

## Scott Greig BACC (HONS) CA (qualified as a CA in 2012)

### Principal Manager

I graduated from Dundee University in 2009 with a BAcc (Hons) degree in Accountancy and Finance with Management Information Systems. I had always envisaged myself going on to train to become a qualified CA and naturally I looked to work with a Firm who could provide the best training contract to allow me to achieve this goal.

I was successful with my application to join EQ and was offered a place within their Forfar office. Almost straight away I was provided with a variety of jobs that allowed me to use my university knowledge but was tailored, providing a value added service to the Firm's clients. I was encouraged to ask as many questions as possible and all of my colleagues were always more than happy to sit down with me and answer them. I feel that this mutual sharing of information greatly benefitted my training and development over the years.

The work I was provided with in the Forfar office was predominately agricultural based and, as I was not from a farming background, it was quite challenging. However, with the comprehensive internal training programme provided by the Firm, I quickly started learning the ropes!

Following EQ's merger with Fife based firm Carter's in 2015, I was offered the opportunity to relocate to our new Cupar office to help strengthen the agricultural service. I felt this was a fantastic opportunity and took up the offer straight away. I have settled in well and am enjoying working with new colleagues and clients. The increased scale of EQ also provides additional opportunities for interesting and unique work which I enjoy and I know I can always rely on my colleagues for assistance if I am ever unsure.

All of the staff have a very good relationship with each other and there are always open conversations amongst everyone, regardless of their level (Junior through to Partner). There are also plenty of social nights out organised during the year which provides a well-earned break from work and studying.

