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## **About**

Introducing Greg Odia - A competent Business Development / Sales professional, transitioning into the financial services industry as a whole of market Financial Advisor with key interests in long term holistic financial planning, wealth management, private banking, tax and estate planning.

Offering extensive knowledge of Business Development, operational leadership and management across various public and private sector organisations, during my 25 year work history, my key focus has been financial stability, growth, profitability and legacy building.

Successfully completing my Level 4 DipFA qualification, I am aiming to become chartered by 2022/23

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## Experience



#### Business Development Manager - Macfarlane Wealth Partners

St. James's Place Wealth Management

Mar 2021 - Present · 10 months

London, England, United Kingdom

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Our Structured advice process is designed to help you make informed choices and avoid costly errors, maintaining trust is a key objective of our practice. We are here to ensure you have the money you need to live the life you want, now and in the future.

We support our client with topics such as

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forward creative entrepreneurs.



#### **Business Development Manager (freelance)**

**Prop Studios** 

Jan 2018 - Jul 2018 · 7 months

London, United Kingdom

Acting as a client facing freelance BDM, increasing business opportunities and developing lasting relationships with global brands in fashion, hospitality and leisure, securing project opportunities in store design, in store marketing, branding and retail/ commercial fit outs

Prop Studios is London based retail, interior and branding design agency, crafting brand experiences based on consumer behaviour, innovation and creativity working alongside sister company FormRoom, creators of...

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#### **Business Development Manager**

Millington Associates

Jun 2017 - Jan 2018 · 8 months

London, United Kingdom

Leading and implementing business, sales and marketing strategies to support plans to achieve £12 million in revenue.

Millington Associates is a creative design, manufacture and project management agency specialised to the retail, hospitality sector.

Managing both national and international clients, I secured numerous retail design, product marketing and store interior projects to increase the reputation of the agency.

Clients include Pernod Ricard, Beam Suntory, Nike, New...

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Clients include Diageo, Lacoste, Daniel Bering, Pandora.



#### **Managing Director**

The Independents Club

Jan 2014 - May 2017 · 3 years 5 months

London, United Kingdom

An independently funded business venture, which saw me act as founder and director to a innovative retail concept.

Sourcing independent fashion and lifestyle brands from Europe, U.S, Asia and beyond to showcase and retail their brands via multi channels, including online and short term leased retail property



#### **Project Manager**

**Enfield Council** 

Jan 2000 - Sep 2013 · 13 years 9 months

Acting as a project manager, developing and implementing local authority services to increase community engagement, whilst managing staff teams and budgets.

Developing a sustainable service, implementing ideas to source new financial partnerships.

Working within a team to secure a £3.5 Million property regeneration fund.



## Senior youth worker

Holland Park School

Apr 2003 - Apr 2007 · 4 years 1 month

London, United Kingdom

Acting as a senior youth worker my role was to engage and support young people at risk of exclusion.

My aim was to offer a package of support which ensured they where able to finish their

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**HND** · Fashion Design and Textiles

2001 - 2003

Activities and Societies: Men's Tailoring and design



#### The London Institute of Banking & Finance

Level 4 Dipolma in Financial Advice · Financial Advice · Level 4

2019 - 2021



#### **ILM Management**

level 3 Management and Leadership · Business Administration and Management, General

2009 - 2010



#### **Human Performance Aset**

level 2 Project management · Project Management

2007 - 2008



#### Havering Adult College

level 3 Preparing to teach in lifelong learning · Adult and Continuing Education and Teaching

2007 - 2009



## **London College of Fashion**

Foundation degree · Fashion/Apparel Design

1997 - 1999



#### **London College of Fashion**

Foundation degree · Fashion Marketing and Management · merit

1996 - 1997



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