TEACHING WELLBEING IN THE LAW
June 1, 2021, 1:00-4:00pm
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Conference Co-Chairs: Lynda M. Collins & Brandon D. Stewart
Sponsored by the Greenberg Chair, University of Ottawa, Faculty of Law

CONFERENCE PROGRAM

Welcome and Introduction
Lynda M. Collins, Full Professor, University of Ottawa, Faculty of Law
1:00pm to 1:10pm

PANEL 1: TEACHING WELLBEING IN PRACTICE
1:10pm to 1:25pm

"Don't strain, don't stop": Reflections on 10+ Years of Teaching Wellbeing in Law through Mindfulness
Rhonda Magee, Professor, University of San Francisco, Faculty of Law

Welcome to My Mindfulness Classroom: Teaching Mindfulness to Law Students
Thomas Telfer, Full Professor, Western University, Faculty of Law
1:25pm to 1:40pm

Law and Happiness 101: My Seminar with Law Students
Marilyn Poitras, Director, Indigenous Law Center, University of Saskatchewan
1:40pm to 1:55pm

Mindful Teaching and Learning: Equity, Diversity and Inclusion in Practice
Karen Ragoonaden
Professor, Faculty of Education, University of British Columbia, Okanagan Campus
Dean (incoming), Faculty of Education, University of Manitoba
1:15pm to 2:10pm

Open Forum or Break
2:10pm to 2:30pm

PANEL 2: INNOVATIVE PEDAGOGIES AND APPROACHES
2:30pm to 3:15pm

Law, Love, and Beads: Mobilizing Indigenous Legal Pedagogies
Danielle Lussier, Director, Indigenous and Community Relations
University of Ottawa, Faculty of Law
2:30pm to 2:45pm

Promoting Student Autonomy in (the Happier) Law Classroom
Brandon D. Stewart, Instructor, Schulich School of Law, Dalhousie University
2:45pm to 3:00pm

Teaching Lawyer Well-Being as an Ethical Responsibility
Jordana Confino, Director of Professionalism and an Adjunct Professor of Law
Fordham Law School
3:00pm to 3:15pm
Matter over Mind: The Importance of Paying Attention to the Body  
Heather Cross, Lawyer, Legal Writer and Owner of Here and Now Studio  

Concluding Remarks and Thank You  

Optional Open Forum