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JLU School of Law

The JLU School of Law is committed to providing a world-class legal education to a diverse and talented body of students. The students are given exposure to new ideas, international perspectives, and innovative teaching in an encouraging and open academic environment. With a high quality education bolstered by unique work experiences, our graduating students are well equipped with the skills they need to succeed in a diverse set of fields, in India and abroad.

Vision

To bring out the competent legal professionals 'par excellence' with requisite knowledge, skills and character with a commitment towards justice, human values and social welfare.

Mission

School of Law is committed to meet the requirements of legal education through exploring the talents, exposing them to the vistas of the legal knowledge and equipping them to successfully handle the contemporary challenges.

Objectives:

The School of Law is committed to:

- Be one among the top ranked Law Schools
- Develop a team of excellent teachers with knowledge, zeal and commitment
- Develop a full-fledged information centre
- Facilitate research and advanced learning
- Spread the eroding values and ethics to the young minds
- Develop a profession centric approach in the course

Courses offered:

- B.A.,LL.B. (Hons.)
- B.B.A., LLB (Hons.)
- LL.B. (Three Years)
- LL.M. (Corporate and IP Laws)
- LL.M. (Criminal Law and Criminal Justice)
- LL.M. (Cyber Law and Cyber Security)
- M.Phil.
- Ph.D.

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JLU School of Law		
Faculty		
Name	**Designation**	**Qualification**
Prof. (Dr.) Yogendra Kumar Srivastava	Dean Student Welfare Director – JLU-SOL	B.Sc. (Gold Medalist), M.A., LL.M., UGC-NET, LL.D., P.G. Diploma in Human Rights
Dr. Shobha Bhardwaj	Associate Professor	B.A., M.A., LL.B., LL.M., Ph.D.
Dr. Soma Mazumdar	Assistant Professor (SG)	Ph.D., M.Com Financial Management, M.Phil.
Dr. Anita Ladha	Assistant Professor (SG)	Ph.D., LL.M., LL.B., M.A.
Dr. Deevanshu Shrivastava	Assistant Professor (SG)	B.A.LL.B (Hons.), LL.M. (Intellectual Property Laws & Business Law), UGC-NET, Diploma in Cyber Law, Diploma in Medical Law, Ph.D.
Dr. Yash Tiwari	Assistant Professor (SG)	B.A.,LL.B. (Hons.), LL.M., MPSLET, Ph.D.
Dr. Debdatta Chatterjee	Assistant Professor (G-II)	Ph.D., M.Phil., M.A. in History
Mr. Abhishek Kumar Jain	Assistant Professor (G-II)	B.Com, M.B.A., UGC-NET in Management, pursuing Ph.D.
Mr. Ankit Singh	Assistant Professor (G-II)	B.A., LLB (Hons.), LL.M. (Intellectual Property Laws & Business Law), UGC-NET and UGC-JRF, pursuing Ph.D.
Ms. Apoorva Bajpai	Assistant Professor (G-II)	B.A, LLB (Hons.), LL.M. (Human Rights), UGC-NET, pursuing Ph.D.
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Ms. Apoorva Dixit	Assistant Professor (G-I)	B.Com (Hons.), LL.B., LL.M., pursuing Ph.D.
Ms. Pooja Kiyawat	Assistant Professor (G-I)	B.A., LLB (Hons.) with specialization in Energy Laws, LL.M. in Cyber Law and Cyber Security, Diploma in Intellectual Property – Law and Management, pursuing Ph.D.
Mr. Rohit Mishra	Assistant Professor (G-I)	B.Com., M.Com., C.M.A. Inter and pursuing Final, pursuing Ph.D.
Ms. Saumya Shaji	Assistant Professor (G-I)	B.A.,LL.B. (Hons.) LL.M.
Ms. Rashida Husain	Assistant Professor (G-I)	B.A. in English, M.A. in English Literature
Ms. Vidhita Rakhe	Assistant Professor (G-I)	B.A.,LL.B. (Hons.), LL.M., pursuing Ph.D.

1. Ranking, Award, Global Stride, Collaboration & Membership

JLU School of Law achieved tremendous recognition for imparting education par excellence. It has found a mention in the many prestigious magazines and surveys. Here is the glimpse of the glory of the JLU School of Law.

1.1. Ranking

Jagran Lakecity University, JLU School of Law is ranked **6th among the most promising Law Schools in the Country** in the Competition Success Review – Global Human Resource Development Centre Law School Survey 2018

Jagran Lakecity University, JLU School of Law is rated **AAA** by the famous magazine Careers360

Jagran Lakecity University, JLU School of Law is ranked among the **top 10 Law Schools of the nation** by the famous magazine the Knowledge Review

1.2. Award

1.2.1. JLU School of Law declared as 'Featured Law School'

JLU School of Law was awarded 'Featured Law School' in the II National Symposium & Awards organized by Droit Penale: Indian Law Journal on Crime & Criminology and Arjun Das Gulati Memorial Society, Allahbad in collaboration with Faculty of Law, University of Allahbad.

1.3. Global Stride

1.3.1. Law School Leadership Forum organized by IALS

Honourable Vice Chancellor Prof. (Dr.) Anoop Swarup represented Jagran Lakecity University and JLU School of Law at the 2018 Asia-Pacific Law School Leadership Forum organized by the International Association of Law Schools (IALS).

The theme of the workshop was "From Imitation to Innovation" and was hosted by Murdoch University, Perth, Australia. The panel included delegates from various countries.

Prof. (Dr.) Swarup gave a presentation on "Imitation to

Innovation: Learning and Collaborative Opportunities". In his presentation, he dealt with various theme-pertinent domains such as lateral thinking, traditional accreditation, equity access, experiential learning, internationalization of higher education, etc.

The Leadership Forum turned out to be a prolific intellectual exercise which worked towards the realization of the goal of raising the standard of legal education throughout the globe.

1.3.2. Jagran Lakecity University at Tuning India Project

Prof. (Dr.) Yogendra Kumar Srivastava represented the University along with Prof. (Dr.) R. Nesamoorthy, Registrar and Dr. Yasmin Ghani Khan, Principal, JLU School of Education at the workshop of prestigious Tuning Academy Project, held at University of Deusto, Spain. The workshop was organized in line with the objectives of Tuning Academy Project to set global benchmarks for the curriculum in legal education.

In picture: Prof. (Dr.) Yogendra Srivastava at University of Deusto, Spain

1.4. Collaboration & Membership

1.4.1. Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) of Jagran Lakecity University with National Law Institute University, Bhopal

In one of its kind academic collaboration, Jagran Lakecity University signed an MoU with the prestigious National Law Institute University, Bhopal. The scope of this collobration will consist of jointly organizing academic conferences/ workshops/ training programmes/ FDP, sharing of academic resources etc.

In picture – Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, JLU Prof. (Dr.) Anoop Swarup with Hon'ble Vice Chancellor NLIU Bhopal Prof. (Dr.) V. Vijayakumar during the signing of MoU

2. Academic Events

Like previous years in A.Y. 2018-19 JLU School of Law conceptualized and executed academic events which provided wholesome learning and exposure to the students. In these events various legal luminaries visited the University and enlightened the budding lawyers. Find more about the academic details in this section.

2.1. SAARCLAW JLU Moot Court Competition 2019 (III Edition of the JLU Moot Court Competition)

Inaugural Ceremony

Renowned legal luminaries and participants from 30 law institutions from India and SAARC countries witnessed the inaugural ceremony of SAARCLAW-JLU Moot Court Competition 2019. Chief Guest of the Ceremony Honorable Justice Anil Sinha of Supreme Court of Nepal addressed the students in the presence of Chancellor of Jagran Lakecity University Shri. Hari Mohan Gupta and Vice Chancellor Prof. (Dr.) Anoop Swarup. Vice Chancellor of National Law Institute

In picture: (from L to R) Prof. (Dr.) R. Nesamoorthy, Registrar, Prof. (Dr.) V. Vijayakumar, Vice Chancellor, NLIU Bhopal, Hon'ble Chancellor Shri. Hari Mohan Gupta, Hon'ble Mr. Justice Alok Sinha, Supreme Court of India, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor Prof. (Dr.) Anoop Swarup and Prof. (Dr. Yogendra Srivastava, Director, JLU-SOL

University, Bhopal Prof. (Dr.) V. Vijayakumar was the Guest of Honor during the ceremony. Dean, Directors, Heads of various departments were also present in the ceremony.

Justice Anil Sinha, in his key note address opined that law students must obtain experience of litigation which develops fighting spirit in them. He said that a budding lawyer must fight with his own lack of confidence first to conquer any challenge in life with conviction. He then mentioned about his experience in the city of lakes Bhopal to be delightful one.

In pictures: (L) Hon'ble Justice Anil Sinha delivering the Key Note Address, (R) Prof. (Dr.) V. Vijayakumar addressing the gathering

Prof. V. Vijayakumar in his address congratulated the University management for organizing an event of international level in Bhopal. He then motivated all of the participating teams to use their advocacy skills for giving a tough fight to their opponents. Shri. Hari Mohan Gupta applauded efforts of JLU School of Law for setting a benchmark in legal education in Madhya Pradesh. He then welcomed participants who came from various parts of India and other SAARC countries to Bhopal and motivated them to give their best in the competition.

In pictures: (L) Hon'ble Chancellor Shri. Hari Mohan Gupta making his chairman remarks, (R) Hon'ble Vice Chancellor Prof. (Dr.) Anoop Swarup delivering the inaugural address

In the beginning of the ceremony, Dean Student Welfare and Director of JLU School of Law Prof. (Dr.) Yogendra Srivastava delivered the welcome address. Honorable Vice Chancellor Prof. (Dr.) Anoop Swarup delivered the inaugural address in which was enriched with several anecdotes from his experience in international diplomacy. Moot Court Convener Dr. Deevanshu Shrivastava gave a brief introduction of the Moot Preposition and rounds to be conducted in the competition.

In pictures: Audience consisting of participating teams, students of JLU School of Law, Directors & Heads of various Schools and Departments.

Preliminary and Quarter Final Round

Moot problem based on Rohingya refugee crisis tested knowledge and abilities of budding lawyers on the second day of SAARCLAW-JLU Moot Court Competition 2019. Preliminary and Quarter Final rounds produced a fine display of advocacy skills by the participants. To keep the competition absolutely unbiased no student from the organizing University is participating as well as none of the faculty of the University will judge any round in the competition. Renowned personalities from the legal fraternity sat as judge to evaluate performance of the teams. It was an atmosphere of intense competition. Effort and energy put in by the teams was readily visible and impressed everyone.

In pictures: visuals from the preliminary round

Cultural Event

In the midst of grueling competition among the budding lawyers, it was a welcome change to relish some really artistic and colorful performances by the students of JLU School of Law. Dance performances on evergreen songs brought a fresh energy in the gathering. But, the performance that stole the show was the staging of Shakespeare drama 'Macbeth'.

In pictures: Performances of students added a lot of colours to the cultural event

Final Round and the Valedictory Ceremony

The final round consisted of Justice Anil Sinha, Supreme Court of Nepal, Justice Alok Verma, Appellate Authority, Admission and Fee Regulatory Commission, Justice N.K. Jain, Former Judge, High Court of Madhya Pradesh, Prof. (Dr.) M.K. Shrivastava, Designated Vice Chancellor, National Law University, Sikkim and Mr. Rahul Sundaram, Senior Corporate Counsel, Amazon India. Teams of Tamil Nadu Dr. Ambedkar Law University, Chennai and UILS, Chandigarh were the finalists and displayed a thrilling round of arguments.

In picture: (L to R) Hon'ble Justice Alok Verma, Hon'ble Justice N.K. Jain, Hon'ble Justice Anil Sinha, Prof. (Dr.) M.K. Srivastava & Mr. Rahul Sundaram.

The valedictory ceremony was graced by the august presence of Honourable Justice Dipak Misra, Former Chief Justice of India. In his remarkable valedictory address which left the gathering spellbound, he emphasized that a law student must have passion for law and legal profession to excel in the field. Many other luminaries from the law field were present in the ceremony to hear Justice Misra.

In picture: Hon'ble Justice Dipak Misra enlightening the gathering with his words of wisdom.

The first prize of 1.5 Lakhs was bagged by Dr. Ambedkar Law University, Tamil Nadu while UILS, Chandigarh were runners-up with bearing cash prize of Rs. 1 Lakh. Apart from these, the best memorial award went DSNLU, Vishakhapattnam, the best researcher award was bagged by Agnes Mary Jane, Dr. Ambedkar Law University, Tamil Nadu and the best speaker award went to Ms. Stuti Shrivastava, RGNUL, Patiala.

In pictures: (L) Winning Team of Dr. Ambedkar Law University, Tamil Nadu receiving trophy, (R) Runners-up Team of UILS Chandigarh

In picture: Faculty of JLU-SOL with esteemed guests

2.2. Two Day Regional Workshop on "Biodiversity Law and ABS" (January 16 & 17, 2019)

Jagran Lakecity University organized a two-day Regional Workshop on "Biodiversity Law and ABS" on 16th & 17th January, 2019 under the UNDP-GEF (Global ABS Project) on "Strengthening Human Resources, Legal Frameworks and Institutional Capacities to Implement the Nagoya Protocol". This was done in collaboration with United Nations Development Program (UNDP), National Biodiversity Authority (NBA) and National Law School of India University (NLSIU), Bengaluru.

In picture: Esteemed guests, resource persons and participants of the workshop

Leading experts, practitioners, policy makers, researchers and academicians from across India attended the workshop, deliberated & discussed their expertise and experiences on aspects such as; Biodiversity Issues, Sustainable Development and Access & Benefit Sharing (ABS). Prof.(Dr.) V.Vijayakumar, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, NLIU, Bhopal was the Chief Guest while R. Sreenivasa Murthy, IFS, APCCF & Member Secretary, MPSBB was the Guest of Honour in the inaugural session. Prof.(Dr.) Sairam Bhat, Professor & Coordinator, CEERA, NLSIU, Bengaluru delivered the keynote address. Valedictory session was graced by Shri.P.C.Sharma, Hon'ble Minister, Madhya Pradesh and Dr.Pankaj Shrivastava, Director, IIFM, Bhopal.

The workshop culminated with signing of Bhopal Declaration for Biodiversity, which aims to pave the path for future workshops. The faculty and students of Jagran School of Journalism and Communication & JLU School of Law collaborated to make this one of the most successful workshop in the current academic year.

In picture: Prof. (Dr.) Sairam Bhat delivering the theme address

In picture: Hon'ble Minister, Govt. of MP Shri. P.C. Sharma graced the Valedictory Ceremony

In picture: esteemed guests releasing the workshop booklet

2.3. Two Day Advance Level Workshop on "Biodiversity Law and ABS" (April 12 & 13, 2019)

JLU School of Law and Jagran School of Journalism and Communication jointly organized a two-day Advance Level Workshop on "Biodiversity Law and ABS" on 12th & 13th April, 2019 as a follow up to the one done in January 2019 under the UNDP-GEF (Global ABS Project). This was done in collaboration with United Nations Development Program (UNDP), National Biodiversity Authority (NBA) and National Law School of India University (NLSIU), Bengaluru.

In picture: Prof. (Dr.) M.K Ramesh delivering the key note address

Prof. (Dr.) M.K Ramesh, Professor, NLSIU, Bengaluru was the Chief Guest while Prof.(Dr.) Sairam Bhat, Professor & Coordinator, CEERA, NLSIU, Bengaluru was the Guest of Honour in the inaugural session. Ms. Madhubanti Sadhya, Research Associate, NLSIU and Mr. Rohit Kamath, Research Scholar, NLSIU delivered the keynote addresses. Valedictory session was graced by Justice (Retd.) Shri N.K Jain, Former Judge, M.P High Court.

In pictures: (L) Prof. Sairam Bhat addressing the participant, (R) Hon'ble Justice Mr. N.K. Jain delivering his address

Renowned field experts, practitioners, policy makers, researchers and academicians from across India attended the workshop and deliberated their experiences. The resource person for this Advance level workshop was Prof. (Dr.) Sairam Bhat, Professor & Coordinator, CEERA, NLSIU, Bengaluru, His session began with stressing emphasis upon the need for Biological Diversity Act which was an appreciable move from defensive protection to establishing legal entitlement of rights for Traditional Knowledge.

In picture: Prof. (Dr.) Anoop Swarup during the inaugural session

In picture: esteemed guests, resource person and participants of the workshop

2.4. Orientation Programme

2.4.1. For New Batch (July 26, 2018)

Continuing the tradition of the University, JLU School of Law welcomed the batch of 2018-19 to Jagran Lakecity University in an Orientation Programme. It was a matter of utmost pleasure to have Honorable Mr. Justice D.M. Dharmadhikari, former Judge, Supreme Court of India and former Chairman, Madhya Pradesh Human Rights Commission as the Chief Guest with Honorable Vice Chancellor of the National Law Institute University, Bhopal Prof. (Dr.) V. Vijayakumar and Shri. Satyendra Singh, Principal Secretary, Law & Legislative Affairs Department, Government of Madhya Pradesh as Guests of Honor. Honorable Vice Chancellor Prof. (Dr.) Anoop Swarup, Registrar Prof. R. Nesamoorthy, Dean Prof. (Dr.) Vivek Khare and Director JLU School of Law Prof. (Dr.) Yogendra Srivastava were also present in the programme.

Hon'ble Justice D.M. Dharmadhikari addressing the students

Justice Dharmadhikari delivered the Orientation Address. He began with appreciating the Jagran Lakecity University for offering facilities of excellent standards to the young students of law. He laid emphasis on the need of good lawyers in a modern democratic society like India. He urged students to enter the domain of legal and social research for giving constructive output of their education to the nation. Mentioning the work done by various NGOs for bringing justice to those who cannot interpret law, Justice Dharmadhikari impressed upon the need of Legal Aid Clinic and active involvement of every law graduate in it. In his address Justice Dharmadhikari focused a lot to explain the responsibility of a lawyer to take the law to the people. He explained to the budding lawyers that it is more important to become a fruitful professional rather than only a successful one.

In pictures: (L) Prof. (Dr.) V. Vijayakumar addressing the gathering, (R) Shri. Satyendra Singh interacting with student

Next in the order was Prof. (Dr.) V. Vijayakumar who, like a true academician, talked about cultivation of legal mind to pursue highest standards of excellence in the profession. In his entire talk, he commented a lot on the use of Information Communication Technology in the legal profession. He reminded students to not let the technology become their master in fact the technology should be used as a worthy servant to do progressive work. He mentioned about the possibilities of digitalization in legal services in future and asked everyone to be ready to accept the change. He also narrated many inspirational stories to tell about the essential values that one must preserve to rise through the ranks in any profession. Prof. Vijayakumar expressed his happiness on the collaboration of the National Law Institute University, Bhopal and Jagran Lakecity University to mutually share the resources ensuing academic excellence in future.

In pictures: (L) Prof. (Dr.) Anoop Swarup motivating budding lawyers, (R) Prof. (Dr.) Yogendra Srivastava in his welcome address

Guest of Honor Shri. Satyendra Singh focused on the genesis of the profession of legal practices. While talking about the evolution of legal system in India, he compared the existing system with the old one. He also spoke about the role played by modern education institutions in order to train young minds for the challenging roles in legal profession.

In pictures: inducted students participating enthusiastically

Earlier in the session, Prof. (Dr.) Yogendra Srivastava delivered the welcome address followed by introductory remarks of Prof. (Dr.) Anoop Swarup in which he urged every student to dream big. Prof. Swarup invoked every student to leave their unique impression by working sincerely to achieve their goals.

In pictures: Students of senior years performed on the stage to welcome their juniors

First year batch was welcomed by their senior colleagues through some entertaining performances which they enjoyed a lot. The programme ended on a high note and provided a preview of all the enriching activities to the batch of 2018-19.

2.4.1. For Old Batch

On July 9, 2018, Jagran Lakecity University, JLU School of Law organized the Orientation Programme for the students of old batches. We were privileged to have distinguished academician and Additional Director (Research & Training) National Judicial Academy, Bhopal Prof. (Dr.) D.P. Verma to deliver the Orientation Address. Prof. Verma delivered a very comprehensive lecture on 'Right to Privacy' which included the journey of 'Right to Privacy' from its genesis in the jurisprudence to the modern interpretations made by judiciary.

In pictures: (L) Prof. (Dr.) D.P. Verma delivering the Orientation Address, (R) Students and faculty members present during the session

In his riveting talk, Prof. Verma focused primarily on the evolution of thoughts on the 'Right to Privacy'. He divided his address in four parts viz. conceptual origin of right to privacy, practical problems in considering rights to privacy as fundamental right, the Judgment delivered in the

case of Justice K.S. Puttaswamy v. Union of India and contribution of judiciary in development of human rights jurisprudence.

He cited various landmark judgments such as in the cases of MP Sharma v. Satish Chandra, Kharak Singh v. State of Uttar Pradesh and People's Union for Civil Liberties (PUCL) v. Union of India, in the chronological order and thereby discussed the evolution of right to privacy and its relation with human rights, fundamental rights and natural rights. Prof. Verma referred to the works of various jurists such as Roscoe Pound, Louis Brandeis etc. and synthesized the conclusions and told the crux of their works to the audience with utmost brevity and clarity. Prof. Verma interlinked various international conventions and treaties such as Vienna Convention 1993, International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights, Universal Declaration of Human Rights and with Constitution of India in order to reach to the conclusion that right to privacy is fundamental right and natural right.

Prof. Verma discussed the judgment from jurisprudential and human rights law perspectives. He divided the judgment in two parts. In first part he emphasized on the definition of Privacy. He quoted the wordings of Mr. K.K. Venu Gopal on definition of Privacy "Privacy is amorphous and it cannot be defined". He also emphasized on Justice Nariman's approach towards Privacy. He said that right to privacy contains three types which are Physical Privacy, Informational Privacy and Privacy of Choice. He beautifully interpreted the opinion of Justice Chandrachud who opined "If we attempt to define privacy it would be harm to the society". He said that the greatest impediment in defining privacy is technology.

Later in the session, Prof. Verma took queries from the students on topics such as due process of law in relation to right to privacy. Overall, the session produced an unforgettable experience for students as well faculty members and added one more illustrious account of legal wisdom to be recalled in years to come.

2.5. Session 'Right to Information in light of latest Supreme Court Judgements'

Jagran Lakecity University, School of Law in collaboration with Suchna ka Adhikar Andolan organized a session 'Right to Information in light of latest Supreme Court Judgements'. Noted RTI Activists Ms. Anjali Bhardwaj, Ms. Amrita Johri and Mr. Ajay Dubey and Associate Professor of NLIU Bhopal Dr. Raka Arya were the eminent speakers in the session. Resource persons focused on contemporary issues and challenges pertaining to the

In picture – Ms. Anjali Bhardwaj enlightening students.

right to information under the constitutional mandate and the Right to Information Act (RTI), 2005 vis-à-vis latest Supreme Court Judgments.

In picture - Ms. Amrita Johari interacting with students

Dr. Raka Arya set the theme of the lecture series by sharing some key points relating to right to information in the Indian political set-up. Dean Student Welfare and Director of JLU School of Law Prof. (Dr.) Yogendra Srivastava reminded students that how Indian Judiciary through its judgements acknowledges right to information as a fundamental right.

Ms. Anjali Bhardwaj shared her extensive experience and practical dimensions of the exercise of right to information in the Indian governmental fabric. She addressed inefficiencies of the RTI functionaries in the country and threw light on the struggles faced by the citizens due to the same. Ms. Amrita Johri, adding to the deliberation put forth by Ms. Bhardwaj, delved deep into the practicalities of RTI litigation in the country. She also asserted that right to information is the cornerstone of any successful democracy and denial of such right leads to gross injustice.

Concluding the enlightening lecture series, Shri Ajay Dubey motivate young law students to research on the contemporary issues pertaining to right to information and take it upon themselves to remove the wide gap that has been created between the people and the government particularly in the domain of furnishing to the public information relating to governance.

In picture – Mr. Ajay Dubey addressing students

In pictures – (L) Dr. Raka Arya addressing the students, (R) Prof. (Dr.) Yogendra Srivastava interacting with the gathering

In pictures – (L) Young students comparing in the session, (R) Audience listening to experts

3. Guest Lectures

In A.Y. 2018-19 many esteemed visitors enlightened the students of JLU School of Law through Guest Lectures. Find more about the guest lectures in this section.

3.1. Lecture by Honourable Mr. Justice Mohan Peiris, former Chief Justice of Sri Lanka

On August 23, 2018, Jagran Lakecity University, JLU School of Law had the sheer pleasure of having the former Chief Justice Sri Lanka Hon'ble Mr. Justice Mohan Peiris to deliver the Igniting Minds Lecture to the entire student body of the JLU School of Law. Justice Peiris enlightened young law students on the topic 'Rule of Law'. At the outset, he categorized the learning environment at JLU motivational and impressive.

Hon'ble Justice Mohan Peiris during his lecture

Beginning from religious ethos, Justice Peiris talked about the genesis of Rule of Law by acknowledging the contributions of Sir Edward Coke, Prof. A.V. Dic evolution of natural justice which later became the premise of the written law. As he used one of the key principles mentioned in the 'Upanishad' that says "Law is the king of kings", Justice Peiris highlighted the importance of law to eliminate arbitrariness which he termed as an anathema to the rule of law. He critically commented on the impact of governing system of the nation to determine the rule of law and also impressed upon the need of democracy as an asset to ensure equality for all before law. Referring to Sir Ivor Jennings, he also explained as to why the criticism of government is important to keep the principles of democracy intact.

In pictures: Audience listening to Justice Peiris

While explaining the exercise of discretion by judicial and administrative authorities, Justice Pieris beautifully explained the concept of ultra vires exercise of jurisdiction and related the same with the contemporary scenario in India pertaining to rule of law. Justice Peiris was eloquent in his expression when he talked about the aspiration of judicial independence and accountability. He compared the functioning of judiciary in Sri Lanka with that of India.

In pictures: students asking questions to Justice Peiris

Concluding his session, he opined that the government must address prevalent deprivations in various domains of our society in order to evolve a favorable environment for rule of law. This was indeed one of the most erudite and enriching igniting mind lectures of JLU's signature lecture series. The in-depth analysis of the legal phenomenon of rule of law which was well received by the students which reflected in the interactive session wherein the students posed some pertinent questions that were impressively answered by Justice Peiris.

3.2. Lecture by Hon'ble Mr. Justice Venkate Gopala Gowda

On February 22, 2019 Jagran Lakecity University, JLU School of Law had the utmost pleasure to host Honorable Mr. Justice Venkate Gopala Gowda, former Supreme Court Judge. He delivered a special lecture for the students on 'Right to Equality through the lens of landmark judgments'. Justice Gowda started by explaining the basic role played by litigators in order to protect right to equality. He urged students to first understand the dynamics of the nation and its culture before attempting to practice law.

In pictures: (L) Hon'ble Justice Venkate Gopala Gowda addressing the gathering, (R) Prof. (Dr.) Yogendra Srivastava welcoming Hon'ble Justice Gowda

He encouraged young students to join litigation so as to serve the nation by addressing the needs of society. Justice Gowda, who himself have delivered numerous landmark judgments, narrated the evolution path of right to equality in various judgments such as A.K. Gopalan v. State of Madras, Anwar Ali Sarkar v. the State of West Bengal, Maneka Gandhi v. Union of India, D.S. Nakara & others v. Union of India, Kesavananda Bharati v. State of Kerala and many others. He emphasized that a lawyer is not an ordinary man. If given an opportunity a lawyer can become an

institution by arguing on behalf of those who seek right to equality. He cited many interesting experiences from his career to motivate young lawyers to concentrate on inculcating professional skills. He took questions from the audiences which were mostly related to the landmark judgments delivered by him.

In pictures – Students listening to Justice Gowda

3.3. Lecture by Prof. Steve Ngo, International Arbitrator and Mediator from Singapore

November 19, 2018 marked a great day as we hosted Prof. Steve Ngo from Singapore to deliver the inaugural lecture of 'Oceanum et Legis': A Lecture Series by JLU School of Law. Theme of the lecture was 'Arbitration as an Instrument of Dispute Settlement: An International Perspective'.

Prof. Ngo is an internationally recognized practitioner of arbitration and dispute resolution. He has done crucial work in the field of international commercial arbitration. In his address, Prof. Ngo, with the help of several interactive methods, demonstrated various dimensions of arbitration. He also shed light on the historical perspective of amicable dispute resolution. Doing utmost justice to the theme, Prof. Ngo enlightened the students on the global framework of dispute resolution, the magnitude of arbitration proceedings and intricate details pertaining to the professional practice of arbitration. He also motivated students to garner knowledge about the key aspects of arbitration so as to have a flourishing and lucrative career in the domain of peaceful dispute resolution.

In picture: Prof. Steve Ngo addressing the gathering

In the Q&A session, students posed some really pertinent questions related to the theme which were responded by Prof. Ngo quite comprehensively.

In pictures: Students attending the session

4. Legal Aid Clinic

Legal Aid Clinic serves two-fold purpose, first is to provide free legal services to economically weaker people and second, to direct the energies of the students in contributing to the society. The members of the Legal Aid Clinic are engaged in spreading legal awareness in rural areas through street plays as well as legal aid camps where they make the target population aware of different laws. Here are the details of initiatives and activities of Legal Aid Clinic.

4.1. Lecture by Prof. Ajay Pandey Member, National Legal Services Authority (NALSA)

The Legal Aid Clinic of the JLU School of Law organized a University-Industry Interface Lecture by Prof. Ajay Pandey, Member, National Legal Services Authority (NALSA) on August 10, 2018. Prof. Pandey interacted with students of JLU School of Law on the topic 'Importance of Legal Aid for Young Law Students'. At the outset, Prof. Pandey acknowledged that the nation has robust welfare measures as part of the legal structure but reminded students about challenges ahead of them to provide relief to masses. Taking the perspective of inclusivity, he advocated the importance for any legal aid system to address the issues at the grassroots. He also laid emphasis on the need of protecting the human rights at ground level instead of only on paper. As he raised the issue of 'right to dignified life', Prof. Pandey reminded every Law Student to use their awareness on 'Rights, Liberation & Justice' for the greater good of those who are in the need of legal aid.

Prof. Ajay Pandey during his lecture

Prof. Pandey recommended the students to interpret the Preamble of the Constitution to understand the value of Legal Aid in Indian society where many people, due to pertinent reasons, are deprived of access to the justice system. He invoked students to pursue the cause of truth and have the urge of reaching out to masses. Prof. Pandey also took queries of students pertaining to issues such as legal aid access to women and children. While answering the questions of students, Prof. Pandey motivated them to embrace the opportunity to fight for masses. Overall, the session was successful in highlighting sensitive issues related to legal aid and gave a lot of food for talk in days to come.

In pictures: (L) Prof. Ajay Pandey responding to queries of students, (R) Students during the session

4.2. Legal Aid Visit to Digdarshika Institute of Rehabilitation

On August 31, 2018, Legal Aid Clinic of Jagran Lakecity University, JLU School of Law, organized a visit for their Students at Digdarshika Institute of Rehabilitation which is a Non-Profit Organization (NGO) and provides help to specially-abled persons. The organization was established in 1989 and has been helping intellectually and physically disabled people since its inception.

In picture: Legal Aid Team with the students of institute

During the visit JLU-SOL students interacted with students of the Institute and also keenly observed teaching pedagogy used in various classes such as Pre–Vocational Classes, Speech Therapy Classes, Touch Therapy classes, and Physiotherapy classes. During their visit students conducted various interactive activities and also learnt several skills from specially-abled students such making paper bags. Our students also played various games with them and celebrated the Festival of Rakshabandhan and Janmashtmi by tying Rakhi and distributing sweets to them. Ms. Yash Tiwari, Faculty In- Charge, Legal Aid Clinic and Ms. Ridhima Dikshit, Faculty Advisor, Legal Aid Clinic supervised the visit.

In pictures: Legal Aid Clinic Team facilitating activities

4.3. Legal Aid Visit to Balniketan Trust, Bhopal

Legal Aid Clinic of Jagran Lakecity University School of Law organized a Legal Awareness session at Balniketan Trust (an orphanage run by government), Bhopal on October 5, 2018.

In picture: students of JLU School of Law performing a play before the resident children

Students staged a street play to create awareness and highlighting the issues relating to child labour, child trafficking, and child sexual abuse. They also interacted with children at the trust and addressed their queries. In this effort, JLU-SOL students took the opportunity of utilizing their knowledge of law for making a valuable contribution to the society. Dignitaries and audience highly appreciated their creative approach. The visit and street play were conceptualized and performed under the supervision of Ms. Yash Tiwari, Faculty In-Charge, Legal Aid Clinic, and Ms. Saumya Shaji, Faculty Advisor, Legal Aid Clinic.

In picture: Legal Aid Clinic Team during the visit

4.4. Legal Awareness Camp at Ishwar Nagar, Bhopal

Legal Aid Clinic of Jagran Lakecity University, School of Law organized Legal Awareness Camp at Ishwar Nagar (Slum), Kolar, Bhopal on October 16, 2018. Students of JLU School of Law spread awareness through street play highlighting the issues relating to health, sanitation, child labour, child trafficking, and child sexual abuse. Students interacted with the crowd consisting of women and children. A survey was also conducted regarding basic hygiene habits of the area alongwith distribution of hygiene kit. Students took a march in the slum by reciting slogan *"Ghar ki izzat bahar na jaye , shauchalaya ghar mein banvaye"* with the beat of drum.

In pictures: Legal Aid Clinic Team performing before the residents of Ishwar Nagar

Dr. Ankita Pandey, Dr. Ankit Pandey and Dr. Rashmi Pandey were also invited in the camp to discuss about health and hygiene from the perspective of medical science. Dr. Ankita Pandey and Dr. Rashmi pandey took exclusive session for women in slum highlighting gynecological problems arising out of hygiene. Efforts of Students were highly appreciated by the crowd and *aangan badi* workers.

In picture: Legal Aid Clinic Team during the awareness campaign

4.5. Legal Survey at Ishwar Nagar, Bhopal

On January 21, 2019 Legal Aid Clinic of Jagran Lakecity University, School of Law organized a Legal Awareness Camp at Ishwar Nagar, Bhopal. Students of JLU School of Law addressed the topic of "Water Scarcity and Hygienic Lifestyle" through Survey and Sessions for the local people.

In pictures: (L) The Legal Aid Clinic Team, (R) Student taking response from the local citizens based on survey

Team of students conducted a survey to identify key factors involved in wastage of water and unhygienic environment. This door-to-door campaign helped students in understanding the ground realities and use their intelligence to make people aware about their basic responsibility to have a healthy environment in their surroundings. The data gathered through survey will be utilized by the Legal Aid Clinic in their further research and initiatives to help the local community. Overall, the day was productive and provided a good learning experience to the students.

4.6. Training on Parliamentary Practice and Procedure at *Vidhan Sabha*

Legal Aid Clinic of Jagran Lakecity University, School of Law organized a two day Training Programme on "Sansadiya Padyati Avam Prakriya (Parliamentary Practice and Procedure)"at Pandit Kunji Laal Dubey Sansadiya Vidya Peeth, Bhopal on 05-02-19 and 06-02-19 for students of BBA.LL.B. (Honors), B.Com.LL.B. (Honors) X, VIII Semester and LL.B. IV semester.

In pictures: students attending the training programme at MP Legislative Assembly (Vidhan Sabha)

On day one Prof. (Dr.) Roma Mukherjee, Government State Law College, Bhopal delivered Lecture on Composition, creation Tenure and Session of Legislative Assembly. Shri K.L. Dalvani, Dy. Secretary, Madhya Pradesh Vidhan Sabha Secretariat, Bhopal delivered lecture on

Committees of Vidhan Sabha and their powers and functions. Shri. Sudhir Kochar, Dy. Secretary, Samanya Prashasan Vibhag, Mantralaya, delivered lecture on Vidhan Sabha Questions, Adjournment, Calling Attention, and Zero Hour. The session was very interactive and activity based wherein students made questions for Vidhan Sabha. Shri. Anurag Shrivastava, Chief Forest Conservator delivered lecture on Law making.

In pictures: Shri. Awdhesh Pratap Singh interacting with the students

Day 2 began with the Visit to Vidhan Sabha followed by meeting and interaction with Shri. Awdhesh Pratap Singh, Principal Secretary, Madhya Pradesh Legislative Assembly Secretariat, Bhopal. Shri. J.K. Sharma, Director Treasury and Accounts, Vidhan Sabha, Bhopal delivered lecture on Budget. He also gave an activity to students to Prepare budget. Dr. Pushpendra Pal Singh, Chief Editor, Madhya Pradesh Madhyam, delivered lecture on Election Procedure and its issues and challenges. Dr. Yash Tiwari, Faculty In-charge Legal Aid Clinic and Ms. Shamika Acharya, Assistant Professor coordinated for the session. Jagran Lakecity University is thankful to the authorities of Madhya Pradesh Legislative Assembly for giving such an enriching exposure to our students.

In picture: students with Faculty In-charge Dr. Yash Tiwari and Ms. Shamika Acharya

4.7. Legal Aid Capacity Building Workshop at NLIU Bhopal

Mr. Navshesh Bikram Kshetri, Assistant Professor of Law and Ms. Saumya Shaji, Assistant Professor of Law along with Mr. Samyak Jain, Student, Eighth Semester, BBALL.B. (Hons) and Mr. Aman Shukla, Student, Fourth Semester, B.A., LL.B (Hons.) had attended the "Legal Aid Clinic Workshop and Training Program on Capacity Building" organized by National Law Institute University, Bhopal in association with Madhya Pradesh Legal Services Authority and Indian National Bar Association from 16th-17th February, 2019.

In pictures: participating faculty members and students during the workshop

The Workshop was conducted for Two Days. In the first session the focus was on the Importance of Legal Aid in India. The first session was presided by Ms. Medha Deo, Programme Director, Project 39A, National Law University, Delhi where she told us about the work Project 39A is doing in the state of Maharashtra and Delhi for the convicts of Death Penalty. The officials of MP State Legal Services Authority and District Legal Services Authority also gave an overview of the work on Free Legal Aid as per Article 39A of the Indian Constitution in the state of Madhya Pradesh. The Second Panelist Dr. B.S. Patil, Faculty in charge and his students from the Legal Aid Clinic of VM Salgaonkar College of Law, Goa gave a presentation on the work undertaken by them in the North and South Part of Goa on access to Legal Aid including structure of legal aid clinic, how to write scripts for skits, library infrastructure improvement and the for its functioning.

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The training was divided into days. On day one Dr. Garima Jaulkar, Head, Political Science Govternment B.H.E.L College, Bhopal delivered Lecture on Composition, creation Tenure and

Session of Legislative Assembly. Shri. Milind Waikar, Deputy Secretary, State Finance Comission, Government of Madhya Pradesh, delivered lecture on Budget. Shri. Sudhir Kochar, Dy. Secretary, Samanya Prashasan Vibhag, Mantralaya, delivered lecture on Vidhan Sabha Questions, Adjournment, Calling Attention, and Zero Hour. The session was very interactive and activity based wherein students made questions for Vidhan Sabha. Shri. Anurag Shrivastava, Chief Forest Conservator delivered lecture on Law making. All the sessions were very informative and interactive.

In picture: the batch of students with faculty members at Madhya Pradesh Vidhan Sabha

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In picture: students in the training hall of the Madhya Pradesh Vidhan Sabha (Legislative Assembly)

4.9. Training on Parliamentary Practice and Procedure at *Vidhan Sabha*

The Legal Aid Clinic of School of Law, Jagran Lakecity University organized a visit to the Dial 100 command centre at Bhopal. Ms. Saumya Shaji, Assistant Professor, Mr. Navshesh Bikram Kshetri, Assistant Professor and Mr. Ayush Pandey, Assistant Professor along with 30 students from JLU School of law visited the command centre.

In picture - Dial 100 officials explaining operational procedures of Dial 100 to JLU School of Law students

Mr. Amit Saxena, SP, interacted with the students about the evolution of the Dial 100 system and how the scenario has changed over time. He also discussed the changes in the crime rates post the introduction of Dial 100 system. Students were also explained the advantages of the new system equipped with the latest technology and how that has contributed in reducing the time taken to actually process a distress call. Students were then taken around the command centre and were shown the processing of distress calls that are received on a daily basis. The number of calls range anywhere between 20000-25000 per day.

In picture – students observing the command centre of Dial 100

Mr. Saket Kumar Pandey, SSP appreciated the efforts of JLU School of Law as well as the students for their keen interest in knowing functioning of Dial 100 system. He further encouraged the students to take up research in the area of Legality of Dial 100 and various associated aspects.

In picture – Group of students with faculty supervisors during the visit to Dial 100

4.10. Representation in the I UILS National Legal Aid Forum 2019

Students of JLU School of Law represented the University in the I UILS National Legal Aid Forum 2019. Ms. Swati Ojha, B.B.A.,LL.B. (Hons.) III Year, Ms. Mahi Mishra, B.Com.,LL.B. (Hons.) III Year and Mr. Aryan Urmaliya, B. A.,LL.B. (Hons.) I Year shared information about the Legal Aid Clinic of JLU School of Law with the delegates present in the forum.

5. Visits of notable guests

JLU School of Law always revere its guests who graciously visited the University and shared their views. Here is a glimpse of some notable guests.

5.1. Prof. (Dr.) Arvind Tiwari, President, Indian Society of Criminology

President of the Indian Society of Criminology and Dean, School of Law, Rights & Constitutional Governance of Tata Institute of Social Sciences (TISS) Prof. (Dr.) Arvind Tiwari visited Jagran Lakecity University, JLU School of Law to interact with faculty members of the School and to discuss about the future endeavors of Bhopal Chapter of the Indian Society of Criminology (ISC).

In picture: Prof. (Dr.) Arvind Tiwari with Dr. Shobha Bhardwaj and Dr. Bir Pal Singh

It is pertinent to note that JLU School of Law, being a lifetime member of the ISC, had taken initiative to establish ISC's Bhopal Chapter. Prof. Tiwari guided faculty members to formulate a blueprint for the Chapter and advised to collaborate with the stakeholders.

5.2. Prof. (Dr.) Balraj Chauhan, Vice Chancellor, DNLU Jabalpur

On January 15, 2019, renowned academecian and Vice Chancellor of Dharmashastra National Law University, Jabalpur Prof. (Dr.) Balraj Chauhan paid a courtesy visit to Jagran Lakecity Univeristy and met with Honourable Pro Chancellor Shri. Abhishek Mohan Gupta in the presence of Dean Student Welfare and Director, JLU School of Law Prof. (Dr.) Yogendra Srivastava.

In picture: Prof. (Dr.) Balraj Chauhan with the faculty of JLU School of Law

Prof. Chauhan also interacted with the faculty members of JLU School of Law and discussed various academic issues at length. It was an enriching experience for the faculty members to learn from a legal luminary of great repute. He was very impressed with the growth story of Jagran Lakecity University and motivated faculty members to continuously strive for excellence in emerging areas of Law. He appreciated the initiative of JLU School of Law to teach Sports Law, Law and Literature and Law & Psychology as elective courses.

6. Faculty Development Programme

Enrichment of faculty is an important aspect to enhance the quality of education in an institution. Keeping this principle in mind, JLU School of Law invited noted academicians and industry experts to interact with the faculty members.

6.1. FDP by Shri. Satya Prakash Mangal, Director, NHPC Ltd.

On July 5, 2018, Jagran Lakecity University, JLU School of Law organized a Faculty Development Programme having Shri. Satya Prakash Mangal as the resource person. Chartered Accountant by profession, Shri. Satya Prakash Mangal is currently an Independent Director of the NHPC Limited. He is also the Chairperson of the very promising Krishna Circuit Project. He has significant experience in Special & Forensic Audit. Currently, he is also serving as Director in NHDC Limited, Raunaq EPC International Limited, SPMC Global Advisory Services Pvt Ltd and Addwings Rail & Infra Solutions Pvt. Ltd.

In pictures: Shri. S.P. Mangal interacting with the faculty members

During the session, Shri. Mangal stressed upon the concept of 'Power of Words'. He focused on explaining techniques with which an academician can engage stakeholders for maximum output. He gave four mantras which are tenacity (तप), magnanimity (दान), commitment (यज्ञ) and service (सेवा) to deal with any situation powerfully. Shri. Mangal used activities to facilitate the essence of positive energy and urged faculty members to spread the same to make students ready to deal with challenges ahead of them. The session provided a unique experience to the faculty members to learn spirituality for strengthening their academic output.

6.2. FDP by Shri. Vikram Raghavan, International Legal Practitioner, Washington D.C.

On July 31, 2018 Jagran Lakecity University, JLU School of Law organized a Faculty Development Programme by Mr. Vikram Raghavan, international legal practitioner, Washington DC. In his interaction with faculty members, Mr. Raghavan mentioned the need to train law students on legal writings with an emphasis on precise drafting, pleadings and memo writings.

In pictures: (L) Mr. Vikram Raghavan interacting with faculty members, (R) Prof. (Dr.) Yogendra Srivastava facilitating Mr. Raghavan

He opined that students must be encouraged by faculty members to have exposure of practice at District Court level to be familiar with the application of law at the grass root level. By giving an example of 'Teach for India' initiative, Mr. Raghavan supported the idea of young law graduates contributing to the society by taking teaching assignments in rural areas across India.

6.3. FDP by Prof. (Dr.) Ranbir Singh, Vice Chancellor, National Law University, Delhi

On 2nd December, 2018, the faculty of JLU School of Law had the privilege of hosting Prof. (Dr.) Ranbir Singh, Vice Chancellor, NLU, Delhi and a doyen of Indian legal education, as a resource person of an enriching faculty development program after he was admitted to the alumni of Jagran Laklecity University as he was awarded Honorary Doctorate *(Honoris Causa)* at the 4th Convocation Ceremony.

In pictures: Prof. (Dr.) Ranbir Singh interacting with the faculty members

In picture: Prof. (Dr.) Ranbir Singh with faculty members of JLU School of Law

In his session, Prof. Singh focused on the need of enhancement programs for law faculty such as workshops, seminars, training sessions, FDP's, etc. He stated that perpetual growth is a must in the field of academics.

He received inputs from the faculty members regarding assurance of quality in legal education in the country and emphasized the fact that growth of any institution depends on its assessment of local competition and its capability of thriving on the weakness of others.

While sharing his vast knowledge in the field of legal research and legal education, he asserted that creating intellectual resources should be the priority for any educational institute and that the faculty should work efficiently to produce research of refined quality. He also emphasized the pertinence of team-work in any arena of life while pointing out that the element of team-work is comparatively of poor quality in our country and it is the duty of the young academicians to work on the same.

7. Other events

7.1. Intra-Moot Court Competition

Adhering to the Motto Igniting minds; changing lives, the Moot Court Committee at the JLU School of Law organized the JLU Intra Moot Court Competition, 2018 for the students of II, III, IV and V year students, enabling them to be in the pool representing Jagran Lakecity University at various moot court competitions across the country for the academic session 2018-19. 30 teams registered for participating in the competition which started off with researcher's test on August 10, 2018. The oral rounds were held on August 11, 2018 through which 22 teams got selected in the pool. The rounds were judged by external judges to select the national pool. JLU School of Law extends its heartfelt gratitude to the expert judges from academia, bar and industry. Moot Court Committee appreciates the support of volunteer students as the court managers. Feedback received from judges was very encouraging for the students. They praised the efforts of the School and also congratulated the University for achieving high and refined standards in mooting.

In pictures: participating students displaying their mooting skills before the expert judges

List of Judges at the JLU Intra Moot Court Competition, 2018:

1. Mr. Yugantar Tiwari, Advocate, High Court of M.P.
2. Mr. Rahul Pastor, Legal Advisor, Avantika Gas Limited
3. Ms. Srishti Chaturvedi, Research Scholar at NLIU
4. Ms. Trisha Mittal, Advocate
5. Mr. Chinmay Bajpai, Advocate, High Court of M.P.
6. Mr. Ayur Jain, Advocate, High Court of M.P.
7. Ms. Sonam Bajpai, Advocate
8. Mr. Madhur Pabra, Advocate
9. Ms. Nidhi Verma , Advocate, High Court of M.P.
10. Mr. Ankur Pastor, Managing Partner, Innovis Law Partners
11. Mr. Aabeer Das, Advocate, High Court of M.P. .
12. Mr. Saumitra Dubey, Advocate, High Court of M.P.
13. Mr. Rahul Ganeshe, Advocate, High Court of M.P.

7.2. Participation in the One Day Workshop on 'Anna Ka Adhikar – Manava Adhikar' (Right to Food – A Human Right) organized by the Madhya Pradesh Human Rights Commission

Students of the first year of JLU School of Law participated in a One Day Workshop on 'Anna Ka Adhikar – Manava Adhikar' (Right to Food – A Human Right) organized by the Madhya Pradesh Human Rights Commission held at the RCVP Noronha Academy of Administration & Management, Bhopal on September 13, 2018. The workshop was organized to celebrate the Foundation Day of Madhya Pradesh Human Rights Commission in which Chief Justice of the Madhya Pradesh High Court, Honorable Justice Mr. Hemant Gupta was the Chief Guest along with Chairman, MPHRC Honorable Justice (Retd.) Mr. Narendra Kumar Jain, Member, MPHRC Shri. Manohar Mamtani and Shri. Sarabjeet Singh and Secretary, MPHRC Shri. Sanjeev Kumar Jha.

First round of the workshop began with esteemed dignitaries sharing their views on the theme. In his address, Justice Gupta talked about the importance of interpreting human rights keeping in mind the realities of the society. He also reflected on the theme of workshop through the lens of National Food Security Act, 2013. Justice Jain critically commented on the wastage of food and also highlighted scarcity of proper storage and warehousing facilities in the country.

In picture: group of students who participated in the workshop with Dr. Anita Ladha and Ms. Pooja Kiyawat

In the second round, Commissioner, Women and Child Development Department, Govt. of Madhya Pradesh Dr. Ashok Bhargav gave a thorough presentation on Food Security initiatives taken in India. Overall, the workshop succeeded in its objective of igniting the minds of young law students to think analytically on the vulnerabilities related with the right to food and nutrition. Participation of students was supervised by Dr. Anita Ladha, Assistant Professor and Ms. Pooja Kiyawat, Assistant Professor.

8. Student's Achievements

JLU School of Law always cherish achievements of its students. Achievement is not only about winners in fact those who participate also make huge difference in their learning. Read more about the achievements of our young Jagranites.

8.1. Moot Court Achievements

8.1.1. Jagran Lakecity University, JLU School of Law won the V Auro National Moot Court Competition 2019

Team of Jagran Lakecity University won the 5th Auro National Moot Court Competition 2019 organized by Auro University, Surat. Aniruddh Das, Umang Mehta and Nikhil Jaiswal, students of B.A.,LL.B. (Hons.) III Year of JLU School of Law represented the University in the competition along with other 26 teams from all over the nation. JLU defeated Tamil Nadu Dr. Ambedkar Law University Chennai School of Excellence in the final round. Apart from winner's trophy the team was awarded with Rs.30000 as well.

In picture: Team of JLU with the Winner's Trophy

Honorable Justice Bhanwar Singh (retired High Court Judge) and Prof. (Dr.) S. Shantha Kumar were present in the valedictory round. Moot problem was based on criminal law, particularly dealing with the offence of rape.

8.1.2. Jagran Lakecity University, JLU School of Law won the Best Memorial Award at II National Moot Court Competition organized by RNB Global University, Bikaner

Students from JLU School of Law won the 'Best Memorial' award at the 2nd National Moot Court Competition organized by RNB Global University which had 19 law schools of the country participating. JLU moot team members were Uddhav Yadav (Speaker 1) [B.Com.LL.B. - 7th Semester], Megha Motwani (Speaker 2) [B.B.A.LL.B. - 7th Semester] and Neeraj Hinduja (Researcher) [B.B.A.LL.B - 7th Semester].

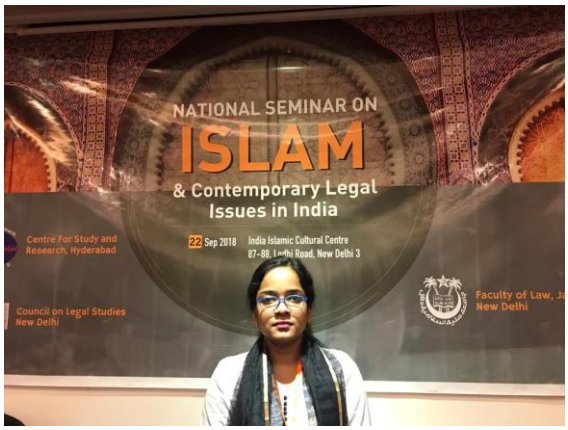
In picture: Team of JLU with the certificate

8.1.3. Jagran Lakecity University, JLU School of Law reached in the Semi-final round of the ICFAI Law School "Shri. N J Yasaswy IV Memorial National Moot Court Competition 2019"

A team of JLU School of Law , Jagran Lakecity Universitywas adjudged as the semifinalist in the ICFAI Law School "Shri. N J Yasaswy IV Memorial National Moot Court Competition 2019" organized by ICFAI Law, the ICFAI Foundation for Higher Education Hyderabad. Team comprising of Ms. Pallavi Yadav, Mr. Ayush Malviya and Mr. Nikhil Sharma, Students of B.B.A.,LL.B. (Hons.) IV Year participated in the competition.

In picture – JLU-SOL team with certificates during the competition

8.2. Research initiatives



- Prerna Jha, "Gender, Justice and Islam" in the National Seminar on Islam and Contemporary Legal Issues in India at Jamia Millia Islamia University, New Delhi. The Seminar was organized by the Faculty of Law, Jamia Millia Islamia University, Centre for Study and Research (CSR), Hyderabad and Council on Legal Studies (CLS), New Delhi.
- Prerna Jha, "Prohibition of Sexual Harassment at Workplace" at the UGC Sponsored National Seminar on Feminism Jurisprudence and Gender Biased Laws in India organized by Chanakya National Law University Patna.
- Prerna Jha and Samreen Sayed, B.A.,LL.B. (Hons.) II Year, presented a paper titled "Sexual Harrasment at Workplace" in the International Seminar on "Protection of Women and Children Rights: Issues and Challenges" organized by Law Mantra in collaboration with the Indian Law Institute, New Delhi, Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law, Punjab, National Law University and Judicial Academy, Assam, Maharashtra National Law University, Nagpur, Maharashtra National Law University, Aurangabad and DCPCR – Govt. of Delhi on January 12, 2019.

- Mansi Kushwaha and Ms. Anshi Mishra, students of B.A.,LL.B. (Hons.) II Year, JLU School of Law recently presented a paper titled "Understanding nationalism and patriotism in the contemporary world" in an International Conference on 'Understanding Nationalism and Patriotism in the Contemporary World' organized by National Law University, Delhi.

8.3. Sports & Cultural Achievements

Sterling performance by students of Jagran Lakecity University, School of Law garnered incredible results in the recently held 'Virudhaka X', the annual sports festival organized by National Law Institute University, Bhopal from October 11 to 14, 2018.

- Devesh Garg, B.Com.,LL.B. (Hons.) I Year won Gold Medal in the 100 Meter Freestyle Swimming event in 'Virudhaka X', the annual sports festival organized by National Law Institute University, Bhopal
- Devesh Garg, B.Com.,LL.B. (Hons.) I Year won Bronze Medal in the 50 Meter Freestyle event in 'Virudhaka X', the annual sports festival organized by National Law Institute University, Bhopal
- Devesh Garg, B.Com.,LL.B. (Hons.) I Year won Bronze Medal in the 50 Meter Backstroke in 'Virudhaka X', the annual sports festival organized by National Law Institute University, Bhopal
- Shreshth Suryavanshi, student of B.Com.,LL.B. (Hons.) V Year and Mr. Hrishikesh Harne, student of B.B.A.,LL.B. (Hons.) IV Year succeeded in securing the Silver Medal event in 'Virudhaka X', the annual sports festival organized by National Law Institute University, Bhopal

The Rockstars of JLU School of Law

- Poornika Choubey, Jyotsna Tiwari, Tarun Khare and Shantanu Tiwari, students of B.A.,LL.B. (Hons.) I Year were the members of the winning band of JLU '23 Degrees North' in the Rock Band Competition of the Aurantiaco Music Festival organized by Aurantiaco Journeys & Events in association with MTV Beats, Vh1 India and 92.7 BIG FM

9. Faculty Achievements

Read this section to know about stellar achievements of JLU School of Law faculty members.

- Dr. Deevanshu Shrivastava, Assistant Professor was awarded his doctoral degree by Barkatullah University Bhopal. He obtained his Ph.D. on the thesis titled "Responses of Trademark Law to face the challenges in Digital Medium: An attempt to solution (with special reference to India)"

- Dr. Yash Tiwari, Assistant Professor was awarded her doctoral degree by Barkatullah University Bhopal. She obtained her Ph.D. on the thesis titled "Comparative advertising in the arena of trademark laws: With special reference to India, US, UK and China"

- Prof. (Dr.) Yogendra Srivastava successfully completed a UGC sponsored Refresher Course in Political Science & Law/ Public Administration organized during August 27, 2018 to September 20, 2018 by the Human Resource Development Centre, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi. The prestigious course consisted of rigorous classroom discussions and exercises facilitated by reputed and senior academicians of the country

- Dr. Shobha Bhardwaj, Associate Professor, JLU School of Law participated in a Two Week Capacity Building Programme at National Law Institute University, Bhopal

- Dr. Yash Tiwari, Assistant Professor, JLU School of Law participated in a Two Week Capacity Building Programme at National Law Institute University, Bhopal
- Ms. Pooja Kiyawat, Assistant Professor, JLU School of Law attended a Two-Day Professional Certificate Course on Privacy and Data Protection held on 1st and 2nd March, 2019 and organized by National Law School of India University, Bengaluru

- Ms. Pooja Kiyawat, Assistant Professor, JLU School of Law participated in a certificate course on Energy Law held on 23rd - 25th February, 2019. The Course was organized by Gujarat Urja Vikas Nigam Ltd. (GUVNL) - Gujarat National Law University (GNLU) Research Fellowship on 'Energy Law and Policy
- Dr. Soma Mazumdar, Dr. Debdatta Chatterjee, Mr. Rohit Mishra and Ms. Shamika Acharya (faculty members of JLU School of Law) attended a One Day National Conference on Law, Development and Social Inclusion organized by Bennett University, Noida on 20th April, 2019. The conference aimed at discussing various contemporary social, economic and political issues. Esteemed legal luminaries like Hon'ble Justice M. Karpaga Vinayagam, Former Chief Justice of Tamil Nadu High Court, Prof Shantha Sinha, Former Chairperson of NCPCR, Dr. Meera Sethi, Former Special Envoy to India, International Organization for Migration, United Nations, Mr. Abhay Jain, Advocate and President of Zenith Society, Mr. Vivek Diwan, Human Rights, Sexuality and Health Lawyer shared their thoughts on the theme of the workshop. Faculty members of JLU School of Law actively participated in the conference and gained contemporary insights on the topic.

- Mr. Navshesh Kshetri, Assistant Professor and Ms. Saumya Shaji, Assistant Professor, JLU School of Law recently participated in a Three Day Teachers Training Programme on Animal Protection Laws organized by Animal Law Centre at NALSAR, Hyderabad. During the programme resource person focused on important topics like Animal Jurisprudence and Ethics, respectful use of animal in law, legal history of unnecessary pain and suffering, animal welfare and animal rights, constitution and animals, evolution of animal cruelty in India, research and animal testing & labelling and discussed the teaching pedagogy to be followed in law schools.

- Dr. Soma Mazumdar, Assistant Professor, JLU School of Law, Jagran Lakecity University recently took part in a one week Capacity Development Programme on Applied Research Methodology organized by National Law University, Delhi in collaboration with Internal Quality Assurance Cell, NLUD & National Academy of Law Teachers, New Delhi.

- Following faculty members attended One Week Prof. N.R. Madhava Menon Refresher Course for Law Teacher - "March of Law: Legal, Policy and Institutional Challenges to Urban Governance in India: Towards making our cities more sustainable and liveable":
  1. Dr. Shobha Bhardwaj, Associate Professor
  2. Dr. Anit Ladha, Assistant Professor
  3. Mr. Ankit Singh, Assistant Professor
  4. Mr. Omkareshwar Pathak, Assistant Professor
  5. Mr. Himanshu Kashyap, Assistant Professor
  6. Mr. Anugrah Pratap Singh Rajawat, Assistant Professor

The Refresher Course was organized by National Law School of India University, Bengaluru, in association with Bar Council of Kerala MK Nambyar Academy for Continuing Legal Education, Kochi and Directorate of Municipal Administration Govt. of Karnataka.

10. JLU School of Law in Media

- Prof. (Dr.) Yogendra Srivastava featured in Red FM programme on Law Education: Future prospects

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AURO NATL MOOT COURT COMPETITION

Jagran Lakecity defeats TN team, wins trophy

OUR STAFF REPORTER
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Team of Jagran Lakecity University won the 5th Auro National Moot Court Competition 2019. The competition was organised by Auro University, Surat.

Aniruddh Das, Umang Mehta and Nikhil Jaiswal, students of B.A. LL.B. (Hons.) III Year of JLU School of Law represented the University in the competition and competed with other 26 teams from across the nation.

JLU defeated Tamil Nadu Dr. Ambedkar Law University Chennai School of Excellence in the final round. Apart from winner's trophy the team was awarded with Rs 30000

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as well. Justice Bhanwar Singh (retired High Court Judge) and Prof. S. Shantha Kumar was present in the valedictory round. Moot problem was based on criminal law, particularly dealing with the offence of rape. Prof. (Dr.) Yogendra Srivastava, Director, JLU School of Law said "the students of JLU School of Law are given training on mooting right from first year which enabled the team to achieve this success".

Chancellor Hari Mohan Gupta, Pro Chancellor Abhishek Mohan Gupta and Vice Chancellor Prof. (Dr.) Anoop Swarup congratulated the students on their achievement.

CITY EVENTS...

जेएलयू कॉम्पीटिशन में 30 टीमें

भोपाल ◆ भारत एवं सार्क देशों से 30 लॉ संस्थानों के प्रतिभागी और इस क्षेत्र की प्रख्यात हस्तियां सार्क लॉ जेएलयू मूट कोर्ट कॉम्पीटिशन के उद्घाटन अवसर पर मौजूद रही। समारोह के मुख्य अतिथि नेपाल उच्चतम न्यायालय के न्यायाधीश अनिल सिन्हा ने स्टूडेंट्स को जागरण लेकसिटी यूनिवर्सिटी के कुलाधिपति हरिमोहन गुप्ता तथा कुलपति प्रो. डॉ. अनूप स्वरुप की उपस्थिति में सम्बोधित किया। गेस्ट ऑफ ऑनर के रूप में नेशनल लॉ इंस्टीट्यूट यूनिवर्सिटी के कुलपति प्रो. डॉ. वी विजयकुमार मौजूद रहे।

जस्टिस अनिल सिन्हा ने मूट प्रॉब्लम के चयन की सराहना की जो शरणार्थी संकट से सम्बंधित है। उनके अनुसार ऐसे विषय पर चर्चा करना अकादमिक क्षेत्र के लिए बेहद महत्वपूर्ण हैं। जस्टिस सिन्हा ने कहा कि सार्क लॉ जेएलयू मूट कोर्ट कॉम्पीटिशन जैसे कार्यक्रम भविष्य के होने वाले वकीलों को ऐसे ज्वलंत विषयों पर विमर्श और जिरह करने के लिए बड़ा मंच हैं। चांसलर हरिमोहन गुप्ता ने जेएलयू के स्कूल ऑफ लॉ को मध्य प्रदेश में लीगल एजुकेशन के क्षेत्र में मानक स्थापित करने के लिए सराहा। वहीं, प्रो. विजयकुमार ने इस अंतरराष्ट्रीय प्रतिस्पर्धा को आयोजित करने के लिए बधाई दी। उन्होंने सभी प्रतिभागियों को अपने कौशल से प्रतिस्पर्धियों को कड़ी टक्कर देने के लिए अभिप्रेरित किया। इस कॉम्पीटिशन में 30 टीमें प्रिलिमिनरी राउंड में क्वार्टर फाइनल, सेमी फाइनल और फाइनल तक पहुंचने के लिए आपस में टक्कर लेंगी।

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मुकदमेबाजी द्वारा जनहित में काम करें छात्र

नेपाल उच्चतम न्यायालय के न्यायाधीश अनिल सिन्हा ने सार्क लॉ जेएलयू मूट कोर्ट कॉम्पटीशन-2019 का किया शुभारंभ

● लेक सिटी रिपोर्टर ●

भारत एवं सार्क देशों से 30 लॉ संस्थानों के प्रतिभागी और इस क्षेत्र की प्रख्यात हस्तियों के साथ 'सार्क लॉ – जेएलयू मूट कोर्ट कॉम्पटीशन-2019' का शुभारंभ शुक्रवार को जागरण लेक सिटी यूनिवर्सिटी में हुआ। उद्घाटन अवसर पर समारोह के मुख्य अतिथि नेपाल उच्चतम न्यायालय के न्यायाधीश अनिल सिन्हा, जागरण लेक सिटी यूनिवर्सिटी के कुलाधिपति हरिमोहन गुप्ता, तथा कुलपति प्रो. (डॉ) अनूप स्वरुप विशेष रूप से मौजूद थे। गेस्ट ऑफ ऑनर के रूप में नेशनल लॉ इंस्टीट्यूट यूनिवर्सिटी के कुलपति प्रो. (डॉ) वी विजय कुमार उपस्थित रहे।

मूट प्रॉब्लम के चयन की सराहना की: जस्टिस अनिल सिन्हा ने अपने संबोधन में मूट प्रॉब्लम के चयन की सराहना की, जो शरणार्थी संकट से संबंधित है। उन्होंने कहा ऐसे विषय पर चर्चा करना अकादमिक क्षेत्र के लिए बेहद महत्वपूर्ण हैं। सार्क लॉ – जेएलयू मूट कोर्ट कॉम्पटीशन जैसे कार्यक्रम भविष्य के होने वाले वकीलों को ऐसे ज्वलंत विषयों पर विमर्श करने के लिए बड़ा मंच है। उन्होंने छात्रों को मुकदमेबाजी के द्वारा जनहित में काम करने की सलाह दी। उन्होंने भावी अधिवक्ताओं को खुद में मौजूद आत्मविश्वास की कमी से लड़ने की प्रेरणा दी, जोकि उन्हें भविष्य में आने वाली चुनौतियों का सामना करने में सक्षम बनाएगा। झीलों की नगरी भोपाल में हुए अपने सुखद अनुभवों को साझा करते हुए न्यायाधीश सिन्हा ने शहर की ताजातरीन आबोहवा और हरियाली की जमकर तारीफ की। प्रो. विजय कुमार ने विवि प्रबंधन को भोपाल में इस अंतर्राष्ट्रीय प्रतिस्पर्धा को आयोजित करने के लिए बधाई दी। साथ ही उन्होंने सभी प्रतिभागियों को अपने कौशल से प्रतिस्पर्धियों को कड़ी टक्कर देने के लिए अभिप्रेरित किया।

जेलएयू मप्र में लीगल एजुकेशन के क्षेत्र में मानक

चांसलर हरिमोहन गुप्ता ने जेएलयू के स्कूल ऑफ लॉ को मप्र में लीगल एजुकेशन के क्षेत्र में मानक स्थापित करने के लिए सराहा। उन्होंने देश के विभिन्न भागों और सार्क देशों से आए प्रतिभागियों का स्वागत करते हुए अपना श्रेष्ठ देने के लिए प्रेरित किया।

30 टीमें लेंगी हिस्सा

30 टीमें प्रिलिमिनरी राउंड में, क्वार्टर फाइनल, सेमी फाइनल एवं फाइनल तक पहुंचने के लिए आपस में मुकाबला करेंगी।

प्रतिस्पर्धा में विभिन्न चरणों के मूल्यांकन हेतु देशभर से अधिवक्ता, कानूनी विशेषज्ञ, तथा अकादमिक क्षेत्र के जूरी मेंबर्स शिरकत करेंगे।

भारत के भूतपूर्व मुख्य न्यायाधीश दीपक मिश्रा का ने कहा

कानून का जुनून ही एक अधिवक्ता की सफलता का मूलमंत्र

सार्क लॉ जेएलयू मूट कोर्ट कॉम्पटीशन-2019 का समापन तमिलनाडु डॉ. अंबेडकर लॉ यूनिवर्सिटी चेन्नई बना विजेता

लेक सिटी रिपोर्टर

छात्र कानून को अपना जुनून बना लें तो उनमें एक अच्छे अधिवक्ता बनने के सारे गुण अपने आप विकसित हो जाएंगे। यह कहना था भारत के भूतपूर्व मुख्य न्यायाधीश दीपक मिश्रा का। वे जागरण लेक सिटी यूनिवर्सिटी में सार्क लॉ जेएलयू मूट कोर्ट कॉम्पटीशन 2019 के समापन समारोह में मुख्य अतिथि के रूप में मौजूद थे। उन्होंने कहा कि छात्रों को ऑटो बायोग्राफी पढ़नी चाहिए, जिससे लैंग्वेज और लॉ के बारे में अधिक जानकारी होगी। लैंग्वेज का सही इस्तेमाल छात्रों को करना चाहिए, जिससे वह एक अच्छा एडवोकेट बन सकें। उन्होंने कुछ कानूनी मामलों की व्याख्या रामायण अहिल्या उद्धार अंश से की, जिसमें अहिल्या उद्धार का वर्णन किया गया। उन्होंने छात्रों को किताबों की एक फेहरिस्त दी, जिन्हें पढ़कर वह अपने प्रोफेशन में भाषा का सदुपयोग सीख सकते हैं। इस अवसर पर नेपाल उच्चतम न्यायालय के न्यायमूर्ति अनिल सिन्हा, एडमिशन एंड फीस रेगुलेटरी समिति, मप्र के अपीलेट अधिकारी न्यायमूर्ति अलोक वर्मा, मप्र हाईकोर्ट के पूर्व न्यायाधीश न्यायमूर्ति एनके जैन, एनएलआईयू भोपाल के कुलपति प्रो. डॉ. वी विजयकुमार एवं ऐमजॉन इंडिया के वरिष्ठ कानूनी सलाहकार राहुल सुंदरम ने फाइनल राउंड का मूल्यांकन किया। वाईस चांसलर प्रो. डॉ. अनूप स्वरुप व प्रो. डॉ. योगेंद्र श्रीवास्तव भी इस अवसर पर मौजूद रहे।

मोबाइल से ज्यादा पुस्तक पर दें ध्यान : न्यायमूर्ति अलोक वर्मा ने अपने उद्‌बोधन में विधि के छात्रों को समय के साथ चलने की सलाह दी। उन्होंने छात्रों को मोबाइल से ज्यादा पुस्तकों पर ध्यान देने पर जोर दिया। न्यायमूर्ति एनके जैन ने मूट प्रॉब्लम 'रोहिंग्या शरणार्थियों' की सराहना करते हुए उसे एक मूट कोर्ट कॉम्पटीशन को बेहतरीन बताया। प्रो. एमके श्रीवास्तव ने छात्रों को मूट कोर्ट कॉम्पटीशन की महत्ता को समझाया और कहा की ऐसे चुनौतियों भरे माहौल में ही उनकी क्षमता में निखार आएगा।

यह रहे विजेता : पहला स्थान तमिलनाडु डॉ. अंबेडकर लॉ यूनिवर्सिटी चेन्नई को प्राप्त हुआ। उन्हें डेढ़ लाख रुपयों की इनामी राशि दी गई। वहीं दूसरा स्थान हासिल करने वाली टीम यूनिवर्सिटी इंस्टीट्यूट ऑफ लीगल स्टडीज पंजाब की टीम को एक लाख रुपए दिए गए। इसके अलावा, बेस्ट स्पीकर स्तुति श्रीवास्तव, बेस्ट मेमोरियल डीएसएनएलयू विशाखापट्नम को व बेस्ट रिसर्चर एग्नस मैरी जेन, तमिलनाडु डॉ. अंबेडकर लॉ यूनिवर्सिटी चेन्नई को पच्चीस हजार रुपयों की राशि दी गई।

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