

JUNE 24, 2015

7 - 9 pm

**Carnegie Community
Centre Theatre
401 Main St.
Vancouver**

A RIGHT TO FOOD IN CANADA

"Canada has long been seen as a land of plenty, yet today one in 10 families with a child under six is unable to meet their daily food needs, and people are simply too poor to eat decently." – UN Special Rapporteur on the right to food, 2013

Join us as we explore what it means to have a "right to food" in Canada. Come and learn about the BC Civil Liberties Association's right to food project and our research on how Canadian law can be used to enforce the right to food. You'll also hear from a panel of Vancouver experts about what communities are doing in the absence of a rights-based national food strategy and the ways they are working towards food justice and an end to poverty.

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Where: Carnegie Community Centre Theatre
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Who: **Laura Track**, lawyer with the BC Civil Liberties Association and Right to Food project lead

In conversation with:

Paul Taylor, Executive Director,
Gordon Neighbourhood House

Doris Chow, Downtown Eastside
Kitchen Tables Project

Gil Aguilar, BC Poverty Reduction Coalition
and Migrant Workers Dignity Association

Graham Riches, UBC Professor Emeritus

Light refreshments will be provided.

