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How to start using and leveraging low-cost scalable technology in your law firm today so that you are better placed to thrive tomorrow

I deliver a practical session on 5 common mistakes lawyer make when getting started with legal tech and what they should do instead. I show how to get started today to optimise the way you work, your client's satisfaction with your work and your firm's bottom line including:

- Improving process
- Working remotely and paperless
- Working in a distributed team
- Adopting automation tools that can assist with repetitive tasks
- Making the most of the tools you already have

Topics I have presented on include:

- Using GenAI in your law firm to work more effectively
- Getting started with legal tech projects
- A non geek's guide to the Legaltech trends you need to know about
- 5 things you can do now to future proof your law practice

I can also customise a presentation or workshop to meet the needs of your audience.





WHAT OTHERS HAVE SAID

Fiona and I crossed paths a few years ago now and she is someone I have learned so much from because she is my go to #legaltechguru! She is the person that just knows what tech is around and what might work for firms of all shapes and sizes

Clarissa Rayward, Brisbane Family Law Centre



What a brilliant presentation - such a diverse range of tech tools and good to see you don't have to be a tech wiz to get impactful results. Fiona was a fabulous host - asking questions to elicit useful information from the guests: I love her calm but enthusiastic delivery.

CLI-ALMPA Innovation and LegalTech Virtual summit 2021



This was brilliant - totally in the bucket of I cannot believe how many things there are in the world that I know nothing about - your calm delivery helped me to feel inspired and not to freak out

Webinar Attendee 2021



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Seminar Attendee March 2022



I consider myself a competent user of Word, but I learned several new shortcuts and tools yesterday that will make a real difference to my work. Thank you, Fiona!

Making the most of the tools you have (inhouse) Webinar Attendee 2020





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Legalwise seminar attendee



Very thoughtful and clear presentation on the range of tech that can be used in legal practice. There are tools that I can use.

Legalwise seminar attendee



Informative. A must do session for new law firms.

Workshop Attendee 2023



It was great to talk to someone who understands the work we do - rather than having scatter gun recommendations made by IT people that are non-lawyers. It was clear that you understood what would work for us and what would not

Consulting client



You are a legend! The course you ran was almost an afterthought for me but turns out critically important.

Workshop attendee



Organisations I've presented to



PRESENTATIONS

Happy Lawyer Happy Life Retreat (2022) Planning your exit: using tech to de-risk your legal practice

CLI webinar "Getting started with legal tech projects in 2022"

Family Law Practitioners Association QLD Annual Retreat (Nov 2021) "Tips from a tech enhanced lawyer"

"What does a tech enabled family law team look like?" (Sept 2021) presented to Lander & Rogers

Women Legalpreneurs SIG Series "How to choose the right tech for your new digital legal business" panelist 31 August 2021

NSW Law Society FLIP Buzzwords "Process Improvement" panellist 30 June 2021

CLI-ALMPA Innovation & LegalTech Virtual summit 2021 "Tech that changed my world" series

CLI webinar "Getting started with Legal Tech projects" (May 2020) since had over 4,000 views

LIV Succession Intensive March 2020 "Future proofing your wills and estate legal practice"

Building visual literacy for lawyers webinar (presented to Corrs Chambers Westgarth)

CLI Summit 9 August 2019 - appointed member of panel of "geeky gurus"

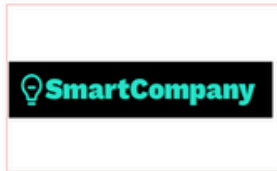
Speaker at ALPMA Summit Sept 2018 "Snapshot of the 5 Lawtech trends that you should know about: a guide for non geeks" and Webinar in May 2019

Facilitator panel Happy Lawyer Happy Life Retreat Nov 2018 "Technology in law firms"

Legal Innovation and techfest June 2018 "Transforming digital archiving in modern legal organisations"

LegalTech Australia Summit Nov 2017 "Cost effective tech solutions for law firms"

As seen in



PUBLICATIONS

Tech enabled lawyer: a guide to making the most of the tools you have and spotting the tech you need (book)

Setting up a home office August 2020

Building visual literacy for lawyers October 2020

A solicitor's guide to online hearings May 2020

Report on Centre for Legal Innovation's *Innovation in Legal Practice Summit 2019*

What does a tech enabled lawyer look like - Centre for Legal Innovation (April 2019)

5 podcasts that will help lawyers keep up (and why you should listen) (June 2019)

Innovation from the trenches – 4 ways to keep up to date with lawtech despite your workload (Nov 20, 2018) Infotrack blog

How to overcome the challenge of adopting lawtech in law firms (Nov 2017)



ABOUT ME

After over 20 years working in litigation in Sydney in BigLaw, Mid tier and a small firm I'm determined to get more lawyers using technology to streamline and continuously improve the delivery of legal services – to benefit lawyers, law firms and their clients.



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