

The dangers in changing the law of double jeopardy - A lesson from England & Wales



Julian Young and Judy Ramjeet

Solicitor Advocates, Julian Young & Co, UK

Thursday, 19 April 2012, 1:00 – 2:00 pm
Room 403, 4/F T.T. Tsui Building,
The University of Hong Kong

The lecture will examine the recent changes in the law of England and warn Hong Kong of potential pitfalls. The first of the decided cases from the Court of Appeal [Criminal Division] will be examined in detail. They will also refer to the case of *R v Hodgson* (2009) EWCA 490 when Sean Hodgson was released after 27 years for a murder he had not committed. He was represented before the Lord Chief Justice by Julian Young in the Court of Appeal and Solicitor Judy Ramjeet.

Julian Young and **Judy Ramjeet** are Solicitor Advocates in the UK. They have extensive experience in all areas of criminal litigation. Julian Young regularly appears in the Crown Court and Court of Appeal (Criminal division). He frequently speaks on legal issues to national and international news organisations including the BBC, CNN and Sky News and has also written extensively on legal topics including for *The Times*, *Independent* and *Guardian* newspapers and the *Law Society Gazette*. The speakers have also lectured at the Universities of Oxford, Cambridge and Harvard.

Please email Flora Leung at fkleung@hku.hk to reserve a place.