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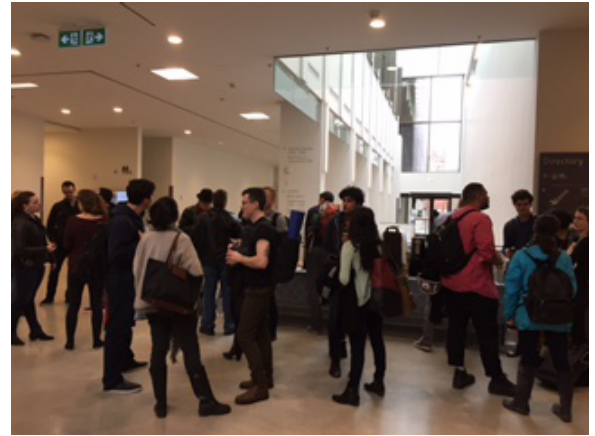
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A Year Later...Happy Anniversary

Who can believe it's been a year since we opened in the beautiful new Jackman Law Building? The group study rooms and bright airy study spaces, like Torys Hall, are always busy with law students. The Library has proved to be an enviable space that supports collaborative and accessible learning.

Thanks to everyone who dropped by to help mark this occasion.



Access to New Resources

Carilaw

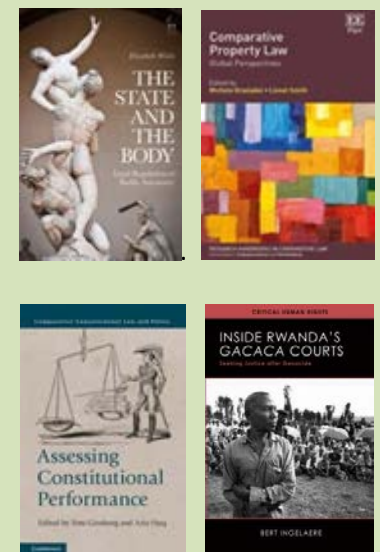
A database that brings together treaties, legislation and case law from the Caribbean, CariLaw contains the full text of over 36,000 legal cases with headnotes. This database may be searched by date, jurisdiction, subject, judge, citation number, title of case or by words or phrases.

In 2015, the Government of Canada provided funds to upgrade and expand the database through the Improved Access to Justice in the Caribbean (IMPACT Justice), a civil society justice sector reform project. Under this project, plans are underway for the site to receive a major overhaul to make it more user-friendly and to boost the speed of its search engine and cross-referencing capabilities.

Provincial Statutes of Canada (HeinOnline)

A comprehensive collection of Canadian provincial statutes in digital format is now available in the new Provincial Statutes of Canada library on HeinOnline. It contains both public and private acts passed by Canadian provincial governments. Current, revised, and historical content is available for Alberta, British Columbia, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, and Ontario. Historical and revised content is available for Manitoba, Newfoundland and Labrador, Prince Edward Island, Quebec, and Saskatchewan. The collection currently includes nearly 1,500 volumes and more than 850,000 pages.

New Books in the Library



See the [full list](#) of the library's new books for February 2017.

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Free Database Trial

[Climate Change and Law Collection](#) (Brill)

This comprehensive collection of climate change and law documents contains original source, non-edited and non-redacted “grey literature” (non-peer reviewed) in English, centered on climate change and the law. Incorporated in the category of ‘law’ is any discipline of law which addressed climate change, including corporate law, environmental law and human rights law. Materials in the collection originate from a wide range of organizations in the public and private sector, institutions, and/or individuals, world-wide. **Please note that the Trial ends on March 28, 2017.**

Current Awareness

[SmartCILP](#)

The Law Library subscribes to SmartCILP – a personalized current contents service covering over 500 U.S.-published law journals, organized topically in over 100 subject headings. With SmartCILP, you choose which journals and subject headings you would like to see – you will receive a weekly e-mail with a current contents list that corresponds exactly to your research interests! We can help set up a personalized service for you.

Faculty Scholarship

[TSpace](#) is a free and secure research repository established by University of Toronto Libraries to disseminate and preserve the scholarly record of the University of Toronto community, including faculty and graduate student research. All items in TSpace are openly accessible, either immediately or after publisher's embargo period. If you'd like to submit to TSpace or if you wish to learn more about the repository, let's talk.

Extended Hours

March 20 - April 19, 2017

Monday – Friday
8:45am - 12:00am

Saturday & Sunday
10:00am - 10:00pm



Canada Research-A-Thon Update

In early February, 845 students from 22 Canadian law schools, including UofT Faculty of Law conducted 3,143 hours of legal research to determine whether the US can properly be considered a “safe third country” for asylum seekers and refugees. [“Final Report”](#)



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