



Colin Pausey

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Day 1– The Legal Profession

Data – what is it, what is its value and what can you do with it?

2.00pm - 3.00pm

About Colin Pausey

Colin has more than 40 years legal experience and, before joining Emergence, set up and led the cyber insurance practice for a national law firm.

Colin's experience is unique in that he has advised insurers, as a lawyer, in a variety of classes of insurance (most recently cyber insurance) and, before his latest stint in private practice, managed two successful insurance managing general agencies.

As a lawyer in private practice Colin conducted litigation in all superior Courts in all jurisdictions in Australia. Colin has also advised on insurance disputes, policy wordings, insurance regulatory and licensing related issues.

For the 7 years in private practice before joining Emergence, Colin developed a national cyber insurance practice, with extensive experience in advising on notifiable data breaches and Privacy law.

In the period 2004 to 2013 Colin was chief operating officer of two insurance managing general agencies including managing Lloyd's binders in those agencies for several classes of insurance.

Colin was a partner in city law firms between 1987 and 2004. Between 1997 and 2004, Colin was national managing partner and then Chair of Partners of a medium sized national law firm.

Colin joined Emergence Insurance Pty Limited as COO on 1 November 2021. Emergence is unique in that it only offers cyber insurance products. Colin was involved as an external adviser to Emergence since its inception, drafted its initial cyber insurance policy wording and handled cyber breaches on behalf of Emergence, before joining them.