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Andrew Dyson advises clients on data privacy, cyber security, IT and e-commerce matters. He brings over 20 years experience advising on the legal and ethical risks arising from the collection and use of data and deployment of new technologies.

His clients operate principally in financial services, health, consumer and technology sectors, where data driven solutions are increasingly critical to securing effective operational outcomes. He also advises the key public sector bodies that are responsible for data privacy and cyber risk management within the UK.

Andrew brings significant experience in helping clients to comply with the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR), respond to data breaches and implement governance frameworks to manage privacy risk on a global basis. He has led compliance programs for many leading global businesses where he is renowned for bringing a practical, risk based approach, deploying innovative tools, templates and methodologies to streamline project delivery (recognised in accolades at recent FT Innovation Awards).

Andrew is Global Co-Chair of the firm's Data Protection, Privacy and Security Group. He is also currently Visiting Research Fellow in Applied Ethics at the University of Leeds (IDEA) and Editorial Board Member of the Journal of Data Protection & Privacy and regular speaker on privacy matters at conferences and in the media (WSJ, BBC, Bloomberg, CNBC). He is closely involved with a number of working groups developing future regulatory policy for data protection and AI.

- Intellectual Property and Technology
- Data Protection, Privacy and Security
- Regulatory and Government Affairs
- Technology Transactions and Strategic Sourcing

- Technology
- Life Sciences

Professional Qualifications

- Solicitor of the Senior Courts of England and Wales

Prior Experience

- 2003 to date, DLA Piper

- 1999-2003, London based international law firm

- 1997-1999, London based international law firm

Recognitions

- Visiting Research Fellow, University of Leeds, Inter-Disciplinary Ethics Applied

- Acritas Star™ Lawyer 2017, 2018 and 2019

- FT Innovations Awards 2017 'highly commended' recognition for privacy audit tools

Education

- Oxford University, Ancient and Modern History

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Publications

Lloyd v Google LLC - **data protection class action claims**

12 July 2021
The judgement in *Lloyd v Google LLC* will become the leading authority on damages for breaches of data protection law of any size and scope, and on the ability for representative actions to proceed in England and Wales. This article outlines the key issues heard so far.

GDPR Snapshot vlog series 2021: UK

25 May 2021
GDPR Snapshot vlog series 2021
In this vlog, UK partners, Ross McKean and Andrew Dyson, explore the impact and challenges of GDPR in the UK.

Boardroom Brexit: What the deal means for personal data and digital trade

31 December 2020
Boardroom Brexit
The TCA allows personal data to transfer from the EU-UK, for a period of up to six months from 1 January 2021. This 'bridging' period is designed to allow the EU time needed to adopt a formal adequacy decision which will allow the continuing flow of personal data to the UK.

Brexit: Final arrangements for 1 January and future EU-UK data transfers

30 December 2020

The Brexit trade deal has now has been agreed between the EU and UK. Here we summarise the implications for data protection including the important issue of cross-border data flows, which are critical for businesses to maintain between the EU and UK.

- IAPP Handbook on Data Protection Agreements, April 2019
- Data Protection Laws of the World Handbook: Eight Edition, 28 January 2019

Events

Previous

Session 2: Identifying and understanding the key current risks of artificial intelligence in the workplace

2 March 2022
Artificial intelligence in the workplace - how can you prepare?
Webinar

Session 1: Artificial intelligence: Where are we now and the future of work?

23 February 2022
Artificial intelligence in the workplace - how can you prepare?
Webinar

Leeds Data Ethics Forum

20 October 2021
Webinar

EDPB, SCCs and Brexit: The future of global data transfers

8 July 2021
Webinar

Digital Transformation: Navigating Key Legal and Regulatory Issues for Commercialising AI and Cloud Driven Technology Solutions

22 June 2021
Webinar

Coffee with Colleagues: Featuring Andrew Dyson

10 February 2021
Webinar

Brexit - the Final Deal

5 January 2021

EDPB recommendations for safeguarding data transfers after Schrems II

19 November 2020
Webinar

Andrew is a regular speaker on information law issues at executive seminars and conferences. He has contributed to BBC Radio, Bloomberg TV and CNBC. He is a member of the Editorial Board of the Journal of Data Protection & Privacy and Visiting Research

Fellow in Applied Ethics at the University of Leeds.