

LCO - Spring 2012 Calendar

January 2012

<p>Wednesday, January 11 UAWL Panel: Alternative Careers for Women with Law Degrees</p>	<p>Room 158 12:00 P.M. – 1:20 P.M.</p>	<p>Curious about alternative paths after law school? The University of Victoria Association of Women and the Law (UAWL) and the LCO jointly present this panel about alternative careers for women with law degrees. All students are welcome to attend. Lunch will be provided!</p>
<p>Thursday, January 12 FMC 1st Year Fellowship Info Session</p>	<p>Room 158 12:30 P.M. – 1:20 P.M.</p>	<p>An information session regarding applying for Fraser Milner Casgrain's Summer Research Fellowship. Learn more about this opportunity from FMC representatives and last summer's recipient at a luncheon seminar. Pizza will be provided by FMC.</p>
<p>Monday, January 23 BLG 1st Year Fellowship Info Session</p>	<p>Room 158 12:00 P.M. – 1:20 P.M.</p>	<p>Learn more about the opportunity to apply for a fellowship from BLG representatives and last summer's recipient at a luncheon seminar. Lunch will be provided by BLG.</p>
<p>Wednesday, January 25 Clerkship Interview Panel</p>	<p>Room 158 12:00 P.M. – 1:20 P.M.</p>	<p>If you've applied for a clerkship, you should come to this session to get prepared for your interviews. Hear from UVic students who will be clerking in 2012-13. Ask questions about the interview process for the various courts.</p>
<p>Thursday, January 26 Business Law Club and The Counsel Network</p>	<p>Room 157 12:30 P.M. – 1:20 P.M.</p>	<p>David Namkung from the Counsel Network in Vancouver will discuss finding articles in the "hidden" job market, what to expect from your articling experience, planning your career after articles, and some key issues to think about for those of you interested in practicing both abroad and/or in-house.</p>
<p>Monday, January 30 Wine & Cheese Prep. Session</p>	<p>Room 157 12:00 P.M. – 1:20 P.M.</p>	<p>Come hear from networking expert and local lawyer Sarah Klinger about how you can make the best impression at wine and cheese receptions and other networking events.</p>
<p>Tuesday, January 31 WorkSafeBC</p>	<p>Room 158 12:30 P.M. – 1:20 P.M.</p>	<p>Tony Bacchus of WorkSafeBC will speak to students about summering positions with the WorkSafeBC offices in Vancouver. All students are welcome.</p>

LCO - Spring at a Glance 2012

February 2012

Wednesday, February 1 DOJ Info Session	Room 158 12:00 P.M. – 1:20 P.M.	Kristy Foreman Gear and lawyers from the DOJ Vancouver will speak to students about applying for articles 2013/2014 with the DOJ Legal Excellence Program. Articling applications will be due this June.
Wednesday, February 1 BC Employers Wine & Cheese	The Fairmont Empress 5:30 P.M. – 8:00 P.M.	All students are welcome! Legal employers from across BC will be available to meet and answer questions from UVic Law Students. Student should wear business clothing.
Monday, February 6 Articling with BC's MAG	Room 158 12:00 P.M. – 1:20 P.M.	Lawyers from the BC Ministry of Attorney General will talk about their recruitment process for the 2013-2014 articling term.
Thursday, February 9 Professional Electronic Etiquette	Room 158 12:30 P.M. – 1:20 P.M.	What is the best way to write emails to potential employers? How should you use a smartphone at work? What do employers from other generations expect when you're using technology? Come to this info session and find out.
Wednesday, February 15 DOJ Open House	Downtown Vancouver 4:00 P.M. – 5:00 P.M.	Meet DOJ lawyers and students and learn about: working on nationally important cases, balancing family life and a legal career, obtaining "on-your-feet" litigation experience. RSVP to Nathalia at careerof@uvic.ca by Feb. 8, 2012.
Thursday & Friday, Feb. 16, 17 Vancouver Firm Tours	Downtown Vancouver	If you hope to work at a large firm in downtown Vancouver, this is the event for you! A great opportunity to see the offices of various law firms in Vancouver and network with their lawyers. Students must sign up in advance for various firm visits & arrange their own transportation to Vancouver. RSVP to Nathalia at careerof@uvic.ca by Feb. 8, 2012.
Wednesday, February 22 Resume Workshop - Faskens	Room 158 12:00 P.M. – 1:20 P.M.	Bibianne Bysterveld of Fasken LLP (Vancouver) will discuss how to properly prepare your resume and cover letter for upcoming applications. This session will be beneficial to those preparing their summering and articling applications this spring and summer. All students are welcome.
Thursday, February 23 Labour Law Panel	Room 158 12:30 P.M. – 1:20 P.M.	Learn more about practising labour law with the panelists invited for the Labour Law Club: Amanda Rogers, CUPE Legal and Legislative Rep., Vancouver and Emily Luther, Hastings Labour Law, Vancouver.
Monday, February 27 Apply As You Are	Room 158 12:00 P.M. – 1:20 P.M.	If you're not sure how much of yourself to reveal to a firm, you will find this session helpful. Morgan Camley from McCarthy Tétrault and Lara Percy from Adrian & Co. will speak to students about preparing applications and attending interviews as either an LGBT student or a student who has other unique circumstances. All students are welcome and encouraged to attend. Lunch will be provided.
Tuesday, February 28 2L Articling App. Info Session	Room 158 12:30 P.M. – 1:20 P.M.	Important for students applying for 2013-2014 articles. The LCO will explain the recruitment process across Canada and go over preparing your application packages. Most students will apply this summer (2012), for the 2013-2014 articling term.

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March 2012

Thursday, March 1

**1L Applying for Summer 2013
Info Session**

Room 158

12:00 P.M. – 1:20 P.M.

All first year students who are planning to apply for summer 2013 positions at any of the big firms in Vancouver, Calgary or Toronto should attend. The LCO will explain the recruitment process (including On-Campus Interviews) and go over deadlines for applications for different provinces and cities. **STUDENTS WILL NEED TO PREPARE THEIR APPLICATIONS THIS SUMMER (2012), as the applications are due very early in September 2012.**

Monday, March 5

Ready for Articles + PLTC

Room 158

12:00 P.M. – 1:20 P.M.

Alison Cowan and representatives of the Law Society of BC will visit Victoria to speak to third year students about the articling program and process in BC. If you are graduating from law school this year and will be completing your articles in BC, you should come out to hear more about this process.

Wednesday, March 7

**BC Representative for Children and
Youth**

Room 158

12:00 P.M. – 1:20 P.M.

The law school is honoured to have Mary-Ellen Turpel Lafond as a guest speaker. She will speak to students about her unique career path and her current work as BC's First Representative for Children and Youth. Ms. Turpel-Lafond has won numerous awards for her work. Before this position, Ms. Turpel-Lafond was an administrative judge in Saskatchewan and a professor at various Canadian law schools.