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Ms. Patti Kemp

SESSION 309

Trading Places: Immigration and Human Rights Law

Join Patti Kemp, a qualified lawyer in England and Canada, as she talks about her experiences working in immigration and human rights law in the UK, the history of immigration in Canada and the relationship between domestic immigration laws and international human rights instruments. Her talk will be of interest to anyone who would like to gain a greater understanding of refugee and humanitarian immigration or for those who seek a better understanding of refugee or vulnerable immigrant patients.

Participants will gain:

- 1. An overview of the history of immigration in Canada.
- 2. A general understanding of the relationship between immigration law and international human rights instruments.
- 3. Enhanced understanding of immigrant and refugee experiences which could be useful when seeing those patients in a clinical setting.