

## Partner of the Year

**This Category is open to law firms ONLY**

Partners play a critical role in leading the vision and delivering the strategy of the conveyancing function. They lead sizeable teams of people and deal with the challenges presented by economic uncertainty, fluctuating home moving demand, and managing diverse conveyancing departments.

Open to firm leaders (Managing Partners/CEOs/Managing Directors) and department heads, the Partner of the Year will demonstrate how they are leading their conveyancing team or organisation on the path to success in 2026/27 and beyond. This will include, but not limited to, creating the right culture, managing workloads effectively, contending with compliance considerations, delivering high levels of customer satisfaction and delivering strong financial results. This individual will have the ability to lead and inspire those around them to do the best work of their careers and deliver against demanding targets.

### Criteria:

This individual must demonstrate over the last 12 months:

- a clear strategy around leading the conveyancing function with a robust business plan looking into 2026/27
- outstanding people management with the ability to inspire and lead
- innovative and creative culture and team building
- clear, honest and fair communication to staff
- bold and brave steps that have resulted in the growth of the business