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EGLINTON ST. GEORGE'S SPEAKERS' SERIES

A Justice System for a Just Society

With substantive changes in Canada's Criminal Code now in place, the ESG speaker series continues its exploration of the state of our criminal justice system today.

THIS MONTH



The Hon. Irwin Cotler Sunday, October 26th @ 12:30

Member of Parliament for Mount Royal, Quebec; Former Minister of Justice & Attorney General of Canada; Emeritus Professor of Law (McGill University)

The Criminal [In]Justice Agenda

With four decades in the trenches of human rights and justice advocacy in Canada and around the world, former Canadian Justice Minister Irwin Cotler has a unique scholarly and practical appreciation of the governmental and parliamentary justice agenda. Irwin will explore constitutional, policy and evidentiary perspectives of the government's crime and punishment agenda.



Kim Pate Sunday, November 23rd @ 12:30

Executive Director of the Canadian Association of Elizabeth Fry Societies

Criminal Justice Policies and Practices that Impact on Women: Ashley Smith and Beyond

Since 1992, Kim Pate has served as the Executive Director of the Canadian Association of Elizabeth Fry Societies, leading their work with and on behalf of marginalized women and girls throughout Canada. Kim was appointed a member of the Order of Canada in June and received an honorary doctorate degree from the Law Society of Upper Canada in September for her strong advocacy on behalf of women who are victimized and incarcerated.



Kate Johnson Sunday, January 25th @ 12:30

Chaplain, Queen's University

An Assault on the Honourable Tradition of Chaplaincy in Correctional Services

Kate Johnson was chaplain to the former Pittsburgh Institution (now the Joyceville minimum security facility) during a time of major legislative and procedural change in the Correctional Service of Canada. She will speak to us from a chaplain's point of view about deeply concerning changes in rehabilitation and reintegration practices. Kate holds a Master's of Divinity with a concentration in restorative justice from the Queen's University School of Religion.



Anthony N. Doob Sunday, February 22nd @ 12:30

Professor Emeritus of Criminology, University of Toronto

Limiting the Use of Imprisonment: Learning from Successes

From the mid-19th century until 2006, Canadian governments – Conservative and Liberal – understood that crime could not be adequately addressed by increasing imprisonment. Imprisonment was seen as being sometimes necessary, but often wasteful of human and financial resources. In the past, Canadian governments – both Liberal and Conservative – have been successful in limiting imprisonment without increasing crime. What can we learn from our experiences?

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