



Attorney General
for Northern Ireland

Constitutional Law Summer School

Belfast, Northern Ireland
07 – 09 August 2019



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Constitutional Law Summer School Belfast, 07 – 09 August 2019

You are invited to join the Attorney General and expert speakers in exploring major constitutional law issues drawing on the particular perspective of Northern Ireland. This year we are particularly pleased to welcome Lord Lloyd-Jones JSC as our keynote speaker.

Cost

The cost to attendees is £200 for the full three day programme, or £40 per session. Tickets for the conference dinner are an additional £40.

Wednesday 07 August

Session 1 (10am – 12.30pm)

Clayton Hotel

Part 1: A public law revolution in May 2019?

Speaker

The Attorney General

Part 2: Devolution and good government: interim thoughts on the RHI Inquiry

Speakers

The Attorney General

Michelle Malcomson, Office of the Attorney General for Northern Ireland

Session 2 (1.30pm – 4pm)

Clayton Hotel

Part 1: Language, interpretation and constitutional values

Speakers

Key note speaker Lord Lloyd-Jones,
UK Supreme Court

Part 2: Constitutional future

Speaker

Lord Caine



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Thursday 08 August

Session 3 (10am – 12.30pm)

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The European Convention on Human Rights: perspective from Strasbourg and the UK

Speakers

Pamela McCormick, European Court of Human Rights

A panel of practitioners

Session 4 (1.30pm – 4pm)

Law Society House

Part 1: Government and the search for solutions: the Irish Language as case study

Speakers

Mr Justice Richard Humphreys

The Attorney General

Part 2: Brexit and its effects

Speaker

James Mure QC, Faculty of Advocates

Evening dinner at Titanic Hotel Belfast
(from 6.30pm)

Titanic Quarter
8 Queens Road
Belfast
BT3 9DT

Friday 09 August

Session 5 (10am – 12.30pm)

Clayton Hotel

Rights, nationalities, and traditions in constitutional context

Speakers

Prof. Ferenc Hörcher, National University of Public Service, Hungary

Juris Rudevskis, European Court of Human Rights

Session 6 (1.30pm – 4pm)

Clayton Hotel

Part 1: Domesticating EU law: legislative quality and the Brexit challenges

Speakers

Léonie McLaughlin, Office of the Legislative Counsel

Part 2: Dealing justly with the past in Northern Ireland: a constitutional imperative?

The Attorney General

Closing drinks reception

4pm – 6pm



Conference accommodation

Clayton Hotel

22 Ormeau Avenue, Belfast BT2 8HS. Limited availability of discounted rate of £130 per night bed and breakfast on quoting Attorney General to reservations.

Queen's University, Belfast

Rooms are also available at Queen's University: Single en-suite room - £45 per night B&B

<https://www.qub.ac.uk/accommodation/Summer-Accommodation/>

Conference dinner

A conference dinner will be held on the evening of Thursday 08 August in the Titanic Hotel, Belfast. Delegates who wish to attend the conference dinner should indicate this (along with any dietary requirements) when booking. The price of the conference dinner is an additional £40.

Booking form *for the Constitutional Law Summer School*

<i>Name</i>
<i>Company</i>
<i>Email</i>
<i>Telephone</i>

Booking options and costs

The cost is £200 for the full 3 day programme or £40 per session. Please tick as appropriate:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> The full event | <input type="checkbox"/> Session 4: Brexit and its effects / Government and the search for solutions: Irish Language case study |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Session 1: A public law revolution in May 2019? / Devolution and good government | <input type="checkbox"/> Session 5: Rights, nationalities, and traditions in constitutional context |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Session 2: Language, interpretation and constitutional values | <input type="checkbox"/> Session 6: Domesticating EU law / Dealing justly with the past |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Session 3: The ECHR: perspectives from Strasbourg and the UK | |

Conference dinner

Please tick if you would like to attend the conference dinner on Thursday 08 August

Special dietary requirements

Please return completed forms to contact@attorneygeneralni.gov.uk or by post to PO Box 1272, Belfast BT1 9LU.