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Coming up at Queen's Law

Monday, January 28, 2019

- Election nominations for LSS core positions are open.

Tuesday, January 29, 2019
Orientation - International Law Programs at the BISC 2019, details below.

Thursday, January 31, 2019

- Winter term fees due for students receiving financial aid

Friday, February 1, 2019

- Last day for Election nominations for LSS core positions

Saturday, February 2, 2019

- Reconciliation on Bay Street Conference from 10:00 to 7:00, more details below.

Important Dates:

- **January 31**: Winter term fees due for students receiving financial aid
- **February 6**: Last date to drop a class on SOLUS
Online summer courses available to JD students at no charge! Enroll in LSM-810: Financial Literacy for Lawyers and/or LSM-830: Shaping the Future of Legal Practice. These courses can be applied to your JD requirements now and the new Graduate Diploma in Legal Services Management later. Enroll in SOLUS and select Kingston as the exam center to prevent exam charges. Questions about the diploma? See this website: https://graduatediploma.queenslaw.ca/

ELECTION NOMINATIONS FOR LSS CORE POSITIONS ARE OPEN!
It’s that time of year to run for the LSS Core positions. The LSS is a great way to become involved in your QL community. The following positions available are up for election:

- President
- Vice-President Finance
- Vice-President Activities
- Vice-President Academic
- Vice-President Communication
- Vice-President Administrative

Forms may be found outside the LSS office. Once completed (only FIVE signatures required!!!), your form should be returned to the folder outside the office. The Nomination Period is open from Monday, January 28th to Friday, February 1st.

As a reminder, elections for all year Council positions and other positions will be held in March – please stay tuned.

For all information regarding the upcoming election and the positions available, please consult http://www.students.queenslaw.ca/lss-members/elections/. Email all questions, concerns, and fun facts to simon.gollish@queensu.ca.

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:
The Ban Righ Foundation
Deadline: March 6, 2019

Celebrating the achievements and determination of women continuing their education (Financial need is a criterion).

Eligibility: Mature women students, female students who have been away from formal education for at least one year and/or have children.

More details: https://onq.queensu.ca/d2l/le/62177/discussions/threads/2560826/View

HARVEY T. STROSBERG ESSAY PRIZE
Deadline: April 8, 2019

Award: $10,000

Subject: Class actions

Eligibility: all Canadian university students (undergraduate, graduate, professional)

Sponsor: Irwin Law (Canadian Class Action Review)

More details: https://onq.queensu.ca/d2l/le/62177/discussions/threads/2552682/View

Trandafir Writing Competition
Deadline: February 1, 2019

Award: Publication and a $1,800 cash prize paid upon publication of the winning submission.

Eligibility: All students currently enrolled in law or graduate degree programs.

Topic: Any contemporary international business or economic concern.
DIANA M. PRIESTLY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
Deadline: February 1, 2019

Award: The current value of this award is $2,500. An announcement regarding the award's recipient will be made at the Association's Annual Meeting in Edmonton, Alberta in May 2019.

This scholarship will be awarded to an individual needing to enhance her/his academic qualifications for law librarianship.

Caffeinate Your Career

- 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: [www.cba.org/essays](http://www.cba.org/essays)

**ESSAY COMPETITION - The Baxter Competition on Federalism**

*Deadline: February 11, 2019*

Participants are invited to submit an original essay related to any aspect of federal theory or practice. 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.


**DSA awards**

**Recognizing Equity, Diversity and Inclusivity**

*Deadline: February 4, 2019*

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](#)!

**Nominate an outstanding student leader**

*Deadline: February 4, 2019*

Do you know peers who are active in the community and/or who are amazing leaders on campus? Nominate them for the [2018 Brian Yealland Community Leadership Award](#) and/or the [Peer Leadership Award](#)!
Career Development

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

- **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
There are a number of postings active on CSM – [log in to check them out](https://example.com): 1L & 2L Formal Recruitment Processes

IMPORTANT DATES:
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. Resumes
Osler Innovation Awards

Open to 1L students (or 2L of a 4-year program) at any Canadian law school, we will be offering **14 awards of $1,500** to the students who submit the best ideas. We kindly ask you to circulate/post the below contest details and notify students of the **March 15, 2019 submission deadline**.

Further details about the Osler Future Innovators Award and the entry process (a selfie video!) can be found here: [https://www.osler.com/en/applications/future-innovators](https://www.osler.com/en/applications/future-innovators)

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.

*This survey* 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](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).
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.

- [Queen's Business Law Clinic](#) (2019 Full-time Summer and 2019-2020 LAW 438 A/B)
- [Clinical Litigation Practice/Queen's Legal Aid](#) (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)

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Events

*student volunteers needed for the 2019 Feminist Legal Studies Queen’s conference*
For more details, please visit: https://femlaw.queensu.ca/flsq-conferences
Please contact Professors Kathleen Lahey kal2@queensu.ca and Bita Amani amanib@queensu.ca to volunteer.

**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!

**RECONCILIATION ON BAY STREET CONFERENCE**
Saturday, February 2, 2019 from 10:00am to 7:00pm
On February 2, 2019 the Reconciliation on Bay St. Conference will bring together 100 students from Queen's Law and the Smith School of Business to engage with experts in conversations around economic reconciliation on Queen's campus - join us for the day!

This conference is the first of its kind at Queen's; it will bring together Indigenous and non-Indigenous, business and law students to engage in discussions with experts about economic Reconciliation and the roles that we, as future lawyers and business leaders, must play in that process.

The event will begin with an opening ceremony conducted by local leaders and Elders. There will then be a showing of the Reconciliation on Bay Street documentary, which has inspired this conference.

Following the film, we will host a Q&A panel with the filmmaker and Queen's Law alumnus, David Sharpe, who appears in the documentary.

The remainder of the event will be a day of panel discussions as well as opportunities for artistic and cultural expression. We hope to inspire all attendees to see economic reconciliation as both a responsibility and an opportunity.

For full details, please visit https://www.rbsconferencequeens.com.

**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
Board Games Night for Student-Parents

Free childcare and pizza will be provided to attendees. Please RSVP to brc2@queensu.ca.
Intellectual Property and Technology Law Firm Visit

McCarthy Tétrault LLP would like to welcome students who are interested in intellectual property and technology law to a panel discussion and cocktail reception. The discussion panel will include Partners and Associates from the firm who are practising in the areas of intellectual property and technology law. The panel will commence at 4:00 p.m. followed by an informal cocktail hour at 5:00 p.m. where students can get further insights from our lawyers and articling students.

If you have any questions, please contact: Jamie Holton at jholton@mccarthy.ca or Bruna Kalinoski at bkalinoski@mccarthy.ca

Wednesday, March 27, 2019 - 4:00 p.m to 6:00 pm

McCarthy Tétrault Toronto Office, 53rd Floor Reception, 66 Wellington Street West, Toronto

Please RSVP to Debbie Heatherington at dheather@mccarthy.ca by Thursday, March 20, 2019

We also encourage you to indicate any specific areas or questions you would like our lawyers to address. You may do this individually or have a representative from your school send this information to Debbie Heatherington
UPCOMING CHANGE TO THE QUEEN’S LAW PORTAL

The cake is a lie, but rumours of a Portal revamp are not – at some point within the next couple of weeks, the Portal link on the Queen’s Law page will take you to a new page that looks something like this:

All your favourite portal content will still be there, but now accessible through links rather than menus. Some of it is a work in progress, so we appreciate your patience as we sort through a few rough edges.

DEMOCRACY IN ACTION (NOT DEMOCRACY INACTION)

The SGPS Election is being held today (Monday, January 28) and Tuesday (January 29). Don’t forget to vote!
COMING SOON: FACEBOOK LIVESTREAMING

Attendees at the Jacob Turner talk on Friday may have noticed staff members Matt Shepherd and Mike Brean testing a new Facebook Live setup; you can review the talk here (https://www.facebook.com/queensulaw/videos/293055751403112/). The intent and hope is that we may have a rig that LSS-sanctioned clubs can use to livestream panels, etc. Details to come via the LSS VP Communications as they develop.

Wellness Groups Winter 2019

Please visit student wellness services for more information and to sign up for any wellness groups.
“What worked best were the solutions I got for my personal problems.”

- Queen’s Student Participant

Wellness Groups

Using Creativity and Art to Self-Regulate Your Emotions
Changeways for Anxiety
Manage Stress and Anxiety in Your First Year
Managing Powerful Emotions (rolling enrollment, two consecutive sessions)
Psychotherapy Group for Graduate Students
Mindfulness for a Better Student Life (drop-ins welcome)
Manage Your Life at Queen’s for Success
Manage Your Stress and Anxiety
Managing Chronic Pain at University

Registration Required
queensu.ca/studentwellness/workshops

Wellness Workshops

Single Sessions:
Emotional Skills to Fight Procrastination
Embracing the "F" Word - Failure
1-Minute Strategies to Reduce Stress
Stress Reduction through Self Compassion
Strategies to Tackle Overwhelming Mid-Term Stress (part 1 of 2)
Strategies to Tackle Overwhelming Exam Stress (part 2 of 2)
Workshop: "What can I do to help?": Helping someone you care about after sexual violence

Multiple Sessions:
2 session series: Weathering the Storm: Managing the aftermath of Sexual Violence or SV disclosure

Registration recommended, drop ins welcome
queensu.ca/studentwellness/workshops

Student Wellness Services
Student Affairs
Q.CLEAN is a dry-cleaning service operating out of the Queen's Commerce Society. All of our profits go towards the Kingston chapter of our partner charity 'Dress for Success' which is an organization that works to empower underprivileged women in achieving economic independenc.
Queen's Law Winter Clothing Sale

Order online OR in person*
ql-clothing.cheddarup.com

QUARTER ZIP
Black & Navy Blue | $40

T-SHIRT
Navy & Red | $25

CREW NECK
Black, Navy Blue & Grey | $40

SWEATPANTS
Black & Grey | $40

KEYCHAIN
*Pick up only | $5

TIE
Reg. & XL | $25

SALE ENDS
TUESDAY JANUARY 29th
AT 4:00 PM!

*In person availability for purchases and sizing to be announced

MISSED US ON FACEBOOK?
Lederman Library latest display focuses on Indigenous treaties in Canada by library intern and Indigenous Queen’s undergrad Caleigh Matheson (Deh Cho Dene).


Shai Dubey, Law’94, & Morgan Jarvis, Law’10 – newly appointed Executive Director of Undergraduate & Professional Programs & Academic Director of the Certificate in Law, discuss their plans and how #QueensLaw is an innovative leader in legal education.

https://www.facebook.com/queensulaw/posts/2067997346600955?__tn__=K-R
Sheila Colman, Law’93, is living a legal adventure as the counsel for a mining consortium based in Equador. What's it like? She shares some of her favourite parts of an amazing job.


Professor Henderson’s research looks into how consumers are protected and informed about financial products, and how banks are regulated.

https://www.facebook.com/queensulaw/posts/2070940682973288?__tn__=K-R

Live stream of a talk at Queen's Law by Jacob Turner, author of Robot Rules
As one of only a dozen Canadians ever selected to the American Law Institute, #QueensLaw’s Erik Knutsen, Associate Dean (Academic) plans on bringing his expertise to help clarify the law through ALI-produced Restatements, Principles and Model Codes.