

## A CCPL Lunchtime Seminar

HARASSMENT, NUISANCE AND (UN)NEIGHBOURLY DISPUTES –
A NEW NEIGHBOUR PRINCIPLE?
RECENT STATUTORY REFORMS IN SINGAPORE

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SMALL MOOT COURT, ROOM 723, 7/F
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This talk will cover the tort of harassment and the tort of interference with enjoyment or use of place of residence. Professor Amirthalingam will compare the common law with the statutory regime and raise questions about the balance between individual liberty and communal harmony as well as the interaction of these torts with free speech and property rights.

**Professor Kumaralingam Amirthalingam** obtained his LLB (Hons) and PhD in Law from the Australian National University where he commenced his academic career. He joined the Faculty of Law, National University of Singapore in 2000 and over the years has served as Vice Dean (Academic Affairs), Vice Dean (International Programmes) and Director, Asian Law Institute. He spent two years on secondment to the Attorney-General's Chambers, Singapore as Deputy Public Prosecutor and Senior Director (Research and Policy). He is presently the Chair of the NUS Teaching Academy. His research interests are in Criminal Justice (focusing on the role of the Public Prosecutor) and the Law of Torts (focusing on medical liability and economic loss).

