



## [Conflict Textiles collection: McClay Library, Queen's University, Belfast](#)

March 2021 – April 2022

### Events

#### Launch

The launch took place online at 10.30am, 24th March 2021 to coincide with the [International Day for the Right to the Truth Concerning Gross Human Rights Violations and for the Dignity of Victims \(24 March\)](#). It incorporated contributions from Roberta Bacic, Prof Brandon Hamber, Dr Cheryl Lawther, Prof Kieran McEvoy and Dr Lauren Dempster. The four textiles related to themes and issues of relevance to staff and students across both the Human Rights Centre and the Mitchell Institute.

[Recording of Conflict Textiles Exhibition Launch](#) (55 minutes)

Queen's University Belfast, Human Rights Centre, (29th March, 2021) [Conflict Textiles Exhibition: McClay Library, QUB](#)

#### 'In conversation' style event

Conflict textiles and truth-telling in Chile, Tuesday 2 November 2021, 10:30 - 12:00 (online event)

In this 'in conversation' style event, Roberta Bacic discussed with Lauren Dempster the role of conflict textiles as vehicles for truth-telling, and shared some of her experiences of working for the Chilean truth commission. The discussion was followed by a Q&A session. [Recording of event](#) (1 hour 20 minutes)

#### Podcast

[Podcast - Episode 71 - "Conflict Textiles: Following the Footsteps of the Disappeared"](#) broadcast on 12th November, 2020 by LawPod, the Law School, QUB, facilitated by Dr. Lauren Dempster.

#### Blog post

Blog post by Lauren Dempster, (13th May 2021) [Enforced Disappearance, Conflict Textiles and Human Rights "From Below"](#), published on "Human Rights Preparedness" site.

