

<b>Academic Unit:</b>	Law and Legal Studies
<b>Category of Appointment:</b>	Preliminary (Tenure-Track)
<b>Field of Specialization:</b>	Law, Science, and Technologies
<b>Rank/Position Title:</b>	Assistant Professor
<b>Start Date:</b>	July 1, 2018
<b>Closing Date:</b>	Consideration of complete applications will begin on January 2, 2018 and continue until the position is filled

#### **About the Position:**

The Department of Law and Legal Studies invites applications from qualified candidates for a preliminary (tenure track) appointment at the rank of Assistant Professor beginning July 1, 2018.

The Department of Law and Legal Studies invites applications from qualified candidates with a demonstrated interest and interdisciplinary research agenda in the area of interactions between law, science, and technologies. The successful candidate will be expected to conduct theoretically informed research, teach, and supervise graduate students in one or more of the following areas: regulation, surveillance, and criminalization of social media and other electronic communication; effects of new technologies on legal practice and doctrine; new technologies, bodies and (dis)ability in law; impact of technologies on the construction and regulation of domestic relationships; privacy and security; electronic commercial transactions; or other areas in critical science, technology and regulation studies.

#### **About the Academic Unit:**

The Department of Law and Legal Studies ([www.carleton.ca/law](http://www.carleton.ca/law)) is the home of the oldest and largest undergraduate and graduate programs in Legal Studies in Canada. The Department emerged in 1967 as the first unit in Canada to study law with multidisciplinary academic concerns in mind. The Department offers a B.A. and B.A. (Honours) in Law as well as a specialization in the Bachelor of Global and International Studies to over 1,300 students within the Faculty of Public Affairs, and includes concentrations in Human Rights and Transnational Law, Business Law, and Law, Policy and Government among its undergraduate programs. The Department also offers an M.A. and a Ph.D. in Legal Studies, as well as a Graduate Diploma in Conflict Resolution.

The Department of Law and Legal Studies is committed to interdisciplinary legal inquiry and is composed of scholars engaged in interdisciplinary teaching and research from a range of disciplines including criminology, history, law, legal anthropology, political economy, political theory, mass communications and sociology.

#### **Qualifications:**

Candidates should hold a doctoral degree, or the equivalent, in legal studies, law or a related discipline and demonstrate a capacity for theoretically-informed, interdisciplinary scholarship and teaching. The successful candidate will have the ability to develop an externally-funded, high quality research program; will be committed to effective teaching at the undergraduate and graduate level; and will contribute effectively to the academic life of the Department, the Faculty and the University.

#### **Application Instructions:**

Applicants should send electronically the following in four (4) separate files: a cover letter of application; a curriculum vitae; a teaching portfolio, including evidence of teaching performance and sample course outline; and a statement of research interests. Applicants should also arrange to have three referees

forward supporting letters electronically. Submissions must be made electronically to: R.P. Saunders, Chair, c/o Ryan MacKay, Department of Law and Legal Studies, Carleton University, at [ryan.mackay@carleton.ca](mailto:ryan.mackay@carleton.ca)

Please indicate in your application if you are a Canadian citizen or permanent resident of Canada.

**About Carleton University:**

Carleton University is a dynamic and innovative research and teaching institution with a nationally and internationally reputation as a leader in collaborative teaching and learning, research and governance. With over 28,000 students, 850 academic faculty, and 2,000 staff and more than 100 programs of study, we encourage creative risk-taking enabling minds to connect, discover and generate transformative knowledge. Located in Ottawa, Ontario, Canada's capital city has a population of almost one million and reflects the country's bilingual and multicultural character. Carleton's location in the nation's capital provides many opportunities for scholarship and research with groups and institutions that reflect the diversity of the country. To learn more about our University and the City of Ottawa, please visit [www.carleton.ca/provost](http://www.carleton.ca/provost).

Carleton University is strongly committed to fostering diversity within its community as a source of excellence, cultural enrichment, and social strength. We welcome those who would contribute to the further diversification of our University including, but not limited to: women; visible minorities; First Nations, Inuit and Métis peoples; persons with disabilities; and persons of any sexual orientation or gender identity and expressions.

Applicants selected for an interview are asked to contact the Chair of the Search Committee as soon as possible to discuss any accommodation requirements. Arrangements will be made in a timely manner.

*All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however, Canadians and permanent residents will be given priority. All positions are subject to budgetary approval.*