# DATA PROTECTION OFFICER





#### **SPECIALISMS**

- Financial sector
- Data Processing Agreements
- International Data Transfers
- DSARs
- Consent
- Breaches/Risk Assessments
- Data Retention
- ▼ RoPA/IAR

#### **PROFILE**

Ian is a highly experienced data protection and privacy expert, having once been a member of the UK's Information Commissioner's Office (ICO) international team. He has also worked for several legal, finance and retail organisations and as a consultant supporting numerous clients with various data protection challenges.

Regarded as a data privacy subject matter expert, Ian uses his wealth of knowledge and experience to provide bespoke advice, training and guidance. He is known for his ability to translate complex technical knowledge into practical, risk-based and business-focussed solutions. An asset to the team, Ian enjoys helping organisations maintain the highest standards of data protection.

### **QUALIFICATIONS**

- CIPP/E
- BA (Hons) French and European Studies, Liverpool Hope University

## **SAMPLE EXPERIENCE**

As Director of Data Protection, Ian established a range of new operating models, including bespoke dashboards to provide insight into data protection and privacy controls such as DPIA completion and rights request handling.

As Data Protection Officer and Data Privacy Manager, Ian led a range of privacy projects, carrying out data protection audits for clients in sectors including banking, retail, construction and wealth management. He advised on data protection elements for contractual negotiations with clients and suppliers and created a suite of e-modules to support data privacy training and awareness. Ian's wealth of knowledge enabled him to design and implement numerous policies and produce high-quality reports.

