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Coming up at Queen's Law

Monday, January 21, 2019

• **Coffee Chat**: Bonnie Cole and Kyrie Ronsom, Room 500, 4:30 to 5:30 (details below).

• Graduation photos (details below).

Friday, January 25, 2019

- Attention Tutors, Research Assistants and Casual Administrative Support: timesheets are due TODAY by 4:30pm. Payday for this cut off will be Friday, February 8th (two weeks from the above date). Visit the <u>Law Casual Staff</u> <u>Information page</u> on the QLaw Portal for more information. Click the following link to add a reminder to your calendar [Add to calendar]
- Robot Rules: Regulating Artificial Intelligence 1:00 pm to 2:30 pm, Macdonald Hall, Room 202



Important Dates:

January 31: Winter term fees due for students receiving financial aid

February 6: Last date to drop a class on SOLUS

Course Information Updates

ROOM CHANGES:

Law 274 - Fertility & Assisted Reproduction Law

Friday, January 25, 2019 - 4:30 to 6:30, Room 201 Saturday, January 26, 2019 - 10:00 to 4:00, Room 201 Sunday, January 27, 2019 - 10:00 to 4:00, Room 201

Law 407 - Ewing

Room 515, Thursdays, 11:30 to 2:30

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Law 263 - Sigalet

Thursdays from 2:30 to 5:30 from February 28 to April 4.

UPDATED TIMETABLES

View the updated timetables here:

- First Year
- Upper Years

Student Photos

Please add a headshot photo to your OnQ profile. This will assist the professors in grading you correctly.

Awards & Scholarships

Click the link for **all** funding opportunities and contests: <u>https://onq.queensu.ca/d2l/le/62177/discussions/topics/344784/View</u>

JD Level Studies:

FRONTENAC LAW ASSOCIATION AWARD

Applications for the Award must be received no later than **5:00 p.m. on May 31**, **2019.** Applicants are to submit an essay of not more than 1,500 words and should, among other things, address the following questions:

1. How will the residents of Frontenac County benefit from your commitment to practice here?

2. How will you contribute to the advancement of the practice of law in Frontenac County?

3. What type of role, if any, do you envision having in the Frontenac Law Association?

More details here:

https://onq.queensu.ca/d2l/le/62177/discussions/threads/2549767/View

The Law Foundation of Newfoundland & Labrador

The 2019/2020 Scholarships, Valued at \$5,000.00 (five thousand dollars) each, are tenable for first-year studies at any Canadian Law School recognized by the Scholarships Board. The Scholarships are payable in two installments.

Conditions of Eligibility

A Candidate must:

- (a) be a resident of the Province of Newfoundland and Labrador; and,
- (b) have achieved academic excellence.

Deadline: May 1, 2019

More details here:

https://onq.queensu.ca/d2l/le/62177/discussions/threads/2533352/View

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- Build your profile within the legal community
- Connect with senior members of the bar
- Hone your research and writing skills
- Win a cash prize of \$250 -\$2500

Enter a law student essay contest and find out deadlines here: <u>www.cba.org/essays</u>

International Law Seminar 2019 - Call for applications

Reference is made to the fifty-fifth session of the UN International Law Seminar which will be held in the United Nations Office at Geneva from 8 to 26 July 2019.

The Legal Office of the United Nations Office at Geneva wishes to inform Permanent Missions to the United Nations that the **call for applications is now open** on the <u>ILS website</u>.

In this regard, please find attached the note verbale and information note in English and French.

Interested applicants must submit their application before the deadline of **8 April 2019**.

ESSAY COMPETITION ON FEDERALISM

The Baxter Competition on Federalism deadline has been extended to February 11, 2019. Participants are invited to submit an original essay related to any aspect of federal theory or practice, by February 11, 2019. Comparative angles to federalism are particularly encouraged. Essays will be read by an extensive international panel including the Right Honourable Beverley McLachlin, former Chief Justice at the Supreme Court of Canada.

Full details are available here: <u>https://www.mcgill.ca/law/research/essay-</u> contests/baxter-competition-federalism

DSA awards

Recognizing Equity, Diversity and Inclusivity

Student Affairs wants to recognize students who are committed to equity, diversity and inclusivity (EDI) and are making an impact on our campus. Nominate them now for the EDI Impact Award! Deadline is Feb 4.

Nominate an outstanding student leader

Do you know peers who are active in the community and/or who are amazing leaders on campus? Nominate them for the <u>2018 Brian Yealland Community</u> <u>Leadership Award</u> and/or the <u>Peer Leadership Award</u>! Deadline is Feb 4.

Career Development

CDO Sessions & Events

You must RSVP in CSM at least 48 hours before an event if you plan to attend.

- Wednesday, January 23 at 10:30am 2L Interview Prep Session
- Monday, January 26 Peer Mock Mondays
- Open sign-up starts Wednesday at 1pm on CSM under the "OCI" tab, spots are limited
- Monday, February 4 Ottawa & Kingston On-Campus Interviews
- Tuesday, February 5 at 11:30am 1L Interview Prep Workshop
- Tuesday, February 12 at 11:30am Osler BizBasics: Leveraging Innovation to Advance your Career
- Tuesday, February 12 at 1:00pm 1L In-Office Interview Session

RESUME LABS

Resume Labs are available to give your resume or cover letter a quick review by an upper year student trained by the CDO.

You can sign up for a 20-minute appointment on CSM under "Calendar", sub-tab "Counseling Appt" by selecting one of the times labelled as "Resume/Cover Letter Labs"

Job Postings on CSM

Here is a summary of the number of postings active on CSM – log in to check them out:

- 1L Summer: 49
- 2L Summer: 40
- 2019-2020 Articling: 19
- 2020-2021 Articling: 1

1L & 2L Formal Recruitment Processes IMPORTANT DATES:

LONDON

January 25 Application deadline - portal closes at 5:00 p.m.

February 1

February 11 to 13 Interviews in London

February 14 Offers starting at 8:00 a.m.

TORONTO (1L)

January 23 Application deadline - portal closes at 5:00 p.m.

February 8 Interview offers at 8:00 a.m. Interview offers at 8:00 a.m.

> February 19 to 21 Interviews in Toronto

February 21 Offers starting at 5:00 p.m.

OTTAWA & KINGSTON (1L & 2L)

January 18 Application deadline - portal closes at 1:00 p.m.

January 21 to February 15 Period during which employers may contact students to schedule interviews for interview week

January 21 at 8am "Bidding" in CSM due for OCI employers

January 29 "OCI schedule visible in CSM

February 4 **On-campus** interviews

February 19 to 28 Interviews in Ottawa

March 1 Offers starting at 8:00 a.m.



HELPFUL DOCUMENTS IN THE CSM DOCUMENT LIBRARY:

- 1. Ottawa & Kingston Summer Recruitment and OCI Guide 2019
- 2. The Toronto Summer 2019 First Year Recruitment Guide
- 3. Calgary and Edmonton 1L Summer 2019
- 4. London 1L and 2L Summer Application Guide 2019
- 5. Submitting Applications
- 6. Cover Letters
- 7. <u>Resumes</u>

CALGARY & **EDMONTON** (1L)

January 22 viDesktop portal opens for submission of applications

January 31 Application deadline - portal closes at 11:59 p.m MST.

February 19 to 22 Interviews in Calgary

February 22 Offers starting at 5:00 p.m. MST

8. Transcripts and Lists of Upper-Year Courses

National Association for Law Placement Survey

The National Association for Law Placement (NALP) Canadian Directory of Legal Employers Working Group (CDLE) is conducting a survey in order to collect feedback from students on the CDLE resource www.nalpcanada.com.

<u>This survey</u> should take no more than 5 minutes to complete. Please fill this out no later than January 31, 2019. Your confidential and anonymous responses will be used to determine the effectiveness of the resource and make improvements or changes where appropriate.

Survey Link: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/NALP_CDLE

We thank you for taking the time to provide your feedback. If you have any questions about the survey, please do not hesitate to contact CDLE Working Group Co-Vice Chairs, Myriah Graves - mgraves@foglers.com - (Director of Professional Development, Fogler, Rubinoff LLP) or Madeleine Natale - madeleine.natale@ucalgary.ca - (Career Advisor, University of Calgary, Faculty of Law).

Clinics



Important note before applying:

Students must complete **ONE** application form to indicate what clinic they are applying to and if they are applying to be considered for summer, enrollment, or both and **THEN** apply under "jobs" in CSM for each clinic.

- <u>Queen's Business Law Clinic</u> (2019 Full-time Summer and 2019-2020 LAW 438 A/B)
- <u>Clinical Litigation Practice/Queen's Legal Aid</u>(2019 Full-time Summer and 2019-2020 LAW 590 A/B)
- Queen's Elder Law Clinic (2019 Full-time Summer and 2019-2020 LAW 695 A/B)
- Queen's Family Law Clinic (2019 Full-time Summer and 2019-2020 LAW 527A/B
- Queen's Prison Law Clinic (2019 Full-time Summer and 2019-2020 LAW 418A/B)

2019 QLC Application Form: https://law-queens-

csm.symplicity.com/surveys/2019Clinics

Have you considered pursuing an MBA?

In addition to the traditional JD/MBA route, the Smith School of Business at Queen's offers the <u>Graduate Diploma in Business</u>: a 4-month summer term program offering 10 courses that can be credited toward a Queen's MBA, significantly cutting down on the time to complete your MBA in the future.

Learn more about the Graduate Diploma in Business by registering for one of the following webinars:

- Thursday, January 17 at 10:00am
- Monday, January 21 at 5:30pm

If you're unable to tune in live, by registering you will receive a recording of the event.

Call for Presenters: I@Q Undergraduate Research Conference

Hello JD students: here is an opportunity to share your research with the Queen's community! Undergraduate students from all disciplines – including law – with research, experiential learning and creative projects are invited to present at the13th Annual I@Q Undergraduate Research Conference. Your participation provides the opportunity to

- Share your research and learning with the Queen's community
- Experience an academic conference

- Enhance graduate and career skills including critical thinking, effective writing and presentation skills
- Engage in scholarly communication with students and faculty from many disciplines

Law students have presented at past I@Q conferences on topics as diverse as good faith in contract law, the case and challenges of universally subsidized childcare, protections offered by international humanitarian law, and laws targeting revenge pornography. If you have a paper that you would like to share, we would love to hear from you!

Inquiry@Queen's takes place on March 7th and 8th in Stauffer Library. The deadline for submitting your abstract is Thursday, January 31st.

For more information about the conference including guidelines for submitting a proposal, go to the conference website at http://www.queensu.ca/iatq/iq-undergraduate-research-conference. If you have questions, you can also speak with Patrick, Reference Assistant in the Law Library, who is on the conference organizing committee.

Free Access to Practical Law Canada for Faculty and Students

We are pleased to remind you that all law school faculty and students now have free access to Practical Law Canada. Access is available directly with the academic user's OnePass.

An excellent complement to your course materials, Practical Law Canada's annotated standard documents and clauses, practice note overviews, checklists, and more are created and maintained by our dedicated in-house lawyer-editors.

Learn more about Practical Law Canada

For an introductory overview, please contact your law librarian, who will put you in touch with your Thomson Reuters Learning Consultant. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Bonnie Preece, Manager, Online Academic Program, Thomson Reuters at 1-866-511-2993, or email Josée Provost, National Academic Training Coordinator, at josee.provost@thomsonreuters.com.

Thank you for your support of this new initiative.

Payroll: 2018 Tax Slips

It's almost tax time and tax slips will be issued at the end of February. Please review your address information on MyHR Self-Service and make any changes before January 31, 2019.

Further instructions can be found on the Human Resources website at <u>http://www.queensu.ca/humanresources/employee-tools/myhr-self-</u> service/home-address-change

DID YOU KNOW you can receive your tax slips electronically if you are an active employee? For more information visit the <u>T4/T4A Tax Slips for Current Employees</u> <u>Only</u> page on the Queen's Human Resources website.

NOTE: Use your employee NetID and password (this is separate from your student NetID and password) to sign in to my.queensu.ca. If you are an active employee and do not have an employee NetID and password, please contact the ITS Help Desk at 613-533-6666.

Contact our Finance Administrative Assistant, Amber Oomen, at <u>amber.oomen@queensu.ca</u> if you have any questions.

Events

Orientation - International Law Programs at the BISC 2019 Tuesday, January 29, 4:30 pm, Room 202 Macdonald Hall

Students accepted to and considering attending the 2019 International Law Programs at the BISC are invited to an Orientation Session covering pre-departure logistics and general castle and program information. Interested in going, but haven't yet applied to the program? Join us at this session to learn more, it is not too late to apply!

Indigenous Coffee Chat with Bonnie Cole, Legal Counsel, Mohawk Council of Akwesasne, and Kyrie Ransom, Justice Coordinator, Akwesasne Justice Department

Monday January 21, 2019, 4:30pm, Macdonald Hall Faculty Lounge (500)

for JD/graduate students only

Robot Rules: Regulating Artificial Intelligence - Jacob Turner Friday, January 25, 2019 from 1:00pm to 2:30pm,Macdonald Hall, Room 202

Kingston Trivia Challenge

Thursday, February 7, 2019 - 5:30 to 8:00 pm The Kingston Brewing Company, 34 Clarence Street, Kingston

Join local litigators in a lighthearted competitive trivia pub night. Organize a team of 4 and challenge your rivals.

Hosted by The Young Advocates Standing Committee.

This event is open to TAS Members, Non-Member Lawyers, and Law School and Articling Students.

Sign up

here: https://advocates.ca/TAS/Events/Event_Display.aspx?EventKey=TRIVIAK18

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From Theory to Practice: Application of Indigenous Law

A Coffee Chat to explore "Indigenous Law" in the age of Canadian reconciliation, what it is and what it is not. Academic writings on customary or Indigenous law are often theoretical in nature. This discussion will focus on how Indigenous law is implemented on the ground.

Presented by

- Bonnie Cole, Legal Counsel, Mohawk Council of Akwesasne
- Kyrie Ransom, Justice Coordinator, Akwesasne Justice Department

Monday, January 21, 2019 4:30-5:30 p.m., Faculty Lounge (Room 500)



For more information about speakers at Queen's Law, visit law.queensu.ca/speakers

Please note that a photographer or videographer may be present to record the event. Photos or videos of this event may be used in print or on the Web at the sole discretion of Queen's University Faculty of Law. Please notify the photographer or videographer if you do not consent to being photographed or captured on video.

Travel Reminder For China

Travelers to China reminded to monitor current conditions

In light of recent detentions of Canadians in China, the University is providing faculty, staff, and students the following information for consideration prior to traveling to China.

Visit the Queen's Gazette for all the details: https://www.queensu.ca/gazette/stories/travel-reminder-china

MISSED US ON FACEBOOK?

Catch up with recent Queen's Law posts (likes, shares and comments are welcome):

Trailer for this year's student battle of the bands, Lawlapalooza:



https://business.facebook.com/queensulaw/videos/394040287830625/?__xts__%5

B0%5D=68.ARDvkonJAqRPRoB_Lv0F0_qkTze19R0ntSyMrHSemsChccyg6DqG Hy_0gOdxajl6HGeJ1_V2JjDvQ99_DCyGTC1AsMOjcyJTgNtPxp_Xa4TQ4Sdr095i Bj39pjcOM6OhnLDrQIX_Z7di43wzHdI_5YfeqUbvUz9hO1GIU5MgMfGuCYuAiqW8 jMnzhTzHNAjnEkLyNOu8EEL9P307M8-OsooUTk2CexC71-205wv2BJ4m2h4JBIEvoJlcxGqpr4VwOGiZ2XIF3DFSIPoOuA1FhnVlp6VZiOdAGG zvRzq8Oq53xfds4MIlpeCehkyP7tc1am_Vc3yEQL0QG2GEaKEM3vtc1VA0qlBtEB _08Q&_tn_=-R

Assistant Crown Attorney brings Queen's community values to southwestern Ontario practice:



Queen's Faculty of Law January 18 at 5:00 PM · 🚱

"Don't assume because it's a small market, you're not going to be busy. Trust me, the work is there!" Natalie (Johnson) Kuehn, Law'14, on the misconception that a smaller market doesn't have as much to offer young lawyers earlier in their careers.

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When Natalie (Johnson) Kuehn, Law'14, began her studies at Queen's Law in September 2011, she knew her preference for practising in a small market would not be brushed aside. After all, the school's Career Development Office (CDO)...

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