



CJC PhD Conference 2026

Call for Papers

The Criminal Justice Centre (CJC) at the Warwick Law School warmly invites submissions for its **annual PhD conference** which is taking place on **Friday the 8th of May 2026**.

This conference aims to bring together postgraduate researchers examining criminal justice through the lenses of law, sociology, philosophy, politics and psychology. **We welcome presentations from researchers at all stages of their doctoral journey and particularly encourage first-year PhD students to share their emerging research directions and initial findings.**

Conference Theme:

Criminal Justice in the Spotlight: Musings on Theory and/or Practice

Submission guidelines:

This conference is open to postgraduate students conducting their research in law, sociology, philosophy, politics and psychology departments as well as those undertaking their research outside of the University of Warwick. Please note however, that the CJC are unable to offer bursaries to cover expenses for attending the conference at this time.

- **Abstract length: 250 words (max)**
- **Submission deadline: 13th March 2025**

For further information please contact: cjc@warwick.ac.uk