

Westminster Legal Policy Forum keynote seminar:

The future for AI in legal services

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Draft agenda, subject to change

- 8.30 Registration
- 9.00 **Chair's opening remarks**
Chair to be announced
- 9.05 **The development of AI in the legal sector - assessing the current AI landscape and direction moving forward**
Professor Richard Susskind, President, Society for Computers and Law
- 9.15 **Considering the regulatory implications of innovation and developing use of technology in the legal profession**
Matthew Hill, Chief Executive, Legal Services Board
- 9.30 Questions and comments from the floor
- 9.45 **Consumer service in a legal sector supported by AI - access to services, public perception and meeting consumer expectations, data protection, transparency, accountability and liability, and mitigating risks and bias**
Akber Dattoo, Founder and Chief Executive Officer, D2 Legal Technology
Shaun Jardine, Solicitor (Non Practising), Big Yellow Penguin
Ellen Lefley, Lawyer, JUSTICE
Liz Adams, Head of Programme: Algorithmic Transparency, Centre for Data Ethics and Innovation
Senior representative, business
Questions and comments from the floor
- 10.30 Break
- 10.35 **The legal workforce and AI deployment - implications for roles across firms, legal education, impact on aspiring and newly qualified lawyers, upskilling and CPD, and determining where the human-machine interface lies**
Dr Ann Thanaraj, Assistant Director, Digital Transformation, Teesside University
Paul Caddy, Head of Insight, Shoosmiths
James Hutt, Founding Consultant, Paradigm Junction
Professor Sue Prince, University of Exeter
Questions and comments from the floor
- 11.20 **Chair's closing remarks**
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- 11.25 Break
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- 11.35 **AI integration into legal processes and practice - strategies for supporting adoption, quality assurance, and investment and planning for sustained development to keep pace with evolving capabilities and needs**
Eleanor Lightbody, Chief Executive Officer, Luminance
Kerry Westland, Head of Innovation and Legal Technology, Addleshaw Goddard
Dr Emma Jones, Senior Lecturer, The University of Sheffield
Kriti Sharma, Chief Product Officer, Legal Tech, Thomson Reuters
Dia Thanki, Founder and Chief Executive Officer, Alchemy Machines
Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.15 Break
- 12.20 **Assessing the future direction of AI integration in the legal profession**
Ian Jeffrey, Chief Executive Officer, Law Society
Shobana Iyer, Vice-Chair Legal Services Committee, Bar Council
Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.55 **Chair's and Westminster Legal Policy Forum closing remarks**
Chair to be announced
Sean Cudmore, Deputy Editor, Westminster Legal Policy Forum