

Deal alert.



In brief:

Wilson Partners advised Gresham House Ventures on their £10m investment in Accredited Solutions, a leading provider of event accreditation services.

Sector:

Event accreditation.

Services provided:

Financial and tax due diligence.

“It was a pleasure to work with the Wilson Partners team on another transaction. The team delivered a clear and concise due diligence report with sound commercial insights within an efficient timeframe.”

Greg Blin, Investment Partner, Gresham House Ventures

Secure events

About the parties:

Gresham House Ventures is an experienced investor, providing flexible growth and secondary capital. Gresham House Ventures partners with exceptional management teams in fast growing, innovative business across a diversified range of sectors, including healthcare & education, consumer markets and enterprise solutions. The team has been working together for over 10 years and has made over 100 investments into growth businesses.

Gresham House Asset Management is the FCA authorised operating business of Gresham House, a specialist alternative asset manager. Gresham House is committed to operating responsibly and sustainably, taking the long view in delivering sustainable investment solutions.

Accredit Solutions offers end-to-end software for accrediting personnel at various events, streamlining operations and enhancing security measures against terrorism threats.

Accredit Solutions' platform includes tools for data registration, background checking, badge printing, and access control, benefiting multiple client departments. Since 2017, it has rapidly grown and gained international recognition in the sports industry, serving prestigious teams and governing bodies like The Football Association and the International Cricket Council. Beyond sports, Accredit Solutions has expanded into music and cultural events, evident in its involvement in high-profile occasions like the Brit Awards.

The investment from Gresham House Ventures, led by Greg Blin and Trevor Hope, aims to accelerate Accredit Solutions' expansion globally. This infusion of funds will support deeper penetration into core markets and strategic growth initiatives. Additionally, Gresham House Ventures' venture partner Matt Mead will join Accredit Solutions' board, providing expertise and guidance for future endeavours.

“Accredit Solutions has demonstrated impressive growth, building a strong and defensible position within a growing and dynamic market. We look forward to seeing all that they achieve going forward with the support and experience of their new partners, Gresham House. Once again it was a pleasure working with the team at Gresham and we look forward to working with them again soon.”

Tom Bradbury, Corporate Finance
Director, Wilson Partners Ltd

