

## WCFLA CANADA PROGRAM ~ FALL 2004 SEMINAR SERIES



**MONDAY, OCTOBER 4<sup>th</sup>**

**THE HON. MARTIN CAUCHON AND  
PROF. BRENDA COSSMAN**

***SAME SEX MARRIAGE***

***The Problem of Reconciling Legislative Change to Social Reality:  
a Canadian Approach***

***4-6 p.m., Pound Hall, Room 102, Harvard Law School, Cambridge***

Martin Cauchon, a partner at the Law firm Gowling Lafleur Henderson and former minister of Justice and Attorney General of Canada served as President of the Liberal Party of Canada (Québec) from 1993 to 1995. Throughout his distinguished political career, Mr. Cauchon has held many pivotal cabinet positions, including Secretary of State for Economic Development in Québec, Minister of National Revenue, and Minister of Justice. Brenda Cossman is a professor of law at the University of Toronto. Publications include the co-authored *Bad Attitudes on Trial: Pornography, Feminism and the Butler Decision; Subversive Sites: Feminist Engagements with Law in India*, and *Secularism's Last Sigh?* as well as numerous articles in these areas. She is co-editor (with Judy Fudge) *Privatization, Law and the Challenge to Feminism*. She has written extensively on the legal regulation of adult personal relationships, including same sex marriage.

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**MONDAY, OCTOBER 18<sup>th</sup>**

**PROF. HARRY W. ARTHURS**

**B.A., LL.B., LL.M, LL.D. (Hon), D. Litt (Hon.), OC, OO, FRSC, FBA**

***The Hollowing Out of Corporate Canada:  
Implications for Public Policy***

***4-6 p.m., Rooms 2 & 3 - Harvard Faculty Club, 20 Quincy Street, Cambridge***

Harry W. Arthurs is University Professor of Law and Political Science and President Emeritus of York University. He has been Dean of Osgoode Hall Law School, President of the Canadian Civil Liberties Association, a member of the Economic Council of Canada, a Bencher of the Law Society of Upper Canada, Chair of the Council of Ontario Universities, is a former Killam Fellow, Associate of the Canadian Institute for Advanced Research and academic visitor at several English and Canadian universities. He has written extensively on labour law and administrative law, legal theory and history, the legal profession and legal education and higher education policy and governance. His book *Without the Law* (1985) traced the rise of the administrative state in 19<sup>th</sup> century England.

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**MONDAY, NOVEMBER 1<sup>ST</sup>**

**THE HON. DAVID MILLER, Mayor of Toronto**

***The Future of the City***

***4-6 p.m., Theatre Room - Harvard Faculty Club, 20 Quincy Street, Cambridge***

Mayor Miller has a degree in economics from Harvard, a law degree from the University of Toronto, and he remains a member of the Law Society of Upper Canada. Before running for public office, he was a partner at the prominent Toronto law firm Aird & Berlis, where he specialized in employment and immigration law and shareholder rights.

The Canada Seminar is off the record, free and open to the public, and chaired by Professor Kerry Rittich, the fall 2004 William Lyon Mackenzie King Visiting Professor of Canadian Studies. The seminars listed above are subject to change and more may be added at a later date. For more information, please contact Helen Clayton, program coordinator, at: [hclayton@wcfia.harvard.edu](mailto:hclayton@wcfia.harvard.edu) or (617) 495-3671.