

## VACATION PLACEMENT INFORMATION

### **The Firm**

McGuireWoods London LLP (McGuireWoods) is the UK office of an international law firm. Based in Central London we offer a broad spectrum of legal services and have substantial experience in international and domestic corporate and commercial law, corporate finance, private equity and banking, property, employment law, litigation and advising private clients, enhanced by an expert tax department focused on both private and corporate tax matters.

Our aim is to be the pre-eminent cross-border law firm in our chosen areas of expertise, providing our clients high quality and effective services, clear and prompt advice, maintaining an excellent environment for our staff and monitoring our performance against these objectives.

### **Vacation Placements**

You can apply for a two-week placement if you are in the penultimate year of your law degree or the final year of your non-law degree. Occasionally we provide placements for those at a later stage in their legal training. We will try to give you a variety of work from different departments, but you may also find that you become involved on one matter within one department.

We look to recruit vacation students with a strong academic background. You must have three good A-Levels and we expect at least two at grade A and one at grade B. All candidates must have excellent spoken and written English. If you have graduated then you should have at least an upper second class degree (although not necessarily in law). If your academic qualifications are from outside the UK we require equivalent standards. In addition to the above we also welcome students with languages, Nordic connections and an interest in our international business areas, although these are not necessary requirements.

Applicants should have high professional standards, be a self starter who can work effectively within a team and be able to communicate at all levels.

### **How to Apply**

We are presently reviewing our requirements for vacation placements for 2011. Please revisit our website at the end of March 2011 for further information.