

The JLEGAL PQE

Personality Questionnaire Experience



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Throughout the year, JLegal examines the PQE of a senior in-house counsel. On this occasion, we speak with Lynette Ooi, an adventurous soul who's already done a bungee jump, and now has her sights set on scaling Machu Picchu!

▪ **What is your current state of mind?**

Gratitude – that we live in a country with amazing healthcare workers and a high level of trust between people and the Government.

▪ **What's something you're glad you'll never have to do again?**

Bungee jump – I did it once on my honeymoon and spent the whole time praying I wouldn't die. 10 days later, a woman did a bungee jump at the same location and fell into the crocodile-infested water! Fortunately, she was able to rescue herself – but still...

▪ **What's one thing you always procrastinate on?**

The kind of email that sits in your inbox until it magically resolves itself (e.g. a colleague provides the answer).

▪ **Is there anything you consider absolutely unforgivable?**

Very few things... maybe popping a xiao long bao before eating it.
[editor's note: xiao long baos are little Chinese soup dumplings]

▪ **Who would you hate to be stuck in a lift with?**

Someone with bad BO (body odour). Maybe bad BO is the true answer to the question above.

▪ **If you woke up tomorrow with no fear, what would you do first?**

Take a year out and sign up for music or art school.

▪ **What is one behaviour that you never tolerate?**

Probably laziness, especially in myself.

▪ **What is something you have always dreamt of doing but have never done?**

Climb Machu Picchu in Peru. Will need to wait till the kids are bigger (and hope my knees are still functioning by then).

▪ **Your house, containing everything you own, catches fire. After saving your loved ones and pets, you have time to safely make a final dash to save any one item. What would it be? Why?**

I have this folder containing letters, cards and notes from my husband and kids over the years. Probably that.

▪ **What is your happiest memory?**

Hands down, my wedding day.

▪ **What is your greatest fear?**

Not making proper use of the privileges I've been given to positively impact those around me.

▪ **Which words or phrases do you most overuse?**

Whatever phrase my kids are obsessed with from TV. Currently it's "You got it, bro..."

▪ **How do you want to be remembered?**

As someone who was of use to others.



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