



SNAPSHOT

Q&A



Anne Sophie Lenette

Executive | Mauritius

Anne-Sophie is an Executive and Barrister at ENS in Mauritius. Her main areas of practice encompass M&A, private equity, company, and insolvency law. Recognised for her expertise in company law matters, cross-border transactions and complex corporate structures, she is sought after for her invaluable guidance in the drafting, review and negotiation of M&A transaction documentation.

With a specialisation in mergers and acquisitions, Anne-Sophie provides strategic advice to both foreign and domestic investors on restructuring their investments, ensuring seamless navigation through pre-acquisition and acquisition phases of sale and purchase transactions. Her meticulous approach includes conducting thorough legal due diligence and facilitating the drafting, negotiation and review of crucial agreements, such as share purchases, share subscriptions, shareholders' agreements, and a variety of commercial agreements.

Anne-Sophie's expertise extends to corporate restructuring and reorganisations, encompassing both distressed company restructuring and solvent schemes of arrangement. She is also skilled in designing and implementing employee share incentive schemes.

Complementing her M&A focus, Anne-Sophie is well-versed in advising on insolvency matters. Her experience in this area further enhances her reputation as a trusted legal advisor with a comprehensive understanding of the intricacies of commercial law.

Anne-Sophie's diverse clientele spans key sectors including banking, sugar, hospitality, property development, healthcare, and telecommunications. Notably, she has represented some of the largest stakeholders in the Mauritian economy. 📌

QUALIFICATIONS

- > LLB (University of Mauritius)
- > Graduate Diploma in Law (Nottingham Law School)
- > Bar Professional Training course (Nottingham Law School)
- > Admitted to the Bar of England and Wales
- > Admitted to the Bar of Mauritius

Anne-Lise Cadet

Associate | Mauritius

Q *What do you do to celebrate the closing of a big deal?*

A We are usually so pumped with adrenaline in the weeks leading up to closing a deal that we forget to celebrate afterwards. But recently, while working with a French company, we had a cocktail party after the closing. We thought it was the best idea! It gave everyone a chance to unwind and chat. Plus, we got to interact with the clients in a relaxed setting, instead of the usual formal, stuffy ones. It helped us get to know each other better and build great connections. We enjoyed it so much that we are now thinking of doing the same for our other deals!

Q *What do you do to unwind and get away from the stress of work?*

A To relax and escape the stress of work, I turn to exercise. Exercise and my fitness classes are an essential part of my routine. I love the energy and focus that comes from pushing myself to my physical limits. My fitness classes are non-negotiable; they provide the perfect balance of challenge and relaxation, making them an integral part of my self-care. This commitment to staying active not only keeps me in shape, but also helps me manage stress and maintain a positive outlook.

Q *If you could have dinner with any woman in history, who would it be and what would be the first thing you asked her?*

A I would love to ask Jane Austen about her inspiration for writing such strong, independent female characters, given the societal restrictions on women during her era. Her novels resonate with me deeply because of their timeless insights into human nature and society. I admire how she was ahead of her time in portraying women who defied convention and asserted their own agency. Understanding what motivated her to challenge these norms through her stories would be enlightening and inspiring. 📌

