



RELAW: Revitalizing Indigenous Law for Land, Air and Water

RELAW 2020-21 Co-learning Program Introductory Webinar Series

Join us in the RELAW Program's Virtual "Retreat" Webinar Series

May 19 - June 4, 2020

Every Tuesday & Thursday 2:00 – 4:00 PM

Week 1

May 19 & 21 at 2:00 – 4:00 PM

The Big Picture: Establishing Virtual Relationships & the RELAW Program

The first week we will be establishing safe virtual relationships while getting familiar with the overall RELAW program and each other's RELAW projects. Participants who are not currently working on a RELAW project are welcome – bring your ideas and dreams for what Indigenous law revitalization might mean for your nation. This will be an introduction to work with Indigenous law. This first week will be hosted by West Coast and past & present RELAW partner(s).

Week 2

May 26 & 28 at 2:00 – 4:00 PM

Working with Stories: Indigenous Law Research Unit Methodology

In the second week, we will explore the role of stories in communicating the unique legal traditions of Indigenous peoples. We introduce an approach developed by the Indigenous Law Research Unit at the University of Victoria for engaging with the teachings found in the stories. This approach is accessible for participants regardless of their language ability or previous knowledge of their stories and law.

Week 3

June 2 & 4 at 2:00 – 4:00 PM

On the Ground: Trauma-informed Facilitation in Community Dialogue

The third week we will learn about ways to host healthy dialogue in community with knowledge holders from a trauma-informed approach hosted by Jessie Hemphill, an Indigenous planner, with learnings from past & present RELAW [community guides](#).