

Curriculum Vitae

NAME: Ummni Khan

EDUCATION

2008 S.J.D. Faculty of Law, University of Toronto
2004 Called to the Bar of Ontario, Law Society of Upper Canada
2004 LL.M. Faculty of Law, University of Michigan
2001 LL.B. Osgoode Hall Law School, York University
1998 M.A. English, York University
1994 B.A. English and Creative Writing, Concordia University

EMPLOYMENT

2008-present
Assistant Professor, Department of Law and Legal Studies, crossed with the Institute of Criminology and Criminal Justice, Carleton University

2008 Visiting Researcher, Faculty of Law, Harvard University (Fall term)

2005-2008 Junior Instructor “Can There be Universal Human Rights?” University of Toronto Faculty of Law

2005 Teaching Assistant “Introduction to Women Studies” University of Toronto, Women and Gender Studies Institute

2002-2003 Visiting Professor of Law, Southwest University of Law and Political Science, Chongqing, China

2001-2002 Articling Student, Ontario Human Rights Commission

PUBLICATIONS

1. Refereed Scholarly Publications

2012 “Policing the *Border* Between Self and Other: How Canadian Television Differentiates American and Canadian Styles of Justice” in ed. Jessica Silbey and Peter Robson, *Law and Justice on the Small Screen* **Forthcoming** (Hart, 2012)

- 2011 “Prostituted Girls and the Grownup Gaze”, *Global Studies of Childhood* Vol 1: 4 pages 302-312
- 2011 “Running in(to) the Family: 8 Short Stories About Sex Workers, Clients, Husbands, And Wives” in *Journal Of Gender, Social Policy & The Law* [Vol. 19:2]
- 2010 “Hit Me With Your Best Shot: The “Violent” Controversy Surrounding SM Porn” in ed., Dave Monroe, *Porn and Philosophy* (Wiley-Blackwell, 2010).
- 2009 “Having your Porn and Condemning it Too: A Case Study of a ‘Kiddie Porn’ Expose”. *Law, Culture and the Humanities*, Volume 5(3)
- 2009 “Putting a Dominatrix in Her Place”. *The Canadian Journal of Women and the Law*, Volume 21:1.
- 2009 “A Woman’s Right to be Spanked: Testing the Limits of Tolerance of S/M in the Socio-Legal Imaginary”. *The Journal of Sexuality and the Law*, Volume 18. **REPRINTED** in Ruthann Robson ed., *Sexual Freedom: Essays on Sexuality and Law* (Ashgate, 2011)
- 2007 “Perpetuating the Cycle of Abuse: Feminist (Mis)Use of the Public/Private Dichotomy in the case of *Nixon v. Rape Relief*”. *Windsor Review of Law and Social Issues*, Volume 23. **REPRINTED** in The Carleton Department of Law Casebook Group, *Introduction to Legal Studies*, 4th Edition (Captus, Concord 2010)

2. Other (Non-refereed) Scholarly Publications

- 2012 “Riding the Magic Carpet with *Twilight*” in ed. Sharon Kaye, *What Philosophy Can Tell You about Your Lover* **Forthcoming** (Open Court Press, 2012).
1. “The Clothes Unmake the Man”. *H-bomb, Harvard College Journal of Sex and Sexuality*, Volume 4, Spring.

PROFESSIONAL HONOURS

- 2011 SHHRC 1 year Standard Research Grant (\$16,052.)
- 2011 Research featured in the Carleton publication, *Research Works* (<http://researchworks.carleton.ca/issue/summer-2011/#toc>)
- 2010 PECANS Visiting Fellow at Keele University, Keele Law School – Gender, Sexuality and the Law Research Group
- 2008 Law, Culture and Humanities Junior Scholar Workshop

- (Stipend to workshop article at U.C.L.A.)
- 2007 Tory's writing award, Windsor Review of Legal and Social Issues (For best graduate student's submission) (\$500)
- 2004 Sex Equality Award (taught by Catharine MacKinnon)
(For highest mark in Sex Equality, University of Michigan)
- 2003 LatCrit Student Scholar Award, Boalt Hall and University of Miami Law School (\$7,000)
- 2001 Annie Macdonald Langstaff Prize (taught by Kate Sutherland)
(For highest mark in Feminist Legal Theory, Osgoode Hall Law School)
- 2000 Millennium Scholarship, Government of Canada (\$3,000)

OTHER SCHOLARLY OR PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY

Editorial Responsibilities

- 2009-2011 Book Review Editor, Canadian Journal of Law and Society
- 2011 Guest editor with Dr. Sue Saltmarsh on a special issue of the peer-reviewed journal *Global Studies of Childhood* on the theme of 'Childhood in Literature, Media & Popular Culture' due to come out in 2012.

Papers presented

- 2011 Invited Speaker, "The Socio-Legal Construction of Sex Trade Clients" for the University of Toronto Law School Panel, *Ending the Demand of Sexual Services*,
- 2011 "Tricky Business: Feminist Implications for Tackling the Demand Side of Sex work" for the National Women's Studies Association annual conference,
- 2010 "Stories of Sex workers, Johns and Wives" presented at the National Women's Studies Association's annual conference, Denver Colorado
- 2010 "Lovelorn and Sexually Enslaved: The Representation of Prostituted Girls in "Fact" and "Fiction"" presented at the Congress of the Humanities and Social Sciences, Canadian Law and Society Association, Concordia University
- 2010 "The Pauchay Case: Aboriginal Identity, Addiction Theories and Adjudicative Consequences" co-presented at the Congress of the Humanities and Social Sciences, Critical Criminology Stream, Concordia University with Dr. Seema Khan.

- 2010 “Teaching to Transgress” co-presented with Suzanne Bouclin at the Graduate Workshop for the Congress of the Humanities and Social Sciences, Canadian Law and Society Association, Concordia University
- 2010 “Cinematic Representations of Sex Workers: From Cinderella Narratives to Sinful Temptations” presented at the Canadian Initiative in Law, Culture & the Humanities conference on Gender Codes
- 2010 “Running In(to) the Family: 6 Short Stories about Sex Workers, Johns and Wives” presented at the Carleton Feminist Workshop (April) and at “(Re)Presenting Sexual Subjectivity” the Centre for Law, Ethics and Society at Keele University, England (May).
- 2010 Sex Wars: The Next Generation: Debating “Johns” and “Jailbait” in Dominant Feminist, Cultural, and Socio-Legal Discourses co-presented with Lara Karaian for the Research Centre for Law, Gender and Sexuality annual conference entitled: *Transgressing Power(s)* held at the University of Westminster, London England (April).
- 2010 “Thinking Outside the Paper Box. Creative Projects at the Graduate Level”, Ummni Khan, for the Roundtable on Issues in Socio-legal Research and Teaching. Canadian Association of Law and Society Mid Winter Conference, February 2010
- 2009 “Not a Lust Story: Judicial Imaginaries of Sexual Citizenship” presented at the Canadian Society of Criminology Annual Conference, University of Ottawa (October 2009)
- 2009 “Monster Revisited: ‘Serial Killer’ as Feminist Anti-Hero” presented at the Law, Culture and Humanities conference, Suffolk University, Boston
- 2009 Invited speaker, “Sex Work as a Constitutive Outside to the Family” presented at the Comparative Family Law Workshop, The American University Washington College of Law and Harvard Law School, Washington D.C.
- 2008 Invited speaker, “Sex Workers in the Spotlight: The Portrayal of Sex Work in Popular Film” Harvard College Women’s Centre
- 2008 Invited Speaker, “The Intersection of Law and Psychiatry in the Regulation of SM Desire” for the Mental Health Service Grand Round in the Department of Psychiatry, University of Toronto
- 2007 Invited speaker for “The Legal Rights of Transgendered Persons” panel at the University of Toronto

Other Professional Activities

External referee work

- 2011 External referee for The Griffith Law Review (review of article submission)
- 2011 External referee for Osgoode Hall Law Review (review of article submission)

- 2011 External reviewer of abstract submissions for the International Association for the Study of Sexuality, Culture and Society conference, *Naming and framing: The making of Sexual (In)Equality*, June, 2011 in Madrid, Spain
- 2011 External referee for Red Quill Press (review of prospectus and two sample chapters)
- 2011 External referee for the Canadian Journal of Law and Society (review of article submission)
- 2010 External referee for the Osgoode Hall Law Review (review of article submission)
- 2009 External referee for the University of British Columbia Press, Law and Society Division (review of monograph submitted for publication)
- 2009 External referee for *Global Media Journal – Canadian Edition* (review of article submitted for publication in the special issue on: *Veiling Differences: Mediating Race, Gender, and Nation*).
- 2009 External reviewer for University of Toronto Press, Higher Education Division (review of a detailed proposal of a monograph submitted for publication)
- 2008 External referee for *Canadian Journal of Law and Society* (review of article submitted for publication)

Memberships

Member of the Canadian Association of Law and Society
 Member of the National Association of Women Studies
 Member of the Feminist History Society

Scholarly Work in Progress

- 2011 *Vicarious Kinks: Sadomasochism in the Socio-Legal Imaginary* (monograph) under review by University of Toronto Press, Law division.
- 2011 “The Surveillance and Social Control of Sex Trade Clients” submitted for blind peer review for eds. Shoshana Magnet and Rachel Dubrofsky, *Feminist Surveillance Studies*, Duke University Press.
- 2011 “Dead Sexy or Better Off Dead: Delicious Perversity and Pervasive Ableism in *Twilight*” (in progress)