Welcome Students, Directors & Guests

Clinical Education & Intensive Programs

2019 Information Session
AGENDA

- 12:30PM Program Introduction
- 12:45PM Application Process
- 12:55PM Closing
- 1:00PM FAIR in Room 1014 (ADR)
Clinical Education & Intensive Programs 2019/20

- Aboriginal Lands, Resources & Governments
- Advanced Business Law Workshop I *(Corporate Finance)*
- Advanced Business Law Workshop II *(Mergers & Acquisitions)*
- Anti-Discrimination Intensive Program
- CLASP
- Criminal Law
- Disability Law
- Environmental Justice & Sustainability Clinic
- Feminist Advocacy: Ending Violence Against Women Clinic
- Innocence Project
- Intellectual Property & Technology Law
- International & Transnational Law Intensive Program
- Investor Protection Clinic
- Mediation Clinic
- Osgoode Business Clinic
- Poverty Law at Parkdale Community Legal Services
INTENSIVE PROGRAM IN ABORIGINAL LANDS, RESOURCES AND GOVERNMENTS

DIRECTORS:
- Professors Andrée Boisselle & Amar Bhatia

PROGRAM INFORMATION:
- IPALRG tackles a crucial legal challenge: How to build non-oppressive relations with Indigenous peoples & on Indigenous lands
ADVANCED BUSINESS LAW I: CORPORATE FINANCE

- DIRECTORS:
  - Adjunct Professor Carol Pennycook

- PROGRAM INFORMATION:
  - ABLWI-Learn how issuers raise capital and roles that lawyers & students play in negotiating and executing deals
ADVANCED BUSINESS LAW II: MERGERS & ACQUISITIONS

- **DIRECTOR:**
  - Adjunct Professor Patricia Olasker

- **PROGRAM INFORMATION:**
  - ABLW II - The ins and outs of public M&A with seasoned Bay Street practitioners
ANTI-DISCRIMINATION INTENSIVE PROGRAM

• DIRECTORS:
  • Professor Bruce Ryder & Janina Fogels

• PROGRAM INFORMATION:
  • ADIP offers full-time, full-term placement at the Human Rights Legal Support Centre. Help real people litigate antidiscrimination. Learn from top notch lawyers.
COMMUNITY & LEGAL AID SERVICES PROGRAM (CLASP)

DIRECTOR:
- Adjunct Professor Suzanne Johnson

PROGRAM INFORMATION:
- CLASP: substantive and hands-on legal experience with clients to drive community development and engagement with social work support
CRIMINAL LAW INTENSIVE

- DIRECTORS:
  - Adjunct Professor Jonathan Rosenthal & Justice Enzo Rondinelli

- PROGRAM INFORMATION:
  - Drugs and murder…and that's just the boring stuff you'll deal with in the Criminal Intensive Program
DISABILITY LAW INTENSIVE

- **DIRECTOR:**
  - Professor Roxanne Mykitiuk

- **PROGRAM INFORMATION:**
  - Join the DLI at @ARCHdisability to build BOTH your client services and law reform skills and work to challenge the exclusions of persons with (dis)abilities
ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE & SUSTAINABILITY CLINIC

• DIRECTORS:
  • Professors Dayna Scott, Estair Van Wagner & Adjunct Professor David Estrin

• PROGRAM INFORMATION:
  • Oz JD students: Join us to fight environmental injustice & promote sustainability through experiential education [https://t.co/Xe1szOPL7F](https://t.co/Xe1szOPL7F)
FEMINIST ADVOCACY: ENDING VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN CLINICAL PROGRAM

▪ DIRECTORS:
  ▪ Professor Janet Mosher & Adjunct Professor Deepa Mattoo

▪ PROGRAM INFORMATION:
  ▪ Help women build lives free from violence, change the conditions that threaten women’s safety & equality. Feminist Advocacy at the Schlifer Clinic.
THE INNOCENCE PROJECT

- DIRECTOR:
  - Adjunct Professor Bhavandeep K Sodhi

- PROGRAM INFORMATION:
  - Bruce Cockburn-"kick at the darkness ‘til it bleeds daylight"=the thrill & frustration of trying to exonerate the wrongly convicted
INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY LAW AND TECHNOLOGY INTENSIVE PROGRAM

- **DIRECTOR:**
  - Professor Giuseppina D’Agostino

- **PROGRAM INFORMATION:**
  - IP is everywhere, be empowered by it! IP Intensive = 15 credits+10 wk FT placement. See placements & blogs on student experiences iposgoode.ca
INTERNATIONAL & TRANSNATIONAL LAW INTENSIVE PROGRAM

- **DIRECTORS:**
  - Professor Craig Scott & Adjunct Professor Geraldine Sadoway

- **PROGRAM INFORMATION:**
  - ITLIP students placed w/Intern’l Org or Cdn firms, NGOs, agencies for 3 months winter term; online weekly video seminar + paper; PIL prereq
INVESTOR PROTECTION CLINIC PROGRAM

DIRECTOR:

- Professor Poonam Puri & Adjunct Professor Brigitte Catellier

PROGRAM INFORMATION:

- Retirement savings lost? Broker betraying interests? Join the Investor Protection Clinic & help protect the little guy!
OSGOODE MEDIATION CLINICAL PROGRAM

- **DIRECTOR:**
  - Professor Martha Simmons

- **PROGRAM INFORMATION:**
  - Learn teach & experience mediation. Mediate in schools, community and small claims court. Join the mediation clinical program
OSGOODE BUSINESS CLINIC

- **DIRECTOR:**
  - Adjunct Professor Olha Senyshyn

- **PROGRAM INFORMATION:**
  - 22 upper year & 22 first year students+Stikeman Elliott lawyers+small business clients/2 semesters=business law experience+OPIR hours
INTENSIVE PROGRAM IN POVERTY LAW AT PARKDALE COMMUNITY LEGAL SERVICES

- **DIRECTOR:**
  - Professor Adrian Smith

- **PROGRAM INFORMATION:**
  - Join @ParkdaleLegal for introduction to community lawyering -- and help put an end to poverty!
APPLICATION PROCESS
STEP 1
Log into MyOsgoode & Select the **Clinics & Intensives** Button
Clinical and Intensive Programs

Osgoode has a rich history in clinical legal education. Our current offerings are the most extensive in Canada and among the most innovative in the world. Clinical legal education is centred upon a pedagogical approach in which students take on responsibility for real client matters, guided and supervised by lawyers who are skilled in their fields. Central to this approach are opportunities to connect practice experiences to theory through the process of reflection. Along with their clinical instructors and program directors, students explore issues of professional identity and values, skill development, contextualized problem-solving, and the systemic impacts of law.

Osgoode has continued to build on the success of its early programs, and now offers students 18 clinical and intensive programs to choose from. The programs vary in their credit value, structure, subject matter, and learning objectives, providing students with a range of options to choose from that best meet their learning goals.

Credit Value

Credit values range from 3 to 15 (the 15 credit programs are referred to as “intensives,” and are equivalent in credit value to a full semester at Osgoode).
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Application Process

Applications are due on Friday, January 25, 2019 at 4:00pm. Programs place considerable weight on the written applications, so we encourage you to set aside time to work on your applications. There is currently no maximum number of programs to which you can apply, but we recommend that you identify those that you are most interested in and limit your applications to a maximum of four (4). Some programs interview students, and you will hear from them if you are to be interviewed. Offers go out on Tuesday, February 19, 2019 and acceptances are due by noon on February 22, 2019. While you will have until noon on February 22 to accept an offer, we would encourage you to accept or decline your offer as quickly as possible so that in the event you will be declining, an offer can be made to a student on the waitlist.

Step 1 – Review Osgoode’s Clinics and Intensives
Start by reading the description of each of Osgoode’s Clinical and Intensive Programs.

Step 2 – Attend the Clinical Fair and Information Session – Fall 2018 & Winter 2019
It is critical for any interested student to attend the Clinical Education Fair and Information Session. These events provide a complete overview of all the clinical and intensive programs as well as the application and selection process. It will also provide you with an opportunity to meet the Program Directors and ask any questions you may have.
**Important Dates**

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<td>Clinical and Intensive Information Session</td>
<td>January 16, 2019 at 12:30-2:00 PM</td>
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**Step 3 – Complete an Application**

As part of your application, you will need to provide:

- a resume/CV
- an unofficial copy of your law school transcript (a screenshot or printout is fine) or grade report and, if you wish, an undergraduate transcript or grade report
- some programs require a cover letter, a writing sample and/or reference letters. Please review the program and eligibility requirement for each program.

**PLEASE NOTE:** Applications can be opened, edited and saved until the deadline.

**The deadline for applications is Friday, January 25, 2019 at 4:00 pm.**

For questions about the application process please contact Jody-Ann Rowe, Experiential Education Coordinator, jrowe@osgoode.yorku.ca.

[APPLY NOW]
STEP 2
Complete the Personal Information Section

Welcome Jody Ann Rowe,
Please complete the information requested below. Once you have completed this form, click the button at bottom to save your information and continue to the list of Clinical and Intensive program applications.

Please note: You can back and view or edit the information you have submitted in this system at any time up to the Friday, January 25, 2019: 4:00 PM deadline. The deadline for all Clinical and Intensive Program applications is Friday, January 25, 2019: 4:00 PM.

Applicant Information

* Denotes required information

*Last Name: Rowe
*First Name: Jody Ann
*Current Year of Study: 2

*Phone Number: 4167365973
*Email: rowe@osgoode.yorku.ca
### STEP 3

**Review & Complete the Program Specific Application**

![Image of Osgoode Hall Law School application form](image-url)

#### Clinical Education and Intensive Programs: Select Application Form

Welcome Jody-Ann Rowe,

Click the links below to apply to Programs:

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### Aboriginal Lands, Resources and Governments

**Applicant: Jody-Ann Rowe**

This is a program recommended for 15-20 third-year students. In exceptional circumstances, second year students will be considered. Substantially equal numbers of Indigenous and non-Indigenous students will be chosen.

At least one Aboriginal law course is a pre-requisite. For those wanting an environmental placement, at least one environmental law or planning course is an additional pre-requisite. Depending on the sort of placement situation the student is interested in pursuing, other law school courses would be highly recommended. For example, a student interested in working on law claims issues should consider taking courses in advanced constitutional law, natural resource law and environmental law course.

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**Intensive Program in Aboriginal Lands, Resources And Governments**

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<td>LOCATION</td>
<td>Placements in Canada and abroad</td>
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<td>SEMINAR</td>
<td>Bookended around placements</td>
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<td>REQUIRED COURSES</td>
<td>Indigenous Peoples and Canadian Laws, or another foundational course; a course on environmental law is required for students placed in environmental organizations</td>
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<td>RECOMMENDED</td>
<td>Dependent on the nature of the placement (i.e., constitutional law, criminal law)</td>
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<td>QPR</td>
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<td>EVALUATION</td>
<td>Two graded research papers (3 credits each), credit/no credit clinical work (P credits), written evaluation attached to transcript</td>
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**The Program**

Osgoode's Intensive Program in Aboriginal Lands, Resources and Governments explores the legal issues relating to Indigenous peoples and Indigenous rights. Founded in the aftermath of the "Oka crisis" (Kanesatake), the Program combines a rigorous academic experience with challenging placements in Indigenous, Aboriginal or environmental law. This course will be of particular interest to students interested in Aboriginal and Indigenous law, environmental law, constitutional law, and public policy.
NOTE

Revisit the application to make changes
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STEP 4

- Complete your application by the deadline:
  - Friday, January 25, 2019 (by 4:00pm)
IMPORTANT DATES

- January 25 - February 13, 2019
  - Applicant Selection & Interviews
- February 19, 2019 (by 4:00pm)
  - Offers Emailed
- February 22, 2019 (by 12:00pm)
  - Deadline to Accept or Decline Offer
- February 25, 2019 (by 4:00pm)
  - Waitlisted offers begin
STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES

Osgoode Hall Law School has an ongoing commitment to social justice and to the recognition of the dignity and worth of every person. It seeks to provide accessible education, responsive to the unique strengths and needs of each individual student and attentive to the removal of barriers to full inclusion for persons with disabilities.

Please be in touch with the relevant Program Director, or with Nancy Sperling in the Student Services Office, if you anticipate the need for accommodations in the selection process. After being selected into a program, our goal is to facilitate a collaborative process to pre-plan accommodation needs and strategies with attention to the unique context of your specific placement. See the Accommodation Information Sheet for more details.
FAQS

HOW MANY PROGRAMS CAN I APPLY TO?

You may apply for as many programs as you wish, however a maximum of 4 is recommended.
FAQS

HOW MANY PROGRAMS CAN I PARTICIPATE IN?

You may only participate in (1) 15-credit program, however you are permitted to take another program that has fewer than 15 credits.
WILL I BE REQUIRED TO SUBMIT A RESUME?

Yes. A Resume/CV is required for all programs.
FAQS

WILL I NEED A COPY OF MY TRANSCRIPT?

Yes. You will be asked to upload an unofficial copy of your law school transcript & if you wish an unofficial copy of your undergraduate transcript.
FAQS

CAN I WITHDRAW AFTER ACCEPTING AN OFFER?

Only with the consent of the Assistant Dean, Students or the Associate Dean (Students) based on reasons which are deemed to have substantial merit. Withdrawal after the start of a program will be permitted by the Associate Dean (Students) only for the most compelling of circumstances.
Students in the first-year program at Osgoode Hall Law School who have applied - or are applying - to join a joint-degree program (JD/MBA; JD/MA (Philosophy); JD/MES) program, are ineligible to accept an offer from any Osgoode clinical or intensive program for the following year until they confirm that they have withdrawn their application to the joint program. The Assistant Dean, Students or Associate Dean (Students) may grant an exemption to this policy, with the consent of the Academic Director(s) of the Osgoode Clinical or Intensive program(s) concerned and only if the application for an exemption is received prior to the student accepting the offer with the clinical or intensive program. No applications for exemption will be entertained once the student has accepted the position.
INTENSIVE PROGRAMS AND LAW JOURNAL FOR CREDIT

With the permission of the director of the clinical program and the editor-in-chief of the law journal, students are permitted to be simultaneously enrolled in an Intensive Program (15 credits), and law journal for credit.