Expert Witness Training

2026

Do you want to develop your skills to be a confident expert witness?

Have you been asked?

- To conduct investigations, analysis, assessment or examinations?
- To collect samples for legal testing?
- To write a legal report?
- To give expert evidence?

Are you apprehensive about?

- What this involves?
- Your legal obligations?
- The difference between fact and opinion?
- Court protocol?
- How to correctly answer questions in court?

Day 1 Learning Outcomes

After completion of Day 1, workshop participants will be able to:

- Discuss the structure of the Australian legal system
- Discuss relevant local, interstate and national legislation
- Discuss the rules of evidence
- Identify and discuss procedural and legal requirements and issues relating to the preparation and delivery of evidence
- Explain the ethical obligations of an expert witness

Day 2 Learning Outcomes

After completion of Day 2, workshop participants will be able to:

- Discuss the layout of the courtroom
- Discuss the proceedings of a trial
- Apply the rules of evidence regarding testimony in courts of law
- Discuss the use of appropriate presentation techniques
- Demonstrate correct basic courtroom procedure and protocol

Day 2 includes a moot court, held in court facilities, to provide participants with an experience similar to an actual trial.

Workshop Presenters

Mrs Anna Davey *Director - Forensic Foundations International*

Anna Davey was a member of the team that introduced DNA profiling to Victoria in criminal casework. In that role, she spent many a happy hour in the witness box. In 2000, Anna joined the National Institute of Forensic Science as Deputy Director and in 2008, she established Forensic Foundations International, a specialised service providing tools for both non-legal and legal practitioners working at the interface between expert knowledge and legal argument. Anna has been conducting expert witness training since 2001. Anna holds the following qualifications: BSc(Hons), MSc, Grad Dip Legal Studies, Grad Cert Public Sector Management and Cert IV in training and assessment.

Barristers
Practicing Barristers from the relevant jurisdictions with assist with the moot courts on Day 2.

2026 Dates

Sydney:
23rd - 24th July

Adelaide:
13th - 14th August

Brisbane:
3rd - 4th September

Melbourne:
8th - 9th October

Perth:
22nd - 23rd October

Comments from previous workshop participants

- Excellent course
- Having Barristers doing the moot courts was very helpful
- Great experience will highly recommend to others
- Well worth coming

To discuss all your training needs contact:

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Forensic Foundations International Workshops 2026

Workshop Dates & Locations

Sydney

Thu 23rd July
9am - 4.30pm
Cliftons Training Facility
13/60 Margaret St
Sydney
Fri 24th July
9am - 4.30pm
Level 12, Building 2
University of Technology
Sydney

Adelaide

Mon 13th August
9am - 4.30pm
Hilton Hotel
233 Victoria Square
Adelaide
Tue 14th August
9am - 4.30pm
TBC

Brisbane

Thu 3rd September
9am - 4.30pm
Cliftons Training Facility
24/288 Edward St
Brisbane
Fri 4th September
9am - 4.30pm
QEII Court Complex
415 George St
Brisbane

Melbourne

Thu 8th October
9am - 4.30pm
Cliftons Training Facility
1/440 Collins St
Melbourne
Fri 9th October
9am - 4.30pm
Victoria University
295 Queen St
Melbourne

Perth

Thu 22nd October
9am - 4.30pm
Cliftons Perth
191 St Georges Terrace
Perth
Fri 23rd October
9am - 4.30pm
TBC

Registration Form

Select Workshop Location:

- ☐ Sydney
- ☐ Adelaide
- ☐ Brisbane
- ☐ Melbourne
- ☐ Perth

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