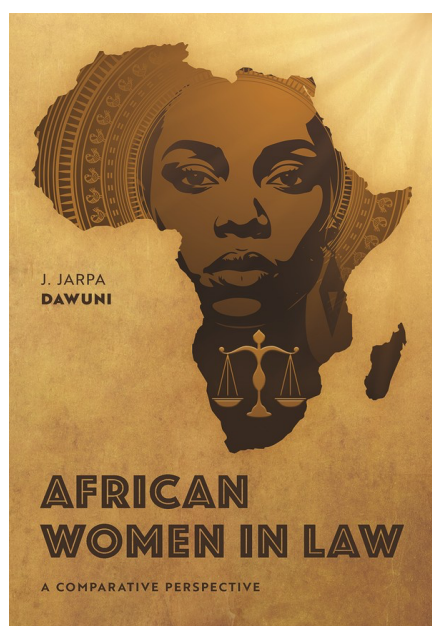


Book Talk with Prof. J. Jarpa Dawuni *African Women in Law: A Comparative Perspective*

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About the book: *African Women in Law* is the first empirical study to offer a comprehensive and contextually rich portrait of African women in the legal profession. Drawing on 153 interviews across six countries, 249 survey responses from 21 countries, and secondary literature from 15 countries, this groundbreaking book explores the representation of women in the bar, bench, and legal academia. It traces historical developments, examines current realities, and sets the stage for future research.

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