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| Question | Response | Full equity solicitor partners | Salaried or partial equity solicitor partners | Solicitor (not partner) | ```Other fee earning role``` | Role directly supporting fee earner | Managerial Role | IT/ HR/ other corporate services role | Chartered Legal Executive (Fellow) / CILEx <br> Practitioner | Costs Lawyer | Prefer not to say |
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| 1. Role Category |  | 7 | 15 | 21 | 26 | 22 | 6 | 9 | 5 | 1 | 3 |
| 2. Which age category are you in? - Aggregated data for your firm | 16-24 |  |  |  | 5 | 1 |  |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | 25-34 |  | 2 | 9 | 10 | 6 | 1 | 5 | 1 |  |  |
|  | 35-44 | 1 | 8 | 6 | 5 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
|  | 45-54 | 3 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 4 | 2 |  | 1 |  |  |
|  | 55-64 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 4 | 4 |  | 2 | 1 |  | 1 |
|  | 65+ |  |  |  |  | 3 | 1 |  |  |  |  |
|  | Prefer not to say |  |  |  |  | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Invalid / no response to this question |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 3. What is your sex? Aggregated data for your firm | Male | 6 | 8 | 3 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 2 |  |  |  |
|  | Female | 1 | 7 | 18 | 22 | 20 | 4 | 7 | 5 | 1 | 3 |
|  | Other preferred description |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Prefer not to say |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Invalid / no response to this question |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 4. Is the gender you identify with the same as your sex registered at birth? - Aggregated data for your firm | Yes, gender identity the SAME as sex at birth | 7 | 15 | 21 | 26 | 22 | 6 | 9 | 5 | 1 | 3 |
|  | No, gender identity NOT THE SAME as sex at birth |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Prefer not to say |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Invalid / no response to this question |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 5. Do you consider yourself to have a disability according to the definition in the Equality Act 2010? - Aggregated data for your firm | Yes | 7 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 3 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | No |  | 13 | 18 | 25 | 19 | 6 | 9 | 5 | 1 | 3 |
|  | Prefer not to say |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Invalid / no response to this question |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 6. Are your day-to-day activities limited because of a health problem or disability which has | Yes, limited a lot |  |  |  |  | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Yes, limited a little |  | 4 | 4 | 2 | 1 |  | 2 |  |  |  |
|  | No | 7 | 11 | 16 | 24 | 19 | 6 | 7 | 5 | 1 | 3 |

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| lasted, or is expected to last, at | Prefer not to say |  |  | 1 |  | 1 | , |  |  |  |  |
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| least 12 months? - Aggregated data for your firm | Invalid / no response to this question |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Bangladeshi |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Chinese |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Indian |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Pakistani |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Any other Asian background |  |  |  | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | African |  | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Caribbean |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Any other Black background |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | White and Asian |  |  | 1 |  | 2 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | White and Black African |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | White and Black Caribbean |  |  |  | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Aggregated data for your firm | Any other Mixed / multiple ethnic background |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | British / English / Welsh / Northern Irish / Scottish | 7 | 14 | 19 | 24 | 20 | 6 | 9 | 5 | $1$ | 12 |
|  | Irish |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Gypsy or Irish Traveller |  |  | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Roma |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Any other White background |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Arab |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Any other ethnic group |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Prefer not to say |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Invalid / no response to this question |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | No religion or belief | 5 | 5 | 7 | 14 | 14 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 1.2 |
|  | Buddhist |  | 1 |  |  |  |  | 4 | 1 |  |  |
| 8. What is your religion or belief? | Christian | 2 | 5 | 12 | 10 | 8 | 3 |  |  |  |  |
| - Aggregated data for your firm | Hindu |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Jewish |  | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Muslim |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

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|  | Sikh |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  | Any other religion or belief |  |  |  | 1 |  |  | 1 |  |  | 1 |
|  | Prefer not to say |  | 3 | 2 | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Invalid / no response to this question |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 9. What is your sexual orientation? - Aggregated data for your firm | Bi |  |  |  | 2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Gay/Lesbian |  | 1 |  | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Heterosexual | 7 | 14 | 21 | 22 | 21 | 6 | 9 | 5 | 1 | 2 |
|  | Other preferred description |  |  |  | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Prefer not to say |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Invalid / no response to this question |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 10. Which type of school did you attend for the most time between the ages of 11 and 16 ? Aggregated data for your firm | State-run or state-funded school - selective on academic, faith or other grounds | 5 | $1$ | 3 | $1$ | 1 | $3$ |  |  |  |  |
|  | State-run or state-funded school - non-selective |  | 7 | 11 | 23 | 18 | 1 | 6 | 6 | $1$ | 2 |
|  | Independent / fee-paying school, where I received no bursary or a bursary covering less than $90 \%$ of my tuition |  | 4 | 3 | $1$ | 1 | 1 | $2$ | 2 |  |  |
|  | Independent / fee-paying school, where I received a bursary covering 90\% or more of my tuition | 1 | 2 | 1 | $1$ |  | 1 |  |  |  |  |
|  | Attended school outside the UK | 1 | $1$ | $1$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Don't know / not sure |  |  | 2 |  | 1 |  | 1 | 1 |  |  |
|  | Prefer not to say |  |  |  |  | 1 |  |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | Invalid / no response to this question |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 11. Did either of your parents attend university and gain a degree (e.g. BA/BSc or equivalent) by the time you were | No, neither of my parents attended university | 2 | 6 | 12 | 20 | 15 | 6 | 8 | 8 | 1 | 1 |
|  | Yes, one or both of my parents attended university | 5 | 9 | 9 | 4 | $4$ |  | 1 | $1$ |  | 2 |

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| 18? - Aggregated data for your firm | Don't know / not sure |  |  |  | 2 | 2 |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  | Prefer not to say |  |  |  |  | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Invalid / no response to this question |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 12. What was the occupation of your main household earner when you were 14? - Aggregated data for your firm | Modern professional and traditional professional occupations such as: teacher, nurse, physiotherapist, social worker, musician, police officer (sergeant or above), software designer, accountant, solicitor, medical practitioner, scientist, civil / mechanic engineer | 6 | 9 | 13 | 5 | 5 | 1 | 3 | 1 |  | 2 |
|  | Senior, middle or junior managers or administrators such as: finance manager, chief executive, large business owner, office manager, retail manager, bank manager, restaurant manager, warehouse manager | 1 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 3 |  |  |  |
|  | Clerical and intermediate occupations such as: secretary, personal assistant, call centre agent, clerical worker, nursery nurse |  | 1 |  | 2 |  |  |  | 1 |  |  |
|  | Technical and craft occupations such as: motor mechanic, plumber, printer, electrician, gardener, train driver |  |  | 1 | 6 | 5 |  | 2 | 1 | 1 |  |
|  | Routine, semi-routine manual and service occupations such as: postal worker, machine operative, security guard, |  | 1 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 1 |  | 1 |  |  |

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|  | caretaker, farm worker, catering assistant, sales assistant, HGV driver, cleaner, porter, packer, labourer, waiter/waitress, bar staff |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  | Small business owners who employed less than 25 people such as: corner shop owners, small plumbing companies, retail shop owner, single restaurant or cafe owner, taxi owner, garage owner |  | 2 | $2$ | $2$ | $3$ | $1$ |  |  |  |  |
|  | Long term unemployed (claimed Jobseeker's Allowance or earlier unemployment benefit for more than a year) |  |  |  | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Other, such as: retired, this question does not apply to me, I don't know |  | 1 | $1$ | $3$ | $4$ | $1$ | $1$ | $1$ |  | 1 |
|  | Prefer not to say |  |  |  |  | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Invalid / no response to this question |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Yes | 2 | 8 | 7 | 21 | 3 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 1 |  |
| Are you a primary carer for a | No | 5 | 7 | 14 | 5 | 19 | 5 | 5 | 3 |  | 3 |
|  | Prefer not to say |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Invalid / no response to this question |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | No | 7 | 13 | 19 | 24 | 19 | 5 | 8 | 5 |  | 2 |
|  | Yes, 1-19 hours a week |  | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 |  |  |  |  |
| 14. Do you look after or care for someone with long term physical | Yes, 20-49 hours a week |  |  |  |  | 1 |  | 1 |  |  | 1 |
| disability or age (not in a paid capacity)? - Aggregated data for | Yes, 50 or more hours a week |  | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1 |  |
|  | Prefer not to say |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Invalid / no response to this question |  |  | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

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