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## Announcements



## Enrollment

If you have any questions or concerns about enrollment, please contact:

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Documents available for proof of enrollment or finances: You may obtain a verification of enrollment in the academics section of your student account or a financial statement from the finances section. Fees do not apply until you are enrolled. Be sure that pop-ups are not blocked!

Course information/timetable/exam schedules may be found here: <https://law.queensu.ca/programs/jd/academic-program/course-information>

**Enrollment tips:**

1. Don't worry if you can't enroll in exactly what you want right now. Many changes happen between now and September.
2. Multi-term courses are split 50/50 for load purposes.
3. You may enroll in up to 17 credits now. Overloads will not be approved until September.
4. Students going on exchange do NOT enroll in 'backup courses'. Please be sure to submit your Learning Agreement to [law.exchange@queensu.ca](mailto:law.exchange@queensu.ca) after it is signed by the host university for final approval. The form is here: [https://law.queensu.ca/sites/default/files/files/JD%20Forms/2019-20%20Outgoing%20Exchange%20Learning%20Agreement%20Form\\_fi](https://law.queensu.ca/sites/default/files/files/JD%20Forms/2019-20%20Outgoing%20Exchange%20Learning%20Agreement%20Form_fi)

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## Ready to Graduate?

Once you have completed enrollment, please run your Academic Requirements report, available in your Solus Student Centre. If you are planning to graduate in the upcoming year and you will fulfill all degree requirements, you will see:



If your report indicates Not Satisfied, please review and determine where you have not met requirements and adjust your schedule accordingly. The Substantial Term Paper requirement will not show as fulfilled until you turn your paper in with the [STP form](#). If you need assistance with your report, please contact [Margie](#) or [Tricia](#).

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## Important Dates

Date	Time	Event
June 18	8:00 AM	Timetable available
July 3	8:00 AM	Shopping carts open
July 15	Midnight	3L Enrollment begins
July 17	Midnight	2L Enrollment begins
July 19	8:00 AM	Waitlist available
August 10		Awards post
September 1		Tuition due-fall
September 3		Classes begin-upper year
September 5		Classes begin-first year
September 17	11:59 PM	Last day to add-fall term
September 30		All fall term fees due
October 4	11:59 PM	Last day to drop-fall term
January 10		Tuition due-winter
January 17	11:59 PM	Last day to add-winter term
January 31	11:59 PM	Last day to drop-winter term

## Special Application Courses

There are still spots available in the following special application courses:

- **CHEE 400AB - TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING & MANAGEMENT (TEAM)**
- **LAW 551 - CONFLICT ANALYTICS LAB PRACTICUM**
- **LAW 590AB - CLINICAL LITIGATION PRACTICE**
- **LAW 457 - INTERNATIONAL TRADE LAW PRACTICUM (TRADELAB)**
- There is one space available in the **Prison Law Clinic (LAW 418 A/B)**, with a placement at Collins Bay Institution (court times Thursdays 1-4). Interested students should contact Kathryn Ferreira ([Kathryn.ferreira@queensu.ca](mailto:Kathryn.ferreira@queensu.ca)).

For full descriptions and application details click here:

<https://law.queensu.ca/queenslawportal/special-applications>

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## Awards & Scholarships

Click the link for **all** funding opportunities and contests:

<https://onq.queensu.ca/d2l/le/62177/discussions/topics/344784/View>

### **Soar Scholarship**

**Deadline: July 31, 2019**

SOAR will award one \$3,000 scholarship to an upper level (L2 or L3) student enrolled in an Ontario law school who demonstrates a commitment to the administrative justice system. Students must show, in a written essay, how their studies have led them (or will lead them) to embrace the practice of administrative law.

The Application Form is available on SOAR's website: [www.soar.on.ca](http://www.soar.on.ca)

Completed applications or related inquiries should be submitted electronically to: [scholarship@soar.on.ca](mailto:scholarship@soar.on.ca)

More details here:

<https://onq.queensu.ca/d2l/le/62177/discussions/threads/2805014/View>

## **PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND LAW SOCIETY/LAW FOUNDATION**

**Deadline: July 31, 2019**

The Law Society/Law Foundation of Prince Edward Island will be awarding three scholarships for 2019 in the amount of \$2,00.00 in August or September of 2019. As well, there will be one Canadian Bar Association Daphne Dumont Scholarship in the amount of \$500.

More details

here: <https://onq.queensu.ca/d2l/le/62177/discussions/threads/2628716/View>



**Deadline: July 31, 2019**

As part of our commitment to supporting the development of Indigenous lawyers, First Peoples Law is offering a scholarship in the amount of \$5,000 to an

Indigenous law student with a demonstrated interest in serving and advancing the interests of Indigenous Peoples.

**Eligibility:** Indigenous student enrolled at a Canadian law school

**Requirements:** 2 reference letters, proof of enrollment, and a 500-word essay explaining how you intend to use your law degree to serve and advance the interests of Indigenous Peoples

To view the full application, click [here](#).

Good luck to all applicants.

## **2020 Rhodes Scholarship**

**Deadline: September 9, 2019**

- Promote to 3<sup>rd</sup> year, 4<sup>th</sup> year and graduate students
- Images attached
- All questions can be sent to [rhodessupport@queensu.ca](mailto:rhodessupport@queensu.ca) or [vpdean.sa@queensu.ca](mailto:vpdean.sa@queensu.ca)

Thinking of applying for a 2020 Rhodes Scholarship? You will need institutional endorsement. The internal deadline to apply is Sept 9. [More info](#)

## **RENFREW COUNTY LAW ASSOCIATION**

**Deadline: November 29, 2019**

The Renfrew County Law Association is pleased to offer a scholarship to promote future law school graduates who are interested in returning to the County of Renfrew to pursue their legal practices. A scholarship in the amount of \$1000 may be awarded each year to one or more eligible applicants.

More details here:

<https://onq.queensu.ca/d2l/le/62177/discussions/threads/2871795/View>

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## Career Development

The CDO is open all summer and appointments can be booked in advance with Mike or Julie through CSM. If you participating in recruitment processes and would like support, please do not delay engaging with our office.

### **ARTICLING RECRUITMENT**

A **Black Out Period** for Vancouver is in effect from July 29 – August 11.

**Toronto and Vancouver In-Office Interview Week** overlap and will run August 12 – 14 in each region.

Utilize the long period afforded between Interview Call Day and the Interview Week to effectively prepare for interviews. Re-familiarize yourself with the **Interview Prep, Government Interview** and the **In-Office Interviews, Receptions, Dinners, and Offer-Day** tip sheets to help you navigate your interview experience with poise and professionalism.

Practice your interviewing by booking a mock interview (in person, Skype/Zoom, or by phone) with Mike or Julie.

If you require support during your Interview Week, please send a **single email** to [Michael.molas@queensu.ca](mailto:Michael.molas@queensu.ca) and [Julie.banting@queensu.ca](mailto:Julie.banting@queensu.ca) with the best phone number to reach you on, and one of us will be in touch with assistance.

### **2L SUMMER RECRUITMENT**

ProNet has been updated in CSM. ProNet allows you to search for QL students and alumni who are happy to speak with you about their work experiences. The **Professionalism Tip Sheet** includes best practices for preparing for, arranging, and conducting informational interviews.



Informational interviews can help you more fully explore potential career options and areas of practice; clarify your career goals; identify essential skills and training useful in a specific area of practice; and gain valuable information about career related values and interests that are important to you,

Reviewing the **Resume** and **Cover Letter** tip sheets will help you organize, format and improve the content of your documents. If you would **then** like your resume or cover letter reviewed electronically, you can send a **single copy** of each document (in **Word** format) to our summer student Mary Alfredsson at [mma9@queensu.ca](mailto:mmma9@queensu.ca) and she will respond with constructive feedback.

To ensure that all e-review requests are met, documents must be submitted to Mary for review **at least one week before** they are due to employers in a given region.

A reminder that referees should be given a minimum of **10 days to prepare your reference letter**, but it is best to start your outreach early. It is unfair and unprofessional to expect a letter to be prepared, or updated, on short notice.

The **2L Summer Job Search Guide – 2019-2020 Recruitment Season** includes important dates and deadlines, recruitment policies and procedures, and a month-by-month **overview of things you can be doing over the summer to prepare**.

**The Toronto 2L Summer Recruitment Guide 2020 in CSM** contains Toronto-specific information, including the employers who will be recruiting/likely recruiting during the formal recruitment process this fall.

**The Vancouver Calgary 2L Summer Recruitment Guide 2020 in CSM** contains Vancouver/Calgary-specific information. The **Vancouver Calgary 2L Summer Memo 2020** includes additional information, including which employers are participating in On Campus Interviews.

**LexisNexis Student Associate for Fall 2019**

LexisNexis is hiring a student from Queen's Law to serve as an ambassador and liaison between LexisNexis and the law school. Full details and application submission instructions can be found under the Jobs tab in CSM. The posting will close July 30<sup>th</sup>.

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## **2019-2020 Timetable**

The Fall and Winter timetable can be found here:

<https://law.queensu.ca/programs/jd/academic-program/course-information/timetable>

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# *Save the Date*



"My People" by Roger Kakepetum; Sandy Lake First Nation, 2006.  
Chief Ray Michano Art Collection, Lakehead University.

Lakehead University's Bora Laskin Faculty of Law is proud to host a  
Law Students' Conference aimed at exploring:

## *Indigenous Law Across Landscapes: Languages, Land, and New Directions*

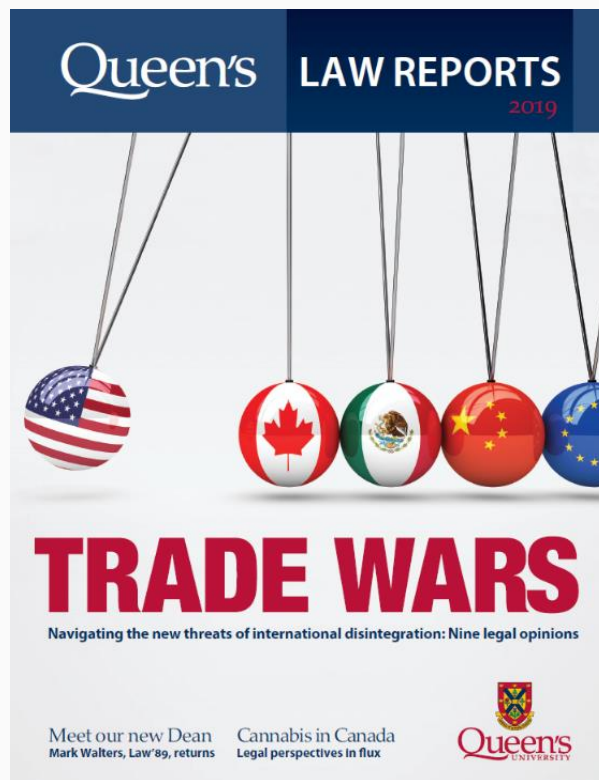
November 15<sup>th</sup>, 2019  
Optional speaker & student events  
planned for November 14<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup>

Full conference agenda and speakers to be announced in August. Registration for current  
Canadian law students is free, and will be given priority.



## Queen's Law Reports

Queen's Law experts discuss navigating trade wars – one of many stories in the  
NEW Queen's Law Reports:



### **CHECK OUT THIS ISSUE'S LINE-UP:**

#### **Trade Wars**

Learn what faculty and alumni experts say about how Canada should navigate turbulence in international trade law caused by U.S. protectionist policies, Brexit, U.S./China disputes, and a deliberately weakened WTO.

#### **Meet our new Dean**

Mark Walters, Law '89 grad and former faculty member, shares his thoughts and plans for leading Queen's Law's next phase of remarkable development.

#### **Cannabis in Canada revisited**

Our experts check in with their latest perspectives on the Cannabis Act and the upcoming introduction of three new product forms to the legal marketplace.

#### **Flanagan's decanal finale**

Bill Flanagan talks about the many people he has engaged with, milestone events

that occurred, and significant initiatives taken over his unprecedented 14-year tenure as Dean.

### **Applying AI to dispute resolution**

Professor Samuel Dahan leads the Conflict Analytics Lab, a global research-based consortium breaking new ground at the intersection of AI and law.

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