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Transsystemic Law Series

Introduction to transsystemic legal thought and education

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Transsystemic teaching and learning describes a method of educating across disparate systems of knowledge and practice generally. As a method of teaching through difference in Canada, McGill University in Montreal applies this approach to teaching across the common law and civil law. However, both of these legal systems have origins in Western European societies. UVic's JD/JID program also employs transsystemic teaching on disparate legal systems, which are not only different in kind, but are different in their socio-cultural underpinnings. Professor Alan Hanna spoke on his experience teaching across Indigenous and common law legal orders in the JD/JID program. He discussed his methodological approach to transsystemic teaching and explore the challenges associated with teaching across disparate ontological and epistemological conceptions of law, particularly when those different understandings are entwined in a colonial relationship.

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