

Legal Services Events Update

The following are selection of forthcoming legal services events by suppliers to the current LUPC led national framework agreement ([Legal Services \(National\) PFB5041 LU](#)) that may of interest to your organisation.

Events are listed in date order.

All events are open to the public, organised by the framework supplier as listed, and are independent of LUPC. Unless indicated the events are free to attend. All URLs will direct you to the law firm’s event website.

Please see the registration information for full details of the event, the registration, and any terms and conditions of registering. Events may be postponed or cancelled without notice.

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GDPR Roundtable

Framework Supplier	Muckle
Date	20 th April 2021
Registration and Information	Register Here
Cost	Free

Our GDPR roundtables will continue online for the foreseeable future and our next one will take place on Tuesday 20 April 2021.

This will have an EU and Brexit focus with an update on adequacy and model clauses and recent developments.

This is relevant to anyone responsible for data protection in their organisation and wanting to keep up with data protection developments.

TECHtalk Byte-Size (GDPR)

Framework Supplier	Mills & Reeve
Date:	28 th April 2021
Registration and Information	Register Here
Cost	Free

“What’s in a name? That which we call a rose by any other name would smell as sweet” ...but that doesn’t apply when it comes to UK GDPR and EU GDPR concepts!

The name matters - getting the terminology and conceptual requirements right is a fundamental part of Data Protection compliance – getting it wrong could risk massive practical problems and liability!

So, in the first of our new TECHtalk Byte-Size series of short 30-minute webinars, we will take a quick look at:

- Untangling the thorny issue of Joint Controller, Controller and Processor determination
- Some pitfalls to avoid along the way
- Questions from delegates

Making the most of social value in public procurement

Framework Supplier	Mills & Reeve
Date	29 th April 2021
Registration and Information	Register Here
Cost	Free

Delivering social value is a key component of the government’s procurement agenda. As part of that drive, the Cabinet Office has published PPN 06/20 on taking account of social value in a public procurement. The Social Value Model sets out model questions, award criteria and reporting metrics aimed at enabling the meaningful evaluation of social value commitments in tenders.

Our speakers are public procurement experts. We will give you a useful overview of the Social Value Model before digging down into some of the real-world issues we see clients facing when incorporating social value into their procurements.

The session will be of interest to (1) public sector authorities wishing to address social value elements in the design of their procurements and (2) private sector suppliers wanting to secure maximum credit for their social value offering in tenders to the public sector.

Our sessions are concise, informative, and engaging and include time for live delegate questions. You can also submit any questions in advance when you register.

Campus-based education and Covid-19 – what next?

Framework Supplier	Capital Law
Date:	29 th April 2021
Registration and Information	Register Here
Cost	Free

The pandemic has led to dramatic changes in the educational landscape, particularly with footfall around college and university facilities being severely restricted. This is bound to affect future development plans as town or city centre facilities may no longer be a priority. Learner expectations may have also changed, and it is unclear whether campus design will form such an integral part of a provider's brand in the current climate.

To try and see more clearly, Capital Academy is bringing together a panel of experts to explore how relationships with learners have evolved and consider the long-term impact on future campus-based provision.

The panel will be chaired by David Jones – Former CEO/Principal Coleg Cambria & Director, Baden Associates

Webinar: Ethnic Diversity in the Workplace

Framework Supplier	Clarkslegal
Date	18 th May 2021
Registration and Information	Register Here
Cost	Free

We all know what the research tells us: diverse workplaces are more innovative and productive, with greater staff well-being and retention. But many of us are still struggling to make this a reality. How can you avoid common pitfalls and move your organisation forward?

In the first of our Clarkslegal series on different aspects of diversity, Deborah Scales and Liz Bradley explore key legal guidance and discuss ways to celebrate, protect and improve ethnic diversity in the workplace, including:

Race discrimination

What is it? How should you deal with it?

Creating an inclusive culture

What tools are available? How can you use them effectively?

Life after lockdown - overcoming the challenges of a 'new normal'

Framework Supplier	Hill Dickinson
Date:	20 th May 2021
Registration and Information	Register Here
Cost	Free

Life in lockdown threw us all into new and stressful circumstances. Emerging from the pandemic will take time and we do not yet know what the future will look like. This applies equally to in-house lawyers and in-house legal teams.

We are delighted to host a webinar with Dr Judith Mohring, an expert in mental health, stress management and well-being, who will look at how we face these challenges, emerge stronger from them and develop our own resources individually and within our businesses.

Judith has been a psychiatrist for 20 years and has experience across all areas of mental health and has trained as a coach, therapist and medical doctor.

Tribunal top tips and tactics for the Education sector

Framework Supplier	Shakespeare Martineau
Date	20 th May 2021
Registration and Information	Register Here
Cost	Free

This stimulating and highly practical discussion will cover the top tips that institutions need to consider to run employment tribunal claims. We will highlight the importance of being proactive and will cover:

- Tactics and procedure
- Meditation and settlement
- Evidence and the importance of an early a merits assessment
- When conceding liability can strategically be a good idea
- Reinstatement and reengagement

We will also cover witness management and support; the importance of documentation; and reputational issues.

Webinar - An introduction to contracts for education institutions

Framework Supplier	Eversheds Sutherland
Date	28 th September 2021
Registration and Information	Register Here
Cost	Free

The session is aimed at non legally trained contract managers who are responsible for contract negotiation or those who are legally trained but need a refresher on the contracting process.

Synopsis

- In this webinar we will look at: We will look at the legal essentials for contract formation and the meaning of some common clauses found in contracts.