



WHY JOIN?

Every organisation in the public sector faces a shared challenge: to do more with less, while building workforces that are not only resilient and skilled - but inspired. That's where WME comes in. As the Regional Employers' Organisation for the West Midlands, we understand the unique pressures and ambitions of local authorities, public bodies and not-for-profit organisations.

With over 40 years of experience, we've walked alongside our members through uncertainty and transformation, supporting them to make confident, people-centred decisions that drive better outcomes for their communities. At WME, we build trusted relationships with our members. Corporate Membership with WME isn't just a transaction, it's a partnership.

When you join us, you join a network of organisations committed to excellence in people leadership. You gain a trusted partner that speaks your language - offering timely advice, practical tools, and a sounding board when it matters most.

Whether you're managing complex employee relations issues, rethinking your workforce strategy, or building leadership capability, we're here to help you stay ahead.

Together, we create stronger organisations and thriving teams - because we believe that when people flourish, public services do too.

HOW WE HELPED OUR MEMBERS LAST YEAR



Over 300

consultancy days delivered across HR, OD, pay and resourcing



30

senior leader appraisals facilitated with independent, trusted insight



Over 400

HR and employment law queries resolved through expert helpdesk advice



Over 100

public sector leaders attended our Annual Workforce Summit

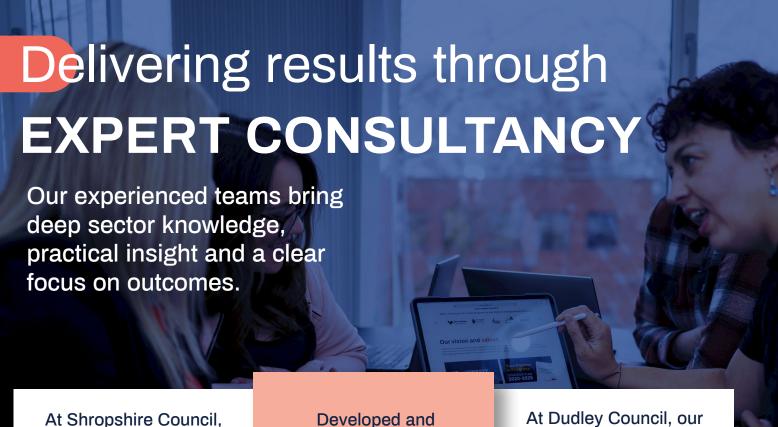


A wide range of

masterclasses

delivered on critical and emerging workforce challenges





At Shropshire Council, our HR consultants led a complex leadership restructure, aligning top-tier roles with strategic goals through inclusive engagement and expert advice.

Developed and managed a region-wide initiative to explore how Al can be a strategic enabler of human potential, capacity and innovation.

At Dudley Council, our
Talent and OD team
helped embed coaching
into leadership and
learning strategy - tripling
coaching access and
improving resilience
during change.

Our Commitment to You

We work with you – not just for you. Your Corporate Subscription offers:



Priority access to expert advice, insight and networks



Strategic support in people, culture and change



Collaboration opportunities across the West Midlands public sector

A relationship-driven service shaped around your needs

Subscription Tiers

We've simplified our membership structure to make it easier for you to choose:

Organisation Size	Annual Fee (ex. VAT)
Fewer than 100 staff	£500
100 staff or more	£1,500

SUBSCRIPTION BENEFITS

Helping You Lead, Connect & Innovate

Your Corporate Subscription includes a growing package of services designed to support your organisation's priorities. Benefits for this year include:

Expert Support When You Need It



- Up to 20% off consultancy rates for services in:
 - · Organisational change
 - · Pay & Reward
 - · HR, Leadership, OD and Resourcing
- Employment Helpdesk Access up to 12 expert-led enquiries per year on employment law and people issues.

Networking & Collaboration

- Join Professional Networks Invitations to relevant WME-led peer groups and forums.
- > Relationship Meetings Annual touch point with your senior leadership team.
- Access to the WME Annual Summit One complimentary delegate place at the regional workforce conference.

Knowledge & Professional Growth



- Topical Masterclasses Bitesized virtual learning on today's most relevant workforce topics.
- 'The People Hour' Monthly employment law bulletin tailored to HR professionals.
- 'The Pulse' Newsletter Monthly insights into sector trends, innovations and events.
- Annual Report A clear summary of what your subscription delivers.

Strategic Access & Visibility



- Use of WME HQ Facilities Meeting rooms and hot desks in Birmingham's Jewellery Quarter (booking required).
- WME Evening Reception at the Annual LGA Conference – VIP welcome for attending senior officers.
- Showcasing Public Sector Careers Access to discounted subscriptions to feature your roles through WMJobs, the regional public sector Jobs Board.

Executive & Leadership Support



- Facilitated Appraisals Professional, independent appraisals for Chief Executive and Director roles (chargeable).
- Executive Coaching Confidential, expert coaching for senior leaders (chargeable).
- Wellbeing Counselling Independent, confidential counselling to support executive wellbeing (chargeable).

Forward Thinking & Innovation



- Workforce Innovation
 Collaboration Opportunities to shap future-focused workforce strategies.
- Regional Pay Briefings Insights and update relevant to your organisation.

JOIN US

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