## **Dr. Bruce Curran Biography**

Bruce Curran has been on faculty at the University of Manitoba Faculty of Law for seven years, and is currently an Associate Professor there. He has a diverse and extensive academic background. He earned a Bachelor of Laws from Western; a Master of Industrial Relations from the University of Toronto; and a Masters of Law in Alternative Dispute Resolution from Osgoode Hall Law School. Professor Curran has also earned a Ph.D. from the University of Toronto's Centre for Industrial Relations and Human Resources, which has a rigorous emphasis on empirical methodology.

Professor Curran is primarily focused on using empirical methods to study labour & employment law and dispute resolution. Doctor Curran has published numerous peer-reviewed articles and chapters, many of which utilize sophisticated statistical analysis. Professor Curran is also a member of the national Labour Law Casebook Group, a group of Professors from across Canada who have published the authoriative Canadian casebook for labour and employment law, and is currently drafting the third edition of Irwin Law's Individual Employment Law text with Professor Sara Slinn.

Dr. Curran is also an outstanding teacher, and has received a number of awards and honours. He is passionate about teaching many different areas of law, especially labour and employment law, dispute resolution, negotiation, contracts, trusts, and human rights. He is especially interested in experiential and multi-disciplinary approaches to teaching.