Westlaw AU

Researching Legislation and Commentary Course Outline

Session Objectives

The purpose of this session is to:

- Provide methods of researching legislation and commentary.
- Demonstrate content specific examples to support learning outcomes.

Learning Outcomes

- Locate and display product information –"scope button"
- Search for an Act or Regulation by title
- Locate currency information on an Act or Regulation
- Set up a Quick links to an Act, Part, Chapter or Paragraph
- Browse a products Index to locate Commentary
- Search for a Provision of and Act or Regulation using the Advanced Search
- Conduct a subject search working with 'Connectors and Expanders'
- Locate related commentary and legislation from the Related Documents tab
- Display a list of cited documents
- Locate case law references in the commentary
- Locate the 'Help & Support' page

Session Duration

Approximately 30 minutes.

Session Delivery Methods

Internet (Webex/Telephone) - This training method is ideal for individuals or groups who are based remotely or where face to face training is not possible.

Note: The Webex session allows the participant to view the trainer's computer screen as they demonstrate research strategies on Westlaw AU. At no time does the trainer access your computer.

Training Specialist – Rachael Albert

A Thomson Reuters Training Specialist will conduct the session. All Training Specialists hold a Certificate IV in Training and Assessment or higher qualification.

