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**Contact Info:**

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Legal History Consortium Speaker Series: Michelle McKinley

Time: 12:00pm - 1:15pm

Location: Faculty Lounge, Silverman 144

Professor McKinley, the Bernard B. Kliks Associate Professor of Law at the University of Oregon School of Law and a fellow with Princeton University's [Program in Law and Public Affairs \(LAPA\)](#), will present, "Fractional Freedoms: Slavery, Intimacy, and Legal Mobilization in Colonial Lima, 1600-1700."

Michelle McKinley is the Bernard B. Kliks Associate Professor of Law at the University of Oregon School of Law. McKinley's research interests encompass legal anthropology and legal history, particularly Latin American legal history, comparative slavery studies, Atlantic World, gender, race/ethnicity in the Americas. She is also interested in citizenship and immigration. McKinley teaches in the areas of immigration, public international law, international criminal law and transitional justice, and the law of slavery. Her scholarship has been supported by the ACLS; the NEH, the American Philosophical Society, and the NSF. She is completing a manuscript, "Fractional Freedoms," which examines paths to liberty and legal mobilization among enslaved litigants in early modern Iberoamerica.

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