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KEYNOTE SPEAKER



Professor Ellialti-Köse

WHOSE STORIES COUNT? RETHINKING JUSTICE AND INSTITUTIONAL ACCOUNTABILITY

Meet Tuğçe Ellialti-Köse, an Assistant Professor in the Department of Sociology and Anthropology at the University of Guelph. She received her PhD in Sociology from the University of Pennsylvania. Her research examines how law, medicine, and science shape institutional responses to gender-based violence, bridging sociology of law, criminal justice, and socio-legal studies. She focuses on how expert knowledge and state systems influence processes of justice and social accountability, drawing on feminist perspectives to understand governance and inequalities. Her recent work analyzes the impact of #MeToo on Canadian media coverage of sexual violence. Dr. Ellialti-Köse has published on sexual violence, law, legal reforms, and media, and is recognized as an award-winning educator, supervisor, and mentor.

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