

Disruption & Innovation

Meeting the challenge

Day One: Thursday, 15 October 2020

Disruption – Embracing a Year of Change

*“For good ideas and true innovation, you need human interaction,
conflict, argument and debate”*

– Margaret Heffernan

DAY 1: THURSDAY OCT 15

1:00pm AEDT

Welcome and Introductions

1:15pm–2:00pm

Acknowledgement of Country - Increasing Cultural Competence

Jennifer Mar Young, Director, Client Relationships

Arilla Indigenous Consulting

Jennifer Mar Young of Arilla Indigenous Consulting will open our conference and build understanding of First Nations People with an interactive experience. Bring your questions to make the most of this session. Jennifer’s knowledge is extensive and there is no question that she hasn’t heard before. If you have been wondering what to say / not say or how to position something this is a great chance to ask someone with extensive experience.

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2:00pm–2:15pm

Game Rules for a Digital Conference

[Natalie Wieland](#), Founder, [Vidversity](#) and

[Anna Hinder](#), Director, [Searl Street Consulting](#)

2:15pm–3:00pm

Diversity & Inclusion

[Maureen Frank](#), Chief Disruption Officer, [Emberin](#)

3:00pm–3:30pm

Roundtable Discussion: Constructive Stories in a Challenging Year

2020 has been a year of disorientation and professional development. Our panelists will kick off a session designed to give us an opportunity to share what we have learned and what we need to plan to implement going forward.

[Eila Pourasgheri](#), Director – Education and Engagement, [Women’s Legal Service Victoria](#)

[Natalie Mascarenhas](#), Talent Management Consultant, [Baker & McKenzie](#)

3:30pm–3:45pm

Break

3:45pm–4:45pm

What your Lawyers Need to Know about Advocacy in a Virtual Environment

[Hon. Justice Forbes](#), [Supreme Court of Victoria](#)

[T D Bourke](#), Magistrate, Lead Magistrate CMS Project and Online Magistrates' Court, [Magistrates Court of Victoria](#)

[Sarah Codde](#), Digital Litigation Business Transformation Manager, [Supreme Court of Victoria](#)

The courts and alternative dispute resolution options have shifted online. This is not entirely new for some lawyers and decision-makers, but now we all need to develop skills for the virtual environment. In this session, we will hear from the people who work in these spaces and get an overview of best practices and processes for being effective advocates.

4:45pm–4:50pm

Close the formalities for the day

4:50pm–5:30pm

Social Session

Join “The Social Session” to discover who's participating in the 2020 Conference, make meaningful connections, and above all, have fun! After all, an Annual CLEAA Conference without a social event where you can connect with your colleagues and old friends would just not be the same.

Day Two: Friday, 15 October

Innovation – Making the Most of Disruption

“Never let a good crisis go to waste”
– Winston Churchill

DAY 2: FRIDAY OCT 16

9:30am–9:55am AEDT

AGM Meeting via Zoom open to all CLEAA members

10:00am–10:15am

Welcome to Day 2

Ann-Maree David, Executive Director,
The College of Law Qld

Back by popular demand, Ann-Maree David will share her top tech tips for 2020 and beyond.

10:15am–11:15am

We Have A Problem... & so does the rest of the CLE world: Delivering CLE in a Pandemic

Karen Lee, Chief Equity and Professional
Development Officer, Oregon State Bar

Nathaniel T. Trelease, President , WebCredenza, Inc

Kristin Huotari, Publications Director, Colorado Bar
Association CLE, President-Elect, Association for
Continuing Legal Education (ACLEA)

With the world turned upside down from the pandemic, how quickly individuals and organizations pivot will be a key indicator of their future existence. CPD may be positioned to not only survive but thrive in prolonged conditions that will have long-term effects on the legal profession. Using real time responses from viewers, share in a discussion of what happened to CPD when everything fell apart and where we might be headed as the pieces are reassembled into the “new normal.”

11:15am–11:20am **Break**

11:20am–12:15pm

Innovation in Learning Tech

Sharmaine Gewohn, Director, UNSW Edge

Daniel Fish, Director of Education, GO1

Rodney Beach, Group Managing Director, Liberate
Learning

Innovation in learning tech was already gathering pace before the pandemic. This session will look at how technology is delivering a whole new level of learner experience and learning effectiveness. The focus will be on practical tips and lessons learnt to ensure your learning is the highest quality and impact - whatever the tech. Anna Hinder will run a panel session styled after the ABC's The Drum with panel guests to give you plenty of ideas to apply to your own learning programs and look at your own learning tech skills.

12:15pm–1:00pm

Explore the 3R's in CHIT CHAT Tables

Join a table with a topic of interest, or just a group that you would like to chit-chat with in this time dedicated to catching up and connecting with others attending. Many CLEAA members will have found memories of the conference dinners and this is a chance to bring a social element to the conference. We have three themes - resilience, resistance and remote working. Or start your own discussion - the important part is the Chit-Chat!

1:00pm–1:15pm

Closing Remarks