

new Westlaw (New Zealand)

Getting Started with Westlaw

Course Description

This 30-minute course is designed to quickly get you up and running using the key features in new Westlaw (New Zealand). Learn how to locate what content is available in your subscription, confidently navigate the homepage, find a commentary publication, a case, legislation, as well as conduct a search on a point of law.

Learning Outcomes

At the end of the session participants will be able to:

- Identify new features available
- Access new Westlaw and use ClientID
- Navigate the homepage
- Locate and browse key content including commentary
- Search for legislation and related commentary
- Find a case by party name/citation and identify if it is good law
- Locate a case on a point of law using the Key Number System
- Ask a legal question and view the Law Summaries via Natural Language searching
- Conduct a topic-based search using basic Terms & Connectors
- Manage results, via a variety of methods, including filtering, saving and downloading
- Access the support document to assist in setting up Alert24 notifications
- Know how to access Westlaw Training & Support Portal

Session Duration

Approximately 30 minutes. Trainer will be online and available to assist with queries.

Session Delivery Methods

Online via Microsoft Teams. The Microsoft Teams meeting allows the participant to view the trainer's computer screen as they demonstrate research strategies on Westlaw. At no time does the trainer access your computer.

Learning Materials

Support materials including how to videos, research tips, user guides and webinar dates are on the Training and Support portal <https://support.thomsonreuters.co.nz/product/new-westlaw-new-zealand>

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