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# **About the Conference**

Over the last decade advances in technology have greatly transformed the practice of law as well as the management of a legal practise. **LawTech NZ** provides a platform for anyone involved in the intersection of technology and the law to develop their knowledge in this fast changing area.

LawTech NZ is presented by E-Discovery Consulting and EY, with the conference now New Zealand's premier legal technology event. The 2015 event will build on the success of the last two annual conferences, which both attracted over 100 participants and were hailed as great successes by attendees and vendors alike.

The focus of LawTech NZ for 2015 has been expanded from solely eDiscovery to appeal to a wider audience of legal professionals with an interest in various aspects of legal technology. The audience will now include not only lawyers but also CIOs, practice managers, knowledge managers, IT professionals and regulatory agencies.

The event will include multiple topic streams, each featuring keynote presentations, interactive panel discussions and live technology demonstrations. The expanded programme will feature completely new topics and speakers, including leading legal technology leaders and practitioners from New Zealand and abroad.

LawTech NZ has been specifically designed to provide the latest legal technology developments and practical information which is relevant to the day-to-day practice of legal professionals. The event will provide the opportunity to meet industry leaders and colleagues who are faced with similar challenges, to learn more about industry better practices and drive greater efficiency within their organisation.



### Who should attend?

The event is specifically designed to target the needs of the following roles within law firms, corporate organisations and government agencies:

- Litigation lawyers
- General Counsel & Corporate Counsel
- Barristers
- Judicial members
- Government agencies
- Computer forensic experts
- Compliance, Governance and Risk professionals
- Information and Knowledge Management professionals
- CIO'S and COO's
- Practice Office Managers
- IT professionals
- Regulatory investigators
- Litigation support professionals
- Information security leaders
- Any legal professionals with an interest in the law and technology
- Service providers to the legal industry

# Confirmed keynote speakers include



#### International Keynote: Nigel Murray

Nigel has been at the forefront of the litigation support and e-Disclosure industry in the UK since 1991. He managed the first e-Disclosure project to go before a UK court in the early 2000's and has since advised and worked with a large number of clients in the UK, mainland Europe, the United States and the Middle East in a range of industry sectors.

Nigel has recently retired from Huron Legal where he was a Managing Director based in the London Office. Prior to joining Huron, Nigel was founder and Managing Director of TRILANTIC, the first UK-based e-Disclosure company. Previously, Nigel was a litigation support manager in a major international law firm before establishing the first UK litigation support company in 1993 where he managed the BCCI liquidation and the only UK tobacco case.



#### Judicial Keynote: Judge Harvey

Judge Harvey has been interested in computers and the potential of computers since 1980 and was involved in introduction of word processing and computerised trust accounting to the firm in which he was a partner. Since his appointment Judge Harvey has been closely involved with Information Technology initiatives involving the Judiciary including the development of trial management software.

In addition to his Judicial duties, Judge Harvey is consultant editor for Butterworths "Electronic Business and Technology Law" and a member of the Editorial Board for Butterworths "Technology Law Forum". He is a part-time lecturer at the Faculty of Law, University of Auckland, teaching Law and Information Technology. He has written extensively in the field of law and technology and has presented a number of papers to Conferences both in New Zealand and overseas on related topics. He was Chair of the Copyright Tribunal (2002–2008) and has had published a book on the law and networked systems entitled *internet.law.nz – Selected Issues*, now in its third edition. He has recently completed a PhD degree.

#### Other speakers:

- ► Polly Pope, Litigation Partner, Russell McVeagh
- ► Chris Curran, Litigation Partner, Russell McVeagh
- Craig Columbus, Chief Information Officer, Russell McVeagh
- ► Jarrod Coburn, CEO, Ebborn Law
- Caroline Jones, Manager of Experience Design, Aderant
- ► Guy Burgess, Senior Associate, Clendons

- Warrick Mclean, General Manager,
   Coleman Greig Lawyers
- ► Daniel Toresen, Private Investigator, Thompson & Toresen
- ► Bridgette White, Senior Associate, Buddle Findlay
- Warren Dunn, Partner & Head of Forensic Technology
   & Discovery Services, EY
- ► Sarah Cordner, Senior Manager, EY
- Andrew King, Founder & Strategic Advisor,
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- Cristina Libro, Principal Consultant, Doing Law Differently
  - ▶ Jo Sherman, Founder & CEO, EDT
  - ► Greg Quirk, Konica Minolta
  - Azan Iwasaki, DocsCorp
  - ► James Kenney & Damian Jeal, Nikec Solutions
  - ► Scott Gillard, FTI Consulting

Check the LawTech NZ event page for the latest information: www.e-discovery.co.nz/events/lawtech/

# **Exciting New Venue**

In 2015, **LawTech NZ** is being held at the Pullman Hotel in Auckland. The Pullman is a 5-star hotel located right in the heart of the Auckland CBD. It is within easy walking distance of most Auckland law firms. The venue has a substantially greater exhibition area and networking space as well as multiple conference rooms.











## **Accommodation Discounts**

#### **Pullman Auckland**

Discounted accommodation rates are available at the Pullman Auckland Hotel. To book this rate please either call the hotel direct on +64 9 353 1000 (between Monday – Friday 9.00am – 6.00pm) and quote the code: 'LawTech NZ' or alternatively email the reservations team on

#### The Quadrant Hotel

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#### Essential to book early

Due to March being a busy time of year and many other events on in Auckland at this time, accommodation availability is very limited and it is essential for delegates to book early.

# Event programme

Timing	Legal & eDiscovery Stream	Legal Technology Stream	Technology Demonstration Stream
7:30 - 9.00	Pre-conference Workshop – eDiscovery 101 'Back to Basics'  Bridgette White, Buddle Findlay, Sarah Cordner, EY and Andrew King, E-Discovery Consulting  Practitioners and eDiscovery leaders will provide a practical insight into the entire eDiscovery process, taking delegates back to the basics including a step by step guide for undertaking any eDiscovery exercise. The workshop will look at what the Court requires you to do in preparing for the first CMC and embracing the Discovery Checklist, whilst providing practical tips to help produce electronic information proportionately and cost effectively.		
8:45 - 9.15	Registration and Morning Coffee – Exhibition Area open		
9:15 - 9.30	Opening remarks from the Chair - Warren Dunn, EY		
9:30 - 10.30	Judicial Keynote – How technology challenges law – Judge Harvey  Disruptive communications technologies challenge every facet of our professional and social lives. The Law is not immune from these challenges as established doctrines require re-examination in the new Digital Paradigm. Judge Harvey examines some legal principles that have come under attack and offers some glimpses into the future of law.		
10:30 - 11:00	Morning tea		
11:00 - 11:40	A practitioners perspective of eDiscovery in a small matter <i>Guy Burgess, Clendons</i> Electronic discovery raises practical issues in proceedings of all sizes, including small matters with little or no electronic evidence. How can you meet the Court's discovery requirements efficiently? What practical steps can or should you take to make the discovery process more effective? What lessons arise from recent cases?	Data privacy and security  Craig Columbus, Russell McVeagh In this era of hyper-connectivity securing both your law firm and client data from would-be hackers and rogue employees is paramount. How does the law firm manage its ever evolving IT environment?	The evolution of technology in New Zealand law firms  Greg Quirk, Konica Minolta  On a technology scale, where is your firm — completely paper-based, or entirely digital?  With increasing amounts of information coming through varied channels, how firms manage that information is more important than ever. In this session, we'll speak to a local law firm who has started the shift to a completely digital environment, and discuss the challenges and benefits they have found in this transition.
11:40 - 11:50	Exhibit hall break		

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11:50 - 12:30	A practitioners perspective of eDiscovery in a large litigation  Polly Pope & Chris Curran, Russell McVeagh  You have multiple sources of potential evidence  – from back-up tapes, mobile devices, email, collaborative workspaces and the cloud – generating large volumes of documents needing to be reviewed. How do you manage the many moving parts in a large litigation?	Hot topics in knowledge management Cristina Libro, Doing Law Differently As technology improves so too does the effectiveness of knowledge management within the law firm. Enterprise search solutions; new tools for tracking client, prospect and competitor activity; social networking technologies connect and build contacts that flourish into "groups". So just what are some of these solutions, technologies and tools?	When business-critical documents go missing, who are you going to call?  DocsCorp – Azan Iwasaki  It is estimated that 20% of documents are invisible to search technology. The task of retrieving and converting these image-based documents can be arduous, complex and expensive. contentCrawler will save you time and money searching for business-critical documents.
12.30 - 1.30	Lunch		
1.30 - 2.10	A general counsel perspective An insider's perspective on managing litigation, regulatory inquiries and investigations.	Managing mobility and connectivity  Caroline Jones, Aderant  The drive toward empowering lawyers to become mobile "road warriors" with smart phones, iPads, tablets, laptops and other devices all connected back to the office via portals pose many IT challenges. How does the law firm CIO manage this new era of consumerisation without losing control of critical data?	The modern law firm:  Managing information in the digital age  Nikec Solutions – James Kenney & Damian Jeal  Information in today's digital age is fast  moving. It is no longer bound to a single person or a department. It is mobile and evolves along the way as various parties contribute to a document. With the sheer volumes of documents and devices from which information can be consumed, documents and workflow processes can quickly turn into a state of disarray if not managed properly. How do you ensure that your files are organised, viewed and shared in the most efficient way while increasing collaboration, client engagement and knowledge sharing?
2:10 - 2:20	Exhibit hall break		

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2:20 - 3:00	The changing face of evidence.  Daniel Toresen, Thompson & Toresen  The exponential growth and reach of technology into our personal and professional lives have led to the development of many new forms of evidence. Just what types and forms can this evidence take and should now be considered by the astute lawyer?	Practice management – you want to do what? Warrick McLean, Coleman Greig Rolling out a new practice management system. Introducing a knowledge management solution. Installing a document review platform. Evaluating litigation support tools. Just how do you tackle technology projects to keep your law firm up to date in the 21st century?	Finding Facts Fast — A How To Guide for Smarter eDiscovery FTI Consulting — Scott Gillard For a legal department, the true goal for conducting e-discovery is finding the facts of the matter, whether detecting fraudulent activity, determining whether or how to dispose of a matter and planning case strategy in the event of a lawsuit. But with ever-increasing data volumes, the traditional 'standard review' way is becoming more expensive and time consuming. Legal teams need a better way to tackle the problem of finding facts quickly, without relying on going through the 'standard review' motions of the entire e-discovery process. Several cutting- edge teams are forging new ground and finding facts quickly through the use of advanced analytics and expert workflow.
3:00 - 3:10	Exhibit hall break		
3:10 - 3:50	When eDiscovery goes bad Jo Sherman, EDT and Andrew King, E-Discovery Consulting Listen to a panel of professionals discuss common eDiscovery problems and challenges. Learn about more effective practices to improve efficiency, reduce cost and simplify your discovery process.	Challenging the way law is delivered Jarrod Coburn, Ebborn Law  How is technology challenging the traditional law firm business model and changing the way law is delivered?	
3:50 - 4:20	Afternoon tea		
4:20 - 5:20	International Keynote – leading legal technologist, Nigel Murray Nigel will provide an international perspective of how lawyers and law firms can meet the challenges of today's Digital Paradigm. The session will explore how law firms have adapted their practices through the aid of technology. The keynote will also examine how lawyers and law firms can continue to use technology efficiently and effectively.		
5:20 - 5:30	Closing remarks from the Chair - Warren Dunn, EY		
5:30 - 6:30	Drinks reception		

# Registration

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Delegate rates		
Super Saver	Early Bird	Last Minute
by 19 Dec 2014 \$475 (+GST)	20 Dec 2014–28 Feb 2015 \$575 (+GST)	after 1 Mar 2015 \$695 (+GST)

Pre-conference workshop	If you can't attend but would like to receive a copy of the conference materials
eDiscovery 101 - Back to Basics \$175 (+GST)	\$205 (+GST)

# Delegate rates include

- Conference Pass
- Conference Networking Lunch
- Networking Drinks
- **Exhibition Pass**

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