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**Professional Qualifications:**

Cardiff University BSc (Hons) Accounting Degree 2:1

Qualified as a Member of the Institute of Chartered Accountants

**Professional Background:**

Joined UHY Hacker Young Chartered Accountants in 2003 in a graduate position as a Student Chartered Accountant of the ICAEW. Progressed to audit senior in the Audit & Accounts department. Main roles were to produce accounts for sole traders, partnerships and limited companies, control of audits from planning right through to completion, production of VAT returns, and the audit of local councils on behalf of the Audit Commission. Moved to Kilsby & Williams in 2006 where he is now responsible for running the business services department. His portfolio includes clients based in South Wales and the south east of England in a wide variety of business sectors. The businesses vary in size from those with a turnover around £100k to £100m.

**Specialist Skills:**

- Business plans & forecasts
- Due diligence
- Acquisitions & disposals
- Finance raising
- Also advises law firms and provides CPD legal training courses to solicitors.

**Outside Interests:**

Much of Ataf's spare time is spent with his young family. He also finds time to play football, cycling and helps to organise an annual South Asian festival in Cardiff Bay.