

2018 John Ll. J. Edwards Lecture

The Accidental Jurist: Thoughts on a life in the law

Senator Murray Sinclair

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Named after the founder of the Centre for Criminology and Sociolegal Studies, **John Ll. J. Edwards**, this is an annual public lecture on issues related to criminal law, crime, policing, punishment, and security.

Senator Sinclair served the justice system in Manitoba for over 25 years. He was the first Aboriginal Judge appointed in Manitoba and Canada's second. He served as Co-Chair of the Aboriginal Justice Inquiry in Manitoba and as Chief Commissioner of the Truth and Reconciliation Commission (TRC).

Senator Sinclair has been invited to speak throughout Canada, the United States and internationally, has won numerous awards for his leadership, mentorship and advocacy, and has received Honorary Doctorates from over a dozen Canadian universities.

Senator Sinclair was appointed to the Senate on April 2, 2016.

Monday November 19

5:00 to 6:30pm – Reception to follow
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2nd Floor, 7 Hart House Circle, Toronto

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