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Information Session about the Castle Program

Monday, September 23, at 1:00 pm in MAC 001

You have probably heard about the amazing program we have here at Queen's Law where you can spend 8 weeks of your 1L summer studying international law at [BISC](#) in an English castle.

If you are interested in international law you will definitely want to attend this information session - even if you are just looking for a fun way to spend your first year summer, you should check it out!

Important Dates

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

Tuition and Fees

Tuition and Fees are due September 30. The opt out period is Sep 3-30. To opt out of optional student activity fees or if you have equivalent Health/Dental Coverage and wish to opt out, please go to this link: <https://sgps.ca/optout-optin/>

APPLY NOW FOR QUEEN'S LAW 2019 FALL SCHOLARSHIPS

We encourage you to consider the terms of the awards listed below, and apply for any that seem appropriate. Applications are to be completed and submitted via Qualtrics, over the Faculty's secure, encrypted connection **by Thursday, October 31 at 4:00 p.m.**

The Fall Scholarship award terms and application form can be accessed on the Queen's Law website at <https://law.queensu.ca/programs/jd/student-support/costs-financial-assistance/awards>.

In order to be considered for these awards, you must have completed a [Consent to Release of Name and Contact Information for Queen's Faculty of Law Merit Awards form](#) (available from the QLaw portal). If you have already filled one of these out in a previous year then you do not need to submit another.

The following awards are available to ALL law students:

- Agnes Lefas Memorial Scholarship
- The Faculty of Law Dean's Council Diversity Awards

The following entrance scholarships are specifically available to students in FIRST-YEAR JD:

- Newton Rowell Entrance Scholarship in Law
- The David and Pearl Tobias Entrance Scholarship
- The Allan Findlay Memorial Scholarship

The following awards are specifically available to students in SECOND-YEAR JD:

- C. Douglas Macleod Memorial Scholarship

The following awards are specifically available to students in THIRD-YEAR JD:

- The Eric Swan Memorial Scholarship

APPLY NOW

Awards & Scholarships

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

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

RENFREW COUNTY LAW ASSOCIATION

Deadline: November 29, 2019

More details here:

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

CIAJ's Three-Minute Video Contest

Deadline: September 30, 2019

Law Students Are Invited to Share Their Thoughts on a Key Issue

Students are invited to submit a three-minute video to answer the following question: "What will be the most important legal issue for the next generation regarding the relationship between Indigenous Peoples and Canadian institutions?"

Participants must present their argument to the camera in the style of the "Three Minute Thesis Competition." The strongest videos will be presented at CIAJ's 2019 Annual Conference in Quebec City, October 16–18, 2019. They will also be presented at CIAJ's 2020 Annual Conference in Vancouver, where the winning video will be incorporated into the Student Panel.

Details: <https://ciaj-icaj.ca/en/featured-3-minute-video-2019/>

CALL FOR SUBMISSIONS

Deadline: September 30, 2019

The *Dalhousie Journal of Legal Studies* is encouraging Queens students and recent grads to submit their papers for publication. Any legal topic is welcome. Papers received after September will still be considered on a rolling basis.

For more information, please visit <https://digitalcommons.schulichlaw.dal.ca/djls/>.

Women General Counsel Canada

Deadline: October 15 - 5 p.m. EST

WGCC is an organization dedicated to connecting and advancing women-identifying practicing in-house counsel and legal executive leaders across Canada. Each year, WGCC hosts a number of professional development workshops, networking and social events in support of this mission, in addition to an annual conference in January at which the recipient will be announced.

More details here:

<https://onq.queensu.ca/d2l/le/62177/discussions/threads/2984736/View>

2020-2021 Canada Graduate Scholarship- Masters (CGS-M) Competition

JD students interested in pursuing an LLM should apply for the Canada Graduate Scholarship- Masters (CGS-M) competition (or should keep it in mind for a future year). These scholarships are for eligible undergraduate students who will be Master's students in 2020-2021 in research-based programs. The objective of the CGS M Program is to help develop research skills and assist in the training of highly qualified personnel by supporting students who demonstrate a high standard of achievement in undergraduate and early graduate studies.

The online "Research Portal" application for the competition is now open and can be accessed from this website: http://www.nserc-crsng.gc.ca/Students-Etudiants/PG-CS/CGSM-BESCM_eng.asp.

Annual SCL NA - Hardhat Writing Award

Deadline: December 5, 2019

The purpose of the Hardhat Writing competition is to solicit quality essays on issues of construction law and its application to the construction industry. The

Society encourages entries from all disciplines and levels of experience. Entries for the General and Student Divisions will be judged separately.

More details here:

<https://onq.queensu.ca/d2l/le/62177/discussions/threads/2996026/View>

Career Development

1L & 2L EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Ottawa Intellectual Property

If you are interested in working in Ottawa and have a degree in science or engineering, please review the Ottawa IP Guide in the Document Library of CSM and contact our office to discuss the next steps. We are also holding an information session on September 23 at 1:00 pm in Room 400.

East Coast

Law firms on the East Coast begin recruiting 1L and 2L students in October 2019 for articling positions following their graduation. Students are provided with the option of accepting a summer student position with the firm, as well. Please see the East Coast recruitment resource under the Document Library of CSM for more information.

2L SUMMER RECRUITMENT

Students participating in Calgary, Vancouver, or Toronto recruitment should review the regional recruitment guides in CSM and the Interview Call Day tip sheet, which includes a sample scheduling template.

Calgary

Students can send applications to Calgary employers who **did not** conduct On Campus Interviews until 11:59 PM MT on Wednesday September 25. If you conducted an OCI with a Calgary employer and have not heard from them following your OCI, you can be proactive in your outreach and express a desire to meet with them in Calgary. Employers usually meet with students around the Thanksgiving Holiday. Offers of employment begin October 24 at 9 AM MT.

Vancouver

A black-out period is in effect beginning September 29. Employers choosing to send Intent to Call emails must do so between October 1 and October 2. Interview Call Day begins October 3 at 8 AM PT. Offers of employment begin October 24 at 8 AM PT.

Toronto

Employers can send Intent to Call emails any time prior to Interview Call Day on October 25. Employers will begin calling at 8 AM ET to schedule your interviews.

3L INFORMATION AND OPPORTUNITIES

Live Webcast: Law Society of Ontario

The LSO will be holding a live webcast on **Friday, September 27, 2019** from **1:30 to 3:00 pm**. The session will cover key components of the Licensing Process and will include a question and answer period. The session will be available on demand approximately 2 – 3 weeks after this date on the licensing process website for those who are not able to participate in the live broadcast.

Viewers are asked to pre-register for this webcast. Once registered, you may access the webcast promptly at 1:30 pm on September 27, 2019.

Please Register here: <http://lso.ca/lawyerlicensing>

Articling Positions Outside the Formal Recruitment Processes

A number of employers from across Canada choose to recruit their articling students outside of the formal articling recruitment processes. Interested students should check the Jobs tab in CSM to ensure no opportunities are being missed. Students should also expect a significant increase in postings beginning in the New Year. To develop an individualized job search plan, which includes maximizing opportunities in the posted and hidden job markets, please book an appointment with Mike or Julie.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Saturday September 21st, 3pm: Leverage your Queen's JD: Career Advice from QL'94 Women
- Monday September 23rd, 1pm: 1L/2L Ottawa IP Panel
- September 27th, 1pm: 2L/3L Intro to Clerkships
- September 27, 2 pm: Coffee Chat- Career Paths in Indigenous Law with John Rowinski
- September 30, 11 am: Tax Court Justice David Graham in LAW508
- October 2nd, 5:30 pm: 2L Crim Crash Course: Criminal Law and Crown Interviews
- October 3rd, 8:30 am: Court of Appeal for Ontario Clerkship Information Session
- October 4th, 1:00 pm: 2L Government Interview Prep Session

Attention Upper year and Graduate Students

WestlawNext[®] CANADA

is offering a training session on Monday, September 30th in Room 211, Macdonald Hall, from 9:00 to 10:00 am.

The session will be facilitated by Josée Provost, Executive Learning Consultant & National Coordinator for Academic Training, Thomson Reuters.

Please RSVP Patrick Patterson, Law Library Reference Assistant,
at patrick.patterson@queensu.ca.

Contact Patrick if you have any questions.

Attention Upper year and Graduate Students



is offering a Lexis Advance Quicklaw training session on Monday, October 7th in Room 211, Macdonald Hall, from 9:00 to 10:00 am.

The session will be facilitated by Le Phung, Product Adoption Consultant for LexisNexis Canada.

Please RSVP Patrick Patterson, Law Library Reference Assistant,
at patrick.patterson@queensu.ca. Contact Patrick if you have any questions.

Events

David Allgood Lecture: Henry Hansmann

Monday, September 23, 2019 from 1:00pm to 2:30pm - [Macdonald Hall, Room 202](#)

Single-Purpose Governments: Between Public and Private Enterprise

Parents with Drug Abuse Problems & the Family Courts

Monday, September 23, 2019 from 5:00 pm to 6:30 pm - Room 001

Panel discussion on **Parents with Drug Abuse Problems & the Family Courts**. It is sponsored by the Ontario Chapter of the Association of Family & Conciliation Courts (AFCC-O). The presenters include a judge, a doctor, a social worker and a lawyer, with Chair Karla McGrath from the Legal Aid Clinics. Most of those in attendance will be local family lawyers, judges and social workers, but law students are welcome to attend.

**Judicial Review / Révision judiciaire
of the Federal Court / de la cour fédérale**

question and answer session follows / un séance questions-réponses suivra
l'audience

Presiding: the Honourable Alan S. Diner
Sous la présidence de l'honorable Alan S. Diner

Tuesday, September 24 / mardi le 24 septembre
2:30 - 5:30 p.m. / 14h30 à 17h30
Sutherland 202

Visitor: The Honourable Chief Justice Paul S. Crampton and Justice Gleeson
Wednesday, September 25, 2019 from 4:30pm to 6:30pm - [Macdonald Hall, Room 001](#), and Student Lounge

Introduction to the Federal Court / Une introduction à la Cour fédérale
with Chief Justice Crampton and Justice Gleeson / avec le juge en chef Crampton
et le juge Gleeson

Coffee Chat: John Rowinski

Friday, September 27, 2019 from 2:30pm to 4:30pm - [Macdonald Hall, Room 500 \(Faculty Lounge\)](#)

"Career Paths in Indigenous Law with John Rowinski"

Lederman Visitor: Ron McCallum

Monday, September 30, 2019 from 1:00pm to 2:30pm - [Macdonald Hall, Room 515 \(Faculty Boardroom\)](#)

Deconstructing "Disability" Legal Barriers: My life, disability, Queen's Law and the Australian Royal Commission into Persons with Disabilities

Sixth Annual Wrongful Conviction Day - Rick Sauve

Saturday, November 2, 2019, from 10:00 – 2:00 - *Parish Hall St., James' Anglican Church, 10 Union St. West, Kingston*

Rick Sauve relates his incredible journey and where it has taken him.

PETS OF QUEEN'S LAW!





[Vote for Dot](#)

This is Dot! She's 13 and named after the Warner Brothers' sister (Animaniacs). Dot likes boxes, fresh cat nip, drinking from the tap in the bathtub, and putting her younger sister in her place when necessary.

[Vote for Kitty](#)

This is Kitty! She is a long-hair domestic muted calico, which suit her well because she is also vocally mute! You will catch Kitty around the house bringing her little stuffies as gifts, saying 'keh! keh!' instead of 'meow, meow'. Kitty is six and celebrates her birthday every year on May 15. Further, she loves to crawl into laps and sleep on pillows

Submit your pets! Send a photo of your pet and **up to** 75 words of text to pets@queenslaw.ca. 3L Victoria Seo will be organizing weekly vote-offs in this very newsletter, and posting our winning pet to Instagram on Wednesdays with the runner-up on Saturdays. Come back every week to have your say in the Queen's Law Pet of the Week!

*Pet photos may be cropped for Instagram, with a "Pets of Queen's Law" frame.

Education & Equity

Reminder for Students with Disabilities and Short-term Medical Conditions

Just a brief reminder that students who are registered with Queen's Accessibility Services (QSAS) for ongoing disability accommodations or who require short-term accommodations due to illness or injury are required to contact **Helen Connop**, Manager of Education and Equity Services, directly (email: helen.connop@queensu.ca; tel: 613-533-6000 ext. 78147) to discuss next steps in the accommodation process.

QSAS registration information for first time and returning students can be found online at: <http://www.queensu.ca/studentwellness/accessibility-services/how-register-0>

Please note that if you require accommodations for your mid-term examinations, you should register with QSAS no later than **Monday, September 30, 2019**.

If you have any questions about this process, please contact **Helen Connop**.

Academic Assistance Program

The Education & Equity Services office offers FREE tutorial/mentoring services to support the academic efforts of all law students, particularly those in first year or whose circumstances make the law school process uniquely difficult. For more information please contact Helen Connop, Manager Education & Equity Services (email: helen.connop@queensu.ca; Tel: 613-533-6000 ext. 78147).

Events Outside of Law School

Surveillance Studies Centre, Seminar Series - Cynthia Khoo

**Wednesday, September 25, 2019, from 12:30 pm – 2:00 pm - Mackintosh
Corry Hall D411**

Uninstalling Fear: What Can the Law Do about Stalkerware Surveillance and Abuse

The Archdiocese of Kingston's Annual RED MASS

Thursday, October 3, 2019, 7:00 PM - Location: [St. Mary's Cathedral, Kingston ON](#)

Attention all judges, lawyers, and all who work in the Justice System.

The Red Mass, which is offered particularly for those in the legal profession, (lawyers, judges, clerks, court reporters, court security officers, legal assistants, receptionists, and students and professors of the Faculty of Law), is generally celebrated close to the opening of the courts, which commences the judicial year. The tradition of the Red Mass has been celebrated since the 13th century. The Opening of the Courts will take place October 4th this year. All who work in the justice system are encouraged to attend this Mass. Everyone else is very welcome as well. A wine and cheese reception will follow in St. Mary's Parish Centre. If you require further information, please contact Christina Rorabeck at [613-545-9896](tel:613-545-9896) or christina@rstlaw.ca or Father Shawn at fathershawnjhughes@gmail.com
