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## EVENTS

### Faculty Refresher Programme, 2018

In order to promote research culture and dissemination of research related tools, methods and acumen, a Refresher Program for faculty members of the institute was conducted from 25<sup>th</sup> June to 07<sup>th</sup> July, 2018. The two week Refresher Program was titled 'Art and Science of Thinking and Research: Augmenting Interdisciplinary Approach in ICT Era'. The Refresher Program was organized by Institute of Law under the aegis of Centre of Quality Assurance and Academic Development (CQAAD), Nirma University. With a total learning / training of 72 hours, the program invited scholars, practitioners, technocrats, ICT experts and researchers from prestigious institutions such as Jawaharlal Nehru University, Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Gujarat Institute of Development Studies, MS University Baroda, Indian Law Institute, Delhi, IP University, Delhi to name a few. Prof GS Bajpai, Prof Afzal Wani, Prof Vidyut Joshi, Prof Tara Nair, Prof Madhusudan Bandi, Prof Arun Pratap, Prof Ramadhar Singh, Prof Lajwanti Chatani, Prof Vijay Raghavan, Prof Suman Mitra, Prof Bhaswat Chakaborty, Prof Lalita Narayanan are some of the nationally acclaimed speakers who enriched the Refresher Program for the benefit of the participants. Constituent Institutes on campus such as Institute of Technology, Institute of Pharmacy also provided expertise and resource persons in various aspects of inter-disciplinary aspects of developments in research process. Prof Dhawal Pujara, Prof Urmil Dave, Prof Santosh Vora gave sessions on research output presentation techniques, Nirma University Research Policy and use of SCOPUS respectively. Participants took the inputs given by experts and developed various research proposal components such as Statement of Problem, Literature Review, Critical Review and Case Comment on the chosen area of study. At the completion of the program, faculty team was able to identify their thrust areas, research methods, ICT Tools, Statistical Methods and various research methodologies.



Prof. Lalitha Narayanan during FRP 18



Prof. Arun Pratap during FRP 18



Prof. Vidyut Jodhi during the FRP 18

# ILNU EVENTS

## ORIENTATION PROGRAMME FOR THE 12<sup>TH</sup> ILNU BATCH (2018-2023)

A two week orientation Programme for the 12<sup>th</sup> ILNU Batch of the Undergraduate Programme (Batch 2018) of BA LLB (Hons) and B Com LLB (Hons) was organized from 12th July, 2018. The inaugural function of the Programme was presided over by Hon'ble Mr Justice C K Thakker, Judge (Retd), Supreme Court of India. The guests of honor for the inaugural function were Prof Dr R Venkata Rao, Vice Chancellor, National Law School of India University (NLSIU), Bangalore and Shri K K Patel, Vice President, Nirma University.

Prof Dr Jyotsna Yagnik, Former Principal Judge, City Civil and Sessions Court, also delivered a keynote address at the inaugural session. Parents and guardians of the students also graced the occasion.



*Prof. R. Venkata Rao addressing the students*



*Hon'ble Mr. Justice C.K. Thakker addressing the students*

## ORIENTATION PROGRAMME OF LLM STUDENTS

Center for Post Graduate Studies, Institute of Law, Nirma University organized an orientation Programme for the LLM students. The speakers at the Programme and their respective point of discussions were: Prof Dr Purvi Pokhariyal on vision and mission of the Institute, Dr Madhuri Parikh, about CPGLS, Dr Tarkesh Molia, about the academic regulations of LLM, Dr Samiullah on the working of the research centers, Dr Jyotsana Yagnik, on Legal profession, role of academicians and incubation center at ILNU, Dr Pranav Saraswat, on examination rules and processes at the institute and Ms Kshama Parikh, on library resources

## FOUNDATION DAY, 2018

Institute of Law, Nirma University organized its foundation day on 18th August, 2018. It played host to various activities like formal felicitation, panel discussion, blood donation, poster making, face painting, sports, drama, dance and photography competitions. The Chief Guest for this Programme was Hon'ble Mr Justice N V Anjaria, Judge, High Court of Gujarat and guests of honor were Shri D. P. Chhaya, Honorary Advisor, Nirma University and Shri K K Patel, Vice President, Nirma University.



*Mr. K. K. Patel felicitating the students for their achievements*



*Hon'ble Mr. Justice N. V. Anjaria addressing the students*





Faculty members and students at the Institute were felicitated during the programme for their outstanding achievements during the year 2017-18.

The following students were awarded medal for their scholastic performance for the year 2017-18:

Name of Student	Programme	Batch
Swarna Hardikar (Roll No. 14BAL018)	B.A., LL.B.(Hons.)	Batch 2014
Saloni Devpura (Roll No. 14BBL017)	B.Com., LL.B.(Hons.)	Batch 2014
Ravleen Chhabra (Roll No.15BAL011)	B.A., LL.B.(Hons.)	Batch 2015
Kunal Chopra (Roll No.15BBL008)	B.Com., LL.B.(Hons.)	Batch 2015
Richa Mukherjee (Roll No.16BAL043)	B.A., LL.B.(Hons.)	Batch 2016
Juhi Hirani (Roll No.16BBL022)	B.Com., LL.B.(Hons.)	Batch 2016
Aadesh Shinde (Roll No.17BAL061)	B.A., LL.B.(Hons.)	Batch 2017
Malika Tiwari (Roll No.17BBL027)	B.Com., LL.B.(Hons.)	Batch 2017

The following faculty members were felicitated for the outstanding achievements:

Name of Faculty	Achievement details
Madhuri Parikh	'Prof Indira Parikh 50 Women in Education Leaders' award by World Education Congress.
Pranav Saraswat	Paper Presentation – Best Paper Paper presented titled "Carbon Credit-Scope and Future Perspectives"
Bishwa Kalyan Das	Best law Teacher Participant Award Attended One week Refresher course for law teachers organized by National Law School of India University, Bangalore and received the Best Law Teacher Participant Award.



# ILNU EVENTS

## INTERNATIONAL TEACHING WEEKS

As a part of the International Teaching weeks at the Institute, the following foreign faculty members visited ILNU during the current semester and delivered lectures and shared their experiences with the students and faculty members at the Institute:

Details of foreign faculty	Teaching duration	Topic
Prof. Gopal Balachandran Director, Legal English Certificate Programme, Adjunct Professor, Penn State Law, USA	July 28 – August 1, 2018	Public Defense Course
Prof. Ylli Dautaj Practising Legal Counsel, Civil Litigation, Sweden	August 1 -December 20, 2018	International Commercial Arbitration
Prof. Stephen G. Barnes Associate Dean, Penn State Law, Pennsylvania State University, USA	September 09 –12, 2018	American Legal System
Prof. William F. Fox Distinguished Visiting Professor, School of Transnational Law, Peking University, Shenzhen, China	September 10-October 10 , 2018	International Business Transaction
Prof. Jennifer E. Berg Consultant, Business Strategy, Portland (Critical thinking, creativity and communication skills)	September 10 -31, 2018	Law Skill Labs



Prof. Gopal Balachandran



Prof. Ylli Dautaj



Prof. Stephen G. Barnes



Prof. Jennifer E. Berg



Prof. William Fox



## 8<sup>TH</sup> ILNU NATIONAL MOOT COURT COMPETITION, 2018

Institute of Law, Nirma University, in association with the Competition Commission of India and SCC Online, organized its 8<sup>th</sup> National Moot Court Competition from 31<sup>st</sup> August to 02<sup>nd</sup> September, 2018. Over 20 teams from prestigious law schools of the country participated in the said competition.

At the end of the competition, Symbiosis Law School, Noida was adjudged as the Winner. The Runner-up team was from Sastra University. Deshna Golechha from NMIMS, Mumbai was declared as the Best Speaker and Arshita Bansal from Law Centre II, Faculty of Law, Delhi was declared as the Best Researcher, while NUSRL, Ranchi won the award for the Best Memorial.



*ILNU 2018 Moot Court*

# RESEARCH CENTRE ACTIVITIES

## NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON INTERNATIONAL HUMANITARIAN AND REFUGEES LAW

Centre for Human Rights Law, Institute of Law, Nirma University organized the 7<sup>th</sup> edition of its annual flagship event – National Students' Conference on International Humanitarian and Refugees Law in association with the International Committee of Red Cross and the United Nations High Commissioner of Refugees on 08<sup>th</sup> August, 2018. The Chief Guest of the conference was Dr. Manoj Kumar, Director, Indian Law Institute and Prof. Nagendra Singh, Professor Emeritus, Maharshi Law School was the Guest of Honor.



*Dignitaries on the dais during IHL Conference*

## CELEBRATION OF OZONE DAY

Centre for Environment Law, Institute of Law, Nirma University celebrated ozone day on 17<sup>th</sup> August, 2018 by organizing a poster making competition and showing a video in all the classes on importance of ozone layer and how to protect it.

## WORKSHOP ON INTERNATIONAL COMMERCIAL ARBITRATION: CONTEMPORARY ISSUES

Centre for ADR, Institute of Law, Nirma University organized a three day workshop on the theme of International Commercial Arbitration: Contemporary Issues from 15<sup>th</sup> to 17<sup>th</sup> September, 2018. The resource persons for the said workshop were Prof William F Fox, Former Dean and Professor of Law, Columbus School of Law, USA; Prof Thomas E Carbonneau, Distinguished Professor of Law, Penn State Law, USA; Dr Jyotsna Yagnik, Clinical Professor of Law, ILNU and Retired Principle and District Judge and Arbitrator, Ahmedabad; Mr. Tejas Karia, Partner and Head, Arbitration at Shardul Amarchand Mangaldas, India; Mr Hiroo Advani, Managing Partner, Advani & Co, Mr Ylli Dautaj, Assistant Prof ILNU, Partner at



*Dignitaries on dais during Arbitration workshop*



# DISTINGUISHED LECTURES

## INTRA MURALS MOOT COURT COMPETITION

The Moot Court Committee conducted the Intra Murals Moot Court Competition on August 11-12, 2017. Near about 250 students participated in the competition out of which a panel of 40 teams (3 members in each) was formed. The participants were adjudged by Mr. Arpit Singhvi, Alumni ILNU and Mr. Kaivan Dastoor, Practicing advocate Gujarat High Court. Along with the oral rounds, Researcher's Test was also conducted for the researchers.

- The Moot Court Committee of Institute of Law, Nirma University organized the 1st edition of the Intramurals Mock Trial for the students on 19th November, 2017. The event witnessed large participation from students across all semesters, with 8 teams qualifying for the panel of the Mock Trial. The mock trials were adjudged by Alumni's of the Institute and also practicing advocates at the Gujarat High Court.

# DISTINGUISHED LECTURES

Date(s)	Speaker(s)	Designation(s)	Topic
27 <sup>th</sup> July, 2018	Mr Ajay Umat and Mr Shyam Parekh	Senior Editor, Navgujarat Samay; Director – Dew Media School.	Contemporary Media: Developing Understanding in the Post Truth Era
07 <sup>th</sup> August, 2018	Prof (Dr) Manoj Kumar Sinha	Director, Indian Law Institute	Law and Justice in Globalizing world
13 <sup>th</sup> August, 2018	Dr Usha Ramanathan	Advocate, Supreme Court of India	Democracy and Human Rights
13 <sup>th</sup> August, 2018	Prof (Dr) Afzal Wani	Dean and Head, School of Law and Legal Studies, IP University New Delhi	Research Methodology
13 <sup>th</sup> August, 2018	Prof (Dr) M K Ramesh	Professor, Environmental Law, NLSIU Bangalore	Legal Framework on Biodiversity in India
18 <sup>th</sup> August, 2018	Dr Arghya Sengupta Mrs Anjali Bhardwaj Mr Srijan Pal Singh	Founder and Research Director, Vidhi Centre for Legal Policy, New Delhi; Co-Convenor, National Campaign for People's Right to Information, New Delhi; Founder, Kalam Foundation and Cyber Law Expert	Panel discussion on Personal Data Protection Bill, 2018
11 <sup>th</sup> September, 2018	Prof Stephen Barnes	Assistant Dean, Graduate and International Programmes, Penn State Law	US Constitution and Impeachment Powers
15 <sup>th</sup> September, 2018	Dr. Ranjana Harish	Former Professor and Head, Department of English, School of Languages, Gujarat University	Towards a Gender Sensitive Campus

# DISTINGUISHED LECTURES



15 <sup>th</sup> September, 2018	Mr. Asim Pandya	Advocate, High Court of Gujarat	Writ Jurisdiction of Supreme Court and High Court
15 <sup>th</sup> September, 2018	Ms. Dharmishta Raval	Advocate, High Court of Gujarat	Securities Appellate Tribunal
19 <sup>th</sup> September, 2018	Shri Rajiv Bhatia	Distinguished Fellow Gateway House, Mumbai and Former High Commissioner	Indian Foreign Policy: Confronting the 21 <sup>st</sup> Century



*Dr. Usha Ramanathan*



*Mr. Ajay Umat*



*Mr. Assim Pandya*



*Ambassador Rajiv Bhatia*



# OTHER ACTIVITIES

## CERTIFICATE COURSE ON LEGAL RESEARCH AND WRITING

Institute of Law, Nirma University organized a certificate course on Legal Research and Writing on 30<sup>th</sup> July, 2018. The course was conducted by Prof Gopal Balachandran, Director, Legal English Certificate Programme and Adjunct Professor, Penn State Law, USA.

## LEARNERS MOOT, 2018

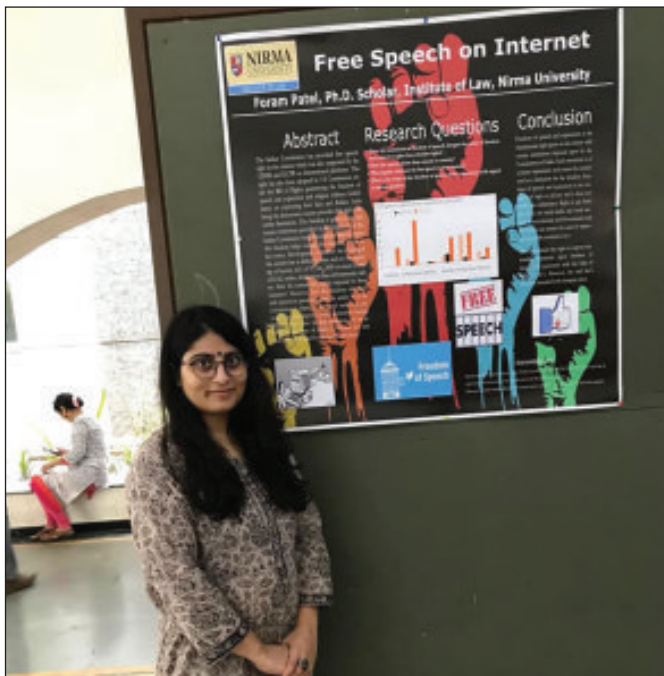
Institute of Law, Nirma University organized its annual Intra Moot Court Competition, 2018 for the 12th batch of the Institute on 16<sup>th</sup> August, 2018. The event witnessed budding lawyers amongst the batch honing in on their skills and understanding the intricacies that a moot court competition has to offer.

## SAMWAAD XV

Institute of Law, Nirma University in consonance with Samwaad: A Student Forum for Discussion, organized its 15<sup>th</sup> session on 29<sup>th</sup> August, 2018. The topic of discussion was Mob Lynching. The speakers at this event were Shubham Borah of 3<sup>rd</sup> year, Lokesh Vyas of 3<sup>rd</sup> year and Kajal Singh of 2<sup>nd</sup> year.

## PH.D POSTER PRESENTATION

A Ph.D poster presentation was held at Institute of Law, Nirma University on 01<sup>st</sup> September, 2018 on topics like 'Business and Human Rights' and 'Free Speech on Internet'.



Poster Presentation

## CERTIFICATE COURSE ON INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS TRANSACTION

Institute of Law, Nirma University organized a course on 'International Business Transaction' from 10<sup>th</sup> September to 10<sup>th</sup> October, 2018. The course was conducted by Prof William F Fox, Former Dean and Professor of Law, Columbus School of Law, USA.



Prof. William Fox

## CERTIFICATE COURSE ON 'CASE TO CASE PLUS METHOD: A NEW PEDAGOGY'

Institute of Law, Nirma University organized a certificate course on 'Case' to 'Case Plus' Method: A New Pedagogy from 10<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> September, 2018. The course was conducted by Prof Shamnad Basheer, Founder IDIA/Spicy IP/P-PIL, Honorary Research Chair Professor of IP Law, Nirma University and Visiting Professor of Law, National Law School, Bangalore.



Prof. Shamnad Basheer





## CERTIFICATE COURSE ON SKILL LAB FOR STUDENTS

Institute of Law, Nirma University organized a course on Skill Lab – Critical Thinking and Decision Making for the students of the institute from 10<sup>th</sup> September to 30<sup>th</sup> September, 2018. The course was conducted by Ms. Jennifer Berg, Founder, Responsibility Rogue, LLC, Portland, Oregon.

## WORKSHOP ON SKILL LAB FOR THE FACULTY MEMBERS AT ILNU

Institute of Law, Nirma University organized a workshop on Skill Lab – Creativity and Critical Thinking for its faculty members from 25<sup>th</sup> September, 2018 to 26<sup>th</sup> September, 2018. The workshop was conducted by Ms. Jen Berg, Founder, Responsibility Rogue, LLC, Portland, Oregon.

## MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN NLSIU AND ILNU

A Memorandum of Understanding was signed between National Law School of India University (NLSIU), Bangalore and Institute of Law, Nirma University on 12<sup>th</sup> July, 2018. The MoU will encompass exchange of students and members of faculty as well as other academic activities- research and publications. They will also develop joint training and research Programmes in a collaborative spirit.



*MoU with NLSIU*



## FACULTY AWARD/RECOGNITION

- Dr Madhuri Parikh, Associate Professor, Institute of Law, Nirma University was felicitated with the title 'Prof Indira Parikh 50 Women in Education Leaders' by World Education Congress. The theme of the Congress was 'Sustainable Development Goals and Quality Education for all'. The presentation ceremony was held on 5<sup>th</sup> July, 2018 at Taj Lands End, Mumbai.
- Dr Virendra Singh, Assistant Professor, Institute of Law, Nirma University received a Certificate of Appreciation from The MS University of Baroda for getting the Copy Right from Government of India in Sociology.



*Dr. Madhuri Parikh receiving award*

## PUBLICATION / PAPER PRESENTATION

- Mr Amit K Kashyap, Assistant Professor, Institute of Law, Nirma University, published a book chapter on 'DNA Forensics' in an edited book titled 'Red Biotechnology' published by Astral International Publication, New Delhi under the aegis of Gujarat National Law University project funded by the Government of Gujarat.
- Mr. Amit K Kashyap, Assistant Professor, Institute of Law, Nirma University, edited a book on 'Corporate Insolvency Law and Bankruptcy Reforms in the Global Economy' published by IGI Global USA with ISBN No. 78-1522555414.
- Ms Shreya Srivastava, Assistant Professor, Institute of Law, Nirma University published a research paper titled 'Role of Competition Regime in Achieving Sustainable Development' in Volume XI of the Army Institute of Law Journal, 2018 with ISSN No. 0975-8208.
- Mr Amit Bhaskar, Assistant Professor, Institute of Law, Nirma University published a research paper titled 'National Financial Reporting Authority – A Tool for Disciplining the Auditors' in Volume 3 of the Company Law Journal, 2018 with ISSN No. 0010-4019.

- Ms Anubhuti Ddungdung, Assistant Professor, Institute of Law, Nirma University presented a research paper at the International Conference on Blockchain, Cryptocurrency and Digital Assets: Regulatory Framework organized by ILTES, Hyderabad from 29<sup>th</sup> to 30<sup>th</sup> September, 2018. The title of the paper was 'Digital Assets of Deceased Persons: Complexities and Countermeasures'.



*Ms. Anubhuti Ddungdung receiving award*

## ATTENDING CONFERENCE/SEMINAR

- Prof. Dr. Purvi Pokhariyal attended Teacher's Day Conference at New Delhi on 1st September, 2018
- Dr Bishwa Kallyan Dash, Assistant Professor, Institute of Law, Nirma University attended and presented a research paper at the International Conference on Block chain, Crypto currency and Digital Assets: Framework Regulation organized by ILTES, Hyderabad from 29<sup>th</sup> to 30<sup>th</sup> September, 2018. The title of the paper was 'Decoding Decentralized Cyber Governance in India: Block chain Technology and the IT Act, 2000'.
- Dr Madhuri Parikh, Associate Professor, Institute of Law, Nirma University, attended and presented a research paper at the 68th National Conference on New Trends in Engineering, Science and Management in Vishakhapatnam, India from 20<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> July, 2018.

## FACULTY AS RESOURCE PERSON

- Dr Bishwa Kallyan Dash, Assistant Professor, Institute of Law, Nirma University took a guest lecture on 'Sports and Laws' in Parul Institute of Law, Parul University, Vadodara on 28<sup>th</sup> August, 2018.



*Prof Bishwa delivering guest lecture*





## PAPER PUBLICATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS

- Kaivalya Shah of 5<sup>th</sup> year and Namrata Dubey of 5<sup>th</sup> year won the Best Essay and the 2<sup>nd</sup> Best Essay award at the 1<sup>st</sup> ILNU-IBBI Essay Competition 2018 on Emerging Jurisprudence on Corporate Insolvency held at Institute of Law, Nirma University.
- Kavya Mehta of 4<sup>th</sup> year and Ritumukesh Mishra of 4<sup>th</sup> year published their research paper titled 'Lingua Franca of India: A Critique' in Volume II of the GLC Law and Policy Review Journal with ISSN No.: 2518-9135.
- Ritika Kanwar of 2<sup>nd</sup> year published a research article titled 'Case note on Passive Euthanasia' in Volume 3 Issue 3(1) of the International Journal of Socio Legal Research with ISSN No.: 2393-8250.
- Sumit Singh Bhadauria of 4<sup>th</sup> year won the third prize for his essay "Resale Price Maintenance in the age of internet retailing: Towards a more Economic Approach" presented in NLIU-Trilegal Summit on Corporate & Commercial Laws, 2018. The essay was been published in the NLIU-Trilegal EBC Commemorative Book along with a one month paid internship with Trilegal and three month access to SCC and EBC Indian Constitution. The event was organized from 24<sup>th</sup> to 25<sup>th</sup> August, 2018.



*Mr. Sumit Singh with trophy*

- Devansh Dubey of 3<sup>rd</sup> year and Payas Jain of 3<sup>rd</sup> year published their research paper titled 'The Right to be Forgotten: A Right against Rights?' in Volume 3 Issue 1 of the National Law University Odisha Student Law Journal with ISSN No. 2035-062X.
- Naman Dubey of 3<sup>rd</sup> year and Lokesh Vyas of 3<sup>rd</sup> year won the 2<sup>nd</sup> Amity National essay writing competition on Nation and Nationalism, 2018. The title of their essay was 'Rule of Law v. Rule of Mob: An Unfettered Vigilantism'.

## MOOT COURT COMPETITIONS

- The team comprising of Palak Jain of 2<sup>nd</sup> year, Shubhsmita of 2<sup>nd</sup> year and Bhavya Sharma of 4<sup>th</sup> year were adjudged as runners-up at 4<sup>th</sup> National Moot Court Competition organized by Rajeev Gandhi School of Intellectual Property Law (RGSiPL) from 31<sup>st</sup> August to 02<sup>nd</sup> September, 2018.



*Students with RGSiPL trophy*

- The team comprising of Rishabh Jain, Shipra Sayal and Shubham Gupta, all of 3<sup>rd</sup> year were adjudged as the winners of the Best Memorial Award at the 4<sup>th</sup> GNLU Moot on Securities and Investment Law, 2018 held at Gujarat National Law University from 06<sup>th</sup> to 09<sup>th</sup> September, 2018.
- The team comprising of Navya Singh, Kulsoom Farhat Khan and Vinisha Jain, all of 2<sup>nd</sup> year, were adjudged as Quarter Finalists at the 18<sup>th</sup> Henry Dunant Memorial Moot Court Competition, 2018. Navya Singh was also adjudged as the Best Advocate at the same tournament. The tournament was jointly organized by the Indian Society of International Law (ISIL) and International Committee of the Red Cross, New Delhi from 13<sup>th</sup> to 16<sup>th</sup> September, 2018.

## DEBATE TOURNAMENTS

- Adhirath Chaudhary of 2<sup>nd</sup> year broke as an adjudicator at the Symbiosis Law School- Parliamentary Debate, 2018 conducted by Symbiosis Law School, Pune on 17<sup>th</sup> to 19<sup>th</sup> August, 2018.
- Toshit Godara of 4<sup>th</sup> year and Shubham Borah of 3<sup>rd</sup> year were adjudged as finalists at the IIM Indore Inter-Varsity Debate. Toshit was also adjudged as the second best speaker. Also, Gahna Rajani and Kush Dubey of 1<sup>st</sup> year made it to the semifinals at the same tournament and Devashish Trivedi of 4<sup>th</sup> year was declared as the Best Adjudicator at the same tournament. The tournament was held from 07<sup>th</sup> to 09<sup>th</sup> September, 2018.



## STUDENTS CORNER

- Devashish Trivedi of 4th year secured an adjudicator break and Gaurav Chaplot and Ashutosh of 1<sup>st</sup> year broke in the novice category at GNLU Debate Tournament 2018, held at Gujarat National Law University from 25th to 27<sup>th</sup> August, 2018.



*GNLU Debate winners with trophy*

### MOCK TRIAL COMPETITIONS

- The team comprising of Arpit Kacholiya of 5<sup>th</sup> year, Harshad Joshi of 5<sup>th</sup> year, Mansi Swarup of 5<sup>th</sup> year and Atharv Arya of 4th year were adjudged as Quarter Finalists at the Surana and Surana National Trial Advocacy Competition, 2018 conducted by Bharati Vidyapeeth New Law College, Pune from 07<sup>th</sup> to 09<sup>th</sup> September, 2018.

### CLIENT COUNSELING COMPETITIONS

- The team comprising Shewangee Singh of 4<sup>th</sup> year and Archi Pawar of 4th year were adjudged as Semi Finalists at the 1<sup>st</sup> NLIU Link Legal National Client Counseling Competition, 2018 which was held at National Law Institute University, Bhopal from 07<sup>th</sup> to 09<sup>th</sup> September, 2018. Archi Pawar was also adjudged the Best Counsel for the said Competition.

### YOUTH PARLIAMENT AND MUN



*Pruthviraj Singh with Best Speaker award*

- Pruthvirajsinh Zala of 1<sup>st</sup> year won the Best Speaker award at the Youth Parliament of India, 2018 conducted at Karnavati University, Gandinagar from 14<sup>th</sup> to 15<sup>th</sup> July, 2018. The inaugural ceremony was graced by the presence of BJP National president and Member of Parliament Amit Shah, Gujarat Chief Minister Vijay Rupani and other senior ministers.
- Aadesh Shinde of 2<sup>nd</sup> year won the Best Parliamentarian award at HLCC MUN held at HL College of Commerce, Ahmedabad from 17<sup>th</sup> to 19<sup>th</sup> August 2018. Also, Pruthviraj Sinh Zala of 1<sup>st</sup> year won the high commendation award at the same event.



*Aadesh Shinde with Best parliamentarian award*

### SPORTING ACHIEVEMENTS

- NCC Cadets Aniket Rathore, Manav Patel, Guru Siradhana and Umang Sethi, all of 2<sup>nd</sup> year, won 5 Gold Medals and 1 Silver Medal in the Inter battalion Quiz, Debate and in the Shooting Competition held at the NCC Headquarters, Ahmedabad on 22<sup>nd</sup> August, 2018.



*Victorious NCC Cadets with medal*

- The Nirma University Basketball Team comprising of Krishan Mohan, Captain, of 5<sup>th</sup> year and Utkarsh Mishra of 3rd year from Institute of Law, Nirma University stood as runners-up at the IIM Ahmedabad sporting festival Shaurya 2018. The fest was held from 20<sup>th</sup> to 23<sup>rd</sup> September, 2018.



## STUDENTS ACTIVITIES (NILSAA)

### INTRA DEBATE COMPETITION, 2018

Institute of Law, Nirma University organized its annual Intra Debate Competition for the students of the Institute from 04<sup>th</sup> August, 2018 to 05<sup>th</sup> August, 2018. The event saw participation from students of all batches and paved the way for the creation of the debating panel for the Academic Year 2018-19.

### FRESHERS PROGRAMME FOR THE 12<sup>TH</sup> ILNU BATCH (2018-2023)

Institute of Law, Nirma University organized a freshers Programme for the 12<sup>th</sup> Batch of the Institute on 15<sup>th</sup> August, 2018. The event saw students participating in a variety of activities and games.

### INTRA MOOT COURT COMPETITION, 2018

Institute of Law, Nirma University organized its annual Intra Moot Court Competition for the students of the Institute from 11<sup>th</sup> August, 2018 to 12<sup>th</sup> August, 2018. The event saw participation from students of all batches and paved the way for the creation of the Mooting Panel for the Academic Year 2018-19.

### MELANGE 2018

Institute of Law, Nirma University organized its flagship cultural event known as Melange, 2018 on the 05<sup>th</sup> of September, 2018. The event saw a plethora of dance, singing and acting performances from the first year students and some special performances from students of other batches.



### ADR INTRA MURAL COMPETITION

Institute of Law, Nirma University organized its annual Alternate Dispute Resolution Intra Mural Competition for the students of the Institute from 08<sup>th</sup> September, 2018 to 09<sup>th</sup> September, 2018. The event saw participation from students

of all batches and paved the way for the creation of the ADR Panel for the Academic Year 2018-19.

### KERALA FLOODS RELIEF DONATION CAMP

Mission Sangharsh, a student initiative of the Institute organized a relief donation camp for the disastrous Kerala floods. The camp was organized from 20<sup>th</sup> August, 2018 to 21<sup>st</sup> August, 2018. The students collected torches, bed sheets, candles, matchsticks, footwear, umbrellas, milk powder, baby food and sanitary pads, amongst other things. The collected material was sent to Centre for Social Justice, an NGO based in Ahmedabad, which further directed it directly to the State of Kerala.

### EXTENSION ACTIVITIES

On 24/7/2018 an Orientation program was done by NSS ILNU. Mr. Kamal Kumar Kar, Regional Director, Government of India, Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports had orientated the first year student for NSS enrolment at ILNU.

On 7/10/2018 a pledge on 'Swachta Pakhwara' taken by all students of NSS, ILNU to keep clean and green Campus and Nation.

On 18/08/2018, the NSS, ILNU has organised the blood donation camp on the Foundation Day of ILNU. In this blood donation, camp around 45 students had donated the blood for human cause.

On 22/09/2018, NSS team of ILNU had visited the Jaimpura Village to analyse what the NSS ILNU team can do for betterment of Villagers. The team had visited the village hospital, Aanganwadi program and the School of village. The team also met with the employee of the Viillage Panchayat so that NSS, ILNU can understand their policy and give support to their programme. This visit was fruitful to make a plan for future assignment of NSS, ILNU.



NSS Orientation to First Year Students



## ALUMNI CORNER

- Devi Jagani, an alumna of Institute of Law (Batch 2013-2018) has been admitted into the renowned Bachelor of Civil Law (BCL) Programme of the University of Oxford starting September this year. She is the first student from Institute of Law, Nirma University to be admitted into this Programme.
- Mr Manasvi Thapar, an alumnus of Institute of Law and a prolific entrepreneur, delivered a TEDx talk at H.L. College of Commerce, Ahmedabad on the topic 'What others don't teach you, you teach yourself.'
- Devarshi Desai, an alumnus of Institute of Law (Batch 2010-2015) organized a meet up with Jocelyn Wardle in relation to their start up as 'Melbourne Vibe' which works towards enhancing experiences of international students in Australia and helps in accommodation, jobs and visas. Around 80 international students attended the meet up held in Melbourne.

## WHATS HAPPENING IN LIBRARY

- Institute of Law, Nirma University's Library organized the library week from 04<sup>th</sup> to 09<sup>th</sup> of August, 2018. As a part of the celebration, the library displayed books on Indian History. During this week, on 07<sup>th</sup>, 08<sup>th</sup> and 09<sup>th</sup> of September, 2018 the library played host to a quiz on our library.



ILNU Library week celebration





# નિરમામાં આર્બિટ્રેશન પર નિવૃત્ત જજ જ્યોત્સના યાજ્ઞિકે કહ્યું આર્બિટ્રેશનમાં કેસ હવે વહેલો પુરો થાય છે, અગાઉ 3-4 વર્ષ લાગતા



નિરમા ઇન્સ્ટિટ્યુટ ઓફ લોમાં 'ઇન્ટરનેશનલ કોમર્સ આર્બિટ્રેશન: કન્વેન્શનલ' ઉપર પર-સ્ટાફ સિલ્વલો વર્કશોપનું આયોજન.

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નિરમા ઇન્સ્ટિટ્યુટ ઓફ લો ખાતે 'ઇન્ટરનેશનલ કોમર્સ આર્બિટ્રેશન: કન્વેન્શનલ' ઉપર પર-સ્ટાફ સિલ્વલો વર્કશોપનું આયોજન કરવામાં આવ્યું છે. જેમાં પરવેશ બે દિવસો દરમિયાન નિવૃત્ત જિલ્લાજજ જ્યોત્સના યાજ્ઞિક, નેજલ ડાહ્યા, પ્રોફેસર વેલ્લી દીલાજ સહીતના એક્સપર્ટ હાજર રહ્યા હતા. આ દરમિયાન આર્બિટ્રેશન એટલે કે કોર્ટની પરિવાન સાથે જે કેસોને સોલ્વ કરવામાં આવે છે તેને લઈને ચર્ચા કરવામાં આવે છે. કોર્ટ દ્વારા જ એક વ્યક્તિને નિયુક્ત કરવામાં આવે છે, અને તરફની

પાર્ટીને સાંભળીને કેસને સોલ્વ કરવામાં આવે છે તેને લઈને અહીં આવેલા એક્સપર્ટ દ્વારા વાત કરવામાં આવી હતી. આ દરમિયાન રિટાઇર્ડ વિજિલન્ટ જજ જ્યોત્સના યાજ્ઞિકે કહ્યું હતું કે, 'ઇન્ડિયામાં 1995થી આર્બિટ્રેશનથી શરૂઆત થઈ પહેલાં અદ્યતન દેશોમાં તેનું મહત્વ હતું પછીથી ઈન્ડિયા યહુ. ઈન્ડિયા અને અદ્યતન આર્બિટ્રેશનમાં ફેર છે. પણને અમર છે કે કોર્ટમાં વધારે સમય જાય છે જેથી આર્બિટ્રેશનથી અદ્યતન કેસનું સોલ્યુશન વાલે છે. આર્બિટ્રેશનમાં કેસ જલ્દી પુરો થાય છે. પહેલાં 3થી 4 વર્ષમાં લાગતા પરંતુ હવે એક સમયમાં પુરો થઈ જતો હોય છે.'



EVENT – ILNU CELEBRATES 11TH FOUNDATION DAY

Institute of Law, Nirma University celebrated its 11th foundation day recently. Dr. (Prof.) Purvi Pokhariyal (Director and Dean ILNU) in his welcome address expressed gratitude to Chief Guest Hon'ble Justice N. V. Anjaria (Judge, High Court of Gujarat) and Guest of Honor D.P. Chhaya (Hon. Advisor (A&GA), Nirma University) and K. K. Patel (Vice President, Nirma University). I.L.N.U. teachers and students from diverse cultures of India are commendable as they have been extending constant support for many years.

# નિરમા યુનિ.માં જેન્ડર સેન્સિટિવ વિષય પર ટોક મહિલાઓનાં હિતમાં કાયદા બંધ્યા, સમાજે વિચારવું પડશે

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નિરમા યુનિવર્સિટી લેક્ચર સિરીઝ અંતર્ગત દર મહીનામાં એક વાર લેક્ચર યોજવામાં આવે છે. જેમાં આ વખતે વૂમન ડેવલપમેન્ટ સેલ અને નિરમા ઇન્સ્ટિટ્યુટ ઓફ લો દ્વારા 'ટુવર્ડ્સ અ જેન્ડર સેન્સિટિવ કેમ્પસ' વિષય પર વાત કરવામાં આવી



હતી. ત્યારે આ પ્રોગ્રામમાં ગુજરાત યુનિવર્સિટી સ્કૂલ ઓફ લેંગ્વેજના હેડ ડૉ રંજના હરિશ હાજર રહ્યા હતા. દર મહિને વૂમન ઈસ્યુને ધ્યાનમાં રાખી જુદા-જુદા ડીપાર્ટમેન્ટ દ્વારા

આ લેક્ચર સિરીઝ યોજાશે. વૂમન રાઈટ્સ પર વાત કરતા ડૉ રંજના હરિશે જણાવ્યું હતું કે, વૂમન રાઈટ્સ એ લો દ્વારા જ સોલ્વ થાય છે. ઈન્ડિયાનું બંધારણ વૂમનના હક્કોને લઈને પોઝિટિવ છે. કાયદાઓ તો બનશે પરંતુ અમુક બાબતોમાં સમાજે પણ મહિલાઓના હિતને ધ્યાનમાં રાખી વિચારવું પડશે.

# નિરમામાં આજથી 3 દિવસની મૂટ કોર્ટ કોમ્પિટિશન યોજાશે

એરપોર્ટ પર વસ્તુઓની વધારે પ્રાઈઝ અને દુકાનના લાઈસન્સ અંગે થશે દલીલો

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નિરમા યુનિવર્સિટી ઓ ઇપાર્ટમેન્ટ અને ૫ કોમ્પિટિશન કમિશન ઓફ ઈન્ડિયા દ્વારા આજથી ત્રણ દિવસ માટે ઈમી મૂટ કોર્ટ કોમ્પિટિશન કોલેજ કેમ્પસ ખાતે યોજવામાં આવશે. જેમાં ઓ કોલેજના 26 વિદ્યાર્થીઓની ટીમ બનાવશે. ડિલિવરબલ સ્ટુડન્ટી લઈને કોર્ટના ચાર્ટર્ડ યોજાવામાં આવશે. જેમાં ઈઈ સનસ્ક્રમ, સેકન્ડરરેપ સહિતની પુટી-પુટી કેસલોમાં કુલ 1 થાપ 30 સજારના ઈનામો વિદ્યાર્થીઓને આપવામાં આવશે. પહેલા દિવસે રજિસ્ટ્રેશન, ઈન્વેસ્ટિગેશન અને મૂટ કોર્ટ ટ્રાયલને લઈને એક્સપર્ટ ટોક યોજાશે. કોમ્પિટિશન કમિશન ઓફ ઈન્ડિયાના લીગલ એડવાઈઝર પી. કે. શિખ, અંગર કર્મના મેનેજિંગ ડાયરેક્ટર ગૈરવ ગંગર, એઈટી

બહાર કરતાં એરપોર્ટ પર વસ્તુના મોંઘા ભાવ મુદ્દે થશે ચર્ચા કોમ્પિટિશન લોમાં એરપોર્ટ પર અપર માર્કેટની સરખામણીએ મળતી મોવી ચીઝ વસ્તુઓ અને ત્યાં રહેલી કુકાનેશ લાયસન્સ લેવામાં પડતી તકલીફો આ બે બાબતોને ધ્યાનમાં રાખી ચર્ચા થશે. જેમાં સામ-સામે એરપોર્ટમાં આ બાબ વધારે લેવાના કારણે, ત્યાંનો મેનેજમેન્ટ ખર્ચ, એરપોર્ટ માટે લીગલ લોમાં કામ કરી રહેલી ઈમ અને લોકલ વગેરે બાબતો અલગથી

# સાબરમતી જેલના 3500 કેદીઓનું કાર્બોસેલિંગ કરતા વિદ્યાર્થીઓ

નિરમા યુનિ.ની કોલેજના 70 વિદ્યાર્થીઓની ટીમનું લીગલ એઈડ કમિશન



ગોકરોળમાં જેલમાં લોને લઈને ટોક જેલમાં કેદીઓને શીખવાતા એલિક ગુલ્શ

# નિરમા યુનિ.માં ઈન્ટરનેશનલ કોમર્સ એટ્રિબ્યુશન પર વર્કશોપ

૧૦થી ૩૦મી સપ્ટેમ્બર સુધી પ્રો. જેન બર્ગ સ્ટિલ-લેખ ક્રિટિકલ થિંકિંગ અને ડિસિઝન મેકિંગ વિશે માર્ગદર્શન આપશે

નર હોર એ, ઇન્સ્ટિટ્યુટ ઓફ લો નિરમા યુનિવર્સિટી દ્વારા ઈન્ટરનેશનલ કોમર્સ એટ્રિબ્યુશન : કન્વેન્શનલ ઉપર ૧૫થી ૧૭ સપ્ટેમ્બર સુધી વર્કશોપનું આયોજન કરાયું છે. ત્રિદિવસીય વર્કશોપમાં કોલેજના લો સ્કૂલનાં પ્રો.વિવિધ્ય બેક્સ, પેન સ્ટેટ લો યુનેસના પ્રો. થોમસ ઈ., ડિવિઝનલ પ્રોફેસર ઓફ લો ડૉ. જ્યોત્સના યાજ્ઞિક, શારદા અમરવંદના હેડ તેજલ કરીયા, આવાણી રૂપના સિડુ આવાણી અને નિરમા લોના પ્રો. પલ્લી દીલાજ ઈન્ટરનેશનલ કોમર્સ એટ્રિબ્યુશન વિશે વાત કરશે, જેમાં તેઓ કન્વેન્શનલ ઉપર અને વર્તમાન પરિસ્થિતિ સાથે કેવી રીતે તાલમેલ સાધી શકાય તે વિશે ચાહિતી આપશે. વધુમાં સ્પીકર્સ સ્ટુડન્ટને ઈન્સ્ટ્રુક્ટરને ડેવલપ કરવા

અંગેની જાણકારી પણ આપશે. ઉપરાંત ૧૦થી ૩૦મી સપ્ટેમ્બર સુધી પ્રો. જેન બર્ગ સ્ટિલ-લેખ ક્રિટિકલ થિંકિંગ અને ડિસિઝન મેકિંગ વિશે સ્ટુડન્ટસને માહિતગાર કરે છે, જેમાં તેઓ સ્ટુડન્ટને તરીકે નિર્લય શક્તિ વિકસાવવી અને કોર્ટ પણ ધટનાને સમજવા માટે તેને વિશ્લેષણ કેવી રીતે કરવું તેની ચાહિતી આપે છે.



## FORTHCOMING EVENTS

No.	Name of Event	Date
1	Workshop on Agrarian Crisis: Challenges and the Way Forward	October 1, 2018
2	Workshop on Sports Law	October 5-6, 2018
3	Workshop on Public Interested Lawyering	October 6-7, 2018
4	Workshop on Cyber Law	October 8-9, 2018
5	Connaissance 8.0	October 11-12, 2018
6	Distinguished lecture by Prof. Trotman Lindsay Gordon Simpson Massey University, New Zealand	October 20-November 03, 2018
7	One day National workshop on " Forensic Psychology– Application in Civil and Criminal Justice Administration	October 20, 2017
8	ILNU-SILF-BAI ACADEMIA CONCLAVE SERIES 2.0 "Towards a New Era of Academia - Legal Industry Collaboration"	October 20-21, 2018
9	One Day Seminar on "Legal Awareness on Laws relating to Women" in Collaboration with Gujarat State Commission for Women	October 22, 2018
10	15 <sup>th</sup> National Youth Parliament	October 25, 2018
11	National Seminar on "Sustainable Resource Management: Legal Issues and Conservation Strategies" organized under the aegis of Centre for Environmental Law, Institute of Law, Nirma University on 27 <sup>th</sup> October, 2018	October 27, 2018
12	Distinguished Lecture by Prof. Jan Kunstyr, UK	October 28 – November 04, 2018
13	Inauguration of Lawyers Incubation Clinic	October 30-31, 2018
14	Distinguished lecture by Prof. Victoria Bui, Uppsala University, Sweden	November 12 – 19, 2018

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