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Law in entertainment

Movies

A Time to Kill	Disclosure	
The Firm	A Few Good Men	
The Suspect	The Client	
The Accused	The Pelican Brief	
Burden of Proof	Jagged Edge	Witness
Kramer vs. Kramer		
The Juror	Regarding Henry	

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Television

NYPD Blues	Law and Order
Homicide	Street Legal
Murder One	Civil Wars
Cop Rock	Matlock
Diagnosis Murder	Perry Mason
Almost Perfect	Night Court
L.A. Law	Hill Street Blues
New York Undercover	

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Law and jurisdictions

Law **Geography** **Maker**

Drinking:

when and where

City

Council

sale of alcohol

in stores

BC

Legislature

location of stores

City

Council

& driving

Canada

Parliament

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Law and jurisdictions

<u>Law</u>	<u>Geography</u>	<u>Maker</u>
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Cars & Traffic:

parking	City	Council
driving	BC	Legislature
licences	BC	Legislature
insurance	BC	Legislature

Housing

Mortgages	BC	Legislature
Renting	BC	Legislature

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Taxes

sales	BC	Legislature
income	Canada	Parliament
	BC	Legislature
GST	Canada	Legislature

<i>Copyright</i>	Canada	Parliament
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Law in the News

Legal reports

CNN

NBC

CBC

Burden of Proof

Court TV

Live Courts on TV

The People's Court

The Judge

Divorce Court

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**Topic: continual stream of legal
information and its effects**

Audience: public legal educators

Outline:

**experience with the legal curriculum
problem with the legal curriculum
need for a critical perspective
tools for a critical assessment
possibilities for public legal
educators**

Components:

**overheads
activities
participant's handbook
local resources**

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flipchart, portable

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Critical attitude/
Tools for analysis

Law in the media

facts

place

time

source of law

credibility of source

identification/relationship

confirmation

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Critical attitude/

Tools for analysis

Confirmation of law in the media

Peoples Law School

Dial-a-Law

Law Line

ACJNet

Law Courts Legal Education

Libraries

Lawyer Referral

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