

# 6 ways law firms can set themselves up for innovation success

**If your firm is taking those first steps toward innovation, keep these tips in mind for a successful experience.**



## **Start with what you know**

Start with more than a blank page. Look at what can be improved, not invented. Is your firm doing things the hard way? Start there.



## **Set aside time to work**

As simple as it sounds, blocking time on your work calendar does help. Make sure to turn off notifications and close your email.



## **Limit the scope of your work**

Scope creep is real. As you head into new waters, remember your original purpose and manage your workload.



## **Avoid mental roadblocks**

Critical thinking can sometimes turn into criticism. When challenges arise, address them head-on and keep your focus on the goal.



## **Ask all the right questions**

For example: Who will your innovation affect? What are their needs? What core elements can't be lost in the change? What will success look like?



## **Have a roll-out plan**

Establishing new norms takes time and patience. And success is rarely immediate. Leave room in your plan for iteration and review.

## **Innovation is easier with the right tools.**

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