60-SECONDS WITH:



- What is your key area of practice?
- My work is primarily personal tax advice, with a strong focus on international clients both with or looking to have a presence in the UK.
- What are you most going to focus on in the next 12 months?
- Taking advantage of seeing people in person, especially going to meetings to learn the tricks of the trade.
- What do you see as the biggest upcoming challenge you face as a practitioner?
- A The increasing regimes of transparency and compliance. Sometimes they can overwhelm the actual legal advice.
- Why did you choose to attend TL4 x ConTrA's Private Client Summer School and what did you achieve from attending?
- A It was one the first events I could attend. I got to meet a lot of new people which has been ... challenging over the last 18 months.

- How did it feel to be back at a physical event?
- A Brilliant, and the set up was perfect. You could almost forget what has been going on.
- What was your key takeaway from any one of the sessions at Private Client Summer School over the 2 days?
- A Mine was about the importance of working with trustees and intermediaries to effect what is best for the client, not just what they want. Don't think I ever learned where the fire meeting point was though.
- What would you say to people thinking of attending one of our summer schools in the future?
- A Do it! A great chance to get up to speed on new law, learn some top tips and mix with your peers in a relaxed environment.
- What does the perfect weekend look like?
 - It really depends on how busy my week has been, though at the moment I am trying to catch up with people as much as possible.

 Can't go wrong with a pub lunch by a fire on a dreary day though.

- What is the one thing you could not live without?
- My glasses. Boring but practical. I need to read a lot for my job.
- Who would you most like to invite to a dinner party?
- A Nigella Lawson if she offers to cook...

