## **BOOK REPORT**

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This book introduces lawyers to the practical concepts of electronic evidence, how it is created, stored and structured, including computer forensics and experts. It covers disclosure, procedural process and admissibility.

The text introduces lawyers to the complexities of electronic evidence, which will help them advise on electronic evidence confidently, with assurance and competently. The text covers a mix of common law jurisdictions, enabling lawyers and judges to be aware of decisions made in other, related jurisdictions.

The text covers:

Sources of digital evidence Stephen Mason

The characteristics of digital evidence Stephen Mason and Burkhard Schafer, Professor of Computational Legal Theory, School of Law, University of Edinburgh, and Codirector of the Joseph Bell Centre for Forensic Statistic and Legal Reasoning

Proof: the investigation, collection and examination of digital evidence Stephen Mason and Andrew Sheldon, MSc, Director and the Principal Forensic Consultant at **Evidence Talks Limited** 

Authenticating digital data Stephen Mason

Mechanical instruments: the presumption of being in order Stephen Mason

Using graphical technology to present evidence Dr Damian Schofield, Director of Human-Computer Interaction at the State University of New York and Stephen Mason

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