

# Technology and Legal Practice 2026



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**April 28, 2026**

**9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.**

**Total CPD Hours = 2 h Substantive 4 h Professionalism <sup>P</sup>**

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**Law Society of Ontario**

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## **Agenda**

**9:00 a.m. – 9:05 a.m.**

**Welcome**

The Honourable Justice Jill Presser, *Ontario Superior Court of Justice*

Amy Salyzyn, Professor, Faculty of Law, *University of Ottawa*

Carla Swansburg, Chief Executive Officer, *ClearyX*

**9:05 a.m. – 9:20 a.m.**

**Welcome from the Chief Justice of Ontario**

Introduction: The Honourable Justice Jill Presser, *Ontario Superior Court of Justice*

Panelist: The Honourable Michael H. Tulloch, Chief Justice of Ontario, *Court of Appeal for Ontario*

**9:20 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.**

**Trademarks and Licensing/IP Ownership Issues**

Moderator: Carla Swansburg, Chief Executive Officer, *ClearyX*

Panelists: Andrew Bernstein, *Torys LLP*

Carys Craig, Professor, Osgoode Hall Law School  
*York University*

Daniel Ilan, *Cleary Gottlieb*

**10:00 a.m. – 10:05 a.m.**

**Question and Answer Session**

**10:05 a.m. – 10:35 a.m.**

**The Future of Legal Service Regulation in a ChatGPT World (30 m )**

Moderator: Amy Salyzyn, Professor, Faculty of Law, *University of Ottawa*

Panelists: Michael Karanicolas, Associate Professor of Law, James S. Palmer Chair in Public Policy & Law, *Dalhousie University*

Natalie Knowlton, Associate Director for Legal Innovation at *Deborah L. Rhode Center on the Legal Profession (Stanford Law School)*

**10:35 a.m. – 10:40 a.m.**

**Question and Answer Session (5 m )**

**10:40 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.**

**Break**

- 11:00 a.m. – 11:10 a.m. AGI Shorts: Are We There Yet? (10 m P)**
- Introduction: Amy Salyzyn, Professor, Faculty of Law, *University of Ottawa*
- Presenter: Noah Waisberg, Chief Executive Officer & Co-Founder *Zuva AI*
- 11:10 a.m. – 11:50 a.m. Using Technology to Help Ontarians Better Access Justice (40 m P)**
- Moderator: Amy Salyzyn, Professor, Faculty of Law, *University of Ottawa*
- Panelists: Erik Bornmann, Director, Guided Pathways, *Community Legal Education Ontario*
- Jennifer Leitch, Executive Director, *National Self-Represented Litigants Project*
- Kirsti McHenry, Executive Director, *Pro Bono Ontario*
- 11:50 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Question and Answer Session (10 m P)**
- 12:00 p.m. – 12:20 p.m. The Ontario “All in One” Portal (20 m P)**
- Moderator: The Honourable Justice Jill Presser, *Ontario Superior Court of Justice*
- Panelists: Michelle Bouthiette, Senior Manager, Courts Digital Transformation, Office of the Chief Justice, *Ontario Superior Court of Justice*
- Stephanie Campbell, Senior Manager, Court Services Division, *Ministry of the Attorney General*
- Panelists for Q&A: Michelle Bouthiette, Senior Manager, Courts Digital Transformation, Office of the Chief Justice, *Ontario Superior Court of Justice*

Stephanie Campbell, Senior Manager, Court Services Division, *Ministry of the Attorney General*

Jacqueline Mutch, Senior Manager, *Ontario Court of Justice*

Carole Pham-de Leon, Senior Manager, Implementation *Ministry of the Attorney General*

Namita Sharma, Senior Manager, Strategic Transformation, *Ministry of the Attorney General*

**12:20 p.m. – 12:35 p.m.**

**Question and Answer Session (15 m )**

**12:35 p.m. – 1:35 p.m.**

**Lunch**

**1:35 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.**

**AGI Shorts: Are We There Yet? (10 m )**

Introduction:

Carla Swansburg, Chief Executive Officer, *ClearyX*

Presenter:

Katrina Ingram, Founder & Chief Executive Officer *Ethically Aligned AI*

**1:45 p.m. – 2:25 p.m.**

**AI in Court: Challenges and Solutions (30 m )**

Moderator:

The Honourable Justice Jill Presser, *Ontario Superior Court of Justice*

Panelists:

The Honourable Justice Peter Lauwers, *Court of Appeal for Ontario*

The Honourable Justice Frederick Myers, *Ontario Superior Court of Justice*

Maura Grossman, Research Professor, School of Computer Science, *University of Waterloo*

**2:25 p.m. – 2:35 p.m.**

**Question and Answer Session (10 m )**

<b>2:35 p.m. – 2:55 p.m.</b>	<b>Break</b>
<b>2:55 p.m. – 3:35 p.m.</b>	<b>Judicial Use of AI (35 m )</b>
Moderator:	The Honourable Justice Jill Presser, <i>Ontario Superior Court of Justice</i>
Panelists	The Honourable Judge Allison Goddard, <i>United States District Court for the Southern District of California</i>
	The Honourable Justice Peter Lauwers, <i>Court of Appeal for Ontario</i>
	The Honourable Justice Mavin Wong, <i>Ontario Court of Justice</i>
	Guillaume Bourgeois, Lawyer and Executive Assistant to the Chief Justice, <i>Superior Court of Québec</i>
	Maura Grossman, Research Professor, School of Computer Science, <i>University of Waterloo</i>
<b>3:35 p.m. – 3:50 p.m.</b>	<b>Question and Answer Session (15 m )</b>
<b>3:50 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.</b>	<b>AGI Shorts: Are We There Yet? (10 m )</b>
Introduction:	Carla Swansburg, Chief Executive Officer, <i>ClearyX</i>
Presenter:	Colin Lachance, <i>PGYA Consulting</i>
<b>4:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Program Ends</b>