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* Incoming Law Students

If you did not attend orientation on Sunday, September 1, 2019, please pick up your welcome package in the Student Services Office, room 200.

The package includes a fob to access the Learning Commons - **\$10 CASH ONLY** deposit!

Locker Rentals

Lockers **cost \$20 CASH** for the whole year.

Students have the opportunity to rent lockers on **Thursday, September 5, 2019, from 1:00 pm to 2:30 pm in the Student Lounge.**



Enrollment

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

Margie Gordon

Program Coordinator, JD Program

margaret.gordon@queensu.ca

613-533-6000 ext. 75795

OR

Patricia Acton

Director, Student Records and Enrollment

actonp@queensu.ca

613-533-6000 ext. 75318

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>

Photo and Validation of Student Cards for Fall 2019

All returning students must get their student card validated for the upcoming school year.

Location: Wallace Hall in the John Deutsch University Center

Incoming Exchange

Friday, August 30, 2019 - 8:30 to 11:00

OR

Tuesday, September 3, 2019 - 2:30 to 3:30

Law (including upper-year transfer)

Wednesday, September 4, 2019 - 1:30 to 2:30

Validation Of Student Cards for Returning Students

August 26 to September 12 including Saturdays 8:30 - 4:30

Closed on Sundays and Statutory Holiday Monday, September 2.

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](#).

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)**

For full descriptions and application details click here:

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

Awards & Scholarships

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

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

2020 Rhodes Scholarship

Deadline: September 9, 2019

- Promote to 3rd year, 4th year and graduate students
- Images attached
- All questions can be sent to rhodessupport@queensu.ca or 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

More details here:

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

Call for Papers for the Intl Refugee Law IG Student Writing Competition

Deadline: January 15, 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.

Papers may address any topic related to international law and refugees, stateless persons, internally displaced persons, and forced migrants. Student authors must be enrolled in an undergraduate or graduate degree program at an accredited university at the time of submission.

Papers should be submitted by 15 January 2020 to irlig@ilsa.org. The Call is attached and available on the IRLIG webpage located [here](#).

Career Development

2L SUMMER RECRUITMENT

The CDO will continue to send students timely recruitment-specific information, so ensure you are checking your Queen's email for important updates and next steps. If we require information from you, please respond as promptly as possible.

To facilitate your interview preparation, please review the **Interview Preparation** and **Government Interview Prep** tip sheets under the Document Library in CSM.

Students can also book a mock interview with Mike or Julie, as a counselling appointment through CSM. Peer Mock Monday will be held Monday September 16th from 1:00 – 2:30 pm. Sign-up will open closer to that date.

We will be holding a **Vancouver/Calgary/Toronto OCI Panel** on Monday September 9 from 1:00 – 2:30 pm and an **Interview Prep Session** on Tuesday September 10 from 5:30 – 7:00 pm. Full details and RSVP under the 'Events' tab in CSM. Note that RSVPs open 2 weeks before a session date.

Vancouver/Calgary

Vancouver/Calgary On Campus Interviews will be held Wednesday September 11 in Toronto. Any students with Vancouver/Calgary OCIs will be emailed their OCI schedule early this week, as soon as it is finalized.

The viLawPortal will close for Vancouver non-OCI employers at 11:59 PM PT on September 4. Students can apply to non-OCI Calgary employers until 11:59 PM PT on September 25.

Toronto

Toronto On Campus Interviews will be held Tuesday September 17 at the Holiday Inn Waterfront Kingston. The Toronto OCI Schedule is being constructed this

week. We anticipate students will receive their OCI schedules by Monday September 9.

Moot Court Program

A Mooting Information Session for 2L's and 3L's is being held on Wednesday, 04 September @ 4 p.m. in Room 201. Come and hear from students who have mooted competitively and get your questions answered. Hosted by Moot Committee representatives Katrina Dods and Amita Persad-Ford.

There is still time to study the tryout problem and send in your registration forms by 04 September 2019 @ 11:59 pm. Go to link below

Grand Moot Finals, All Welcome!

Mark your calendars for the major annual mooting event at Queen's Law! Chief Justice Strathy of the Court of Appeal for Ontario will preside over the Grand Moot finals on 13 September. The case under appeal is *Frank v Canada*, 2019 SCC 1, which concerns the voting rights of Canadians living abroad. Appearing before the bench are some of our top oralists from the past mooting year: Amita Persad-Ford, Evan Snyder, Jocelyn Rempel and Jacob Blackwell. All students selected to a moot team for the 2019-2020 year should attend, as well as any students interested in oral advocacy or trying out next year. Friday, September 13 @ 3:45 pm in the Moot Court Room (Room 300). Come on time to get a seat. Refreshments to follow.

Visit the Moot Court Program website in the Qlaw Portal for tryout materials, news, and updates!

<https://law.queensu.ca/programs/jd/student-experience/moot-court-program/moot-information-for-students>

Queen's Law Journal, the Canadian Labour and Employment Law Journal, and/or the Canadian Journal of Commercial Arbitration.

Attention all students interested in volunteering with the *Queen's Law Journal*, the *Canadian Labour and Employment Law Journal*, and/or the *Canadian Journal of Commercial Arbitration*. We want to hear from you!

Volunteering for any of these peer-reviewed law journals is an opportunity to sharpen your editorial eye, to improve as a written advocate, to familiarize yourself with currents of thought in the legal profession and Canadian legal academia, and to interact with leading academics and practitioners who write for the journals and serve on their advisory boards. Regardless of whether you hope to end up in private practice, in government, at an NGO, or in academia, your experience as a volunteer – and perhaps as a member of a journal's editorial board in 2L and 3L – is certain to serve you well in practice.

To apply, you submit one application online. The application can be found [here](#) [could you make this the hyperlink: https://queensu.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_bpFSYRDYfpVTCiH]

Applications are due at **11:59 pm on Saturday, September 14**. Offers will go out on **Tuesday, September 17 at 5:00 pm**.

Join the Queen's Law News Team!

We're looking for a JD student to write news stories for posting to the Queen's Law website and publication in the school's digital alumni magazine *Queen's Law Reports Online*. Writing stories is a great way to know your fellow students, and/or faculty and/or alumni!

Applications for the Student News Writer position are due by noon on Tuesday, September 10. [Check out the job posting!](#)

Events

McCarthy Tétrault LLP Panel in Legal Ethics & Professional Responsibility
Wednesday, September 4, 2019 from 10:30am to 12:00pm - Stirling Hall

Justice Susan Chapman (Judge, Ontario Court of Justice)
Justice Graeme Mew (Judge, Ontario Superior Court of Justice)
Frank Walwyn (Partner, WeirFolds LLP)
Paul Steep (Partner, McCarthy Tétrault LLP)
Moderated by Erik Knutsen
A BBQ lunch at the University Club to follow

Academic Orientation for exchange and upper-year transfer
September 6, 2019 - 1:00 – 2:00 pm - Room 400

LSS Clubs Day

Thursday, September 5, 2019 - Learning Commons

*The Learning Commons will be closed for this event

Joint Information Session - PBSC, QLA, QLJ and CLELJ
Monday, September 9, 2019 - 1:00 pm to 2:30 pm - Room 001

Save the Date! - Celebration of Life for Nancy McCormack
Friday, September 13, 2:30–4:00 pm - Student lounge

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>

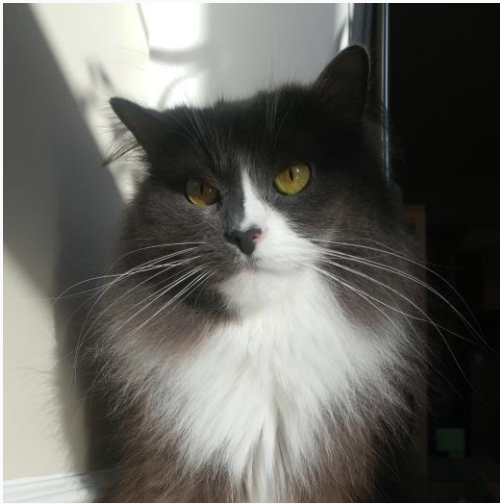
Please note that if you require accommodations for your mid-term examinations, you should register with QSAS no later than **Monday, September 30, 2019**.

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).

SEND IN YOUR PHOTOS TO PETS OF QUEEN'S LAW!



[Vote for Wellington](#)

[Vote for Sophie](#)

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. Victoria Seo (3L) is organizing, and she and Maggie Doherty of Student Services are testing the voting feature above. 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.

SGPS Orientation Events

SGPS Night at the Museums

Wednesday, September 4, 6:00pm-9:00pm

Did you know that Kingston has the most museums, historic sites, and art galleries per capita in Canada? In partnership with the Kingston Association of Museums, we are excited to guide you through two museums on campus: Murney Tower and the Museum of Health Care. We will then have drinks and appetizers at the Grad Club, where a few other museums will have displays and information. This event will be fun and informative, and a great way to learn about different cultural institutions in the Kingston Area and the people who run them!

SGPS Speed Meeting and Trivia at the Alibi

Friday, September 6, 5:00pm-9:00pm

This event will take place on the lovely patio at the Alibi on Princess Street. We are adapting the “speed dating” model to create a (platonic) networking opportunity: instead of seeking romantic relationships, participants will be able to meet a lot of other grad and professional students in a short amount of time and learn about their research/professional interests. We will also be playing trivia and providing some appetizers for the evening.

I’m hoping that you can pass around this information to incoming and continuing students alike, we are really excited to welcome as many people as possible next week! If anyone has questions or comments, please email me at social@sgps.ca.



This [Sustainability Week](#) (September 29 – October 3) communicate what sustainability means to you through your own painted design on a Queen's dumpster! Design submissions are due by September 13th at 4:00 p.m. to sustainqueens@gmail.com and must include a written concept with a minimum of 2 sketches. Four designs will be chosen, and the chosen designs will be announced by September 16th. Artists will be provided acrylic paint, brushes, drop cloths and their own dumpster. The painted dumpsters will be displayed during Sustainability Week, and judged at the end of the week by a team of judges from Sustainable Kingston and Waste Management. Prizes will be rewarded to the winning designs. For more information

please contact sustainqueens@gmail.com or see the Dumpster Art Contest Facebook [event](#).
