

Westlaw AU

Getting the most out of FirstPoint

Session Objectives

This session provides an overview of FirstPoint and explains the classification system (powered by the Australian Digest). It also provides skills to use FirstPoint to locate cases by Topic or Point of Law and to view the Status and citing references for individual cases

Learning Outcomes

At the end of the session, participant will be able to:

- Understand the First Point classification system.
- Locate cases on a specific point of law
- Conduct a key word Search and Filter results using First Point classifications.
- View the First Point entry for a Case
- Locate the Citing and Cited references for a Case
- Locate the litigation history of a case
- View related cases with common points of law
- Create a First Point Classification Alert
- Locate Help and Support, including FirstPoint Scope information

Session Duration

30 minutes Basics

60 minutes Extended (1 CPE Point)

Session Delivery Methods

Internet (WebEx/Telephone) - This training method is ideal for individuals or groups who are based remotely or where face to face training is not possible.

Note: The WebEx session allows the participant to view the trainer's computer screen as they demonstrate research strategies on Westlaw AU. At no time does the trainer access your computer.

Learning Materials

Support materials including Guides, Videos and tips are available via the link below

<https://support.thomsonreuters.com.au/product/westlaw-au>

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