

Episode 66: Guest bios

Episode name: Don't Shove - Nudge: Promoting Better Choices in the Legal System and Legal Practice

Guest(s): Alex Gyani

ALEX GYANI

Acting Managing Director, Behavioural Insights Team



Alex is the Director of the Behavioural Insights Team's Australian office. Since joining the team in 2012, he has worked in a diverse set of fields from antimicrobial resistance, domestic violence, mental health policy, energy usage, health system efficiency, obesity, financial regulation, employment services to education.

His PhD focused on encouraging people with anxiety and depression to seek treatment using a mobile phone app and encouraging psychological therapists to use evidence-based treatments. In 2018, he was named one of Apolitical's 100 Future Government Leaders. He holds a research fellowship at the University of Melbourne's School of Psychology.

DAVID TURNER

Host



David Turner has a gift for teasing out people's stories, so it's no wonder he is Hearsay's host. With a double Bachelor of Arts and Laws from Macquarie University, he is also an MBA candidate at UNSW's Australian Graduate School of Management.

When he isn't interviewing people on Hearsay, David is a lawyer at Assured Legal Solutions, a boutique financial services law firm located in Sydney's CBD. Prior to joining Assured, he was called to the NSW Bar, and is a former President of NSW Young Lawyers and a former Councillor of the Law Society of NSW.

David spends the little downtime that he has left reading historical fiction and tinkering on home improvement projects.

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