## Junior Lawyers Division annual conference
### Saturday 6 April 2019

*Helping junior lawyers to develop, progress and diversify within the legal profession*

### Programme*

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| 10:15  | Welcome address
**Speakers:** Amy Clowrey, chair, Junior Lawyers Division, The Law Society
Simon Davis, vice president, The Law Society |
| 10:30  | Keynote address: Modern superheroes don’t wear capes
**Speaker:** Dana Denis-Smith, founder, First 100 Years project                                      |
| 11:00  | Ethics, judgment and the SRA’s expectations on YOU!
**Speaker:** Paul Bennett, council member and Regulatory Process Committee member, The Law Society |
| 11:30  | Managing bullying and harassment in the workplace
**Speakers:** Elizabeth George, partner and head of employment, Pattinson & Brewer;
Kieran Pender, legal adviser, Legal Policy & Research Unit, International Bar Association |
| 12:15  | Refreshment break and exhibition                                                                                                       |
| 12:30  | How to stay resilient and maintain your wellbeing in our 24/7 connected world
**Speaker:** Laura Willis, co-founder, Shine Offline                                                                                   |
| 13:15  | Buffet lunch and exhibition                                                                                                            |
| 13:45  | Volunteering and self-development (optional session)
**Laura Cassidy**, fundraising and development manager, Access to Justice Foundation                                                     |
| 14:00  | Breakout session A – choice of one of the following:                                                                                   |
|       | **A1. Millennial lawyers: Working off the beaten track**
Looking at new opportunities within the legal sector to develop your career
**Speaker:** Nikolai Cedraeus, legal counsel, Dentsu Aegis Network                                                                        |
|       | **A2. Calling time on timesheets: a new way of working**
How removing charging for time can benefit you, your colleagues, your organisation and, most importantly, your clients
**Speaker:** Tania Tandon, founder, Tandon Hildebrand                                                                                  |
|       | **A3. Politics and the law**
Politics and the law and the relationship between the two
**Speaker:** Kate O’Rourke MBE, senior counsel, Charles Russell Speechlys and chair, Society of Labour Lawyers |
| 14:45  | Transition                                                                                                                             |
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14:50 – 15:35 Breakout session B – choice of one of the following:

B1. Pro bono and volunteering
Speaker: tbc

B2. Aiming higher (rights)
A panel session looking at the benefits of higher rights and how to obtain them
Speakers: Roy Morgan, solicitor advocate and lead advocacy trainer, Kaplan Altior; Michael Situ, solicitor advocate, Lincolns Solicitors; Adam Tear, chair, Society of Higher Right Court Advocates (SAHCA)

B3. Future proofing your finances
The value of effective finance planning
Speaker: Jason Powell, financial consultant, Wesleyan

15:35 – 15:50 Refreshment break and exhibition

15:50 – 16:35 Legaltech, algorithms and justice
The impact of legaltech and influence of algorithms in the justice system
Speakers: Griff Ferris, legal and policy adviser, Big Brother Watch; Jacob Turner, barrister, Fountain Court Chambers and author, Robot Rules: Regulating Artificial Intelligence

16:35 – 16:45 Closing remarks
Speaker: Charlotte Parkinson, vice chair, Junior Lawyers Division, The Law Society

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