



Case Study: Accountants & Consultancy

MOORE STEPHENS

Moore Stephens first became involved in the CIS in 1989 when we assisted a major state company with its restructuring programme. In 1991 we became the first firm to carry out the audit of a Russian enterprise to International Audit Standards.

Moore Stephens CIS is now one of the leading firms in the region with offices in Russia (five), Ukraine and a London desk based in the offices of Moore Stephens LLP.

The aim of Moore Stephens' member firms is to provide comprehensive modern services to clients globally, through the development and maintenance of a cohesive association that operates to the same high standards of professionalism and value in each country.

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- Instantaneous access for all staff worldwide
 - Flexible, intuitive and easy to use
 - Real-time editing and sharing information ensuring quick response
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The Challenge

Moore Stephens CIS' main objective is simple: to be viewed as the first point-of-contact for all financial, advisory and compliance needs. Through organic growth, they are small enough to provide a personal service but large enough to have available specialist expertise in all areas. Their offices from London to Vladivostok span 10 time zones, meaning that the secure sharing of real-time information whilst ensuring efficiency can be a challenge.

Their main challenge was meeting the standards they expect around professionalism, delivering value in the CIS countries that they work in, and enabling clients to benefit from quick partner response, have fully briefed back-up partners and senior managers always available in the absence of the main partner contact.

Why Sosius?

Moore Stephens CIS required an alternative to VPN, ensuring access from diverse geography and the ability to invite clients and specialists into identified projects. They needed to share and edit files in real-time, store documents, plan projects and share news across the company without resorting to email.

Moore Stephens CIS selected Sosius collaboration solution to meet this requirement, and has been a customer since 2009. Intuitive, flexible, and requiring minimal training, Sosius exceeded Moore Stephens CIS's original requirements. Having researched a variety of solutions, Moore Stephens CIS was impressed not only by the capabilities but also the level of professionalism exhibited by Sosius.

The Results

By having the most up-to-date information immediately accessible for all members of the team, it's easy to real-time share, discuss and solve projects, and receive answers faster for clients. Where Moore Stephens CIS traditionally shared knowledge previously distributed via email or newsletter, Sosius has become an effective way of sharing corporate and cultural news and knowledge taking advantage of the collective skills and experiences of the entire company. "With Sosius, we share information quickly, establishing a central resource of knowledge for staff. The reduction in email volume is noticeable. Sosius also provides a lookup of our staff's skills and experience, helping us resolve issues quickly so we can focus on our clients." Lilia Petrova

The Future...

With the close relationship with Sosius; Moore Stephens CIS will be looking into the platforms advanced applications that are designed to address day to day business needs; ensuring they stay one step ahead of the competition with continued integrity, personal service, quality, and professionalism.