



**Mike Raymond**  
**Trainee Solicitor**

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Mike joined Darwin Gray in June 2023 as a paralegal, and started working as a trainee solicitor in September 2023. He obtained his law degree in 2017 from the University of the West of England, and went on to complete his Legal Practice Course alongside a masters in Law and Business at the University of Law, Bristol in 2021.

He has previous experience as a paralegal, working in residential conveyancing for several firms. He also has previous experience working in intellectual property as a brand protection analyst and sub-team leader. Having gained experience in several different areas of law, he felt it was the correct time to move into private practice and pursue his ambition of qualifying as a solicitor.

## Recent work

- Overseeing the firm's website redevelopment
- Delivering the annual Wales HR Awards
- Organising the Wales HR Network's Future of Work Conference 2025

## Expertise

- Commercial Litigation

## Career

### Experience

- Trainee Solicitor, Darwin Gray - present
- Paralegal, Darwin Gray
- Paralegal, Hek Jones
- Paralegal, Hugh James

### Education

- Graduated from University of the West of England with a 2:1 in 2017
- Completed his Legal Practice Course between September 2020 – July 2021 at University of Law, Bristol