

About Us

Sims Crawford Elliott & Co Pty Ltd is an accounting firm servicing Queensland since 1922, providing ongoing taxation, accounting and financial planning services in a timely and cost effective way to help our clients prosper.

Our firm has a wealth of knowledge and experience in:

- Accounting and income tax preparation for individuals, partnerships, companies, trusts and superannuation funds
- Business and taxation advising
- Advising on buying and selling businesses
- Setting up and maintaining companies and trusts
- Setting up and maintaining Self Managed Superannuation Funds.

Accountancy Services

We have extensive experience and expertise in taxation and accounting for individuals, businesses and superannuation funds. We support accounting packages - MYOB, QuickBooks and Cashflow Manager. We provide the following services:

- Preparation and lodgement of Income Tax Returns and Financial Accounts
- Preparation of Financial Accounts
- Taxation Planning and advice
- Business Structuring - including selecting the most cost and tax effective structure for your business
- ABN & GST registrations
- Preparation and lodgement of Business Activity Statements
- Advice on Buying and Selling Businesses
- Set up and administration of companies and trusts
- Preparation & lodgement Company ASIC forms
- Setup and administration of Superannuation Funds.

SIMS CRAWFORD ELLIOTT MERGER WITH QUILL GROUP

On 28 February 2011 Sims Crawford Elliott & Co merged with Quill Group.

Why did Sims Crawford Elliott merge?

Sims Crawford Elliott's longest serving partner Bill Crawford has decided it is time to slow down a little and transition into semi-retirement. However he will still be around and available for interviews. The decision to merge with Quill Group is in keeping with our firm's commitment to keep abreast of the times and to ensure clients continue to receive the most cutting edge financial advice and direction.

What will change?

Following this merger business will continue as normal, all of our staff will remain the same and our current Highgate Hill office location will not change.

Our current financial planning service arm Premium Wealth Management will now fall under Quill Group's own licence and for legal reasons this has forced a rebrand **to Quill Group Financial Planners** immediately. George Nielsen who currently runs this area of our business will continue in his current role supported by Bill, David and Russell in addition to the team at Quill Group. This area of our business will now be able to offer several new services that were previously outsourced. Over time, our website, marketing material and stationery will gradually change to incorporate the Quill Group logo and brand.

In addition, our Self Managed Super Fund (SMSF) clients will reap the benefits of **SuperFund Partners**, a specialist superannuation administrator staffed by industry professionals who are able to provide clients with strategic superannuation advice, daily administration and online access to super reporting. **Superfund Partners is a division of Quill Group and more information can be found at www.superfundpartners.com.au.**

Business as usual

Personalised service remains our top priority. Our talented and dedicated team will remain the same and are very excited about the expansion of services. With specialist support our team can now offer more services to each client whilst still offering the same personalised service that we have been known for since 1922.

Who is Quill Group?

Quill Group is a successful, dynamic and innovative firm with offices in both Eight Mile Plains and Southport and have more than 30 years experience in the accounting and financial planning sectors. Quill Group pride themselves on providing expert financial advice and solutions to clients in order to ensure personal wealth creation and business success.

The benefits of being a part of Quill Group

Quill Group currently has offices at Eight Mile Plains in Brisbane and Southport on the Gold Coast. Founding director Kevin Nicol has more than 30 years experience in the accounting and financial planning services sectors and leads a team of experienced professionals dedicated to providing expert financial solutions to their clients.

The team at Sims Crawford Elliott & Co has always been committed to providing the best outcomes for clients in the areas of accounting, taxation, financial planning and superannuation. Clients will now benefit from this merger with additional specialist services in Finance, Insurance, Self Managed Superannuation and Estate Planning.

We are confident that this merger with Quill Group will provide us the capabilities of a major accountancy and financial planning firm. The key value at Quill Group is "To Make a Difference" and they pride themselves on listening to clients and then working with them to make a positive difference to their business and personal wealth creation.

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