

The Department of Law and Legal Studies

Faculty Supervision Areas 2019-2020

This is a rough guide only. Choose a faculty member with a similar area of interest. All supervisions should be with **full-time faculty** listed below. This document is a list of all full-time faculty members in the Department of Law and Legal Studies and their respective areas of expertise for undergraduate and graduate supervisions.

UNDERGRADUATE SUPERVISIONS

All faculty members on this list may supervise Tutorials and the Honours paper in Law. LAWS 4901 and LAWS 4902 are half credit courses (0.5) and the Honours Paper LAWS 4908 is a full credit course (1.0).

GRADUATE SUPERVISIONS

All tenure-track and tenured professors (assistant professors, associate professors, and full professors) may supervise MA Theses and Masters Research Essays (MRE). Assistant professors who are not yet tenured can co-supervise PhD Theses.

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Melanie Adrian (x. 2085)

Associate Professor (*melanie.adrian@carleton.ca*)
Room C465 LA

- Religion (Islams, Judaisms & Christianities)
- Religious Freedom in Canada & Internationally
- Religious Rights
- Theories of Rights
- Human Rights
- Pluralism
- Liberalism
- Multiculturalism (North America & Europe)
- Social Theory

Betina Appel Kuzmarov (x. 8810)

Assistant Professor (*betina.kuzmarov@carleton.ca*)
Room D495 LA

- International Law
- International Legal Theory
- Cultural Property

Ratna Rueban Balasubramanian (x. 8809)

Associate Professor (*rueban.balasubramaniam@carleton.ca*)
Room D583 LA

- Legal Philosophy in general, Issues of Methodology in Legal Philosophy, Moral Conception of the Rule of Law
- Rule of Law, Democracy, Constitutional Design for Deeply Divided States

Bob Barsky (x. 3684)

Canada Research Chair 1 (*robert.barsky@carleton.ca*)
in Law, Narrative and Room D589 LA
Border Crossing

- Law and Literature
- Law and Narrative Theory
- Refugee Law
- Undocumented Migrants
- Comparative US/Canada Refugee Policy
- Refugees in the Mediterranean
- Artistic Representations of Border Crossing
- Radicalism and the Law

Amy Bartholomew (x. 3696)

Associate Professor (*amy.bartholomew@carleton.ca*)
Room D585 LA

- Postfoundational Legal and Social Theory from Habermas to Postmodernism
- Theories of Justice and Sociologies of Injustice
- Theories and Practices of Human Rights
- Implication of Globalization and Multiculturalism for Human Rights, Justice and Constitutionalism
- Feminist Theories of Law

Zeina Bou-Zeid (x. 2591)

Instructor II (*zeina.bou-zeid@carleton.ca*)
Room D598 LA

- Immigration and Refugee Law
- Citizenship and Multiculturalism Theory
- Human Rights
- Constitutional Law
- Employment Law

Doris E. Buss. (x. 8011)
Professor (*doris.buss@carleton.ca*)
Room D486 LA

- Transnational Legal Dimensions of Women's Rights and Violence Against Women
- Gender, Conflict and Post-conflict Statebuilding
- Gender Equality, Advocacy and Measurement in Global Contexts
- Gender and Artisanal Mining, particularly in Conflict-affected Africa
- Int'l Criminal Trials and Transitional Justice in Rwanda and the former Yugoslavia
- Int'l Legal Regulation and Post-colonialism
- Law and Sexuality

Michael Christensen. (x. 3608)
Assistant Professor (*michael.christensen@carleton.ca*)
Room C476 LA

- Law, Democracy and Digital Culture
- Privacy, Data Justice and Social Inequality
- Science and Technology Studies
- Social and Political Theory
- Qualitative Research Methods
- Computational Social Science and Digital Research Methods
- History of Human Rights and Western Humanitarianism
- History of the Social Sciences

((Fall Term Only))

Brettel Dawson. (x. 3670)
Associate Professor (*brettel.dawson@carleton.ca*)
Room D497 LA

- Feminism and Law
- Equality and Human Rights
- Judicial decision-making
- Judicial Education
- Private Law

Jane Dickson. (x. 3686)
Professor (*jane.dickson@carleton.ca*)
Room D592 LA

- Aboriginal People and Criminal Justice
- Sentencing and Gladue
- Community Justice (sentencing circles, healing circles, etc.)
- Restorative Justice Theory and Practice
- Restorative Justice and family violence
- Aboriginal People and Cross-Border Issues
- Specific Claims
- Role of civil litigation I compensation for loss of culture

Stacy Douglas. (x. 8028)
Associate Professor (*stacy.douglas@carleton.ca*)
Room D582 LA

- Constitutional Law and Theory
- Contemporary Legal and Political Theory
- Post-colonial Legal Theory
- Sovereignty and Nationalism
- Feminist and Critical Race Theory
- Theories of Democracy
- Law and Aesthetics

Megan Gaucher. (x. 4207)
Assistant Professor (*megan.gaucher@carleton.ca*)
Room D496 LA

- Immigration and Refugee Law
- Temporary Foreign Workers
- Critical Citizenship Theory
- Family Law and Politics
- Law and Identity
- Gender, Race, Sexuality and Other Axes of Difference in Relation to the Law

((Winter Term Only))

Sheryl Hamilton. (x. 1178 OR 1975)
Associate Professor (*sheryl.hamilton@carleton.ca*)
Room C463 LA / 4316 RB

- Cultural Studies of Law
- Senses and the Law (specifically touch)
- Legal Personhood and Subjectivity
- Intellectual Property
- Law and Emotions
- Regulation of the Body and Biopolitics
- Governance Theory

Philip Kaisary. (x. 4181)
Assistant Professor (*philip.kaisary@carleton.ca*)
Room D485 LA

- Critical legal, social, and political theory, esp. Marxism, world-systems theory (Wallerstein), colonialism, anti-colonialism, postcolonialism, imperialism, modernization, capitalist modernity
- Law, rights discourses, constitutionalism, and revolution (esp. in relation to Haiti and Cuba but also more broadly)
- Legal history of race and slavery
- Law and humanities (esp. materialist approaches, and esp. literature and film of the Americas, the Black Atlantic, and the postcolonial world)
- Law and sociology of culture
- Neoliberalism, fascism
- Law, race, and class

Vincent Kazmierski..... (x. 8297)

Associate Professor (*vincent.kazmierski@carleton.ca*)
Room D486 LA

- Law and Democracy
- Disability, Law and Society
- Unwritten constitutional principles and constitutional interpretation
- Theories of Judicial Review
- Law and Legal Studies Pedagogy

Ummni Khan..... (x. 1547)

Associate Professor (*ummni.khan@carleton.ca*)
Room C572 LA

- Sex, Race, Gender, Disability and other axes of difference in Relation to the Law
- Law In Popular Culture and the Media
- Law and Literature
- Critical Legal Theories
- Deviance and the Law
- Surveillance Studies
- Feminist Legal Theory

Diana Majury..... (x. 8863)

Professor (*diana.majury@carleton.ca*)
Room D593 LA

- Criminal Law
- Feminist Legal Theory
- Human Rights
- Lesbian Issues
- Sex Equality Theory
- Violence Against Women
- Women's Health
- Law and Literature
- Family Law
- Academic/Community Partnerships

Sebastien Malette..... (x. 3681)

Assistant Professor (*sebastien.malette@carleton.ca*)
Room D591 LA

- Law and Indigeneity
- Governmentality Studies
- Contemporary Legal and Political Theory
- Decolonization
- Environmental Laws and Indigenous Worldviews
- Indigenous Legal Traditions Metis Studies

((Winter Term Only))

Maeve McMahon..... (x. 8095)

Associate Professor (*maeve.mcmahon@carleton.ca*)
Room D586 LA

- Contemporary Critical Criminology
- Extradition Law in Canada
- Criminal Justice Reform
- Imprisonment and Alternatives/Penology
- Policing-Regulation of Policing
- Sociology of Deviance and Control

Dawn Moore..... (x. 3823)

Associate Professor (*dawn.moore@carleton.ca*)
Room C573 LA

- Socio-Legal Theory
- Domestic Violence
- Laws of Evidence
- Visual Evidence
- Law and Subjectivity
- Prisoner's Rights
- Imprisonment
- Drug Policy
- Morality, Regulation, Risk
- Women and the Law
- Feminist Legal Theory
- Gender Issues
- Science and the Law
- State Mandated Therapy

M.H. Ogilvie..... (x. 3672)

Chancellor's Professor (*None*)
Room D596 LA

- Banking Law
- Contract Law
- Corporate/Commercial A.D.R.
- Legal History
- Law and Religion

Zoran Oklopčić..... (x. 1282)

Associate Professor (*zoran.oklopacic@carleton.ca*)
Room D587 LA

- Constitutional Theory (popular sovereignty, constituent power of the people)
- International Law (self-determination of peoples)
- Normative Theories of Secession
- Theories of Multinationalism Federalism
- Political Theories of Carl Schmitt and Hannah Arendt
- Democratic Theory

Umut Özsu. (x. 3682)

Associate Professor (umut.ozsu@carleton.ca)
Room D498 LA

- Public international law
- History and theory of international law
- International human rights law
- Law and development
- International refugee law
- Critical legal theory
- Issues of decolonization, humanitarian intervention, and state-building

Trevor Purvis. (x. 3673)

Assistant Professor (trevor.purvis@carleton.ca)
Room D599 LA

- International Law and Globalization
- International Human Rights, International Relations and Security
- Race, Ethnicity and the Law
- Multiculturalism and Minority Rights
- Sociology of Law
- Social and Political thoughts: incl. State Theory, Theories of Sovereignty, Citizenship, and Nationalism
- Theories of Regulation and Governance
- Theories of Ideology and Discourse

Sean Richmond. (x. 2082)

Instructor I (sean.richmond@carleton.ca)
Room D483 LA

- Public International Law
- International Relations
- Use of Military Force
- International Criminal Law
- Crime of Aggression
- International Organizations
- International Law of Armed Conflict
- Canadian, British and Australian Foreign Policy
- Afghanistan Conflict
- Korean War
- Treatment of Prisoners
- Humanitarian Intervention

George S. Rigakos. (x. 3683)

Professor (george.rigakos@carleton.ca)
Room C575 LA

- Political Theory
- Police Science; Public, Private and Quasi-public Policing
- Security and Anti-security
- Marxian Political Economy
- Cooperative Production; Mutualist; Anarchy-Syndicalism
- Critical Criminology

((Fall Only))

Neil Sargent. (x. 8853)

Associate Professor (neil.sargent@carleton.ca)
Room D594 LA

- Corporate Criminal Liability
- Private Law Relations
- Mediation and Conflict Resolution
- Law and Literature
- Detective Fiction and Forms of Trial
- Time and Myth in Fiction and in Law

Peter Swan. (x. 8212)

Associate Professor (peter.swan@carleton.ca)
Room D590 LA

- Critical Theory and Law
- Environmental Law and Politics
- Constitutionalism and Political Theory
- Law and Social Movements
- Globalization and Human Rights
- Biotechnology and Human Rights
- Political subjectivities

Christiane Wilke. (x. 4168)

Associate Professor (christiane.wilke@carleton.ca)
Room D499 LA

- Critical legal theory; postcolonial, feminist, critical race and queer theories of law & society
- Human Rights
- International Law
- State violence, war & law
- Law and memory
- Historical and theoretical approaches to International Law
- Transnational Justice (especially Argentina, South Africa and Germany)

J. Barry Wright. (x. 8201)

Professor (barry.wright@carleton.ca)
Room D199 LA

- Criminal Law
- Legal History (especially administration of criminal law in colonial/imperial contexts)
- 19th century criminal law reform in the British Empire
- Jurisprudence and Legal Theory (especially Bentham)
- Law and Politics (especially civil liberties and national security measures)

Diana Young..... (x. 1981)

Associate Professor (*diana.young@carleton.ca*)
Room C574 LA

- Criminal Law Criminal Justice
- Criminology and the Sociology of Crime Control and Regulation
- Theories of Agency and Criminal Responsibility
- Sociological Theory and Popular Culture
- Intersections of Social Theory and Legal Theory
- Feminist Theory and Gender Issues
- The Interaction of Law and Discretionary Power in the Criminal Justice System
- Theories of Judgment

Annia Zbyszewska..... (x. 2621)

Assistant Professor (*ania.zbyszewska@carleton.ca*)
Room C475 LA

- Employment and Labour Law and Policy
- Labour Market Regulation
- Gender and Work
- Political Economy of Work and Labour Markets
- Time and Temporalities
- Feminist theories of Law
- Feminist Political Economy
- Care and Social Reproduction
- Labour/Environmental Sustainability Nexus
- Feminist Political Ecology and Ecofeminism
- Law and Politics
- EU Law and Governance
- Post-Socialist Transitions
- Neoliberalism

Faculty not available for supervising 2019-2020

Alberto Salazar..... (x. 3269)

Associate Professor (*alberto.salazar@carleton.ca*)
Room C470 LA

- Consumer Protection Law (with a particular interest in food choices and public health)
- Intersections of International Investment Law and Local Consumer Protection Policies
- Competition Law and Policy
- Corporate Law and Governance
- Comparative Corporate Governance
- Corporate Social Responsibility in Rich and Poor Countries
- Socio-economics of Business Law

Dale Spencer..... (x. 8096)

Associate Professor (*dale.spencer@carleton.ca*)
Room D597 LA

- Contemporary Social and Political Theory
- Criminalization of Marginalized Populations, with a focus on youth and homeless people
- Violence
- Victimization
- Embodiment
- Men and Masculinities
- Qualitative Methods
- Criminal Law
- Policing; Biopolitics