

## Qualified Lawyers Transfer Scheme recognised jurisdictions

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If your jurisdiction is not on the list below, you cannot qualify through the Qualified Lawyers Transfer Scheme route. Instead, you will need to do so through the [SQE route](#) [1].

| Recognised jurisdiction | Qualified lawyer              |
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| Albania                 | Avokat                        |
| Algeria                 | Avocat                        |
| Antigua and Barbuda     | Attorney at Law               |
| Argentina               | Abogado/a                     |
| Armenia                 | Advocate                      |
| Australia               | Lawyer                        |
| Austria                 | Rechtsanwalt                  |
| Republic of Azerbaijan  | Vəkil                         |
| Bangladesh              | Advocate                      |
| Belarus                 | Advokat                       |
| Belgium                 | Avocat/Advocaat/ Rechtsanwalt |
| Bermuda                 | Barrister/Advocate            |
| Bolivia                 | Abogado                       |
| Bosnia and Hercegovina  | Attorney at Law               |
| Republic of Botswana    | Legal Practitioner            |
| Brazil                  | Advogado                      |
| Brunei Darussalam       | Advocate/Solicitor            |
| Bulgaria                | Адвокат (Advocat)             |
| Burundi                 | Advocate                      |



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| Cameroon Republic                  | Advocate/Solicitor           |
| Canada                             |                              |
| Alberta (Canada)                   | Barrister/Solicitor          |
| British Columbia (Canada)          | Barrister/Solicitor          |
| Manitoba (Canada)                  | Barrister/Solicitor          |
| New Brunswick (Canada)             | Barrister/Solicitor          |
| Newfoundland and Labrador (Canada) | Barrister/Solicitor          |
| Northwest Territories (Canada)     | Barrister/Solicitor          |
| Nova Scotia (Canada)               | Lawyer                       |
| Nunavut (Canada)                   | Barrister/Solicitor          |
| Prince Edward Island (Canada)      | Barrister/Solicitor/Attorney |
| Province of Ontario (Canada)       | Barrister/Solicitor          |
| Quebec (Canada)                    | Advocate/Attorney            |
| Saskatchewan (Canada)              | Lawyer                       |
| Yukon (Canada)                     | Barrister/Solicitor          |
| Chile                              | Lawyer/Abogado               |



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| People's Republic of China | Lawyer                                                                                 |
| Colombia                   | Abogado                                                                                |
| Costa Rica                 | Lawyer                                                                                 |
| Croatia                    | Odvjetnik/Odvjetnica                                                                   |
| Cyprus                     | Δικηγόρος (Dikegoros)                                                                  |
| Czech Republic             | Advokát                                                                                |
| Denmark                    | Advokat/Jurist                                                                         |
| Dominican Republic         | Lawyer                                                                                 |
| Ecuador                    | Abogado                                                                                |
| Egypt                      | Lawyer                                                                                 |
| England and Wales          | Barrister                                                                              |
| Estonia                    | Vandeaddvokaat                                                                         |
| Finland                    | Asianajaja Advokat/Luvan saanut oikeudenkäyntiavustaja/Rattegangsbitrade med tillstånd |
| Fiji                       | Barrister/Solicitor                                                                    |
| France                     | Avocat/Avocat aux Conseils/Notaire                                                     |
| Georgia                    | Advocate                                                                               |
| Germany                    | Rechtsanwalt                                                                           |
| Ghana                      | Lawyer                                                                                 |
| Gibraltar                  | Solicitor/Barrister                                                                    |
| Greece                     | Δικηγόρος (Dikegoros)                                                                  |
| Grenada                    | Attorney-at-Law                                                                        |
| Hong Kong                  | Solicitor                                                                              |
| Hong Kong                  | Barrister                                                                              |
| Hungary                    | Ügyvéd                                                                                 |



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| Iceland                                | lögmaður                                         |
| India                                  | Advocate                                         |
| Indonesia                              | Advocate                                         |
| Iran                                   | Attorney-at-Law                                  |
| Iraq                                   | Lawyer                                           |
| Jersey                                 | Solicitor of the Royal Court of Jersey/ Advocate |
| Kurdistan<br>(Region of<br>Iraq)       | Lawyer                                           |
| Isle of Man                            | Manx Advocate                                    |
| Israel                                 | Advocate                                         |
| Italy                                  | Avvocato                                         |
| Jamaica                                | Attorney at Law                                  |
| Japan                                  | Bengoshi                                         |
| Jordan                                 | Lawyer                                           |
| Kazakhstan                             | Advocate/Legal Consultant                        |
| Kenya                                  | Advocate                                         |
| Republic of<br>Korea                   | Lawyer                                           |
| Kuwait                                 | Lawyer                                           |
| Kyrgyz<br>Republic                     | Advocate                                         |
| Latvia                                 | Zvērināts advokāts                               |
| Lebanon                                | Lawyer                                           |
| Lichtenstein                           | Rechtsanwalt                                     |
| Lithuania                              | Advokatas                                        |
| Luxembourg                             | Avocat                                           |
| Macau Special<br>Administrative Region | Advogado                                         |

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| Malawi                                                                                    | Legal Practitioner                                                         |
| Malaysia (West)                                                                           | Advocate Solicitor                                                         |
| Malta                                                                                     | Avukat Prokuratur Legali                                                   |
| Mauritius                                                                                 | Barrister/Advocate                                                         |
| Mexico                                                                                    | Lawyer (Cedula Profesional)                                                |
| Moldova                                                                                   | Lawyer from the Republic of Moldova                                        |
| Montenegro                                                                                | Advocate                                                                   |
| Montserrat                                                                                | Attorney at Law                                                            |
| Morocco<br>Applicants must be registered with the Casablanca Bar to be eligible to apply. | Avocat                                                                     |
| Namibia                                                                                   | Legal practitioner                                                         |
| Nepal                                                                                     | Adhivakta                                                                  |
| Netherlands                                                                               | Advocaat<br>Notaris/Kandidaat Notaris                                      |
| New Zealand                                                                               | Barrister/Solicitor                                                        |
| Nigeria                                                                                   | Solicitor/Advocate                                                         |
| North Macedonia                                                                           | адвокат (Advocate)                                                         |
| Norway                                                                                    | Advokat                                                                    |
| Oman                                                                                      | Lawyer                                                                     |
| Pakistan                                                                                  | Advocate Simplicitor/Advocate of the High Courts/Advocate of Supreme Court |
| Palestinian Territories                                                                   | Lawyer                                                                     |
| Panama                                                                                    | Abogado                                                                    |
| Paraguay                                                                                  | Abogado                                                                    |
| Peru                                                                                      | Abogado                                                                    |



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| Philippines              | Attorney/Counsellor at Law                                        |
| Poland                   | Adwokat Radca Prawny                                              |
| Portugal                 | Advogado                                                          |
| Puerto Rico              | Lawyer                                                            |
| Romania                  | Avocat/Consilier Juridic                                          |
| Russian Federation       | адвокат (Advocate)                                                |
| Rwanda                   | Advocate                                                          |
| Saudi Arabia             | Lawyer                                                            |
| Scotland                 | Solicitor/Advocate                                                |
| Serbia                   | Advocate                                                          |
| Sierra Leone             | Barrister & Solicitor of the High Court of Sierra Leone           |
| Singapore                | Advocate/Solicitor                                                |
| Slovakia                 | Advokát                                                           |
| Slovenia                 | Odvetnik                                                          |
| South Africa             | Advocate/Attorney                                                 |
| Spain                    | Abogado/Advocat/Avogado/Abokatu/Procurador                        |
| Sri Lanka                | Attorney at law                                                   |
| State of Sabah, Malaysia | Advocate                                                          |
| Sudan                    | Advocate/Lawyer                                                   |
| Sweden                   | Advokat/Jurists holding the Juristexamen/Swedish Jurist           |
| Switzerland              | Avocat/Rechtsanwalt/Anwalt/Fürsprecher/Fürsprech/Avvocato/Advokat |
| Taiwan                   | Attorney                                                          |
| Tajikistan               | Advokat                                                           |
| Tanzania                 | Advocate                                                          |
| Thailand                 | Litigator                                                         |

Trinidad and  
Tobago      Attorney at Law

Tunisia      Avocat

Turkey      Avukat

Uganda      Advocate

Ukraine      Advocate

United Arab  
Emirates      Lawyer  
(UAE)

United States of America

Alabama  
(United States Attorney  
of America)

Arizona  
(United States Attorney at Law  
of America)

Arkansas  
(United States Attorney at Law  
of America)

California  
(United States Lawyer  
of America)

Colorado  
(United States Attorney/Counsellor-at-law  
of America)

Connecticut  
(United States Attorney/Lawyer  
of America)

Florida  
(United States Attorney  
of America)

Georgia  
(United States Attorney  
of America)

Hawaii (United  
States of      Lawyer  
America)



Idaho (United  
States of  
America) Attorney

Illinois (United  
States of  
America) Attorney

Iowa (United  
States of  
America) Attorney and Counsellors

Kansas  
(United States Attorney  
of America)

Kentucky  
(United States Attorney  
of America)

Louisiana  
(United States Attorney/Counsellor at Law  
of America)

Maine (United  
States of  
America) Lawyer

Maryland  
(United States Attorney  
of America)

Massachusetts  
(United States Attorney and Counsellor at Law  
of America)

Michigan  
(United States Attorney  
of America)

Minnesota  
(United States Attorney at Law  
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Mississippi  
(United States Attorney  
of America)

Missouri  
(United States Attorney/Counsellor at Law  
of America)

Montana Licensed Attorney  
(United States)

of America)

Nebraska  
(United States Attorney  
of America)

Nevada  
(United States Attorney  
of America)

New  
Hampshire Attorney  
(United States  
of America)

New Jersey  
(United States Attorney at Law  
of America)

New Mexico  
(United States Attorney  
of America)

New York  
State (United States of  
America) Attorney/Counsellor-at-Law

North Carolina  
(United States Attorney  
of America)

Ohio (United  
States of America) Attorney

Oklahoma  
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Oregon  
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Tennessee  
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Texas (United  
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America)

Utah (United  
States of Attorney  
America)

Virginia  
(United States Attorney/Counsellor at Law  
of America)

Washington  
DC (United Attorney  
States of  
America)

Washington  
state (United Attorney at Law  
States of  
America)

Wisconsin  
(United States Attorney Lawyer  
of America)

Uruguay  
Applicants must  
be registered Lawyer  
with the  
Uruguayan Bar  
Association.

Uzbekistan Advocate

Venezuela Abogado

Vietnam Lawyer

Zambia Legal Practitioner

Zimbabwe Legal Practitioner