

The Law Society of British Columbia and the Jack Webster Foundation invite journalists to the 2021 Law and the Media Workshop

Vancouver, March 30, 2021 – On April 28, 2021, the Law Society and the Jack Webster Foundation present “When Journalists Investigate: How to Navigate a Story with High Stakes and Deep Consequences” the 2021 Law and the Media Workshop. The Law and the Media Workshop offers an opportunity for journalists, student journalists and journalism educators to refresh and enhance their knowledge of the laws around reporting and journalism.

In this year’s workshop, explore the legal pitfalls and implications when a journalist gets caught up in a missing person’s case. A panel of experts will follow an unfolding scenario and provide insights on navigating police, tipsters, prisons, court access, a family’s grief and major potential for defamation.

Sign up for this [free](#) interactive workshop and be informed by the 2021 panel members:



Dan Burnett, QC, Media Lawyer, Owen Bird Law Corporation



John L. Daly, 980 CKNW/Investigative Reporter



Cassidy Olivier, City Editor, The Vancouver Sun/The Province



Farid Muttalib, Legal Counsel, CBC/Radio-Canada

Date: Wednesday, April 28, 2021

Time: 7 pm - 8:30 p.m.

Where: Online via Zoom.

Admission is free. Reserve your place for this entertaining, interactive and informative seminar by emailing the Jack Webster Foundation at info@jackwebster.com and provide your name, title, and media/ organization you represent.

The Law Society of British Columbia regulates the legal profession in BC, protecting the public interest in the administration of justice by setting and enforcing standards of professional conduct for lawyers.

The Jack Webster Foundation was established in 1986, upon the retirement of its namesake, who was Western Canada's best-known and most influential reporter, in order to foster and celebrate excellence in journalism, protect the public interest for British Columbian's, and create a community where trusted outstanding journalism thrives.

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