

# Press Release

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## NEW PARTNER FOR BRIDGE MCFARLAND

Fast-growing Lincolnshire and East Yorkshire solicitors Bridge McFarland have appointed 31-year-old Leanne Foston as their latest – and, currently, youngest – partner.

Miss Foston has been made a partner less than four years after joining the firm's Hull office as a newly qualified solicitor.

Miss Foston specialises in personal injury litigation and has represented hundreds of local people who have been hurt at work, on the roads or in other accidents. She is heavily involved in Bridge McFarland's work for the Transport and General Workers Union and she spent her first day as a partner fighting a successful court claim for compensation for a BOCM Pauls employee who injured his back while at work. Miss Foston, whose interests include travelling and skiing, was brought up in Hull and went to David Lister School and Wilberforce Sixth Form College before studying law and criminology at the University of Sheffield. She trained as a solicitor with Williamsons Solicitors in the city.

She said: "I am very proud to have been asked to become a partner with Bridge McFarland and I am looking forward to helping the firm continue to build its reputation and strength in the region. The firm has been expanding rapidly for a decade and, I'm pleased to say, has identified Hull as an area with major potential for growth."

Bridge McFarland managing partner Paddy McFarland said: "Leanne's promotion to partner is a reflection both of her outstanding work for the firm and of the importance we attach to Hull and to enhancing still further the range and quality of services we offer to clients in the city."

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