

# Peace, Order and (Good) Translation

## An Idea and a Commitment that Shaped Canada

**Jane Koustas** will address in her presentation the shaping of the Canadian nation and Canadian identity through the constitutional commitment to bilingualism. Claiming that the presence and translation of the Other is an idea that shaped Canada, she will discuss the importance of translation, particularly that of Quebec literature into English, in the understanding and conceptualization of nation and nationhood.

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