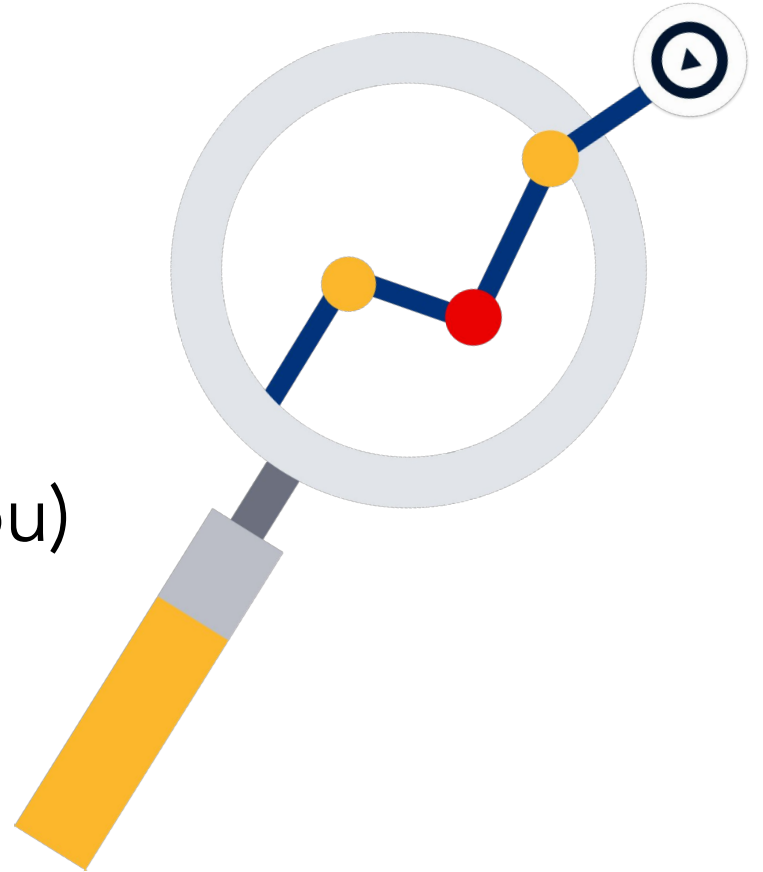# Webinar:

Top eDiscovery trends for 2023

(and what they mean for you)

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Agenda

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01. Introductions

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Today's presenters

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02. The current state of eDiscovery

Best-of-breed apps are powering today's businesses

Information created and captured in workplace apps – especially in the form of unstructured data – is particularly difficult to find and access.

187 — Apps on average are deployed by companies with 2,000 employees or more.[1]

[1] Okta Businesses at Work

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Challenges affecting eDiscovery today

Accelerating data volumes

- Data doubling every 3 years (IDC)
- 80%+ unstructured and less than 20% managed
- 100+ systems & growing

Increasing data diversity

- Rise of collaboration over email communication
- New content – video, emoji, sites, meetings
- Embedded annotations – notes, comments

Evolving stakeholder needs

- Rise of "data driven" increasing business need
- IT seeking to reduce one-off solutions
- Security and RIM teams have similar needs

Limited budget and resources

- Teams are stretched
- Budgets are tightening
- Resource turnover impacts efficiency

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03. Key trends shaping eDiscovery in 2023

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5 eDiscovery trends to watch in 2023

1. Growing Saas and cloud-based technologies will create more <u>discoverable</u> data

2. Automated technology will streamline workflows and early case assessment

3. Collaboration within and across departments is becoming mission-critical

4. Businesses will look to benefit from their unstructured data

5. Investments in legal technology will be leveraged to support adjacent use cases

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04. Identifying trends likely to affect your organization

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Analyzing your organization

Growing solutions

Make an effort to proactively understand the different data types, workflows, and solutions your org creates and uses

Automated tech

Take advantage of tech to streamline workflows, reduce human error, and lower collection, preservation, and review costs

Cross collaboration

Working cross-functionally yields greater results as opposed to a siloed approach. Encourage stakeholders to continue to communicate throughout the process

Unstructured data

Understanding the kinds of unstructured data being produced is the first part. Next is finding a way to get the data out of systems and making sense of it

Legal investments

To yield the best ROI, investments in AI and other legal tech should be complemented with active learning and close collaboration with the provider(s)

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How to adapt to new technologies and pivot your workflows to remain effective and efficient

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Actionable takeaways

- Know and understand your data
- Leverage and trust technology
- Stay up to date on legal opinions, rulings, etc. addressing data

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06. Q&A

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