

# Consulting – Transport & Public Sector

## Financial Consulting

Joining Financial Consulting offers you the chance to experience a range of different projects across the land transport sector and public sector more broadly, supporting clients to improve their financial capability, financial processes, and financial systems. As a graduate, you are likely to be given the opportunity to travel around the UK as part of the role; sometimes for extended periods of time and sometimes this travel can be global.

### **What will your job involve?**

#### **Public Sector Advisory**

In Public Sector Advisory, you will be involved in projects focused on providing accounting and financial reporting services to a range of public sector clients. As part of the team, you will be involved in providing technical accounting advice, undertaking assurance activities, budget and forecast analysis, accounts production and carve-out activities.

#### **Transport Advisory**

In Transport Advisory, you will be involved in client projects as part of a team of transport specialists, working on high profile projects with particular focus on the rail and bus industries. You will quickly gain exposure to the industry and clients (both within the UK and globally), developing sector expertise through producing financial forecasts, developing business cases and challenging financial and commercial assumptions. You may be involved in undertaking research and analysis to support clients in assessing whether to enter new UK or geographical markets.

## FAQs

### **Is there much travel involved in the role?**

Dependent upon the office you join, you may be allocated to a specific industry sector or across a variety of industries and/or clients/projects. Some travel will be required for work but this will be balanced alongside our hybrid working model.

For the Intensive Programme, you will be expected to reside in the training location of the programme you have joined for the first circa 10 months, regardless of your home office location.

For all other programmes, you will be allocated a training centre near your home office which you will be expected to travel to for some courses and/or exams. However, a lot of the programme will be completed via Online Classroom Live.

### **How important are my skills in technology-based systems?**

In this evolving environment, the use of technology and 'big data' is ever more present. It is not a thing of the future, but woven across all areas within the professional services firms of today. While KPMG does not expect all trainees to be experts in technology, a working knowledge of software programmes, like Excel, is useful, as you will be using these on a daily basis in varying degrees depending on the area you join.

### **Will I work with other teams?**

Absolutely, this very much part of being an employee at KPMG. The programme is part of a much wider function within KPMG and you will likely collaborate with a range of teams across KPMG and/or your function. You may also get the opportunity to work on projects in other teams where you can utilise the skills you have developed or gained through training, which will also help you become a more rounded individual and increase your internal and external networks.

### **What happens after I finish my Graduate Programme?**

You'll be supported to progress and have a varied career, as you build specialist skills and broad knowledge of your capability.

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