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# Indigenous Law Issues 2024

CHAIR: **Bernd Christmas**, Senior Counsel, *JFK Law LLP*

**April 3, 2024**

**9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.**

**Total CPD Hours = 3 h Substantive + 30 m EDI Professionalism **

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## **Agenda**

**9:00 a.m. – 9:05 a.m.**

**Welcome**

Bernd Christmas, Senior Counsel, *JFK Law LLP*

**9:05 a.m. – 9:33 a.m.**

**Update on Métis Legal Issues (5 m )**

Frank Meness, *Kim Alexander Fullerton, Barristers & Solicitors*

**9:33 a.m. – 10:01 a.m.**

**Aboriginal Law at the S.C.C. - An Update (5 m )**

Eugene Meehan, K.C., *Supreme Advocacy LLP*, Ottawa  
(Former Executive Legal Officer S.C.C.)

- 10:01 a.m. – 10:29 a.m.**      **Bill C-53, *Recognition of Certain Métis Governments in Alberta, Ontario and Saskatchewan, and Métis Self-Government Act* (5 m 🗣️)**
- Jason Madden, *Aird & Berlis LLP*
- 10:29 a.m. – 10:39 a.m.**      **Question and Answer Session**
- 10:39 a.m. – 10:59 a.m.**      **Break**
- 10:59 a.m. – 11:27 a.m.**      **UNDRIP and the Implementation Efforts Across Canada (5 m 🗣️)**
- Sara Mainville, *JFK Law LLP*
- 11:27 a.m. – 11:55 a.m.**      **Trends in Indigenous Equity Participation in Projects in Canada (5 m 🗣️)**
- Amy Carruthers, *Fasken Martineau DuMoulin LLP*
- Sophie Langlois, *Fasken Martineau DuMoulin LLP*
- 11:55 a.m. – 12:23 p.m.**      **First Nations Housing Class Action (5 m 🗣️)**
- Rachel Chan, *McCarthy Tétrault LLP*
- Alana Robert, *McCarthy Tétrault LLP*
- H. Michael Rosenberg, *McCarthy Tétrault LLP*
- 12:23 p.m. – 12:30 p.m.**      **Question and Answer Session**
- 12:30 p.m.**      **Program Ends**