

Press Release

Three new appointments at Fusion Manchester office

New promotion to Regional Underwriting Manager

London, 19 March 2015: Insurance underwriters Fusion Insurance Services has made three new appointments and a promotion at its Manchester office. Dan Wilde joins as a new Regional Development Underwriter, Charlotte Craven has been appointed as a Motor Fleet Trading Underwriter and Kimberley Bloor has been appointed as an Assistant Underwriter. In addition, Mark Johnson has been promoted to Regional Underwriting Manager.

Dan has 21 years insurance experience, and joins from Travelers where he was a Development Underwriter. Before that he worked in Development Underwriting roles for Groupama, Axa and Aviva. In his new role in Manchester he will develop a panel of North West brokers, building a strong pipeline with a focus on customer service.

Charlotte will have responsibility of handling existing business and new business through development of broker relationships across the North West region. Charlotte has almost 9 years' experience, joining from Fusion's Leeds office. Prior to Fusion she worked at QBE and before that at NIG.

Kimberley Bloor joins from W R Berkley where she was an Underwriting Assistant for two years, dealing with property, casualty, engineering and construction. Her role will be to support the growing team of Underwriters in the Fusion Manchester office.

Mark Johnson has been promoted from the role of Regional Development Underwriter to the role of Regional Underwriting Manager. Mark will concentrate on the North West region's portfolio and on developing strategies to grow the business. Mark has worked in insurance for 16 years and prior to Fusion he was an Underwriting Manager at Bluefin.

Both Dan and Mark will report to Vicky Spence, Regional Director, North West.

David Bruce, CEO Fusion Insurance, commented: "Our Manchester office is growing in size and stature since we opened in November 2014. I am delighted that Dan, Charlotte and Kimberley have joined our Manchester office, and Mark's promotion is a reflection of his continued work in the North West region. Locating underwriting teams close to our broker markets, including this new focus on Manchester, allow us to consistently offer the highest levels of service to brokers and policyholders alike."

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