

Centre for Applied Human Rights

Learning from Human Rights Defenders Seminar Series (Spring 2012)

The Centre for Applied Human Rights hosts up to 10 human rights defenders at risk through its innovative Protective Fellowship scheme. In this new seminar series, human rights defenders from around the world share their experiences and discuss the challenges they face with the University community and the wider public.

Thursday, 26 January

Political Prisoners in Burma

Min Min, Assistance Association for Political Prisoners in Burma

Thursday, 2 February

Protecting Human Rights Defenders in Burundi, Congo and Rwanda

Pascal Nyilibakwe, League for Human Rights in the Great Lakes Region

Thursday, 16 February

The Struggle for Women's Rights in Rural Pakistan

Khalid Usman, Khwendo Kor

Thursday, 23 February

Fighting Discrimination Against Persons Living with HIV in Somaliland

Guleid Osman Abdikarim, Talowadag Coalition

Thursday, 8 March

Litigating Against Mexico at the Inter-American Court of Human Rights

Juan Carlos Gutierrez Contreras, Mexican Commission for the Promotion of Human Rights

All seminars are held from 1:15-2:15 pm in the Law and Management Building, Room 030 on the Heslington East campus.