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## Legal Research and Writing Special Interest Group (SIG)

### **Background:**

The Legal Research and Writing Special Interest Group (LRW SIG) of the Canadian Association of Law Libraries was established in 2015. It is a network of CALL/ACBD Members with a special interest in the teaching of legal research and writing skills. The primary mission of this group is to provide a forum for discussion on topics related to classroom, small group and one-on-one instruction and to organize educational programs related to these topics. The group encourages open communication with non-librarian LRW professionals in Canada, and it promotes the sharing of information, ideas and teaching tools.

### **Mandate:**

- To support the work and professional development of law librarians with a special interest in teaching legal research and writing or who provide reference and/or instructional services to patrons;
- To provide a forum for discussion and collaboration among law librarians and non-librarian LRW professionals in Canada; and,
- To organize educational programs focusing on LRW instructional matters which are of interest to CALL/ACBD members.