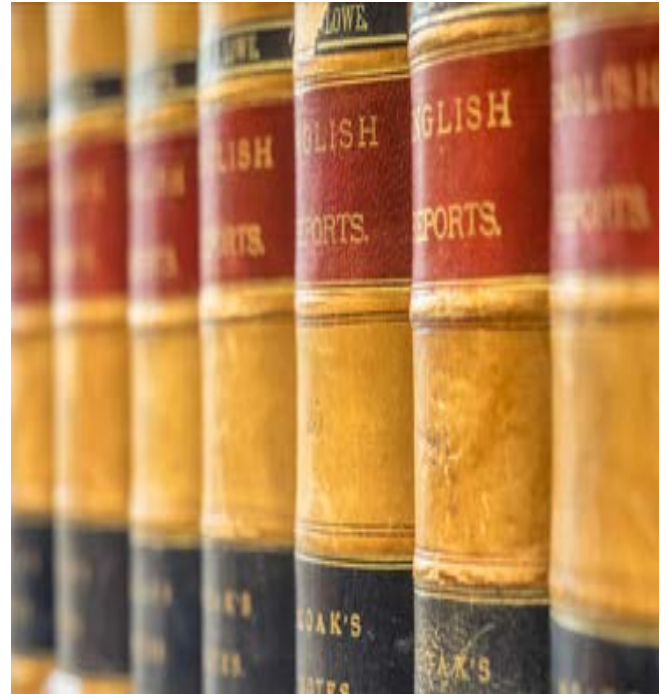


# Safeguarding Adults: A new legal framework



**Seminar 1: 'Building the Care Act: evidence-based policy or policy-based evidence?'**

**When:** 10.am – 4.pm,  
Friday 22nd January 2016

**Where:** The Salvin Room,  
Keele Hall, Keele  
University



## SALLY

Welcome to the ESRC funded 'Safeguarding Adults and Legal Literacy' or 'SALLY' seminar series investigating the impact of the Care Act

The theme for the seminars in the first year of this three years series is **'Making Law'**. We aim to theorise the process of law reform, exploring the interplay in making law between research and practice evidence, policy, advocacy and political debate.

The first seminar provides an opportunity to **reflect on law-making contributions** of researchers, civil society organisations, pressure and advocacy groups, statutory health and welfare agencies and judicial decision-making.

The second seminar considers the **construction and conceptualisation of categories of abuse**, including the inclusion in the statutory guidance of 'new' categories of self-neglect, domestic violence and modern slavery.

The third seminar comprises a **comparative perspective** to consider how new rules in England came to diverge, why settlement in Scotland was earlier and included different legal powers and how debates in Northern Ireland concerning law reform might unfold.

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