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Academic Continuity through Online Teaching

The Institute of Law has adopted the online mode of teaching-learning process in these challenging times of Covid-19. All courses being offered by the Institute in this academic year have been delivered online. This involves a range of subjects that are oriented towards law, commerce, humanities and some professional courses. For teaching, a blend of techniques such as podcasts, video lectures, audio enabled PowerPoint presentations, and virtual meetings with students on secured platforms were used. Important learning resources were shared with students from both national as well as international resources. Several e-mediums have been used such as Google Classrooms; Google Meet; Zoom, Webinar, WebEx, emails and WhatsApp groups to ensure that questions of students are cleared in each subject are addressed and answered as and when they arise. This has led to an effective teaching-learning process. Viva for dissertation courses has also been carried online so that valuable feedback can be given to the students. The Institute is also conducting assessments for all its courses through a properly designed examination. Enough time has been given to the students to complete the exam. The Institute is also flexible in terms of submission deadlines and modes of submission, either through pen and paper model or online, thus catering to the diverse needs and comfort of the students.

Online Mediation Summit

The Institute conducted an Online Mediation Exercise, keeping in mind to provide an edge to the students for conducting dispute resolution process in online mode, which is also the need of the hour. There were 33 groups and the exercise was conducted over a period of one week starting from April 8 to 15, 2020. The students were divided into groups of five members each, wherein one was to play the role of mediator, two counsels on behalf of disputing parties and two parties to the dispute respectively. Six different problems were formulated, which covered a wide range of disputes where mediation plays an important role in settlement of the same such as neighbouring, service and family matters. The students were trained in putting the classroom learning of mediation into practice systematically.

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CLAT FUNDA: An initiative by ILNU

CLAT FUNDA was a month long initiative by ILNU to hand hold CLAT aspirants who were unable to attend the coaching centers during this time of pandemic. Major subjects like Logical Reasoning, Legal Reasoning, English Comprehension and General Knowledge were revised by our faculties and a number of videos were uploaded on our ILNU YouTube channel.

Webinar Series under Education for Justice Initiative

Institute of Law, Nirma University in a joint collaboration with United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC) organised a webinar series under Education for Justice (EJ4) initiative.

Education for Justice (E4J), as an initiative, has been undertaken by UNODC towards the implementation of the Doha Declaration. The Education for Justice (E4J) initiative fully encapsulates this ambition, by joining the collective knowledge and experience of its numerous experts and providing the tools needed to teach lawfulness and crime prevention at all educational levels, from the primary school to the university.

INSTITUTE OF LAW NIRMA UNIVERSITY PRESENTS
WEBINAR ON
EDUCATION FOR JUSTICE AND THE RULE OF LAW: GOOD PRACTICES AND INNOVATIONS
DATE: 4TH JUNE, 2020

Ms. Bianca Kopp,
Global Coordinator (Tertiary Level), E4J Initiative, UNODC

Ms. Seema Joshi Arya,
Criminal Justice Expert, Regional Office for South Asia, UNODC

Mr. Samarth Pathak,
Communications Officer and Focal Point (E4J), Regional Office for South Asia, UNODC

Dr. (Prof.) Purvi Pokhariyal, Director and Dean, ILNU, Nirma University

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UNODC Webinar 1

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Quantitative Techniques
Institute of law Nirma University
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- CLAT FUNDA : Tutorial - 8**
Introduction to General...
Institute of law Nirma University
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- CLAT FUNDA : Tutorial - 9**
Legal Reasoning
Institute of law Nirma University
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- CLAT FUNDA : Tutorial 10 -**
Logical Reasoning
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- CLAT FUNDA : Tutorial 11 -**
English Comprehension
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- CLAT FUNDA : Tutorial 12 -**
Bar Graphs
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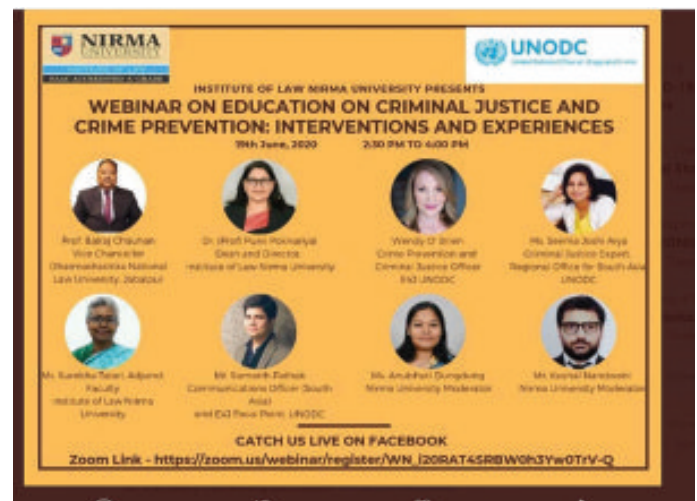
The first webinar was on the theme "Education for Justice and the Rule of Law: Good Practices and Innovations" on June 04, 2020 and the key speakers of the session were Ms. Bianca Kopp, Global Coordinator (tertiary level) ,E4J Initiative, UNODC, Ms. Seema Joshi Arya, Criminal Justice Expert, Regional Office for South Asia, UNODC, Dr. (Prof.) Purvi Pokhariyal, Director and Dean, ILNU, Nirma University, Mr. Samarth Pathak, Communications Officer and Focal Point (E4J), Regional Office for South Asia, UNODC and Mr. Nitesh Chaudhary, Assistant Professor, Political Science, ILNU, Nirma University who provided the participants with an interesting discourse on the said theme of the webinar.

The second webinar on "Education on Cybercrime and Cyber Laws: Interventions and Experiences" was organized on June 15, 2020. The speakers for this webinar were Ms. Bianca Kopp, Global Coordinator (tertiary level), E4J Initiative, UNODC, Mr. Jayant Mishra, ROSA Law Enforcement Expert, Mr. Krishna Sastry Pendyala, Executive Director, Cyber Security Services, PwC, India, Mr. Samarth Pathak, Communications Officer and Focal Point (E4J), Regional Office for South Asia, UNODC, Dr. Bishwa K Dash, Assistant Professor, ILNU, Nirma University.

The third webinar is on "Education on Criminal Justice and Crime Prevention: Interventions and Experiences". The speakers for this webinar were Prof. Balraj Chauhan, Vice Chancellor, Dharmashastra National Law University, Jabalpur , Dr.(Prof.) Purvi Pokhariyal,Dean and Director, Institute of Law, Nirma University, Wendy O' Brien, Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice Officer, E4J, UNODC, Ms. Seema Joshi Arya, Criminal Justice Expert, Regional Office for South Asia, UNODC, Ms. Surekha Talari, Adjunct Faculty, Institute of Law, Nirma University, Mr. Samarth Pathak, Communications Officer (South Asia) and E4J Focal Point, UNODC.



UNODC Webinar 2



UNODC Webinar 3

Webinar Series by ILNU

The Institute organized a series of webinars during the lockdown period. The webinar series was organized by inviting legal experts from industry and professional firms.

EXPERT WEBINAR

Expert Webinar Series

Expert details	Topic	Period
Prof. (Dr.) M. Padmavati, Professor and Dean, Rajiv Gandhi School of IP Law, IIT Kharagpur	Role of Patents and Technology Transfer in Coping with Post Covid 19 Conditions	June 06, 2020
Mr.Parag Jain, a Mumbai based Portfolio Management and Investment Consultant	Securities Market: Financial Solutions for Energy Sector	June 08, 2020
Deepti Dole, corporate Lawyer and Company Secretary, Mumbai	Impact of Covid 19 on Contracts and MnA Transactions	June 14, 2020
Dr. Pavan Duggal, Advocate- Supreme Court of India; specialized in the field of Cyberlaw, E-Commerce law	The Need of Artificial Intelligence Law in India	Jun 17, 2020
Dr. Shaoming Zhu, International Legal Affairs and Global Governance Expert, Beijing, China	Application of Inclusive International Negotiation in Energy Infrastructure Projects	June 22, 2020
Dr. Avinash Sonawane, Head, Directorate of Regulatory Affairs and Communication (AERB, Government of India) Mumbai	Radiation Safety-Regulatory Perspective	June 29, 2020

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**Centre for Energy Law, Policy and Strategy,
INSTITUTE OF LAW, NIRMA UNIVERSITY**

Presents a Webinar on
'RADIATION SAFETY-REGULATORY PERSPECTIVE'

Distinguished Speaker
DR. AVINASH SONAWANE
Head of Directorate of Regulatory Affairs and Communications, (AERB, Government of India), Mumbai

Monday, June 29, 2020 @ 4 PM

Introductory Remarks by Ms. Aditi Vyas
Concluding Remarks by Prof. Dr. Jitendra Kumar

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CELPS Webinar Avinash Sonawane

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**Centre for Energy Law Policy and Strategy,
Institute of Law, Nirma University**
presents a webinar on
'Securities Market: Financial Solutions for Energy Sector'

by
Mr. Parag Jain
Portfolio Management and Investment Consultant, Mumbai, India

Monday, June 08, 2020 @ 11 am

Introducing Remarks by Ms. Aditi Vyas
Concluding Remarks by Prof. Dr. Jitendra Kumar

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CELPS Webinar Parag Jain

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**Centre for Energy Law, Policy and Strategy,
Institute of Law, Nirma University**
presents a webinar on
'Application of Inclusive International Negotiation in Energy Infrastructure Projects'

by
Dr. Shaoming Zhu
International Legal Affairs and Global Governance Expert, Beijing, China

Monday, June 22, 2020 @ 3 pm

Introductory Remarks by Ms. Aditi Vyas
Concluding Remarks by Prof. Dr. Jitendra Kumar

Prior Registrations Necessary
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CELPS Webinar Shaoming Zhu

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Centre for Artificial Intelligence and Law
and Institute of Law Nirma University
Invited Webinar on

Need of specific regulations for Artificial Intelligence in India

17 June 3 P.M.

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Welcome Address: Prof. (Dr.) Purni Pokharwal, Advocate and Dean, IIR
Speaker: Dr. Pavan Duggal, CyberLaw Expert
Moderator: Dr. Rishma K. Hande, Asst. Prof., IIR, Akurdi

Expert Webinar The need of Artificial Intelligence Law in India

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Centre for IPR, INSTITUTE OF LAW, NIRMA UNIVERSITY
 cordially invites you to the
WEBINAR ON
CHANGING DYNAMICS OF IP BEARING BEING COVID-19

SPEAKER
Prof. (Dr.) M. Padmavati
Professor and Dean
Rajiv Gandhi School of Intellectual Property Law, IIT Kharagpur

Topic: Role of Patents and Technology Transfer in Coping with post Covid-19 conditions

Date: June 16, 2020
Time: 12 noon-1 pm
Mode: Zoom

Webinars by Chairperson, Centre for IPR, Institute of Law, Nirma University

Student Co-ordinator: Purni Pokharwal

Prof. (Dr.) Purni Pokharwal, Member and Dean, Institute of Law, Nirma University

IPR Webinar Padmavati

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Centre for Corporate Law Studies
Institute of Law, Nirma University
&
present
WEBINAR ON
IMPACT OF COVID-19 ON CONTRACTS INCLUDING M&A TRANSACTIONS

14th June, 2020 (12-1 pm)

ADV. DEEPTI DOLE
Senior Corporate Lawyer and Company Secretary

Prof. Anil K. Kulkarny
Head, Centre for Corporate Law Studies

Webinar Series

Director for Corporate Law Studies | Institute of Law, Nirma University

CCLS Webinar Deepti Dole

RESEARCH CENTRE ACTIVITIES

Alumni-Student Interactive Sessions on Career Guidance

The Alumni members were also invited for the webinar interactive session with the students for their career guidance.

Speakers	Topic	Date
1) Mr Rahul Chaturvedi, Associate, Argus Partners;	'Appointment and Termination of Arbitral Tribunal'	April 20, 2020
2) Mr. Alok Vajpei, Associate, Singhania & Co., Mumbai.		
1) Ms Surbhi Pareek, Senior Associate, Cyril Amarchand and Mangaldas;	'Understanding Practical Aspects of Corporate Insolvency Resolution Process'	April 21, 2020
2) Mr Kaustabh Prakash, Senior Associate, Vaish Associates Advocates.		
1) Mr. Aditya Gupta, Attorney, IRA Law;	Fundamentals of Trade Mark Law	April 22, 2019
2) Ms. Sonal Goel, Associate, Remfry and Sagar.		



Webinar Rahul Chaturvedi

RESEARCH CENTRE ACTIVITIES

Webinar on the Impact of Covid -19 on IBC

Centre for Corporate Law Studies (CCLS), Institute of Law organized an open-to-all webinar session on May 24, 2020. The webinar is based on the theme 'Impact of COVID-19 on Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code'.

The speakers of the session were Mr. Rohit Lalwani, Principal Associate, AMLEGALS who spoke on 'Increase in the Threshold Limit, the suspension of IBC and Pre-Pack deals' and Mr. Sukrit R. Kapoor, Principal Associate, Hammurabi & Solomon Partners who provided an insight on 'Alternatives to IBC: Debt Restructuring Schemes under Companies Act, 2013'.

Webinar on Deal-Value Merger Threshold

Centre for Competition Law and Market Study organized a webinar on Deal-Value Merger Threshold: Is it the way Forward? on June 16, 2020. The speakers of this webinar were Mr. Bharat Budholia, Partner, Competition Law/Antitrust, AZB & Partners, Mumbai, Ms. Deeksha Manchanda, Managing Associate-Competition Law, Chandhiok & Mahajan, Advocates & Solicitors, New Delhi. Mr. Anshuman Sakle, Partner, Competition Law, Cyril Amarchand Mangaldas, Mumbai.



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Student Mentoring in Corona 19 Pandemic

Realising the importance of health, especially mental health in these challenging times, the Institute has taken up its mentoring process very rigorously. Each faculty has created email groups as well as WhatsApp groups for being in touch with students under their mentorship. There is continuous interaction between mentors and mentees. Mentors are regularly sharing resources with the mentees that will help them in safeguarding their mental health. The Institute has also informed the students of the University Counsellor who will be available for all those who require professional guidance.

Nirma University Employees Contribute one day salary to CM Fund

All employees of Institute of Law have contributed one day's salary to the CM Fund to battle Covid-19

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Publication

Prof. Neeraj Sharma; Article on "Economic Measures to salvage India from COVID-19 Crisis: An Analysis" was published by Taxguru, May 2020.

Prof. Arpit Sharma; Article on "Consequences of Dilution of Labour Law with Respect to Strengthening Economic Structure" was published in MyLawman, May 2020.

Prof. Priyanka Taktawala; Article on "Non-Refoulement of Refugees under International Law" was published in Manupatra, May 2020.

Prof. Mrinalini Srivastava; Article on Unfortunate Plight of 'Migrant' Workers published by Ph. D Chamber of Commerce, July 2020

Prof Ayushi Sharma; Article on "Is Cooperative Federalism the Answer?- Dealing with the COVID-19 Crisis" published by The Cliff News, Bhopal Edition in July 2020

Paper Presentation

Dr. Vikas Upadhyay participated in the webinar on Post COVID-19 Business Opportunities in India with Lesson from 1918 Pandemic organized by Department of Business Management and Entrepreneurship, Dr. RML Avadh University, Ayodhya, UP on May 05, 2020 and presented a paper titled "Social Media as New Business Opportunity : A Paradigm Shift"

Dr. Vikas Upadhyay participated in the webinar on Innovation, Education and Sports organized by S.M. College, Chaundasi on May 17, 2020 and presented a paper titled "Virtual Classroom: Challenges and Opportunities"

Faculty as Resource Person

Prof.(Dr.) Purvi Pokhariyal delivered talk as speaker in the webinar on "Understanding the Changing Legal Pedagogy, Rise

in Demand for Proficient Lawyers, and Transformative Career Paths after Legal Education" organized by Institute of Law, Nirma University on April 19, 2020.

Prof.(Dr.) Purvi Pokhariyal participated as a panellist in the webinar on "Remembering Prof. Menon" on May 10, 2020.

Prof.(Dr.) Purvi Pokhariyal was invited as a panellist in the webinar on "Transformation in Legal Education and Practices: During and PostCOVID-19" conducted by Re-think Tank QSIGAUGE on May 15, 2020.

Prof.(Dr.) Purvi Pokhariyal delivered the talk in the webinar on "Education for Justice and the Rule of Law : Good Practices and Innovations" organized by Institute of Law, Nirma University on June 04, 2020.

Prof.(Dr.) Purvi Pokhariyal was invited as a Resource Person in the online workshop on "Critical Perspectives on Law" organized by the Center for Corporate Law and Governance National Law University, New Delhi on June 16-17, 2020.

Prof.(Dr.) Purvi Pokhariyal delivered a talk in the webinar on "Need of Specific Regulations of Artificial intelligence in India" organized by the Centre for Artificial Intelligence and Law, Institute of Law, Nirma University on June 17, 2020.

Prof.(Dr.) Purvi Pokhariyal delivered a talk on 'Critical Criminal Law' as Resource Person in the Virtual Faculty Development Programme on Contemporary Issues in Law organised by School of Legal Studies, Cochin University of Science and Technology, Kerala on June 18, 2020.

Prof.(Dr.) Purvi Pokhariyal delivered a talk in the webinar on "Education on Criminal Justice and Crime Prevention: Interventions and Experiences" organized by Institute of Law, Nirma University in a joint collaboration with the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC) on June 19, 2020.

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Dr. Bishwa K Dash was invited as a speaker to the webinar on New Age Careers after Class 12th hosted by the Endeavor Classes, Ahmedabad on the April 11, 2020. He delivered a lecture on “Modern law schools and Career opportunities in Law”.

Dr. Bishwa K Dash delivered a talk in the webinar on “Understanding the Changing Legal Pedagogy, Rise in Demand for Proficient Lawyers, and Transformative Career Paths after Legal Education” organized by Institute of Law, Nirma University on April 19, 2020.

Dr. Anandkumar Shinde was invited as a speaker in the webinar on Innovate for a Green Future" as part of World Intellectual Property Day 2020 celebration organized by MarkPatent.Org on April 26, 2020.

Dr. Bishwa K Dash was invited as a speaker to the webinar series on Basics of law hosted by the by the Gandhi Fellows of the Piramal Foundation on the April 26, 2020. He delivered a lecture on “Constitutional Rights and Remedies in India”.

Dr. Anandkumar Shinde was invited as a speaker in the Seven days online training programme of Civil Judge Exam organized by Shri N. S. Patel Law College, Modasa from May 07- May 14, 2020.

Dr. Bishwa K Dash hosted a webinar on behalf of the Centre for Artificial Intelligence and Law on the May 20, 2020 on the topic “Fake News and Legal Control on Social Media.”

Dr. Bishwa K Dash was invited as a speaker to the webinar series on Law Guidance hosted by the Legal Saviour Academy on the June 10, 2020. He delivered a lecture on “Transforming Career Opportunities in Law and Choosing the Best Law School”.

Dr. Vikas Upadhyay invited as a speaker in the webinar on Indian Educational System and Appropriate Examination System in Times of Disasters organised by Hindi Vidyapeeth, B.Ed., College, Devghar on May 17, 2020.

Prof. Arpit Sharma delivered a talk in the webinar on ‘Recent Development with respect to Labour Laws’ on June 13, 2020 organised by Legal Saviour Academy, Vadodara.

Dr. Bishwa K Dash was invited as a Judge to the Semi-Final Rounds of Covid19 Virtual Moot Court Competition 2020 hosted by the University Law College, Utkal University on 14th June 14, 2020.

Dr. Bishwa K Dash was invited as a speaker to the webinar series on Cyber law and Cyber Security hosted Institute of Law Nirma University in collaboration with UNODC on the June 15, 2020. He delivered a lecture on “Cyber Law and Cyber Security in Legal Curriculum.”

The poster is for a webinar titled "FAKE NEWS & LEGAL CONTROL ON SOCIAL MEDIA" with the subtitle "Information vs. Disinformation". It is organized by the Institute of Law, Nirma University. The speaker is Prof. (Dr.) Nagarathana A. and the moderator is Dr. Bishwa Kallyan Dash. The event is scheduled for 20th May, 2020 at 4:00 pm. The poster features a central image of a person at a laptop with various icons around it, and logos for Nirma University and the Institute of Law.

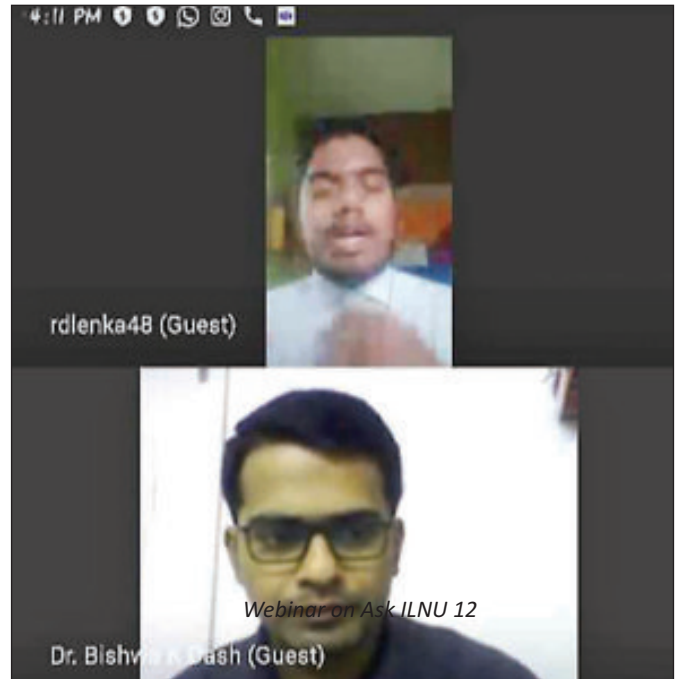
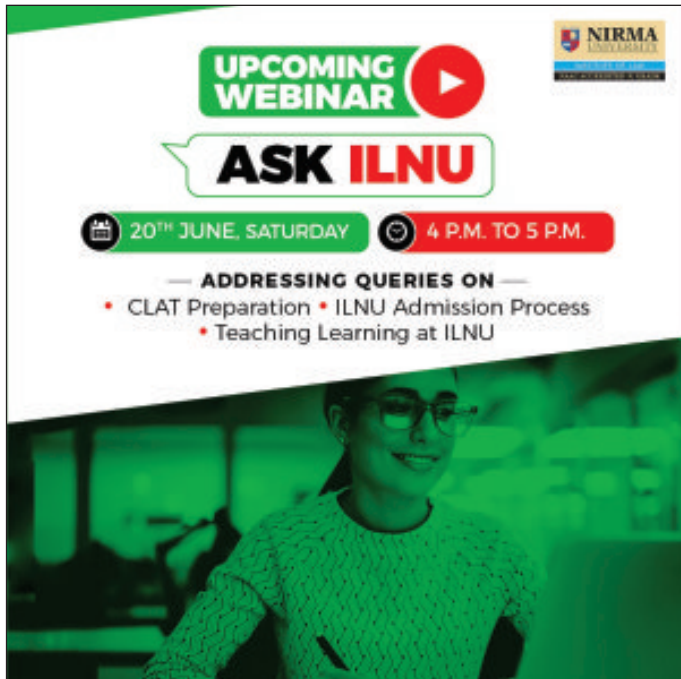
Webinar on Fake News and Legal Control

The poster is for a webinar organized by Legal Saviour Academy. It is part of a "Law Guidance Series: Awareness Campaign". The speaker is Dr. Bishwa K. Dash, who is also the Head of the Centre for Artificial Intelligence and Law, I.L.N.U. Nirma University. The event is scheduled for June 10, 2020 at 4:00 PM. The poster features a central image of a person at a microphone, a scale of justice, and social media icons. The text "LIVE ON f" is prominently displayed.

Webinar on Legal Saviour

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Dr. Bishwa K Dash was invited as a speaker to the webinar on Ask ILNU hosted by the Admission Committee, ILNU on the June 20, 2020. He delivered a lecture on “Constitutional Rights and Remedies in India.”



Webinar on Ask ILNU

Participation in Webinars/Attending Online Courses

Dr. Vikas Trivedi attended the 'Five-Days online Certificate Course on Consumer Law' organised by the Chair on Consumer Law, National Law University- Delhi during May 27-31, 2020.

Dr. Bishwa K Dash attended an Online Faculty Development Program on 'STRUCTURED EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING ON VARIOUS PRACTICAL LEGAL ARENAS' being hosted by ICFAI law school, Dehradun between June 6 – 12, 2020.

Dr. Bishwa K Dash attended an Online Faculty Development Program on “Virtual Faculty Development Program on Contemporary Issues in Law” organized by School of legal Studies, Cochin University, Kerala between June 17 – 24, 2020.



Publication

Pruthvirajsinh Zala published an article on the SCC Online Blog on 'Can Supreme Court Direct Imposition of Financial Emergency?- Constitutional Counters in Light of Covid 19' as April 13, 2020.

Yash Mital, published an article on 'The Indian Surveillance Framework and the Centre's Surveillance Order, Assessing Challenges to Individual's Right to Privacy' in Madras Law Journal (Civil) Vol 2, February 2020.

Mr Abhishek Tripathy and Ms Akshita Totla published an article on "Control' under the Competition Law Regime: Is the Ambiguity Finally Settled?' on the IndianCorpLaw blogspot.

Varun Akar B.A., LL.B.(Hons.), 16BAL121; Article titled "Dualism in Treatment of Creditors: A Well-settled Principle of IBC" published in Corporate Law Journal (CLJ) , Volume III Issue II, June 2020.

Varun Akar B.A., LL.B.(Hons.), 16BAL121; Article on "Recent Conundrum on Changes in IBC:A Critique" published in Taxman, June 2020.

Varun Akar B.A., LL.B.(Hons.), 16BAL121; Article on "Pre-Pack: The Future of IBC" published in the online website IBC Laws, May 2020.

Mohit Agarwal, B.Com., LL.B.(Hons.) 16BBL028 and Vibhore Batwara, B.Com., LL.B.(Hons.) 16BBL060; Article on " Equalization Levy: India's Experiment with Taxation of the Digital Economy" published in the IndiaCorpLaw Blog, May 27, 2020.

Malika Tiwari, B.Com., LL.B.(Hons.), 17BBL027; Article on "Futures Contracts in Electricity: The Regulatory Tussle between SEBI and CERC" published in Taxman, May 27, 2020.

Malika Tiwari, B.Com., LL.B.(Hons.), 17BBL027; Article on "NPAs and Asset Reconstruction: Regulatory Developments and Challenges" published in Manupatra, June 2020.

Priyal Gupta, B.Com., LL.B.(Hons.), 19BBL101; Research Paper in the Fast Forward Justice, titled "Euthanasia: A Disputed Topic" published in May 2020.

Aum Purohit, B.Com., LL.B.(Hons.), 19BBL072; Paper titled Legalization of Narcotics: A Necessity or a step towards Destruction? Published on June 21, 2020.

Aum Purohit, B.Com., LL.B.(Hons.), 19BBL072; Paper titled Golden Triangle: Turbulent Crisis and Rapid Growth of Drugs, Heroin and Cannabis published in IJCRT in May 2020.

Ritik Jain, B.A., LL.B.(Hons.), 19BAL097; Article titled "Dowry in Islamic Marriage" with co-authorship of Gunjan Aggarwal published in legalserviceindia.com June 25,2020.

Shrishti S. Natani, B.A., LL.B.(Hons.), 18BAL060; Article titled "Rethinking Prostitution in India "published in Manupatra in June 2020.

Avani Malhotra, B.A., LL.B(Hons.) 18BAL012; Article titled "Is delay in Forwarding an FIR to magistrate a ground to acquit the accused" published in criminal law review RMNLU Lucknow on June 20, 2020

E-Gaming League

The E-Gaming League as part of the online fest GJ 01 came up as something to cherish in the hard times of global pandemic. Students participated in huge numbers sitting at their home in the days of lockdown, in the league which featured events of Call of Duty, 8 Ball Pool, PES 2020, Ludo King, Lichess, Quiz Up and Pocket Tanks. Out of which every game fetched an average of 35 to 40 students but Ludo remained the most popular with participation of more than 150 students.

Such huge participation was very well handled and managed by our specially formed organizing team with in depth knowledge of these games which helped us in serving our purpose to relieve some stress of the students. The Committee members personally received appreciation text messages of appreciation from students across all batches with a high demand of conducting such event again.

Debate Achievements

Devashish Trivedi participated in the Asia E Debate Challenge organised by the Malaysian Institute for Debate and Public Speaking (MIDP), Malaysia online during April 18-19, 2020. Devashish Trivedi was an Invited Adjudicator and judged the Finals round.

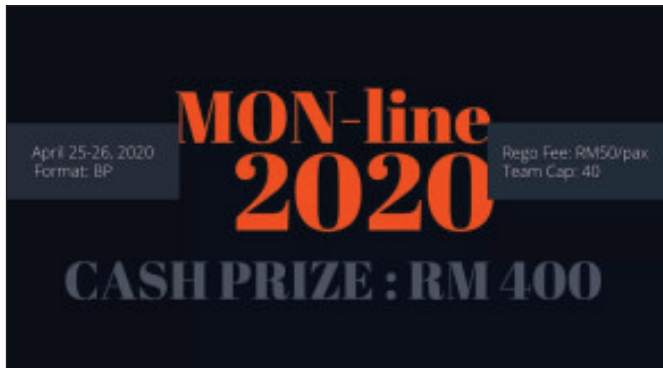
Team comprising Subham Borah and Akshit Mishra participated in the Sardar Patel Institute of Technology British Parliamentary Debate organised online by the Sardar Patel Institute of Technology, Mumbai during April 10-12, 2020. Subham Borah and Akshit Mishra were declared the finalists.

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SPIT PD participants

Subham Borah, Akshit Mishra and Devashish Trivedi participated in the Monash Online Debate organised by Monash University, Malaysia during April 25-26, 2020. Subham Borah and Akshit Mishra were quarter finalists, and Devashish Trivedi was an Invited Adjudicator and judged the finals round.



Monash Debate

Subham Borah participated in the Ullens Online Debate organised by Ullens School, Nepal during May 3-4, 2020. Subham Borah was a finalist.



Ullens Debate

Subham Borah and Palash Pareek participated in the India Debate Open organised online during May 8-10, 2020. Subham Borah was the Core Adjudicator of the tournament, and Palash Pareek was a breaking Adjudicator, and judged the quarter finals round.



India Debate Open

Subham Borah, Akshit Mishra, Gaurav Chaplot and Srivaishnavi participated in the Sumatra Debate Open organised online by Debatellite, a debate community based in Indonesia in June 6-7, 2020, in which Subham Borah and Akshit Mishra were the champions of the tournament, and Gaurav Chaplot and Srivaishnavi R reached the Pre-semi finals.



Sumatra Debate

Macquarie Debate Open was organised by Macquarie University, Melbourne's Debate Society online on June 13-14, 2020.

Devashish Trivedi participated in the NSU Eranos Debate organised online by North South University, Bangladesh on June 19-20, 2020. Devashish Trivedi was the Grand Finalist.

Subham Borah and Aarush Sharma participated in the 3rd Hong Kong Pro-Am Debate Championship 2020, organised by Hong Kong University during June 20-21. Subham Borah and Aarush Sharma emerged as the Grand Finalists.

Srivaishnavi R. was a Breaking Adjudicator at the India Debate Open Asian Parliament Debate organized from June 19 to 21, 2020. Gaurav Chaplot was selected as a Tabber of the tournament and was a part of Organizing Committee.

Other Achievements

Pragya Sharma, fourth-year of Institute of Law has secured All India First rank in Intellectual Property Talent Search Examination (IPTSE).

Rohan Bangia and Sanjhi Agarwal, third-year students of Institute of Law have secured the third position in the 1st edition of "C.C. Xavier Essay Writing Competition" conducted by Indian Institute of Arbitration & Mediation (IIAM).

Rohan Bangia, a third-year student of Institute of Law has secured the second position in "NotJustLex Article Writing Competition".

Activities under Students Research Council

Music Committee Activities

The music committee organised an online solo singing competition and an instrumental solo competition on April 10, 2020. The judges for the same were Mr. Vatsalya Vishal (Former music committee chairperson "Batch 2014-2019") and Mr. Aditya Pandit (Former music committee secretary "Batch 2012-2017") for the solo singing competition and instrumental solo competition, respectively. The winners of the Solo singing competition are Aditi Mishra (First Position), Twinkle Purohit (Second Position) and Mahimna Dave (Third Position). The winners for Instrumental Solo competition are Mahimna Dave (First Position), Rohan Bangia (Second Position) and Utkarsh Pandit (Third position).

Instagram Live Event

The Instagram event was conducted on April 11, 2020 through the official Instagram Handle of the Music Committee ILNU. It was a live jamming session in which the Alumni and the current members of the Committee participated. Mr. Shobhit Shukla (former Chairperson of the Committee, Batch 2012-17) was the host of the event. Around 350 people tuned in the event. The audience swayed to the tunes of the songs Yun Hi, Monta re and Chaudhary to name a few. The participant also had the pleasure to listen to Rajat Dubey, who is a rapper and a musician.

Lockdown Playlist

To beat these lockdown blues, the music committee has come up with the idea of "Lockdown Playlist". The members of the Committee shared their ideas regarding different genres of music and thereafter a playlist is prepared, representing various genres and artists. This initiative has been started to help people share and develop an enriching taste in music. The playlist is being released on a weekly basis. A total of 8 playlist have been released so far.

Instagram Live Sessions

LIVE WITH ADITI was an event conducted by the Music Committee of ILNU on Instagram handle (@musiccomm_ilnu). In this event, individuals performed live by joining the host in an Instagram Live session. This turned out to be a solid platform for the musicians to showcase their talent along with gaining immense confidence.

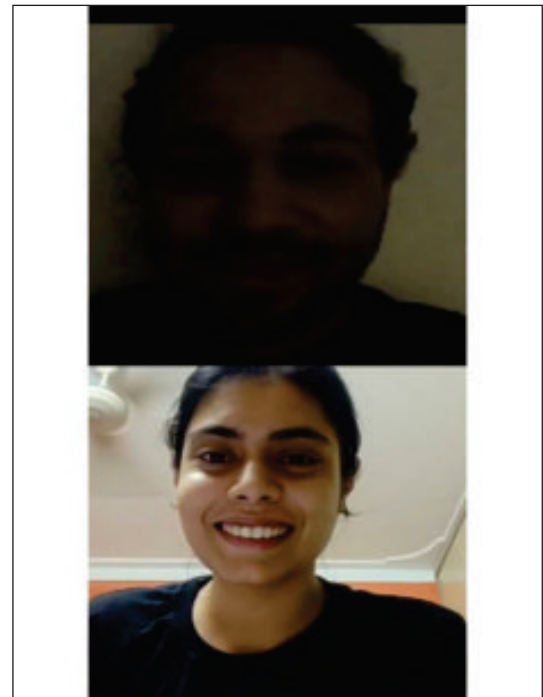
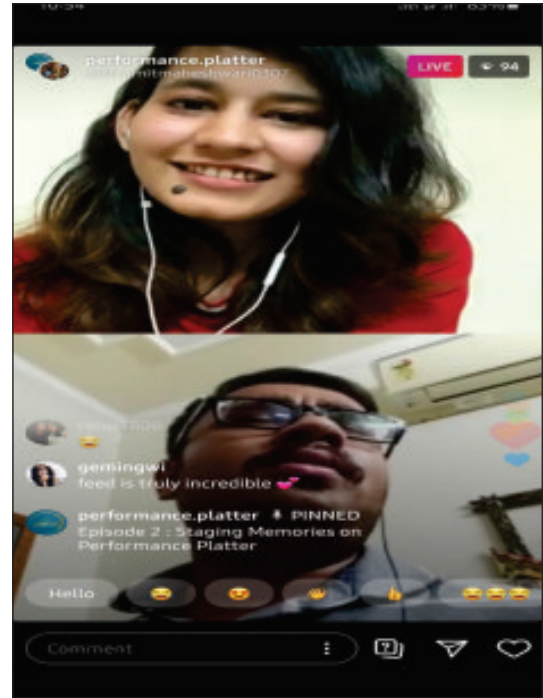
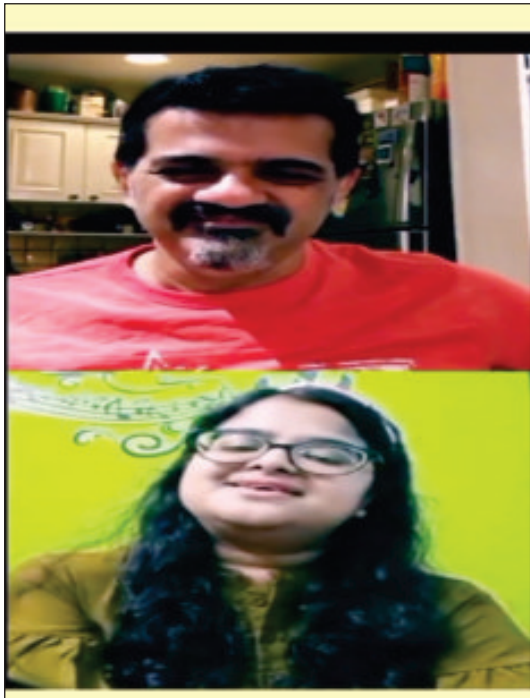
The performances on LIVE WITH ADITI were solo performances. The performers prepare a bunch of songs which they perform. Along with that they also entertain spontaneous requests from the audience. LIVE WITH ADITI was initiated on 22nd May 2020 and is still going on a weekly basis. A total of 7 live performances have taken place so far.

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Music Performance with Well-known Artists.

Apart from performing on “Live with Aditi,” a few of the committee members (Aditi Bharadwaj, Aditi Mishra, and Amit Maheshwari) have performed with renowned artists such as Ehsaan Noorani and Abhishek Mishra on these Instagram live sessions in June 2020.

There had been a number of guest performances which were coordinated with people from different parts of the country. There is versatility in the genre of musicians’ performances. From Indian classical to Contemporary theme, our musicians have put all the efforts to get in touch with highly talented people from across the nation.



PLACEMENT ACTIVITIES

Campus Recruitment Cell (CRC) organised a series of activities through webinar during the Covid-19 Pandemic period.

- **Webinar on Legal hiring by Legaum Consultants, New Delhi-24 April 2020**
- **Webinar on COVID 19 Legal Challenges Implications & Preparedness-22 April 2020**
- **Webinar on CV & Cover Letter by Avani Bansal (Advocate-Supreme Court)-8 April 2020**



Webinar on Legal Career

The Campus Recruitment Cell of Institute of Law conducted a webinar on career in legal field after law school. The webinar conducted on May 17, 2020 was attended by CLAT aspirants, students of various law schools across the nation, parents, academician and others. The speakers were Mr Bhumesh Verma, Managing Partner at Corp Comm Legal and Mr Saurabh Saraogi, Advocate, MSc. Oxford University.

WHAT'S HAPPENING @ THE LIBRARY

The Library at the Institute of Law, in coordination with various online publishers organised webinars for the students on the online database.

- HeinOnline: May 22, 2020
- Westlaw: May 23, 2020
- Kluwer Databases: May 23, 2020
- SCC Online: May 26, 2020
- Manupatra: May 28, 2020
- Oxford Databases: May 28, 2020
- Investor State Law Guide: May 28, 2020



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