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## Information Leaks – How to Address Them in Litigation

Seminar organised by the UIA in co-operation with the Helsinki Bar Association

# Introduction

Information can be leaked easily inter alia via new media channels such as Wikileaks, Facebook and other social media. It can happen carelessly, intentionally out of moral concerns or with the intent to cause harm. It is often in the interest of governments and companies to protect information. On the other hand, whistleblowing is in many cases encouraged.

The programme will include viewpoints on when and how information can be used in litigation in different situations and in different jurisdictions, and will also discuss access to information in a world where there are clear differences in the protection of data, and where the modern technology complicates the application of legislation. The seminar will be rounded up with a discussion on how compliance and governance can be a tool with respect to the matters covered, and what the external counsel may have to offer in this area.



## Topics include

- ▶ The use of leaked information
- ▶ "Whistleblowing"
- ▶ Data protection and access for litigation purposes

## Who should attend?

External counsel involved in the topics and their relation to litigation, and internal counsel interested in the litigation risks involved in global trends.

All the information relative to seminars is available on our Website [www.uianet.org](http://www.uianet.org) (section "UIA events – seminar").

The final programme and registrations will be available mid-March.

