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## ***Women's Legal Landmarks – In Conversation***

In the centenary year of women's formal admission to the legal profession, the Institute of Advanced Legal Studies will host a series of talks exploring legal landmarks for women.

All speakers were participants in the groundbreaking Women's Legal Landmarks Project led by Erika Rackley and Rosemary Auchmuty. The collection –*Women's Legal Landmarks: Celebrating the History of Women and Law in the UK*, published by Hart Publishing, Bloomsbury – containing all 93 landmarks is out now. Follow us on Twitter @wlegallandmarks.

**The Conversations will take place at the Institute of Advanced Legal Studies between 5-6pm. They are free, but advance booking is required: <https://ials.sas.ac.uk/events>.**

**All welcome.**

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13 February 2019	<b>Sex Discrimination Act 1975</b> <i>Anne Morris</i> <b>Sex Discrimination (Election Candidates) Act 2002</b> <i>Sue Atkins</i>
13 March 2019	<b>First women's refuge, 1971</b> <i>Felicity Kaganas</i> <b>First Rape Crisis Centre, 1976</b> <i>Alison Diduck</i>
10 April 2019	<b><i>A Brief Summary of the Most Important Laws Concerning Women, Barbara Leigh Smith Bodichon, 1854</i></b> <i>Joanne Conaghan</i> <b>Greenham Common Women's Peace Camp, 1981-2000</b> <i>Elizabeth Woodcraft</i>
15 May 2019	<b>Health (Family Planning) Act 1979</b> <i>Máiréad Enright</i> <b>Thirty-sixth Amendment to the Irish Constitution, 2018</b> <i>Fiona de Londras</i>
12 June 2019	<b>Section 5(1) of the Criminal Law Amendment Act 1885</b> <i>Lois Bibbings</i> <b><i>R v Jackson (1891)</i></b> <i>Teresa Sutton</i>

11 September 2019

**Match Women's Strike, 1888**

*Jacqueline Lane*

**Dagenham car plant strike, 1968**

*Dawn Watkins*

16 October 2019

***A Pageant of Great Women, Cicely Hamilton, 1909-1912***

*Katharine Cockin*

***DPP v Jonathan Cape and Leopold Hill (1928)***

*Caroline Derry*

13 November 2019

**Married Women's Property Act 1882**

*Andy Hayward*

**Married Women's Property Act 1964**

*Sharon Thompson*

11 December 2019

**Sex Disqualification (Removal) Act 1919**

*Mari Takayanagi*