This talk will take the theme of the Law & Society Association of Australia & New Zealand (LSAANZ) Conference “Inside Out” to explore the role of first laws – the laws of Indigenous Peoples – within settler legal systems. If settler legal systems wish to realise aspirations for legal reconciliation with Indigenous Peoples, then an important component of this is to recognise Indigenous Peoples’ laws. This talk will consider how the common law and legislation ought to be embracing Indigenous laws. This talk provides a comparative perspective with Aotearoa New Zealand.
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