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ACCOUNTING INSIGHTS EVENING 19 MARCH 2026 | LONDON

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🕒 6:00 PM - 10:00 PM 📍 The Shard, London

EVENT AGENDA

Join us at The Shard for an evening of insights, dialogues, and networking.

6:00 PM – 6:30 PM **Registration & Welcome Drinks**

Guests arrive, network informally, and enjoy a welcome drink with views from The Shard.

6:30 PM – 6:45 PM **Opening remarks by the Host**

Speaker: Sagar Ahuja, CEO, QX Accounting Services

Welcome address setting the tone for the evening. This session will outline the critical themes of 2026 and beyond – Talent, M&A/PE, Outside Investment, Digital Transformation, and the role of the Automation & Technology.

6:45 PM – 7:15 PM **Panel 1 - The Engine Room: Talent, Tech, and New Operating Model**

Chair: Rob Brown

Speakers:

- James Addison, Chief Operating Officer, BKL
- Phil Broadbery, Chief Digital Officer & Technology Partner, PKF Littlejohn
- Charles Richards, Director & Head of Digital Client Services, Azets
- Pramith Naidu, VP of Client Relations & New Business, QX Accounting Service

As firms expand through M&A and branch networks, the traditional local model becomes a bottleneck. This panel explores the evolution of firm operations from decentralized, individual-dependent execution to institutionalized global delivery engines.

7:20 PM – 7:50 PM **Panel 2 - The Fuel: Capital, Investment, and Leadership Transformation**

Chair: Rob Brown

Speakers:

- Rick Chana, Head of M&A, S&W
- James Gosling, Managing Director - M&A, AJ Chambers
- James Sutton, Managing Director, Continuum Partners

The UK accounting landscape is being reshaped by an unprecedented wave of M&A and Private Equity investment. This panel cuts through the noise to discuss leadership in an era of global capital.

7:55 PM – 9:00 PM **Drinks & Dinner**

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