

Episode 109: Guest bio

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RICHARD COWEN

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Richard Cowen was admitted as a Barrister in Queensland in 1990. For more than 20 years he has practised as a solicitor exclusively in insolvency, commercial litigation and commercial negotiation, documentation and dispute resolution.

Richard acted in many of Australia's largest insolvencies, including Pyramid Building Society, Farrow Mortgage Services, Tri-continental, Bond Corporation, The Wattle Group (Dexter), Storm Financial, Kleenmaid and numerous others.

Richard has considerable experience in asset structuring, corporate and commercial matters and related issues that affect our clients. He advises directors, shareholders and business owners on these matters before, during and after disputes arise.

DAVID TURNER

Host



David Turner has a gift for teasing out people's stories, so it's no wonder he is Hearsay's host.

When he isn't interviewing people on Hearsay, David is the co-founder and Head of Operations at Lext Australia, an Australian legal technology start-up (and Hearsay's parent company). Prior to founding Lext, he practised as a barrister at the NSW Bar, and as a solicitor in law firms large and small. David is a former President of NSW Young Lawyers and a former Councillor of the Law Society of NSW. In addition to his LLB, David has completed his MBA at UNSW's Graduate School of Management.

David spends the little downtime that he has left tinkering on home improvement projects and working on computer programming projects.

You can access David's bio on the Assured Legal Solutions website [here](#).