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Career: 2020 – current: Partner – Transactions, Hamel-Smith Caribbean
2016 – 2020: General Counsel, Sun Group Inc., Barbados
2011 – 2016: Associate – Litigation, Clarke Gittens Farmer,
Attorneys-at-Law, Barbados

Education: 2011: L.E.C., Hugh Wooding Law School, Trinidad
2009 – 2010: Pieper Bar Review, New York, USA
2008: Masters, International Business & Management,
Westminster University, London, UK (*Merit*)
2007: LPC (Solicitor Training), BPP Law School, Holborn,
London, UK (*Commendation*)
2004 – 2006: LLB, University of London, UK (*Honours*)

Bar Admissions: 2017: St. Vincent & the Grenadines
2011: Barbados
2010: New York, USA

Practice Focus: Ben is responsible for the Transactional department at Hamel-Smith Caribbean. He draws on extensive in-house experience in focusing on Corporate & Commercial matters including the provision of Company Services such as formation, shareholding & secretarial services.

Ben also handles the firm's Real Estate transactions including conveyancing and secured lending. His Commercial portfolio ranges from Insurance Law to Mergers & Acquisitions.

Prior to joining Hamel-Smith Caribbean, Ben initially spent six years as a Litigation Associate before becoming the General Counsel for a large regional group of companies based in Barbados. His purview included 10+ jurisdictions and 1000+ employees which afforded him the opportunity to develop a wide range of commercial competencies.