

**Policy Forum for Wales Keynote Seminar: The future of the legal system in Wales:  
the market for legal services, modernisation and potential further devolution**

*Timing: Morning, Tuesday, 29<sup>th</sup> November 2016*

*Venue: Park Inn Hotel, Mary Ann Street, Cardiff CF10 2JH*



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- 8.30 - 9.00 Registration and coffee
- 9.00 - 9.05 **Chair's opening remarks**  
**Fflur Jones**, Partner, Darwin Gray
- 9.05 - 9.35 **The future of the legal system in Wales**  
**Nicholas Paines QC**, Commissioner, Law Commission  
Questions and comments from the floor
- 9.35 - 10.30 **The potential for a devolved Welsh legal and justice system**  
**Fflur Jones**, Partner, Darwin Gray  
**Professor Colin Rogers**, Professor of Police Sciences, University of South Wales and former Police Inspector, South Wales Police  
**Dr Sarah Nason**, Lecturer in Law, Bangor University  
**David Hughes**, Barrister, 30 Park Place Chambers  
Questions and comments from the floor
- 10.30 - 10.35 **Chair's closing remarks**  
**Fflur Jones**, Partner, Darwin Gray
- 10.35 - 11.05 Coffee
- 11.05 - 11.10 **Chair's opening remarks**  
**Nicholas Paines QC**, Commissioner, Law Commission
- 11.10 - 11.25 **The role of regulation in modernising the legal market**  
**Sir Michael Pitt**, Chairman, Legal Services Board
- 11.25 - 12.05 **Supporting high quality legal services in Wales**  
**Jane Malcolm**, Executive Director, External Affairs, Solicitors Regulation Authority  
**Robert Bourns**, President, The Law Society  
Questions and comments from the floor with **Sir Michael Pitt**, Chairman, Legal Services Board
- 12.05 - 12.55 **The future legal services market in Wales - Alternative Business Structures, digital delivery, and education and training**  
**Stephen Jenkins**, Partner, Geldards  
**Professor John Williams**, Head, Department of Law and Criminology; Head of Employability and Student Experience; Director of Professional Legal Development; Deputy Director of Postgraduate Studies and Professor of Law, Aberystwyth University  
**Jonathon Bray**, Director, Jonathon Bray Legal Services  
**Peter Wright**, Managing Director, DigitalLawUK  
Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.55 - 13.00 **Chair's and Policy Forum for Wales closing remarks**  
**Nicholas Paines QC**, Commissioner, Law Commission  
**Sean Cudmore**, Deputy Editor, Policy Forum for Wales