

Westlaw Australia

Researching Legislation

Objectives

This session will focus on locating and researching Legislation. It will highlight the benefit of using KeyCite to locate relevant Cases and Secondary Sources that cite or discuss a section of Legislation. Searching techniques will be covered to help efficiently find relevant legislation.

Learning Outcomes

The session will include:

- How to find an Act or Regulation using the Global Search
- How to search Legislation
- How to find cases that cite a section or provision of Legislation
- How to find Secondary Sources that discuss a section or provision of Legislation
- How to structure a Boolean terms and connectors search
- How to refine and filter search results
- How to download, print or email documents
- How to save content into folders

Session Duration

30 minutes (0.5 CPD Point)

Session Delivery Methods

Online via Microsoft Teams.

Note: The Webinar session allows participants to view the trainer's computer screen. At no time does the trainer access your computer.

Learning Materials

Support materials including Guides, Videos and tips are available via the link below

<https://support.thomsonreuters.com.au/product/new-westlaw-australia>

Training Specialists

This session will be facilitated by:

Mary Dossis is a qualified secondary teacher and has over 30+ years' experience working in legal publishing and training lawyers on legal research.

Tia Friedland is a qualified teacher and has over 20 years' experience working in the field of training, legal publishing, and training legal and tax professionals.

May Nguyen is an admitted lawyer and has over 7 years practice in commercial and property law and has also worked in legal/business consulting.

Mark Norman has over 10 years' experience as a legal trainer working with clients to improve their research skills. Mark also has over 10 years' experience as a research librarian in law firms in the UK and Australia.