

Young Lawyer Programme

February to March 2020

Being admitted as a lawyer does not spell the end of your education in the profession. Young lawyers are the future leaders in the legal profession, so furthering your education, skills and knowledge is a great investment. The Society is pleased to include a variety of seminars in our current CPD programme that are relevant to lawyers with less than 5 years' post admission experience and/or under the age of 35. With a great range of speakers and topics with some special pricing for young lawyers, we hope to see you at one or more of these seminars.

Ethics on Friday: Ethics and Social Media (Webinar Only)

Friday, 7 February
1:00pm – 2:00pm

Family Law Masterclass
Monday, 10 February 2020
3:00pm – 6:15pm

Drafting Wills Masterclass
Wednesday, 12 February
3:00pm – 5:00pm

Compensation and the NDIS
Wednesday, 19 February
1:00pm – 2:00pm

Avoiding Burnout and Understanding Vicarious Trauma
Friday, 21 February
12:30pm – 2:00pm

Practical Tips and Tricks for Enforcing Judgments
Tuesday, 25 February
5:00pm – 6:00pm

CPD 123 For You – Your Clients
Thursday, 27 February
9:00am – 12:15pm

Banking Royal Commission – The Aftermath

Friday, 28 February
12:30pm – 2:00pm

Ethics on Friday: Cybersecurity – how to make your practice safer
Friday, 28 February
4:00pm – 5:00pm

ASIC v Kobelt – A review of the High Court Decision
Wednesday, 4 March
1:00pm – 2:00pm

Data Protection (Webinar Only)
Thursday, 12 March
1:00pm – 2:00pm

Can the Law Help People with Body Image Issues?
Body Image Law
Thursday, 12 March
4:30pm – 6:00pm

Building your Business Case for Flexible Work (Webinar Only)
Friday, 13 March
12:00pm – 1:00pm

CPD 123 For You – Your Core Skills

Wednesday, 18 March
9:00am – 12:15pm

Costs Intensive
Thursday, 19 March

Ethics on Friday: Getting it Right (Webinar Only)

Friday, 20 March
1:00pm – 2:00pm

Litigation Intensive
Wednesday, 25 March
3:00pm – 6:15pm

Plan, Position, Perform – Transforming Difficult Conversations into Positive Results

Thursday, 26 March
4:00pm – 6:00pm

Ethics on Friday: Advising Related Entities

Friday, 27 March
1:00pm – 2:00pm

CPD 123 For You – Your Culture
Monday, 30 March
9:00am – 12:15pm

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3 Sessions 3 Points Across 3 Competencies

Your Clients

Thursday, 27 February, 9:00am – 12:15pm

Get your points across the first three competencies in one session. This event is tailored for lawyers and the issues faced managing your practice and interacting with clients. Topics covered include:

7 Strategies to survive and thrive in a new decade

There's no denying that we're in an age of disruption in the legal profession. The old, established way of practising law is being questioned and rejected by both lawyers and clients. To thrive in today's market, firms need to deliver legal services in innovative ways, creating true value for their clients. But for all the talk about why we should change, there's not so much practical advice about how to do it. This session explores 7 practical strategies you can adopt now to position your law firm for success in this rapidly changing market.

Reducing the risks of miscommunication

Why is it that Communication failures remain a significant cause of claims and complaints against lawyers? This session will enhance your understanding of what really goes wrong and provide practical techniques for becoming more effective at listening, asking and explaining.

Everyday Ethics

Behaving ethically requires more than mere knowledge of conduct rules. This session will provide opportunities to check up on and enhance your ethical reasoning so as to reduce the risk of ethical lapses in everyday conduct. Ronwyn will cover frameworks for ethical reasoning and apply them to hypothetical scenarios.

Level: General | Morning tea will be provided

Chair: Vicki Coles

Manager – Risk, Law Mutual (WA)

Ronwyn North

Managing Director, Streeton Consulting Pty Ltd

Lucy Dickens

Senior Associate and Business Coach

Your Core Skills

Wednesday, 18 March, 9.00am – 12.15pm

One session that provides 3 points across 3 core competencies developed just for you. Topics covered include:

- Managing your time for maximum efficiency
- The art of influence and presentation
- Ethical considerations when using email

Level: General | Morning tea will be provided

Chair: Carmen Maughan

Senior Professional Development Officer,
Law Society of Western Australia

Cathryn Urquhart

Professional Skills Trainer

Margo Halbert

Leadership Communication Specialist,
Executive Coach and Speaker

Your Culture

Monday, 30 March, 9.00am – 12.15pm

One session that provides 3 points across 3 core competencies developed just for you. Topics covered include:

- Getting the right people and keeping them
- Cultural diversity in the legal profession
- The impact of culture on ethics

Level: General | Morning tea will be provided

Chair: Lauren Kollosche

Manager Professional Development
Law Society of Western Australia

Julie Panotidis

Senior Consultant, Mandau Legal

Catriona Macleod

Director, Cullen Macleod Lawyers

Each Seminar Contains:

1 Point, Competency 1, Practice Management

1 Point, Competency 2, Professional Skills

1 Point, Competency 3, Ethics and Professional Responsibility

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