

Claiming your Western Law legacy

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MANON D. BONE
Director of Development
Faculty of Law



From Small Groups to Big Influence would best describe the road travelled by the vibrant Western Law alumni I have had the pleasure of meeting as your new director of development. It is a privilege to hear your comments consistently reaffirming the momentum behind Western Law's strategic plan.

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Incredible thanks are owed to all of our generous donors. The results to date are proof. You have already achieved a fabulous 70 per cent (!) of our \$25-million campaign goal. With \$7.5 million to go, you can confidently claim your stake in your Western Law legacy.

Almost all of you have mentioned Western Law's small size, the experiential learning opportunities and especially – your Small Groups. You have undoubtedly carried with you in your personal and professional lives the benefit of Western

Law's collegial experience. Nowhere is this more apparent than the Class of '88 planning to raise funds to support a new student commons.

Led by our progressive Dean from the private sector, the members of the newly developed Dean's Circle are supporting the execution of Western Law's strategic plan. To date, you have witnessed the establishment of the first-ever Chair in Mining Law and Finance as well as the W. Geoff Beattie, (LLB'84), Chair in Corporate Law. Your input is welcome as we continue to put our plan into action.

Western Law accepts the best. Sometimes the best need a hand. As part of the influential network of Western Law alumni, consider paying it forward to help the next generation of students. For as little as \$1,500/year for five years you can establish an award in your name or as a tribute to someone you appreciate. Alternately, imagine naming a fellowship

or professorship around your practice specialty to sustain the influence of Western Law worldwide.

Your Western Law development team welcomes hearing your interests in claiming your stake in Western Law. Helping to achieve our goal, it is a pleasure to inform you that Michelle Bothwell, associate, external relations for Western Law is expanding her work in development for law.

Thanks to your collegial spirit, progressive thinking and valuable influence, you will shape and ensure our successful future. Join us and claim your Western Law legacy.

Sincerely,

Manon D. Bone
Director of Development

Campaign Priorities

Be Extraordinary will propel Western to the next level, set our students apart as exceptional leaders and enable us to achieve excellence on the world stage.

The Faculty of Law is recognized as one of Canada's premier law schools and promotes a broad, interdisciplinary and international experience. Our challenging academic curriculum, clinical experiences and international opportunities instill in our students a solid understanding of the law in a global context.

Anchored by professors who are leaders in their fields and are dedicated to excellence in teaching and research, Western Law has a proud tradition of leadership in the study of business law, public law, private law and international law.

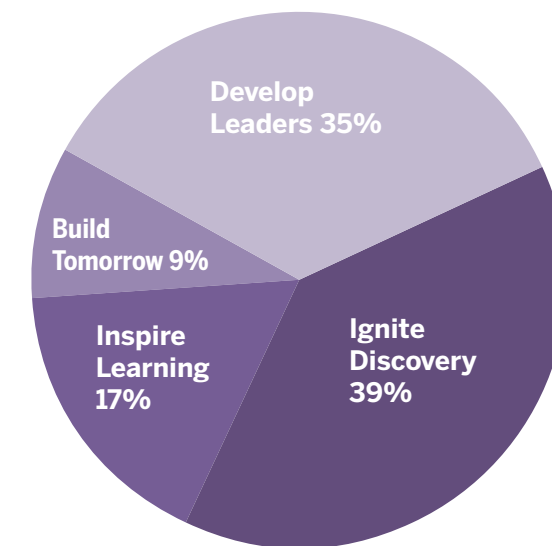
Our Campaign

Western Law is seeking \$25 million to prepare the next generation of global leaders in the legal community and society at large. We are committed to enhancing our top-tier curriculum and to retaining and attracting leading scholars to the campus to engage with our students.

Our campaign efforts also focus on supporting initiatives that will broaden the legal knowledge our students gain in the classroom. We offer meaningful international internships, exchange opportunities and global learning experiences to equip our students with the knowledge and skills necessary to succeed in the global economy.

\$25 Million Campaign

Faculty of Law	Goal
Develop Leaders	\$8,890,000
Ignite Discovery	\$9,700,000
Inspire Learning	\$4,250,000
Build Tomorrow	\$2,200,000
Total	\$25,040,000



Progress to Date (as of April 30, 2014)



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- Iain Scott,
Dean, Western Law

Develop Leaders: Student Awards and Programs - \$8.89 million

Western Law offers awards, scholarships and bursaries to attract and recognize bright, hard-working students. Whether based on academic achievement, involvement in extracurricular activities or financial need, this support provides meaningful recognition and ensures access to education.

- Clinical Support
- Summer Law Internship Awards
- Enhanced Scholarships
- Bursaries/Financial Need Awards
- Western Law Fund

Ignite Discovery Research & Academic Programs - \$9.7 million

Western Law is committed to giving our students exposure to leading legal scholars who examine a diverse range of legal issues to help equip our students with the tools they need to provide exceptional leadership. For example, we attract fellows to teach a variety of specialized topics through our January Term Program.

- Forums (Sport Law, Tax, Finance, Corporate Social Responsibility, Public Law, IT & IP, Health Law and Policy)
- Lecture Series/Workshops
- Mining Law & Finance Program
- January Term Program

Join our Campaign

The support of the entire Western family of exceptional alumni and generous donors is essential to ensuring we have the resources needed to enable our students and faculty to achieve the extraordinary.

We invite you to join our remarkable journey and invest in opportunities to develop the next generation of global-ready leaders and deliver inspired learning and innovative discovery that will address the world's challenges.

Be part of something that's already part of you. Be extraordinary.

To make a gift online, visit extraordinary.westernu.ca

Consider making a bequest. Including Western in your Will is one of the easiest ways to make a substantial gift to the University and create a legacy for future generations without diminishing your assets today.

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Inspire Learning Faculty Leadership - \$4.25 million

Western Law is investing in our current faculty talent by augmenting the curriculum and conducting research to enhance our students' learning experience.

The following initiatives attract acclaimed academics and renowned lawyers to teach new perspectives.

- Two chairs established—funding secured
- Faculty fellowships

Build Tomorrow Infrastructure - \$2.2 million

While establishing new infrastructure is the smallest component of our priorities, the need is no less critical and a responsibility we do not take lightly. Infrastructure projects provide the very foundation that enables students and faculty to realize their academic and professional goals.

- Clinics Space
- Smart Classroom
- Student Commons
- Learning Commons
- Chambers Café

Faculty of Law Donors

We would like to recognize the following donors who have given or pledged \$1,000 or more to Western's Faculty of Law between May 1, 2013 and April 30, 2014.

We also wish to thank those donors who have chosen to remain anonymous and those who have made previous commitments to the Faculty of Law.

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