



## **IQ-EQ Mauritius reinforces its tax team in Mauritius**

IQ-EQ Mauritius which forms part of IQ-EQ, one of the leading global investor services group, and part of the Taxand network since 2009, has recently beefed up its tax team.

The team is led by Ashraf Ramtoola, Director - Tax & Insolvency Practitioner with team members Kamalsingh Neerpath, Manager and Yvan Laroche, Tax Services Lead.

Ashraf is an industry veteran with over 35 years of experience in Accounting, Auditing, Taxation and Value Added Tax. He started his career in an audit firm in Mauritius where he gained an all-round experience in auditing and taxation, before spending a period in the UK for further studies and work. Upon his return to Mauritius in 1992, he joined International Management (Mauritius) Ltd, now IQ-EQ Global Business (Mauritius) Ltd, as Assistant General Manager, and was appointed as a Director in 1996. In order to maintain an exclusive focus on servicing clients, he took the position of Senior Manager in September 2010. He became a Fellow of The Association of Chartered Certified Accountants in 1993 and was licensed as an Insolvency Practitioner in January 2018.

Giving an overview of the team, Kamal has a strong IFRS accounting, tax compliance and fund and corporate administration background. He has also helped with preparing and reviewing financial statements for companies, fund and trust under IFRS and assist audits previously. Kamal has been with IQ-EQ for 8 years and prior to this, he was Senior Administrator - Funds and Corporate Services.

Yvan is well versed in carrying out analysis for client companies for FATCA and CRS, due diligence on companies and much more. Prior to joining IQ-EQ he has held roles with Deutsche Bank, CIM Group and IQ-EQ's predecessor SGG Group where he carried out and managed all accounting and tax compliance duties for a portfolio of clients with varying level of complexity. He holds a Bachelor Degree in Accounting and Finance from the Charles Telfair Institute (CTI Curtin) and has completed ACCA Level 3.

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