

Public Law and Human Rights News

[Graham Gee's research cited in House of Lords debate \(/schools/law/news/2015/07/gee-house-lords-citation.aspx\)](/schools/law/news/2015/07/gee-house-lords-citation.aspx)

On 7 July, the main conclusions of a book co-authored by Graham Gee, a Senior Lecturer in the Law School, were cited in a debate in the House of Lords on the office of Lord Chancellor.

30/07/2015

[Birmingham Law Academic participates in Roundtable on the Non-Western Subject in Global Politics and International Law \(/schools/law/news/2015/07/kumar-roundtable.aspx\)](/schools/law/news/2015/07/kumar-roundtable.aspx)

Dr Vidya Kumar, Lecturer in Law at Birmingham Law School, participated in a roundtable entitled "Emancipation Without Agenda: The recovery of Non-Western Subjecthood and Its Implications for the Study of World Politics" hosted by the School of Government and Society on 14 May 2015.

01/07/2015

[LCJ Speaks at Launch of Senior Lecturer's Book on The Politics of Judicial Independence \(/schools/law/news/2015/07/gee-book-launch.aspx\)](/schools/law/news/2015/07/gee-book-launch.aspx)

On 22 June the Lord Chief Justice, Lord Thomas, gave the keynote lecture at a conference to celebrate the publication of The Politics of Judicial Independence in the UK's Changing Constitution, a book co-authored by Graham Gee, a Senior Lecturer at the Law School.

01/07/2015

[Birmingham Law School celebrates 800th Anniversary of Magna Carta \(/schools/law/news/2015/06/magna-carta.aspx\)](/schools/law/news/2015/06/magna-carta.aspx)

On Thursday 18 June 2015 the High Sheriff of the West Midlands, Jonnie Turpie MBE, hosted a reception in the University's Bramall Music Building to celebrate the 800th anniversary of the Magna Carta. Speakers included Canon Chris Pullin, Chancellor of Hereford Cathedral and custodian of one of the 1217 editions of the Magna Carta, and Joshua Rozenberg, the country's leading legal journalist and presenter of BBC Radio 4's Law in Action.

19/06/2015

[International Human Rights Keynote in Brussels \(/schools/law/news/2015/05/kumar-keynote.aspx\)](/schools/law/news/2015/05/kumar-keynote.aspx)

Dr Vidya Kumar, Lecturer in Law at Birmingham Law School, gave a keynote speech at the 'Getting Closure: Human Rights after Human Rights' conference in May hosted at the Université Libre de Bruxelles (ULB).

22/05/2015

[Dr Bharat Malkani to speak on Capital Punishment at Hay Festival \(https://www.hayfestival.com/p-9752-bharat-malkani.aspx\)](https://www.hayfestival.com/p-9752-bharat-malkani.aspx)

On 26 May 2015, the 50th anniversary of the last execution to take place in the UK, Dr Malkani, a lecturer at Birmingham Law School, discusses why we are better off without the death penalty and why British efforts to promote the worldwide abolition of capital punishment should be supported.

08/04/2015

[We are all Charlie Hebdo - and this is an attack on our rights \(http://theconversation.com/we-are-all-charlie-hebdo-and-this-is-an-attack-on-our-rights-35978\)](http://theconversation.com/we-are-all-charlie-hebdo-and-this-is-an-attack-on-our-rights-35978)

Birmingham Law School's Dr Rosa Freedman writes for The Conversation

08/01/2015

[Students at Birmingham Law School codify the UK's Constitution \(or part of it at least\)! \(/schools/law/news/2014/12/students-codify-constitution.aspx\)](/schools/law/news/2014/12/students-codify-constitution.aspx)

Over 300 first year students at Birmingham Law School have participated in a competition to draft a preamble to a modern UK constitution that is being run by the House of Commons Political and Constitutional Reform Committee.

16/12/2014

[Graham Gee cited extensively by House of Lords Constitution Committee \(/schools/law/news/2014/12/gee-hol-constitution.aspx\)](/schools/law/news/2014/12/gee-hol-constitution.aspx)

The House of Lords Select Committee on the Constitution has issued its report on the Office of Lord Chancellor in which it cites extensively from the evidence of Graham Gee, a Senior Lecturer at Birmingham Law School.

12/12/2014

[Law Society's Human Rights Week events \(http://communities.lawsociety.org.uk/human-rights/news-and-events/events/human-rights-week/\)](http://communities.lawsociety.org.uk/human-rights/news-and-events/events/human-rights-week/)

Events co-organised by Birmingham Law School's Dr Rosa Freedman

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