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We have just celebrated the end of the academic year with graduation – a huge number of students successfully completing undergraduate and postgraduate degrees, including a number of PhD students who had been both students and teachers during their time at Warwick. There were a few selfies with the Chancellor, and as ever the most amazing display of shoes. It is also great to hear from our graduates on all they have achieved since leaving Warwick – please do keep your stories coming as we love to hear from you! In return, I hope you'll find lots of interest in this latest edition of the newsletter.

*Professor Rebecca Probert*



## SUMMER GRADUATION



Another year has drawn to a close and another cohort of students have left us to start their adventures in the world of work or further study.

The class of 2016 celebrated their success last month as they graduated from Warwick Law School and we couldn't have been more proud. It was great to see some of you at the celebration prior to your ceremony and to meet your family and friends.

Congratulations to all of our recent graduates. We wish you all the very best for the future and hope you enjoyed your studies. You will always be part of the Law School family so please do keep in touch and let us know how you are getting on.

## LAW SCHOOL NEWS

- One of our very own students Nayantara Sriram (who studied on our IDLHR LLM this year) has just released her debut single '['Ghost'](#) and was recently interviewed on the [BBC Asian Network](#) as their Introducing Artist of the Week.
- [International Fees](#) for 2017 have been frozen across all of our LLM programmes to celebrate the launch of our New LLM in International Commercial Law
- Professor Dalvinder Singh has been awarded a prestigious fellowship from the European University Institute, Florence for his work on cross border banking supervision.
- Warwick Law School has been awarded the prestigious Jean Monnet funding to run a [series of modules on the theme of European Intellectual Property Law and Policy](#).
- [Mohammed Zaman QC](#) will be visiting the Law School on 11<sup>th</sup> October to give a public lecture on 'Judicial Bias and Misconduct'.

## LAW SCHOOL EVENTS

Here are just a selection of some of the interesting events that took place over the last few months...

- **3<sup>rd</sup> May 2016:** Life After Warwick Law School – Wong Chen (Malaysian MP)
- **3<sup>rd</sup> May 2016:** Global Justice v. Climate Change Justice Theories - Professor Upendra Baxi (Emeritus Professor)
- **12<sup>th</sup> May 2016:** [Beyond the Odious Debt Doctrine in International Law](#): Exploring Some Alternatives to the Present Practices of Sovereign Debt Adjustment - Professor Upendra Baxi (Emeritus Professor)
- **1<sup>st</sup> June 2016:** Giuliano Castellano met with Warwick Law Alumni in Hong Kong at a drinks reception after delivering a seminar to UG and PG Offer holders.
- **20<sup>th</sup> June 2016:** [Food Waste in Global Production](#): An Initial Brainstorm to map and Evaluate Existing Mechanisms of Governance – Dr Tomaso Ferrando

## WELCOMES & FAREWELLS

We recently said a fond farewell to our colleague Philip Kaisary who has taken up a new post at Carleton University in Canada. We wish him all the very best and thank him for his service to the Law School over the last 4 years.

In January we welcomed Dr Tomaso Ferrando and more recently in June, Mr Markus Wagner joined us all the way from the University of Miami. We are set to welcome a number of new staff to the Law School over the next few months and are excited to see how they contribute to the teaching and research of the School. Joining us in September are:

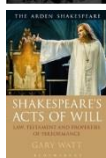
- Professor Vanessa Munro from the University of Leicester;
- Dr Christopher Mills from University College London;
- Tara Mulqueen from the London School of Economics

Plus congratulations to our very own teaching and research fellows Sharifah Sekalala, Ania Zbyszewska and Alison Struthers who will now be taking up assistant professor posts with us; and to our existing teaching fellows Raza Saeed, Sheharyar Hamid, Tom Flynn and Hassan Nizami, who will be staying with us for another year.

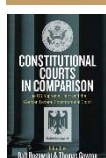
## STAFF PUBLICATIONS



**A Passing Fury: Searching for Justice at the End of World War II**  
A.T. Williams  
May 2016



**Shakespeare's Acts of Will: Law, Testament and Properties of Performance**  
Gary Watt  
July 2016



**Constitutional Courts in Comparison**  
Ralf Rogowski  
August 2016



**Gendering European Working Time Regimes**  
Ania Zbyszewska  
June 2016



**Bank Resolution: The European Regime**  
Dalvinder Singh  
July 2016



**Modern Challenges to Islamic law – Law in Context Series**  
Shaheen Sardar Ali  
October 2016

**Coming Soon...** Maria O'Sullivan and Dallal Stevens (eds), [States, the Law and Access to Refugee Protection: Fortresses and Fairness](#), Hart publishing – February 2017.

## LAW SCHOOL DEVELOPMENTS



### Law School Collaboration with WBS

Colleagues in the Law School will be delivering modules to Bank of England staff as part of a new Bank of England – WBS postgraduate qualification in Central Banking and Financial Regulation. Professor Dalvinder Singh, Dr Giuliano Castellano and Dr Andreas Kokkinis will be teaching with WBS staff on the core modules, drawing on their joint experience of teaching on Warwick's LLM in International Corporate Governance and Financial Regulation.

Read more about Dalvinder and his research in our staff spotlight below. Plus find out about our various new module options in the module spotlight section...

## STAFF SPOTLIGHT

Our very own Professor [Dalvinder Singh](#) has been awarded a prestigious Fernand Braudel Senior Fellowship, by the European University Institute in Florence from May-July 2016. During his fellowship he will be participating in workshops on his current area of research associated with the European Banking Union and cross border banking supervision and resolution, and the challenges faced by countries in the European and Central Asia region. This work forms part of a World Bank Project he is working on in collaboration with Katia D'Hustler and Pamela Lintner. Dal currently teaches on our [International Corporate Governance and Financial Regulation](#) and our [International Banking Regulation](#) modules. He and other Law School colleagues are also involved in an exciting new venture with Warwick Business School to train central bankers in the UK. [Find out more.](#)



## CAREERS SPOTLIGHT

Get lots of helpful tips from our [Warwick Careers Blog](#). Or read our Career Advisors [Best 5 Tips to Help Land a Job](#).

You can also find some useful videos on their [YouTube channel](#) too.

The department has been working to develop a range of resources to support students' employability, which can be found on the Student Careers and Skills YouTube channel at the link above. You might find this useful if you are currently looking for a job or change of career.

If you are an employer and would like to contribute to these resources please contact [c.a.leslie@warwick.ac.uk](mailto:c.a.leslie@warwick.ac.uk)



the careers blog



## MODULE SPOTLIGHT

We have many new modules in the pipeline including Corporate Tax Law; Crime, Justice & Global Security; Law & Inequality in the Transnational Food Regime; International Commercial Litigation; Law of International Financial Transactions; Economic Analysis of Law; Law & Policy of International Public Finance; European Union Intellectual Property Law & Policy; some of which will be running in 2016/17.



### Law of International Financial Transactions - New for 2016

The Law of International Finance Transactions (LIFT) examines the financialisation of law that has taken place with increasing speed over the last 30 years. Taught by an experienced structured finance lawyer, LIFT motivates the legal understanding of this complex area with financial transactions, from syndicated credit agreements, to securitizations, to swaps. The wider theoretical aim of the module is the critical engagement with the ideas of ethics, norms and complexity within financial development, regulation and crisis.

The primary legal focus of LIFT is English law-governed credit agreements in the form current in City of London practice, but given the international nature of the subject, due to the use of such English law-governed agreements globally, references to the laws of the EU and other jurisdictions (particularly New York, Germany and France) will be made at appropriate junctures. By using the credit agreement as the anchor of the module, rather than international and somewhat abstract banking regulations, LIFT attempts to offer a system-wide perspective which links the more arcane aspects of the secondary market in debt to the more familiar and tangible context of industrial business and society as a whole.

**Dr Stephen Connelly**

### NEW Lacuna Magazine Edition on Migration in Europe

Lacuna published a thought-provoking selection of migrant experiences across Europe, with exclusive features from Greece, Germany and the UK. The European Commission published yet another version of its [Common European Asylum System](#), detailing 'fair and efficient' procedure to ensure the rights of asylum seekers are protected in every EU country they set foot in. That good intentions are too rarely followed through is perhaps the common theme in refugee and migration policy in European countries today. In an [exclusive report](#) Dario Sabaghi shares stories from the borders of northern Greece where tens of thousands of refugees waited for Macedonia to open its borders, so they could travel to northern Europe. He witnessed the final days of the Idomeni camp before the Greek government ordered its evacuation back in May. What happens once refugees finally reach their desired destination? [Kim Harrisberg reports from Germany](#), the only European country to say 'refugees welcome', where she finds shadows of the country's past influencing policy towards the new arrivals. Here in the UK, [Rebecca Omonira reports on a specific aspect of migration policy](#) and how it affects foreign national women fleeing domestic violence. A timely piece with Theresa May the UK's newly appointed prime minister responsible for managing Brexit.



Since the referendum, questions about the EU are still being asked in the UK. Anil Awesti explores the question '[What does the EU do, and what relationship can post-Brexit Britain have with it?](#)' in a video lecture encouraging a more informed debate about the pros and cons of membership of the European Union.

Lacuna is currently inviting [submissions](#) on all issues concerning human rights and social justice in the Western Balkans and its diaspora, to be published in late 2016. To discuss your pitch and submit your draft, get in touch with Lacuna editors at [hello@lacuna.org.uk](mailto:hello@lacuna.org.uk). The deadline is 31st August 2016 (but Warwick alumni may ask for an extension!). We also consider unsolicited pitches related to human rights and social justice around the world – we are especially keen to hear from former Warwick students.

## WHERE ARE YOU NOW?

Here is just a snippet of some of the achievements of other Warwick Law School Alumni...

- Mintwab Zelelew Tafesse, one of our former LLM students on the 'Warwick in Ethiopia Project', is now Programme/Partnership Specialist for Africa at UNDP, Brussels.
- Pamela Radcliffe, who studied her LLB with us in 1977, recently published a new book – '[Witness Testimony in Sexual Cases](#)' (published by OUP in January 2016). Pamela returned to Warwick recently to give a lunchtime seminar on [Memory science, false beliefs and unreliable evidence: Fair trial or foul?](#)
- Dr. Ekuru Aukot (LLM and PhD Alumnus) is [running for Presidential Office](#) in the August elections in Kenya.
- Aman Hingorani (former alumnus and founder of the Hingorani Internship Programme) recently published '[Unravelling the Kashmir Knot](#)' and a special release was made by Hon'ble Mr. Justice T.S. Thakur, Chief Justice of India, on 9 May 2016.
- Iulia Nicolescu, our recent LLM graduate, has just secured a role as analyst with Limehouse Consulting & Strategy in London.

Join our [Alumni Facebook Group](#), or our [Alumni LinkedIn group](#), visit our new [Alumni Hub](#) to interact with old classmates and the School, and/or register for benefits at [warwickgrad.net](http://warwickgrad.net).

Our very best wishes, on behalf of the Law School,

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