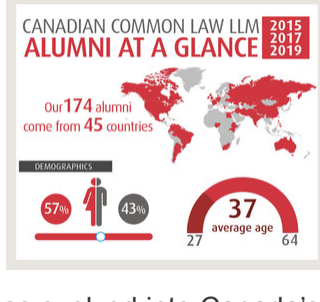


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Celebrating 10 years of OsgoodePD's Professional LLM in Canadian Common Law

This year marks the tenth anniversary of the LLM in Canadian Common Law. The program, whose inaugural cohort was 29 students, has evolved into Canada's largest, and most diverse program for internationally trained lawyers. Take a look at what alumni have achieved and the different paths they've taken in the years since graduation.

[Read more](#)

The anniversary will be celebrated at an alumni event on October 24th. [Reserve your spot today.](#)



Alumni Profile Lotus Menezes

On Lotus's journey from Tanzania to South Africa, the Dominican Republic and Canada, and how Osgoode's Professional LLM in Canadian Common Law helped her to reimagine her future and reinvent her career.

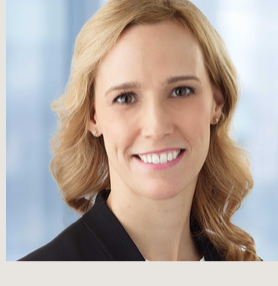
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Diversity, Inclusion And Mentorship: Insights From An Internationally Trained Lawyer At OITLD

Sana Rehman is a corporate lawyer from Pakistan with five years of experience in contracts, negotiations, due diligence and compliance. Having relocated to Toronto in August 2021, Sana is currently pursuing an LLM in Canadian Common Law at Osgoode. She shares her experience at Osgoode's Internationally Trained Lawyer's Day (OITLD) and the benefits of attending this event as an internationally trained lawyer.

[Read more](#)



Faculty Profile Nicole Chrolavicius

How a fascination with constitutional law led Nicole Chrolavicius from Canada to the UK, where she worked with human rights organizations, before returning to Canada and becoming an instructor in Osgoode's Professional LLM in Canadian Common Law – a role that brings together her passions and past experience.

[Read more](#)



Justice Michael Doi shares some advice for all former, current and future students at our 9th annual OITLD

"Everyone's journey is going to be different, but despite our differences, there are things that we all tend to share. There will be some setbacks and maybe some disappointments. What's important is how we learn from our experiences. I would encourage you to pursue what truly inspires you. Set goals and work really hard to achieve them. Be curious. Discover what interests you the most. Take some chances. Find and pursue what is your passion. Take the things you've learned or will learn at OPD and apply them as you build your professional careers."

Interested in hearing more? Get inspired by [seven uplifting quotes and tips from OITLD 2022](#)

OsgoodePD's resources for Internationally Trained Lawyers

OsgoodePD works with several associations and organizations to ensure no one has to go through the NCA and licensing process alone. Be part of the community and discover the number of services and opportunities available to you.

- [ITLNCA Networks](#)
- [The ITL Network](#)
- [NCA Network](#)
- [Global Lawyers of Canada](#)

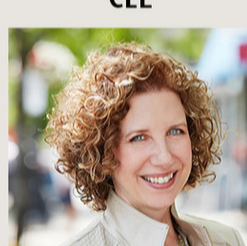
OsgoodePD Staff on Campus

On June 19, our downtown OsgoodePD staff joined their colleagues at York University's main campus. It was a fun-filled day that included an overview of this past year's achievements, goal setting for the future, a delicious lunch and an unexpectedly competitive scavenger hunt. **See some of the faces behind OsgoodePD's extensive programming!**



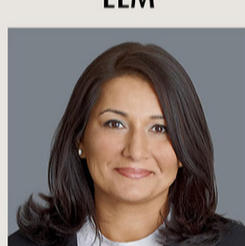
Congratulations to our 2023 OsgoodePD Teaching Award Winners

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Lauren Bernardi
Bernardi Human Resource Law LLP

LLM



Professor Poonam Puri
Osgoode Hall Law School

Upcoming Events and Deadlines

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| Governance Professionals of Canada 25th Annual Corporate Governance Conference (Sponsored by OsgoodePD) | August 13 |
| Professional LLM Info Session (For those with no prior law degree) (Complimentary) | August 17 & September 14 |
| Professional LLM Info Session (Canadian Lawyers) (Complimentary) | August 22 & September 5 |
| Effective Decision Writing for Administrative Adjudicators | September 18 |
| 12th Annual M&A Skills Bootcamp | Starts September 19 |
| Certificate Info Session - Certificate in Managing Legal and Business Risk in the Supply Chain (Complimentary) | September 20 |
| Certificate in Public-Private Partnership (P3) Law and Practice in Canada | Starts September 27 |
| Certificate in the Law, Regulation and Ethics of Advanced Data Analytics in Financial Services | Starts September 29 |
| Event: Celebrating 10 years of the LLM in Canadian Common Law | October 24 |
| Drop-in Advising for Internationally Trained Lawyers and International Applicants | Weekly |
| View all upcoming Certificates, short courses and conferences | Learn more |
| View all LLM programs and application deadlines | Learn more |
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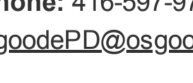
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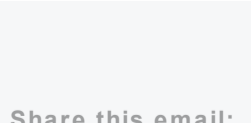
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