

Data Protection Extend & Accelerate

Extend & Accelerate offers seamless, rapid access to high-quality resources at competitive rates. You stay in control with the flexibility to pause or stop the service anytime – whether after a day, a week, a month or longer – paying only for the time you use. It's an affordable solution to try, with the potential to provide invaluable support when you need it most.

What is the Extend & Accelerate service?

Flexible and fast upscaling of your data protection team – We provide trained and qualified team members to work within your organisation to support your data protection needs. We can place team members with you within 24 hours. There are no recruitment costs or minimum term commitments. You can end an engagement at any time without incurring further costs or penalty.

Cost effective – Unbeatable value and realistic pricing for specialist support. Day rates for team members start from £295. When you use our Extend & Accelerate, access to senior team members from our Data Protection and Cyber Security practice is also provided on a reduced rate card.

Trained and qualified – Team members hold the Certified Information Privacy Professional/ Europe (CIPP/E) certification (a recognised industry qualification) and have undergone specialist training covering typical BAU tasks that you might need them to perform.

Quality assurance – Extend & Accelerate has been designed, deployed and is backed by DWF's Data Protection and Cyber Security practice. DWF is recognised by the legal directories as a leading provider of data protection and cyber security services.

When might you need Extend & Accelerate services?

Extend & Accelerate can help you manage periods of change, increased workloads, provide cover during staff absences or while you recruit, and allow senior team members to focus on strategic activities. Scenarios where our support may be beneficial include:

- Undertaking programs to meet data, e-privacy, and AI regulations affecting your organisation or industry, where juniors can handle 'heavy lifting,' stakeholder coordination, and information gathering
- Freeing up your senior in-house team for strategic projects by having competent juniors take on BAU tasks
- Rapid organisational growth adding projects faster than you can recruit
- Departures or extended absences of key team members
- Managing data subject access requests
- Addressing a surge in activity following a data breach
- Supporting integration activities after a merger or acquisition
- Preparing for audits or responding to audit findings

Whatever the driver, if you need extra resources to manage demands, our Extend & Accelerate service provides the flexibility and expertise to help.

What can Extend & Accelerate team members do?

Our junior professionals can manage a wide range of data protection compliance activities, including:

- Managing your organisation's privacy mailbox, including handling incoming queries and triaging them to the right contacts within your organisation
- Gathering information and coordinating stakeholders for the completion of privacy assessments using your internal methodologies or platforms, such as OneTrust
- Gathering information and coordinating with key stakeholders to support you with developing a comprehensive documentation of data flows across your organisation
- Handling law enforcement requests, ensuring efficient and compliant responses in accordance with your playbooks
- Drafting privacy policies based on templates or precedents
- Gathering information for privacy notices and preparing drafts for senior-level review
- Supporting with responses to data subject access requests (both customer and employee facing), including reviewing documents to identify personal data and applying redactions
- Reviewing and amending data processing agreements in accordance with your playbooks
- Following your internal methodologies for transfer impact/risk assessments for international transfers of personal data
- Maintaining your intra-group data transfer agreements with updates to new entities and/or data transfer activities
- Maintaining ICO registrations and any sub-processor lists
- Handling and responding to data protection due diligence questionnaires
- Supporting with the preparation of weekly data protection reports to senior management on KPIs and key risks

You also have access through a 'hotline' to senior support from DWF on a reduced rate for a defined amount of time each month, ensuring that you receive the right expertise without escalating costs. After reaching the time limit, services revert to standard rates, providing transparency and financial predictability.



How it Works



Tell Us Your Needs: Contact us to discuss your data protection support requirements.



Review Our Team: We'll share bios of team members who match your requirements.



Meet Your Candidates: Connect with prospective team members on a video call to determine if they're a good fit for your organisation.



Choose Your Support Level: Decide if you'd like optional 'hotline' access to senior data protection specialists for additional expertise.



Rapid Start: Within 24 hours, you'll have a skilled resource on your team at a highly competitive fixed day rate, with no strings attached. Start and stop the arrangement as needed, with complete flexibility and no extra fees - it's that straightforward.

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