

Paul Parker

INDEPENDENT DIRECTOR

Paul has over fifteen years' experience providing legal, regulatory and corporate governance advice to boards of directors, managers, financial institutions and investors around the world.

Paul began his legal career with Ashurst, London where he worked on a wide range of finance transactions before moving to the finance team of Maples and Calder, Cayman Islands office.

After leaving Maples and Calder to set up his own law firm, in addition to practices in the investment fund and general finance industries, Paul also established and grew a legal practice in the offshore fintech and crypto industry. At the same time, Paul began to accept appointments as an independent director to, primarily, investment funds registered with the Cayman Islands Monetary Authority ("CIMA").

This eventually resulted in Paul accepting a number of appointments to offshore crypto structures where he quickly established himself as an effective, knowledgeable, responsive and highly sought after independent director. Paul is the founder and CEO of Metabase58 Cayman Limited ("MB58") which obtained a Company Manager license from CIMA in 2023. MB58 was the first Company Manager established specifically to service the offshore crypto industry as while it initially provided independent directors, it has grown to offer AML services, accounting services, multisig wallet authorised signatory services and much more.

He is admitted as a solicitor in England and Wales but does not practice as an English solicitor and remains a qualified attorney-at-law in the Cayman Islands.

Paul holds a Law Degree and Master of Philosophy degree from Queen's University of Belfast and is also a member of the Institute of Banking in Ireland. Mr. Parker is a Registered Professional Director with CIMA and is a member of the Cayman Islands Directors Association.

Paul is certified as a Certified Bitcoin Professional by the Crypto Currency Certification Consortium and completed the Cryptocurrency and Disruption certificate course provided by the London School of Economics and Political Science Certificate in November 2018.