



Socio-Legal Studies

PhD



York's interdisciplinary program in Socio-Legal Studies builds on York's long tradition of law & society teaching and research. The PhD in Socio-Legal Studies is at the vanguard of a growing number of postgraduate programs in Europe and North America in interdisciplinary legal studies. Our PhD is the first such doctoral program in Canada that is not based in a law school. Students who are accepted into our program will join faculty with a strong commitment to research and scholarship. Our program consists of scholars drawn from law and society, criminology, political science, sociology, psychology, history, communication studies, women's studies, and law.

Details of Degree

- 4 years

Core Fields

- Socio-Legal Theory
- Crime, Law and Governance
- Comparative and Historical Perspectives in Law

York Graduate Funding

Current Academic Year

YEARLY FUNDING PACKAGE	
Domestic	International
\$26,444	\$38,668

Funding available for up to 5 years.

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• yorku.ca/gradstudies/students/future-students
• futurestudents.yorku.ca/events/graduate

Admission Requirements

- › Applicants for the PhD program must have a master's degree with a minimum B+ average from a recognized university, with a minimum B+ average, or the equivalent, in a relevant social science or humanities program (e.g., sociology; criminology; law and society; political science; women's studies; history; philosophy).

Documents to Submit

- › Transcripts (all university studies)
- › References (3)
- › Statement of Interest
- › Resume/CV
- › Sample of Written Work
- › Supplementary Information Form

- › ELP Test Score, if applicable
- › IELTS: 7.5 Academic
- › TOEFL: 100
- › Duolingo: 140

Deadlines

Domestic	International
Jan 15	Jan 15