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ABOUT THE SEMINAR

Now in its 24th year, **Juta's Annual Labour Law Update** remains the most trusted source for legal professionals, HR practitioners, and employers seeking up-to-date guidance on developments in South African labour law.

Presented by a panel of leading experts and accredited by the SA Board for People Practices (SABPP), this essential update helps you stay compliant, minimise legal risk, and make informed workplace decisions.

SEMINAR DATES & VENUES

Date	Venue	
20 October 2025	Century City Convention Centre, Cape Town	
23 October 2025	Radisson Blu, Gqeberha	
28 October 2025	NEW Windmill Casino, Bloemfontein	
30 October 2025	Coastlands Hotel, Umhlanga	
5 November 2025	CSIR Convention Centre, Pretoria, Tshwane	
6 November 2025	Maslow Hotel, Sandton	

SEMINAR TOPICS

Our panel of experts cover the most important updates in labour legislation and case law:

WHAT PAST DELEGATES SAY

"The seminar was seamlessly executed. Well organised, with quality presentations."

— Coega Development Corporation

"... very informative seminar for me as a Labour Relations Practitioner. I especially appreciated the monthly case law updates we receive afterward."

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"Exceptional performance by all involved. Thanks again for a great seminar."

– University of the Western Cape

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Individual Employment Law - Dr John Grogan

- Disciplinary Procedures: Drafting charges, consequences of unfair hearings, LRA vs BCEA?
- Misconduct: Handling dubious sick certificates, substance use, and political activity in the workplace
- Automatically Unfair Dismissals: Cases involving ageing employees and religious observance
- \cdot $\;$ Unfair Labour Practices: Promotion, demotion, benefits, and warnings

Collective Labour Law - Adv. Craig Bosch

- · Interpretation and application of collective agreements
- · Strike-related dismissals: What constitutes a protected strike?
- · Registration of trade unions and employers' organisations

Discrimination Law - Adv. Tanya Venter

- Proving discrimination
- · Arbitrary discrimination
- Harassment and bullying
- · Unequal pay

Retrenchments & Transfer of Business - Puke Maserumule

Proposed Amendments

- · Codes of Good Practice
- · Labour Relations Act
- \cdot Basic Conditions of Employment Act
- Employment Equity Regulations

Note: Each session will be followed by an interactive Q&A with the panel.

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REFERENCE MATERIAL AND GIVEAWAYS WORTH R5,000!

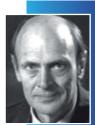
- · Juta's Annual Labour Law Update Workbook with comprehensive notes, case summaries, legislation and commentary
- UPDATED Employment Equity Act 55 of 1998 & Regulations pocket book
- 1-year e-newsletter subscription to *Labour Law Sibergramme* providing post-seminar monthly analysis of new labour cases by John Grogan.
- 1-month e-newsletter subscription to *LegalBrief Workplace*, covering issues relating to labour legislation, litigation, policy and other workplace news.

ENTER OUR IN-EVENT SURVEY TO WIN A HAMPER*

- · Workplace Law 14th edition (2025) by John Grogan
- · CCMA: A Commentary on the Rules 6th edition (2025) by Peter Kantor
- · Labour Pocket Mini Library (8-volume set of key labour Acts)
- · Effective Workplace Solutions: Employment Law from a Business Perspective Vol. 1 (2024)
 - by Barney Jordaan & Ulrich Stander

*One hamper giveaway per venue

ABOUT THE SPEAKERS



Dr John GroganBA (Hons),
B Iuris LLB (SA),
LLM PhD (Rhodes)

John Grogan Dr John Grogan is one of South Africa's most respected labour law authors and practitioners. He has written five leading Juta labour law texts, including *Workplace Law* and *Dismissal*, and regularly publishes, lectures, and practices in labour courts. A former head of the Rhodes University Law Department, he has served as a CCMA Senior Commissioner, a judge in both the Labour and High Courts, and continues to conduct arbitrations and edit leading legal publications.



Puke Maserumule BA LLB (UCT), PGDip Labour Law (UJ) **Puke Maserumule** is Director at Maserumule Attorneys and Maserumule Corporate Employment Law, with over 34 years' experience in employment law and litigation. He regularly appears in the CCMA, Labour Court, and Labour Appeal Court, and has acted as a Labour Court judge. A sought-after media commentator, he has co-presented the Juta Annual Labour Law Update since 2001.



Adv. Tanya Venter BA (Wits), LLB (SA), DPCJ (UJ), FA ARB **Tanya Venter** is CEO of Tokiso, a senior dispute resolution expert, and an Advocate of the High Court. With 25 years' experience in mediation and arbitration, she leads national strategy and quality assurance in ADR. Internationally accredited, Tanya has presided over numerous public and private disputes, including cases involving harassment, fraud, and corruption.



Adv. Craig Bosch BA LLB & LLM **Craig Bosch** is a labour law advocate at the Cape Bar with extensive experience in dispute resolution. He has served as a senior commissioner at the CCMA and on various bargaining council panels. A former university lecturer and current research associate at NMU, Craig has published widely on labour topics and co-authored key works on employment transfers and labour court reviews.

PRACTICAL INSIGHTS — MANAGING WORKPLACE RISK VIDEO SERIES:



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LEGAL AND PROCEDURAL KNOW-HOW FOR TODAY'S EMPLOYMENT CHALLENGES

Available for streaming from September 2025

ABOUT THE VIDEO SERIES:

Enhance your workplace decision-making with this focused, 45–60 minute, on-demand video series designed for HR professionals, managers, and labour law practitioners. Presented by two of South Africa's leading experts, each video delivers real-world insights and practical guidance on employment law issues that frequently give rise to workplace disputes or litigation.

TOPICS COVERED:



Employment Equity in Context of the 2025 Amendments: What they mean for your organisation

This session unpacks the 2025 Employment Equity Act amendments and new regulations, highlighting key implications, risks and opportunities.

Learning outcomes:

- · Understanding the background to the amendments.
- · Highlighting some of the key changes.
- · Assessing the obligations and potential risks for employers.
- · Effectively implementing the changes.



Video 2. Contracting in a Changing Business Landscape: What Employers Need to Know

This session explores the legal and practical distinctions between employees, independent contractors and other forms of atypical employment.

Learning outcomes:

- $\boldsymbol{\cdot}$ Exploring the different types of employment contract.
- Illustrating the pros and cons of each contract type with reference to the legal framework.
- · Identifying common missteps and related risks.

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Developing Conflict Competence at the Individual, Team and Organisational level

Conflict is unavoidable whenever people are interdependent, but with the right approach, it can be productive.

Learning outcomes:

- Differentiating between conflict management and conflict resolution.
- Exploring the difference between 'functional and 'dysfunctional' conflicts and the pros and cons of each.
- Developing conflict competence at the individual, team and organisational levels.
- Learn how to build trust, encourage open dialogue, and use conflict to strengthen team dynamics and drive organisational performance.

MEET THE PRESENTERS



Prof. Barney Jordaan LLB, LLD (Stellenbosch) **Barney Jordaan** is an expert in negotiation, conflict management, and employment law. He lectures at a top European business school and previously taught at Stellenbosch and UCT's Graduate School of Business. A certified mediator, he cofounded Jordaan Stander (now Maserumule Corporate Employment Law) and has advised corporate clients since 1998. He has served as a senior CCMA commissioner and published widely in his areas of expertise, including *Effective Workplace Solutions: Employment Law from a Business Perspective* (Juta).



Ulrich Stander is a co-founder of Jordaan Stander (now Maserumule Corporate Employment Law) and practises as an employment law specialist, mediator, conflict coach, and trainer. He advises leading companies across diverse industries and codesigned the long-running leadership programmes Leaders @Work and Leading for Results. An accredited mediator who trained through the Harvard Negotiation Programme, Ulrich also guest lectures at the Stellenbosch University Business School and is the co-author of two practical guides on employment law, including *Effective Workplace Solutions: Employment Law from a Business Perspective* (Juta).

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- No cancellations will be accepted within 14 working days of the seminar. However, substitute delegates are welcome.
- Please note: If written cancellation is not received by us, delegates will be liable for the full fee. All conference materials and a full recording of the Pretoria seminar will be supplied in this instance. These terms are enforced as venues charge Juta for delegates who do not show.

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