. We fiercely guard our clients' interests, recognising the significant nexus between business affairs and personal affairs and the ways in which this affects our clients.

We appreciate the privilege of sitting alongside our clients as a trusted advisor. Building strong personal connections to our clients and their businesses is important to us. It is for these reasons we say 'It's business. But it's personal'.

#### What makes us different?

Our service. Our values. Our people.

#### Our Service

We provide the highest quality legal services. We understand the privilege of being our clients' lawyers. We focus on delivering value to our clients.

#### Our Values

Integrity and frankness. Respect for the individual. The importance of diversity. Openness to new ideas. A sustainable business.

Giving back: Our social impact strategy supports our fee earners to each deliver 50 hours of pro bono work per year; offers a range of opportunities for support staff to volunteer with charities and we donate directly to good causes.

#### Our People

Talented: We were named one of eprivateclient's Top 25 Law Firms; eight of our lawyers featured in the Spear's 500 Index 2016; three lawyers have reached the shortlist for this year's Citywealth Future Leaders Awards.

Well trained: At Mishcon we've always believed in the importance of continuing to learn. Striving to do things better is the only way to stay head of our competitors. Learning lets us do this: as individuals, as a firm and for the benefit of our clients. That's why we've opened the Academy, our own dedicated in-house place of learning, development and new thinking.

Spirited and happy: This is the ninth consecutive year Mishcon de Reya has appeared in the Sunday Times 'Best Companies to Work For' list: ranked 17th, the highest placed London law firm. Investors in People Gold Standard.

At Mishcon de Reya, our heritage in private client work is at the heart of our firm. Historically, the private client focus has been on tax and estate planning, trust and succession disputes, and family.

Mishcon Private brings together these areas while, at the same time, broadening the practice to include reputation protection, immigration, family office management, fraud defence, residential property and art. Our clients include wealthy individuals and families and range from the high profile to the very discreet.

Whatever the subject, our role is the same: fiercely to guard our clients' interests, and that often means showing we care beyond the call of duty, making their problems our own, so that they can feel confident we will solve them quickly and professionally.

The team at Mishcon Private comprises litigators, media law experts, art, tax and immigration specialists, and is highly experienced at dealing with family disputes and complex multi-jurisdictional cases. The diversity and experience of our lawyers enables them to appreciate and adapt to the client and issue at hand, acting as advisors who can be trusted to offer wise counsel in troubled times and who will be there to help our clients navigate special situations.

We engender close personal relationships with our clients, placing a premium on trust and mutual respect. We provide practical and inventive solutions, combining our legal expertise with commercial, real world advice. If disputes cannot be avoided, we endeavor to resolve them with minimum fuss. Our tenacious litigators will act swiftly to enforce or defend our clients' rights without incurring unnecessary risk or expense.

At Mishcon de Reya our clients know that whatever the issue, however dramatic the implications and high the stakes, they can leave it with us.



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