



# WHAT OUR CLIENTS SAY

## ACEVO, the

Association for Chief

Executives of Voluntary Organisations, has 35 employees and supports the interests of more than 1,900 members in the UK, the majority of whom are Chief Executives of third sector organisations.

ACEVO offers training, advice and consultancy to its members and champions charity issues within government departments and the media.

Due to the lack of internal resource, ACEVO sought cost effective outsourced support for its HR and employment law needs and after a rigorous selection process chose Ellis Whittam.

Jennifer Finn, Director of Member Services at ACEVO, comments: "Like many organisations, ACEVO went through a restructure early in 2011 and this raised various employee issues. Our Ellis Whittam personal adviser has been an invaluable source of advice and support during this time and his recommendations are always extremely pragmatic, recognising both the needs of our organisation, but also the pressures on our management team."

Jennifer continues: "It is important for us at ACEVO to make sure we are not only doing the



Mark Ellis, CEO, Ellis Whittam

Best for our staff, but also the organisation and its core values. Every single one of our team of directors has commented on how fantastic the support from Ellis Whittam has been."

Ellis Whittam has also been appointed as an advisory partner to ACEVO whereby the organisation actively recommends the service to its members.

Jennifer comments: "The advice is spot on for our organisation and that is why we recommend EW to our members too. The practical day-to-day advice from Ellis Whittam is invaluable."

Jennifer concludes: "Organisations in the third sector often operate to a tight budget and so it is great reassurance to know that there is expert, quality and affordable advice on hand 24/7."

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