

Book Launch Video: Malcolm Lavoie, Trade and Commerce: Canada's Economic Constitution

In recent decades, the economic framework of Canada's Constitution has been routinely neglected by judges, scholars and commentators. To fill this gap, Malcolm Lavoie's new book, *Trade and Commerce*, sheds light on a lost understanding of how the Constitution structures economic relations, including through foundational commitments to property rights, local governmental autonomy, and the principle of subsidiarity.