

**9<sup>th</sup> Annual Canadian Commercial Law Symposium**  
**Faculty of Law, Western University**  
**September 13, 2025**

**(Josephine Spencer Niblett Law Building, Moot Court Room)**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Description</b>
9:00-9:15 AM	Welcome and Introduction: Mohamed Khimji, Dean, Western Law
9:15-10:30 AM	<p>Commercial Arbitration Panel</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Azar Mahmoudi, “Anti-Corruption Clauses in Petroleum Contracts: Contractual Design and Corporate Practice”.</li> <li>Stanley Nweke-Eze, “The Role of Contracts in Addressing the Limitations of Commercial Arbitration”.</li> <li>Alyssa King, “Comparing Commercial Courts: Traveling Judges and the Development of Transnational Commercial Law” (co-authored with Pamela Bookman).</li> </ul> <p>Discussants: Joshua Karton and Joanna Langille</p>
10:30-10:45 AM	BREAK
10:45-11:25 AM	<p>Paper Presentation: Fenner Stewart, “Fiduciary Fumbles and Judicial Stumbles: Rethinking Directors’ Duties”.</p> <p>Commentator: Dan Rohde</p>
11:25-12:05 PM	<p>Paper Presentation: Clayton Bangsund and Roderick Wood, “Registration by the Numbers: Serial Numbered Goods Under the PPSA”.</p> <p>Commentator: Phil King</p>
12:05-1:15 PM	<p>LUNCH – Schmeichel Entrepreneurship &amp; Innovation Building, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Alumni Commons.</p> <p>Keynote Speaker: Marilyn Leblanc, Director – Secretariat, Financial Consumer Agency of Canada.</p>
1:15-1:55 PM	<p>Paper Presentation: Pascale Cornut St-Pierre, “Sustainable Finance in Canada: A Regulatory Roadmap”.</p> <p>Commentator: Ephraim Ajijola</p>
1:55-2:35 PM	<p>Paper Presentation: Rajdeep Singh, “Examining Corporate Insolvency in India and Canada: An Insightful Quantitative Comparison of Recovery and Resolution”.</p> <p>Commentator: Virginia Torrie</p>
2:35-2:50 PM	BREAK
2:50-4:05 PM	<p>Consumer Credit Panel</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Micheline Gleixner, “Lending with Integrity: A Path to Better Consumer Protection”.</li> <li>Catherine Le Guerrier, “Integrating the consumer credit market in the 1960s”.</li> <li>Anna Lund, “Property, Income or Something Else? Characterizing Disability Tax Credits in Bankruptcy”.</li> </ul> <p>Discussant: Pascale Chapdelaine</p>
4:05- 4:35PM	<p>Paper Presentation: Benjamin Geva, “The Digitalization of Negotiable Instruments: Is Law Reform Called for in Canada?”</p> <p>Commentator: Marc Lacoursière</p>
4:35-4:45 PM	Closing Remarks
6:30 PM	Dinner for Presenters & Commentators/Discussants