

**CANADIAN LAW AND SOCIETY MID-WINTER MEETING AND SYMPOSIUM
JANUARY 20 & 21, 2017
PROGRAM**

FRIDAY JANUARY 20TH (all sessions are in the Mary Louise Lynch Room)

Greetings from CLSA President Lyndsay Campbell

12:30 p.m.

Official Welcome to Wolastoq Territory

12:35 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.

David Perley, Director, Mi'kmaq-Wolastoqey Centre, University of New Brunswick

Imelda Perley, Elder-in-Residence, Mi'kmaq-Wolastoqey Centre, University of New Brunswick

Mayor Mike O'Brien, City of Fredericton

George MacLean, Vice-President Academic, University of New Brunswick (Fredericton)

Session 1: The History of Aboriginal-non-Aboriginal Relations in the Maritimes

1:00 p.m. to 1:45 p.m.

John Reid (History, Saint Mary's University): Reflections on the History of Indigenous – non-Indigenous Relations in the Homelands of the Mi'kmaq, Maliseet, and Passamaquoddy

Introduction by **David Bell** (Faculty of Law, University of New Brunswick)

Session 2: Colonies, Empire and Dispossession

1:45 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Elizabeth Mancke (Canada Research Chair, University of New Brunswick): Imperialist Memes: The Quotidian Embeddedness of Empire in our Scholarship and Teaching

Bill Parenteau (History, University of New Brunswick): The Contours of Dispossession: Understanding State Responses to Native Rights in New Brunswick, 1784-2016"

Erin Morton (History, University of New Brunswick): Why Colten Boushie Didn't Own the Farm: Treaty 6 and the Peasant Policy in Canadian Visual History

Chair: **Michael Boudreau** (Dean of Humanities, Saint Thomas University)

Health Break 3:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Session 3: A Children First Approach to the TRC Calls to Action

3:30 p.m. to 4:45 p.m.

Christian Whalen (Office of the Child and Youth Advocate, New Brunswick)

Candice Pollock (ACCESS Open Minds New Brunswick)

Colin Hitchcock (University of New Brunswick)

Gavin Kotze (Office of the Child and Youth Advocate, New Brunswick)

KEYNOTE SPEAKER

4:45 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Sāsipihkēyih tamowin: Restorying the Indigenous Feminine in an Age of Reconciliation

Margaret Kress, Mi'kmaq-Wolastoqey Centre, University of New Brunswick

Reception to Follow in the Student Lounge



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SATURDAY JANUARY 21st

Concurrent Session I:

9:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

1.a. Aboriginal Peoples, Criminal Justice and Healing (room 14)

Christopher George (Interdisciplinary, University of New Brunswick): Rebuilding the Longhouse: A Deconstruction of Settler Colonialism through Wabanaki Holistic Growth & Resurgence

Emily Snyder (University of Saskatchewan): Teaching Indigenous Feminist Legal Studies: Reflections

Nathan Gorham (Canadian Trial Lawyers Association): Wrongful Remand and the Overrepresentation of Indigenous People in Canadian Jails

Anna Faminio (University of Toronto): Urban Indigenous Visiting Places: Resolving Disputes and Reinvigorating Indigenous Laws

Chair: **Josephine Savarese** (Criminology and Criminal Justice, Saint Thomas University)

1.b. Federalism, the Duty to Consult and Public Policy (room 15)

Mark Mancini (Faculty of Law, University of New Brunswick): The Old Fashioned Way: The Classical Paradigm and Reconciliation

Jean Louis Deveau (Saint Thomas University): An Institutional Ethnography of the Consultation Process between Indigenous Peoples and the New Brunswick Government on the Management of Wabanaki/Crown Forests

David DesBaillets (Université de Québec à Montréal): The Right to Social Housing in First Nations' Communities

Chair: **John McEvoy** (Faculty of Law, University of New Brunswick)

Concurrent Session 2:

11:00 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.

2.a. Urban Aboriginal Knowledge Network (UAKN) (room 14)

Neil Forbes: Urban Aboriginal Identity

Jula Hughes and Wendy Wetteland: Representing Treaty Beneficiaries Off-Reserve

Patsy McKinney and Lisa Jodoin: Navigating Government Services

Chair: **Verlé Harrop**, Director, UAKN

2.b. “Why the Oland Case Matters” (Mary Louise Lynch Room)

Greg Marquis (University of New Brunswick): Author of *Truth and Honour: The Death of Richard Oland and the Trial of Dennis Oland*

Introduction by **Patrick McGuinty** (Faculty of Law, University of New Brunswick)

Lunch: 12:15 p.m. to 1:15 p.m.

Concurrent Session 3:

1:15 p.m. to 2:30 p.m (room 14)

2.a. R. v. Carter (2015): A Panel Discussion

Charles Feldman (Legislative Counsel, House of Commons)

Constance McIntosh (Dalhousie University)

Thomas McMorrow (University of Ontario Institute of Technology)

Chair: **Hilary Young** (Faculty of Law, University of New Brunswick)

2.b. Law, Technology and Disability (room 15)

Neil Harrel (Faculty of Law, University of Ottawa): Emerging Eugenics? The Legal Change in the Regulation of Reproductive Genetic Technologies

Matthew McManus (Socio-Legal Studies, York University): Law, Technology, and Difference

Ravi Malhotra (Faculty of Law, University of Ottawa): The Legal Politics of Oliver C. Cox (1901-1974)

Chair: **Karen Pearlston** (Faculty of Law, University of New Brunswick)

Health Break 2:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

CLSA Board Meeting: 3:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. (McAllister room)

CJLS Board Meeting: 4:00 p.m. (room 222)