

Werewolves, Wolves and the Gothic

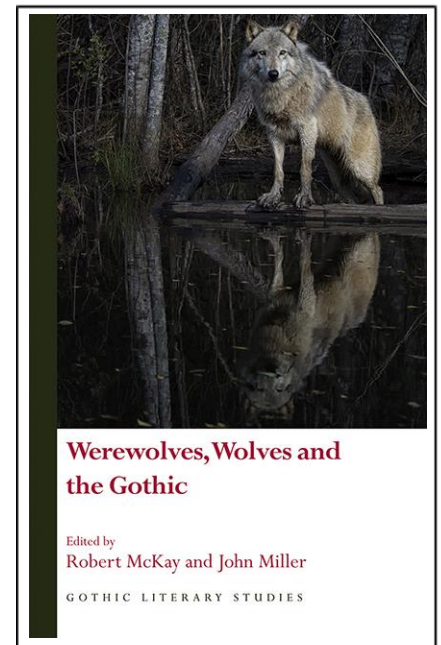
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Market:

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Blurb:

Wolves lope across Gothic imagination. Signs of a pure animality opposed to humanity, in the figure of the werewolf they become liminal creatures that move between the human and the animal. Werewolves function as a site for exploring complex anxieties of difference – of gender, class, race, space, nation or sexuality – but the imaginative and ideological uses of wolves also reflect back on the lives of material animals, long persecuted in their declining habitats across the world. Werewolves therefore raise unsettling questions about the intersection of the real and the imaginary, the instability of human identities and the worldliness and political weight of the Gothic.

This is the first volume concerned with the appearance of werewolves and wolves in literary and cultural texts from the mid-nineteenth century to the present. Drawing on representations of werewolves and wolves in literature, film, television and visual culture, the essays investigate the key texts of the lycanthropic canon alongside lesser-known works from the 1890s to the present. The result is an innovative study that is both theoretically aware and historically nuanced, featuring an international list of established and emerging scholars based in Britain, Europe, North America and Australia.

Key Selling Points:

- Investigates representations of werewolves and wolves in literature, film, TV and visual culture, including key texts like *Dracula* and *Twilight* alongside some less well known works
- Explores the complexity of human and animal relationships in the depiction of wolves and werewolves
- Examines the connection of ideas about animals to questions of race, gender and sexuality
- Develops the engagement between animal studies and gothic studies

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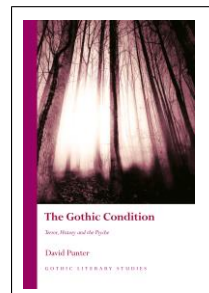
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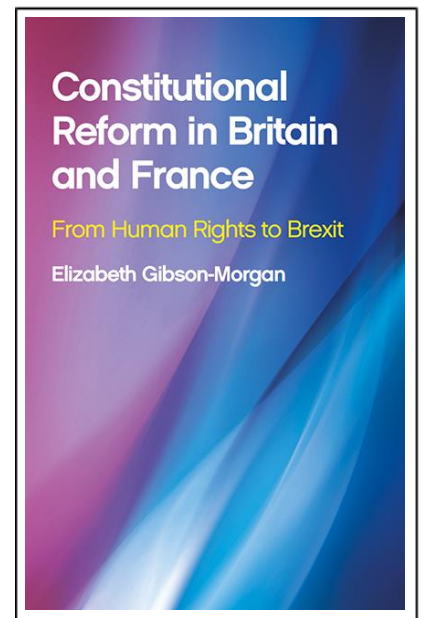
Constitutional Reform in Britain and France

From Human Rights to Brexit

Elizabeth Gibson-Morgan

September 2017

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Market:

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Blurb:

Any attempt at comparing contemporary change in the UK and France is a bold one, since it means discussing two very different countries with strong distinctive constitutional identities. This book places its emphasis on the shared historical, political and cultural background of the UK and France, before focusing on the sweeping transformation of their constitutional frameworks in the past quarter of a century at a national and regional level – with a particular emphasis on Wales and Scotland – which culminated in the June 2016 referendum on Britain’s EU membership. Instead of examining each country separately, however, as is traditional, this study breaks new ground by explaining the pattern of institutional development in Britain and France from a comparative Franco-British perspective. It explores the complexities of recent constitutional change in both countries in an original and comprehensive way, and gives both British and French readers a deeper understanding of the two countries that have so much in common even though Brexit could drive them apart.

Key Selling Points:

- This book provides a unique comparison between contemporary constitutional change in the UK and France providing historical, cultural, political, and legal background and material.
- It makes usually highly complex technical legal issues accessible to all.
- It provides a resolutely constructive optimistic approach.

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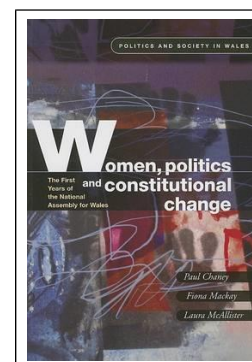
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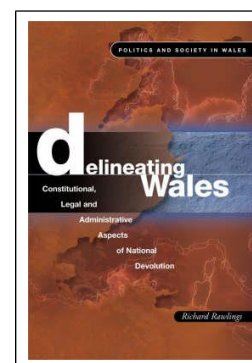


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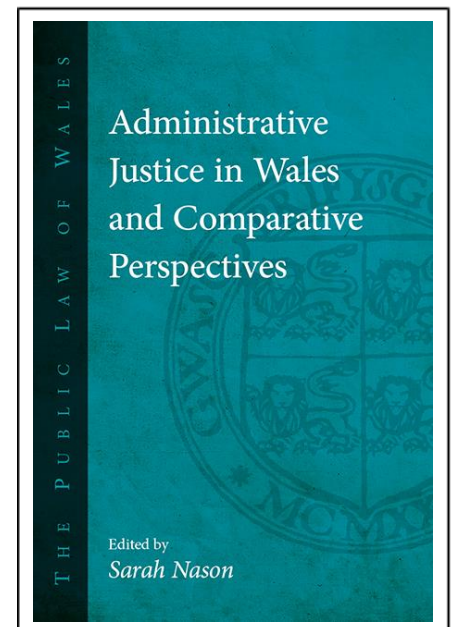
Administrative Justice in Wales and Comparative Perspectives

Edited by Sarah Nason

Series: The Public Law of Wales

September 2017

£110 • HB • 9781786831392 • 234 x 156mm • 448pp



Market:

Targeted at students and academics in legal, socio-legal, administrative justice, social scientists, sociologists, social policy, Welsh language, public administration, economists, psychologists, historians, law and devolved governance fields. May also appeal to barristers and solicitors specialising in public law, civil servants, public service providers, judges, political branches of the state, court and tribunal members and voluntary sector service providers offering advice in legal matters.

Blurb:

This book offers a unique understanding of what administrative justice means in Wales and for Wales, whilst also providing an expert and timely analysis of comparative developments in law and administration. It includes critical analysis of distinctly Welsh administrative laws and redress measures, whilst examining contemporary administrative justice issues across a range of common and civil law, European and international jurisdictions. Key issues include the roles of commissioners, administrative courts, tribunals and ombudsmen in devolved and federal nations, and evolving relationships between citizens and the state – especially in the context of localisation and austerity – and will be of interest to legal and public administration professionals at home and internationally.

Key Selling Points:

- It is the first book to examine contemporary issues in administrative justice with a specific focus on issues facing the Welsh system of administrative justice in the context of devolution and social and constitutional change
- It is also of great importance to other legal jurisdictions, not only in the UK but also at European and Australian jurisdictions
- Individual chapters provide specific information about particular issues and institutions and expert commentary on the general development of administrative law concepts, values and principles which will stand the test of time even as institutions and specific laws are reformed
- The individual contributors are distinguished experts in their respective fields

Author Details:

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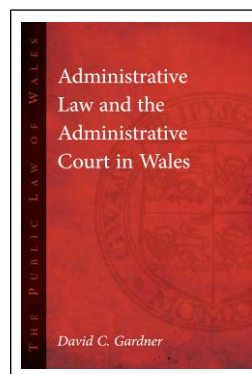
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David C. Gardner

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Rhodri

A Political Life in Wales and Westminster

Rhodri Morgan

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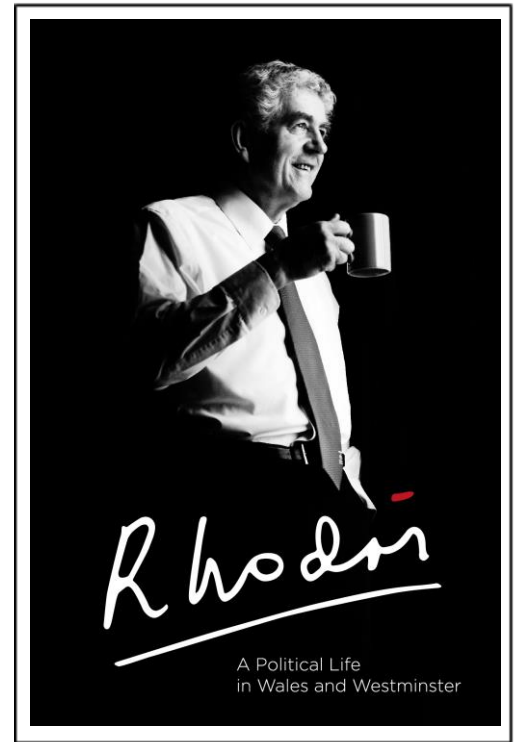
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Key Selling Points:

- Political autobiography of former First Minister of Wales and Welsh Labour leader, Rhodri Morgan.
- This book offers insight to the workings of the Welsh Government and challenges of dealing with coalition government arrangements.
- Discusses how the stress of his political career landed him in hospital receiving heart surgery.

Author Details:

Rhodri Morgan was the former First Minister of Wales and Welsh Labour leader.



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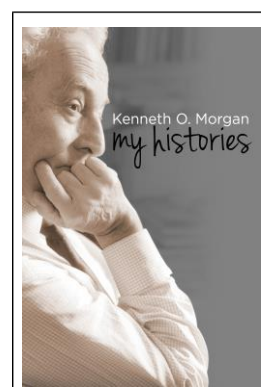
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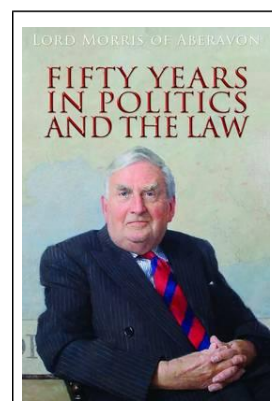


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