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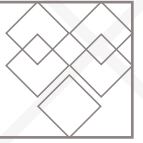
PERSONAL BIOGRAPHY

Peter Glanville is a senior managing director at Ankura, as well as a chartered accountant with over 23 years' worth of experience. He has assisted a range of clients across Australia, the UK, Europe and Asia with complex investigations and forensic accounting matters. His wealth of expertise enables him to assist organisations in navigating key risks, investigating allegations of bribery and fraud and responding to regulatory issues.



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Q&A WITH PETER GLANVILLE

**Could you provide an insight into how you approach your work? What drives and motivates you?**

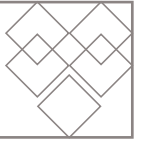
◆ Working as a forensic accountant and senior investigations practitioner means you often deal with clients or their advisers when something has gone wrong, and people are looking for answers. In delivering this type of work, I have always surrounded myself with smart people and ensured that we are easy to deal with, transparent in our dealings and well known for delivering great solutions. Our team works furiously to assist clients or establish the facts based upon evidence provided, while the communication and delivery of the work is analogous to a duck gliding effortlessly across the water. Working with clients on complex, interesting and high-profile matters where we can liken our work and client interactions to ‘the duck’ is truly rewarding in my view.

Looking back, have you fulfilled the ambitions and aspirations you set for yourself early in your career?

◆ I am still incredibly ambitious for myself and the people that I have surrounded myself with. Early in my career, I aspired to be highly regarded and well sought after as a trainee accountant; subsequently, I fulfilled an ambition to work in London, via a 12-month secondment with Deloitte and stayed for four years. More recently I have been part of building market leading forensic accounting and investigation teams in Asia. While the ambitions and aspirations that I set myself early in my career have continued to evolve, I continually re-evaluate what the next three to five years should look like professionally and how I am going to get there, as well as who is on the journey.

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**In what ways do you endeavour to support the career development of your colleagues rising through the ranks?**

◆ The coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic really impacted me in relation to supporting the career development of colleagues. Historically, I have worked shoulder-to-shoulder with colleagues as we analyse documents, crunch calculations and draft and redraft reports for regulators, courts and senior management of corporate organisations. During the pandemic, this was clearly not possible and the assistance I was able to provide colleagues for their development adapted to reflect this. Career development is all encompassing and not only related to technical aspects of being a forensic accountant; it includes business development, practice management, staff mentoring and other aspects of developing team members. One of my great professional achievements continues to be when I see smart and ambitious colleagues rise through the ranks knowing that I have been able to assist them on that journey. ■



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