# 2030: THE FUTURE OF TECHNOLOGY & THE LEGAL INDUSTRY





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# about Chilli IQ

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We are a leading creator of conferences and summits who aim to bring together great minds with avid learners amongst the thought-inspiring atmosphere of leading venues.

Chilli IQ has many years of collective experience in the area of creating and developing innovative conferences and summits for the changing business environment. This is not though what differentiates us from the crowd, what makes us unique is our modus operandi. We value quality and strive to ensure that every aspect of our events reflects this – from the choice of speakers, the venue and the genuine attention to detail.

Our main objective is to lead the field in the area of knowledge delivery and as this is a fluid process we are constantly seeking new avenues and evolving to make sure we never just settle. We ensure that all who partake in the Chilli IQ conference experience – whether it be as a delegate, a speaker, a sponsor or an endorsing association – maximise their investment and attain a higher level of understanding and awareness of the chosen business theme.



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# About the event



# 2030:The futureof technology& the legalindustry

AI & Beyond::

Navigating the
Intersection of
Technology,
Generative AI,
and the Legal
Sector

The legal sector is on the cusp of a revolution, driven by the rapid advancements in technology and the emergence of Generative AI. As AI-powered tools and systems begin to transform the way legal services are delivered, lawyers, judges, and legal professionals must come together to navigate the opportunities and challenges presented by these innovations.

2030: The future of Technology and the Legal Sector, is a pioneering conference that brings together thought leaders, innovators, and practitioners from the legal and technology sectors to explore the future of law in the age of Generative Al. Attendees will engage in keynote presentations, panel discussions, workshops, and networking opportunities to delve into the most pressing questions and opportunities at the intersection of technology, Gen Al, and the legal sector.

# confirmed speakers

The following speakers have been invited for their expertise and knowledge on the chosen topics:

- ALEXIA MADDOX SOCIOLOGY OF TECNOLOGY & DIRECTOR DIGITAL
   EDUCATION LATROBE UNIVERSITY
- JAMES MYINT MANAGING PARTNER STIRLING & ROSE
- MICHAEL PARK PARTNER DENTONS
- EHSAN SHAREGHI ASSISTANT PROFESSOR MONASH UNIVERSITY
- DR PAUL BURGESS SENIOR LECTURER MONASH UNIVERSITY
- MARK ANDREWS DIRECTOR GLOBAL IT SERVICE DELIVERY BAKER & MCKENZIE
- MICHAEL WILLIAMS HEAD OF TECHNOLOGY AND INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

  GROUP GILBERT + TOBIN
- JULIA WIGHTON SENIOR MANAGER, CYBER THREAT SERVICES INCIDENT READINESS, RESPONSE, AND RECOVERY PWC

# who should attend

This event has been exclusively produced to address the function and capacity of the following position from the legal profession:

- · legal professionals, partners and leadership teams
- technology innovators,
- CIOs CTOs COOs
- IT Security, Risk Managers
- and anyone interested in the future of the legal sector and the impact of Generative AI on the industry.



# what you will learn



# The Future of Technology & the Legal Industry programme will be focussing on:

# • The Future of Legal Practice:

How will Generative AI and other emerging technologies transform the way lawyers work, and what new opportunities and challenges will arise?

# GenAl for Australian Law:

Where we are, where we could be, and why we might not get there!

# Justice and Access:

How can technology and Gen AI be leveraged to improve access to justice, and what are the potential risks and benefits of AI-driven legal services?

# Regulation and Governance:

What regulatory frameworks are needed to govern the use of AI in the legal sector, and how can we balance innovation with public trust and safety?

# • Al and Cybersecurity:

The challenges and opportunities for using AI in detecting and preventing cyber attacks

# Mitigating Al

A forward discussion on the future of data, employment, corporations and the law in an Al driven world

# The AI Paradox in Law:

When Smart Systems Meet Human Stakes - Navigating the Promise and Perils of Legal AI through 2030



# **CONFERENCE PROGRAMME**

8:30 -9:00

Registrations open

9:00 - 9:15

# Opening and comments from the chair

JOHN VAN ROOYEN | SALES DIRECTOR | THOMSON REUTERS

#### Session 1

9:15 - 10:00 Opening Session

# The Future of Legal Practice with Al

After years of largely incremental developments in legal technology, AI and advanced legal systems are set to make dramatic changes to legal practice in Australia. This session will explore how the lawyers and law firms of the 2030s will be using AI technology to enhance their offerings and how existing professional frameworks are likely to have to respond to enable the full potential of AI to be realised.

The session will also examine how AI is likely to impact the types of legal service delivery, client relationships, legal training/skills development and the legal careers of the future."

MICHAEL WILLIAMS HEAD OF TECHNOLOGY AND INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY GROUP GILBERT + TOBIN

#### Session 2

10:00 - 10:45

# Rethinking value in an AI enabled world

In this session, Mark will explore the tension between volume driven measures, the promise of AI to reduce effort required and therefore a need to better understand and focus on value.

It will touch on some of the behavioural aspects as lawyers will spend time to incorporate AI into their work on the promise that it will save them time and but still have expectations of billable hours.

MARK ANDREWS DIRECTOR - GLOBAL IT SERVICE DELIVERY BAKER & MCKENZIE

\* via video link

## Break

10:45 - 11:15

# Morning Tea & time to chat

#### TechTalk

11:15-11:30

# Survival of the Fittest: Embrace Al Legal Tech to Secure Your Competitive Future

Explore the integration of advanced legal solutions into your tech stack, revolutionizing your workflow, saving time, and elevating productivity to stay ahead in client services competition.

JANE LEWIS VICE PRESIDENT, LEGAL PROFESSIONAL SALES, ASIA & EMERGING MARKETS THOMSON REUTERS

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Session 3 11:30 - 12:15

# GenAl for Australian Law - Where we are, where we could be, and why we might not get there!

Large Language Models (LLMs) and LLM-powered agents have driven significant advancements across various disciplines. These technologies are seen by some as having the potential to deliver the speed, efficiency, and accuracy benefits required by the legal industry. Yet, the Australian context generates particular problems for the application of the technologies in this way. In addition to setting out the potential and the problems of the technologies, we highlight ways in which legal LLM-powered agents' reliability may be enhanced in a way that enables them to deliver on the technologies' promise.

**DR EHSAN SHAREGHI** LECTURER & DEPUTY DIRECTOR - MASTER OF AI PROGRAM **MONASH UNIVERSITY** 

DR PAUL BURGESS SENIOR LECTURER - FACULTY OF LAW MONASH UNIVERSITY

Session 4 12:15 -13:00

# The Al Paradox in Law:

# When Smart Systems Meet Human Stakes - Navigating the Promise and Perils of Legal AI through 2030

As generative AI transforms legal practice, we face a critical paradox: the same tools that promise unprecedented efficiency and insight can also amplify existing biases and create dangerous blind spots. Through the lens of high-stakes applications in legal decision-making—drawing from critical cases like automated risk assessment in domestic violence—this session examines how legal professionals can harness AI's potential while avoiding its pitfalls.

Drawing from real-world cases and emerging research, we'll explore how to enhance rather than replace human judgement, while maintaining professional autonomy in an Al-augmented future. Essential insights for legal professionals navigating the next wave of technological transformation.

DR ALEXIA MADDOX SOCIOLOGIST OF TECHNOLOGY & SENIOR LECTURER LATROBE UNIVERSITY

Break 13:00 -14:00

Lunch and time to chat

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#### Session 5

14:00 - 14:45

# Al as the Legal Stakeholder

A forward discussion on the future of data, employment, corporations and the law in an Al driven world

#### JAMES MYINT MANAGING PARTNER STIRLING AND ROSE

James was the Australian Head of a major international law firm's Digital Law practice and a founding member of an international law firm's marketleading restructuring practice.

James leads Stirling & Rose's finance and restructuring practice, with significant local and global experience in high complexity 'first of their kind' transactions with a cross-jurisdictional focus, working in New York, Tokyo and Sydney.

James advises major companies, funds, investors, financial institutions and blockchain platforms, specialising in Smart Legal Contracts, CBDCs, DeFi, digital investments and novel financings.

#### Session 6

14:45 - 15:30

# Al Regulation and Governance:

What regulatory frameworks are needed to govern the use of AI in the legal sector, and how can we balance innovation with public trust and safety?

# MICHAEL PARK PARTNER DENTONS

#### Break

15:30 - 16:00

# Afternoon Tea & time to chat

#### Session 7

16:00 - 16:45

# Navigating the Future of AI and Cyber

Examining the evolving use of AI in cybersecurity by attackers and defenders, alongside the opportunities and challenges this presents for legal and cybersecurity professionals.

JULIA WIGHTON SENIOR MANAGER CYBERSECURITY & PRIVACY PWC AUSTRALIA

# Networking Drinks

16:45 -17:00

# Closing remarks from the Chair

#### End

17:00 -18:00

Post-event drinks and End of forum

# **EVENT INFORMATION - Melbourne**

Don't miss this opportunity to shape the future of law and technology. Register now and be part of the conversation that will define the next era of legal innovation.

# **EVENT NAME:**

2030: THE FUTURE OF TECHNOLOGY & THE LEGAL INDUSTRY

**EVENT DATE: 19 MARCH 2025** 

# **VENUE:**

GRAND HYATT MELBOURNE 123 COLLINS STREET MELBOURNE, VIC 3000, AUSTRALIA ROOM: MAYFAIR BALLROOM

## **CONFERENCE TIMING:**

**CONFERENCE REGISTRATION: 8.30AM- 9.00AM** 

**CONFERENCE TIMING: 9.00AM- 5:00PM** 

**NETWORKING DRINKS:** 5:00PM - 6:00PM

DRESS REQUIREMENTS: SMART CASUAL





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