

# Accuracy promotes four new partners in its Paris, Montreal and Singapore offices

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Accuracy, the international independent advisory firm, has promoted four of its directors to partners in its Paris, Montreal and Singapore offices. This brings the total number of Accuracy partners to 56, spread across 13 countries.



#### René Pigot

René has over 13 years of professional experience in strategic and economic advisory services. He joined Accuracy in 2015 after first gaining experience over seven years in an economic advisory firm. Today, René supports company management teams in the energy and telecoms sectors in their strategic decision-making through market analyses and development plan reviews, and their translations into financial plans.

He has also developed recognised expertise in economic analysis applied to competition law and in particular the valuation of damages.



### **Philippe Legris**

Philippe has over 15 years of experience in advisory services, acquired in particular in a Big Four firm and through various roles at the Banque Nationale and the Mouvement Desjardins in Canada.

He works on behalf of clients in the financial services sector (banks, insurers, pension funds) on strategic and quantitative issues closely related to innovation challenges.

Philip holds a bachelor's degree in actuarial science from the Université du Québec à Montréal (2006) and completed his training by obtaining the Financial Risk Manager and Chartered Financial Analyst

qualifications in 2009 and 2011 respectively.



#### **Zaheer Minhas**

Zaheer's experience comes from providing advisory services to the public and private sectors as well as in infrastructure in Europe and Asia over 22 years. Before joining Accuracy, Zaheer worked at a Big Four firm for 12 years (in the UK and Singapore), advising clients on large-scale infrastructure projects. He also worked as an engineer at the Land Transport Authority in Singapore, where he participated in the planning, conception and the commissioning of metro lines in Singapore. Zaheer has advised clients in the lifestyle & leisure, transport, health and energy sectors.

Zaheer holds an MBA from the Booth School of Business at the University of Chicago and a BEng (Hons) from the University of Leeds. He is also a member of the Institution of Engineering and Technology (MIET) and a chartered engineer (CEng).



### **Samuel Widdowson**

Before joining Accuracy in 2018, Samuel worked for a number of large international advisory and construction companies. Samuel's professional experience spans 20 years in the construction, engineering and large industrial project sectors. He spent 10 years in the UK before moving to the Middle East in 2010 and then to Asia in 2014, where he gained significant experience in litigation.

Samuel has advised clients in the planning and construction of hotels, residential buildings, office buildings, airports, and leisure and healthcare facilities.

He has testified before the High Court of Singapore and in the context of international arbitration under ICC, SIAC, WTO and European Commission rules.

Samuel is a member of both the CIArb and the SIArb and holds an LLM in construction law and arbitration, as well as a BSc (Hons) in construction management.

**Frédéric Duponchel,** CEO of Accuracy: "We are delighted to welcome René, Philippe, Zaheer and Samuel to the Accuracy partnership. The combination of their expertise presents a considerable benefit to our international operations."



## **About Accuracy:**

Accuracy is a wholly independent international consulting firm providing advice to company management and shareholders for their strategic or critical decisions, notably in transactions, disputes and crises.

Accuracy's strength is to connect strategy, facts and figures. Accuracy's teams are international and multicultural, combining various skills to provide bespoke services to our clients. We recruit consultants from the best.

Accuracy is present in 13 countries in Europe, North America, Asia, Middle East and Africa and leads engagements all over the world.

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