



## Dr. Beverly Jacobs, Assistant Professor, Faculty of Law, University of Windsor

### Practicing Indigenous Laws Protects Wholistic Health

Commentator: Dr. Suzanne Stewart, Director,  
Waakebiness-Bryce Institute for Indigenous  
Health  
Special guests Knowledge Keeper Clay Shirt and  
Spirit Wind

Thursday, March 7, 2019 12:30 - 2:00  
Moot Court Room (room J250),  
Jackman Law Building 78 Queen's Park

Based on her interdisciplinary PhD research, Professor Jacobs will be presenting about the wholistic healthiness of Haudenosaunee peoples which is directly connected to the protected by the practices of Haudenosaunee Laws and includes healthy relationships and responsible to all living things, including human being and the natural world.

Dr. Beverley Jacobs is an Assistant Professor at the Faculty of Law, University of Windsor and she practices law part-time at her home community of Six Nations of the Grand River Territory. She recently completed an interdisciplinary PhD at the University of Calgary that includes Law (Aboriginal and Treaty Rights and Indigenous Legal Traditions), Indigenous Wholistic Health and Indigenous Legal Methodologies. Beverley has obtained a Bachelor of Law Degree from the University of Windsor in 1994 and a Masters of Law Degree from the University of Saskatchewan in 2000. Beverley is also a consultant/researcher/writer/ public speaker and she is a former President of the Native Women's Association of Canada (elected 2004 to 2009).

Beverley is a Member of the Order of Canada. She received a Franco-German Prize for Human Rights and the Rule of Law from the Governments of France and Germany for her human rights fight for the issues relating to missing and murdered Indigenous women and girls in Canada.