

EDITION CAPITAL

Summary

Edition Capital is an investment and advisory group focused on the leisure and entertainment sector. The company has invested £50m across 28 businesses in hospitality, live entertainment & events, fitness & well-being, and content & IP.

This is a senior role in an industry-leading commercial team, offering the opportunity for a candidate to establish themselves within a unique organisation. The entire team hold significant responsibility due to a lean team structure of <10 investment professionals. Average investment size is £1m, giving exposure to a varied portfolio and a hands-on approach working alongside company founders.

The role calls for a self-sufficient candidate with a flexible outlook, a committed and conscientious attitude and the ability to collaborate with colleagues and partners from across the leisure and entertainment industry.

We are looking for someone who is currently working as an Investment Manager or higher in an entrepreneurial environment with exposure to the whole deal lifecycle and a keen interest in leisure and entertainment.

Your responsibilities include but are not limited to:

- Direct day to day responsibility for a portfolio of up to 8 leisure businesses, working with the founders/management of each business at board level and in a hands-on manner as and when required
- Significant exposure to defining portfolio company strategy, assisting the management team with implementation
- Exposure to all aspects of the investment process through supporting and eventually leading the evaluation, structuring, and negotiation of transactions
- Monitoring and ensuring best practice in the financial and commercial reporting of portfolio businesses
- Reporting to Edition management and investor community on business progress
- Opportunities to take a lead role in deal origination. All team members are expected to advocate for the firm in the pursuit of new opportunities

Skills and knowledge required to undertake the role:

- 5-8 years of total professional experience, including 2-4 years of investment management or equivalent experience
- Experience of working closely with a range of small and medium sized businesses
- Knowledge of the workings on a venture capital deal process
- An entrepreneurial mindset and a willingness to work in a hands-on environment
- Comfort operating with a high level of responsibility and autonomy
- Exceptional communication skills
- Excellent academics
- Interest in leisure & entertainment industry