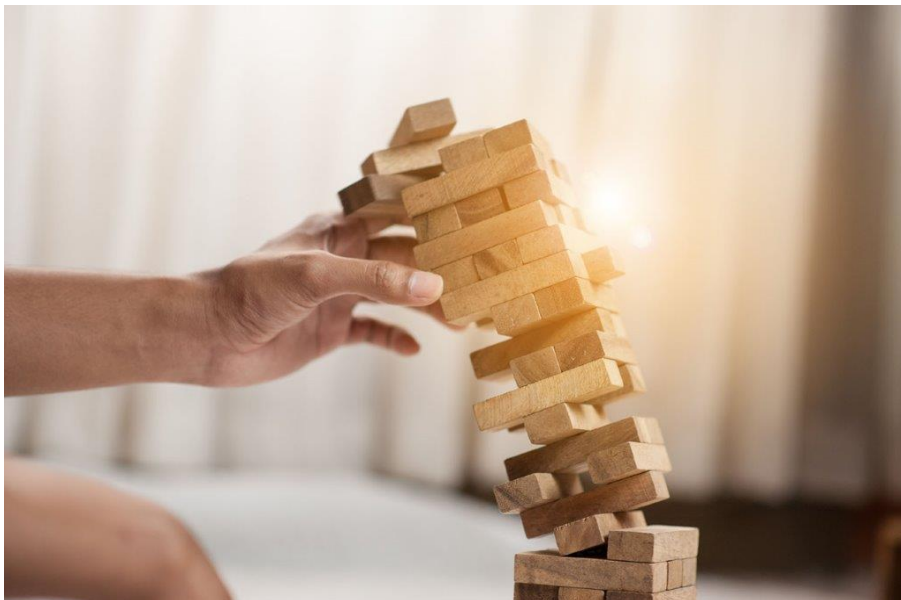




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Business Continuity – stay aware to stay on top



A message from Steve de – Bruin, Head of Client & Business Services – One West

This week is a big reminder with regard to Business Continuity. Record temperatures, sky high energy prices & the challenge of using the energy to keep cool not warm.

Perhaps it will be helped by increased flexibility on work location but it is still a test of infrastructure & planning. For some things will go wrong & the challenge comes out of the blue, doesn't it?

So how to tackle Business Continuity? The good news is there is still a lot of help available via us & others we collaborate with.

In particular, Business Continuity Awareness Week returned to our shores recently. This is driven in the UK by the Business Continuity Institute (BCI) & the theme for all of 2022 is 'Building resilience in the Hybrid World.'

The BCI has published some great resources which are available – if you are interested the link is here: [BCAW Resources and Content](#) .

The need for Business Continuity doesn't go away but it may appear complex at times. That's why in 2021 we published our 'Back to Basics' film. It's still available & what is abundantly clear is that its relevance is as current today as then. You can watch it via [One West Business Continuity awareness](#) .

In One West we seek to work closely with the BCI as one of its members & want to lend our support to this important topic as much as we can.

The summer breaks loom & may just give a little headroom to think about your organisational resilience.

It might be a good time to re engage with Business Continuity & plan to ensure staff understand it too.

I hope this proves thought provoking! If you have any queries I would be happy to help.

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