

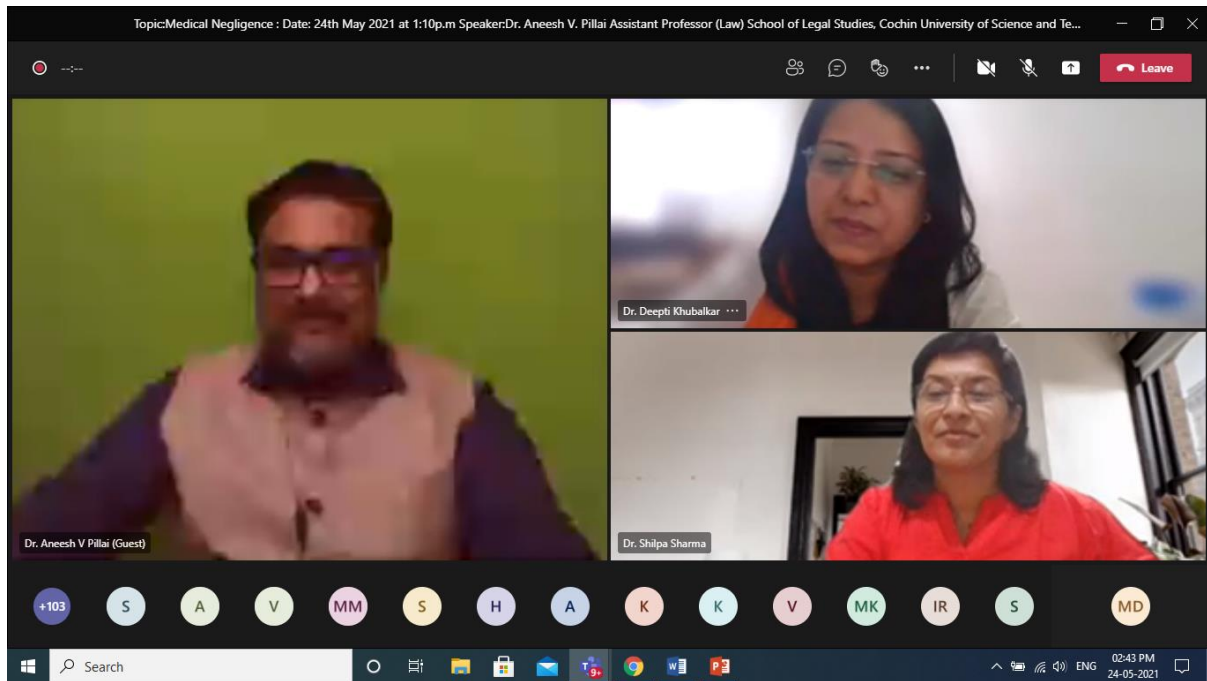
## **REPORT**

### **A Guest Lecture on Medical Negligence** **Lecture series on Consumer Protection Act, 2019** **24<sup>th</sup> May, 2021**

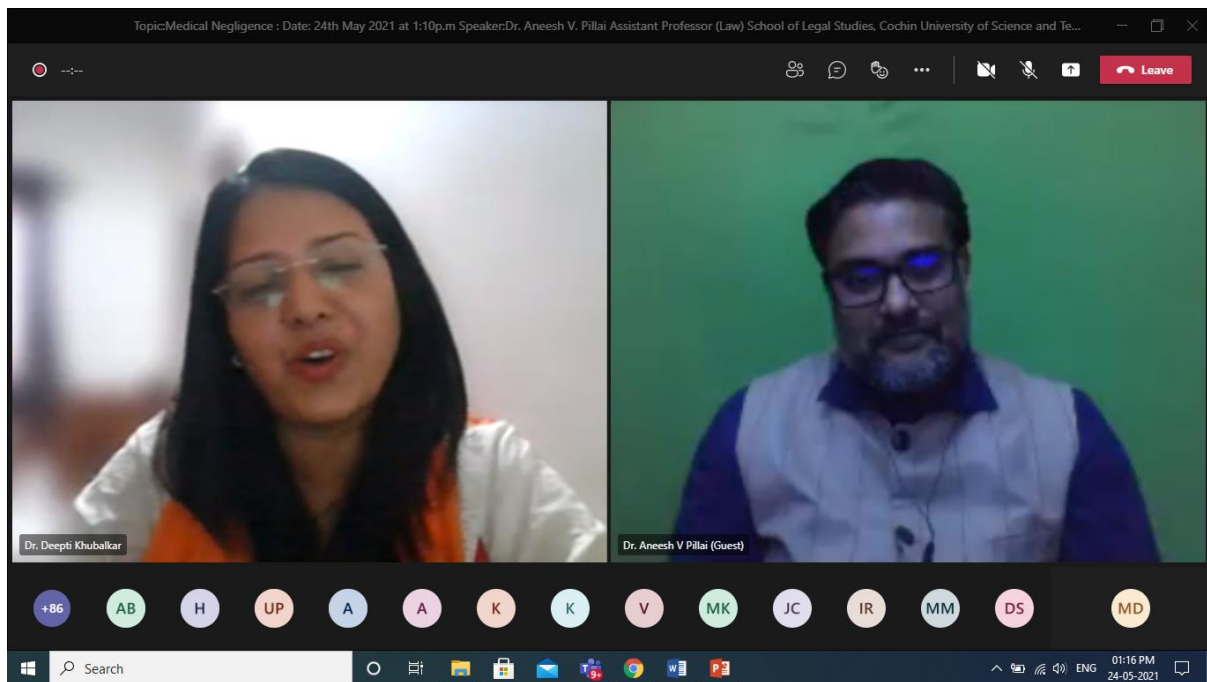
Symbiosis Law school Nagpur organized a Lecture series on Consumer Protection Act, 2019 from 24<sup>th</sup> May to 26<sup>th</sup> May, 2021. Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur, in his Welcome Address welcomed the guests and appreciated the time spared by the speakers for addressing the gathering on this important topic and explained the importance of Consumer law.

The guest speaker on day one of the lecture series **Dr. Aneesh V. Pillai**, an Assistant Professor (Law) School of Legal Studies, Cochin University of Science and Technology, Kerala enlightened the audience on the topic Medical Negligence. The Program began at 1:10p.m. followed by question & answer. During his address he said the Act protects not only the interest of a consumer when he purchases goods and services for daily use, but also protects his interests when he goes for treatment to a medical professional. The relationship between patients and medical professionals are contractual. Patients who had sustained injuries in the course of treatment can sue doctors in 'procedure-free' consumer protection commissions for compensation. Dr pillai also explained the liabilities of medical negligence in criminal and civil tort law by refereeing various landmark case laws. The session was attended by 141 attendees.

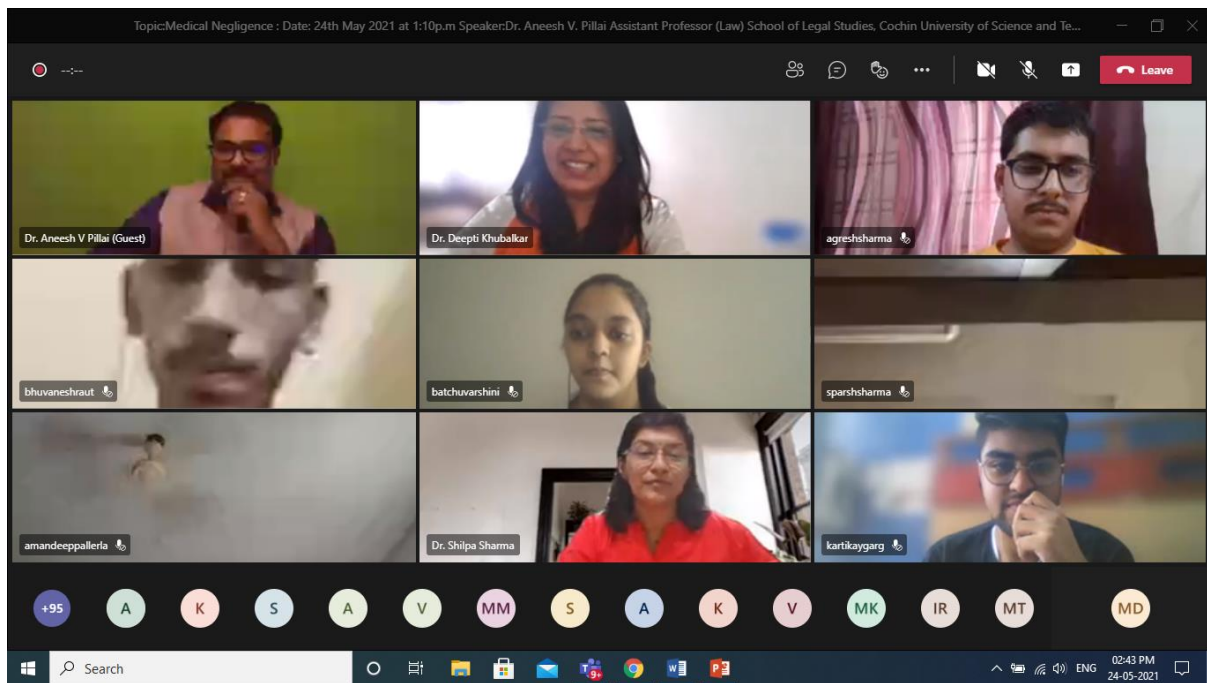
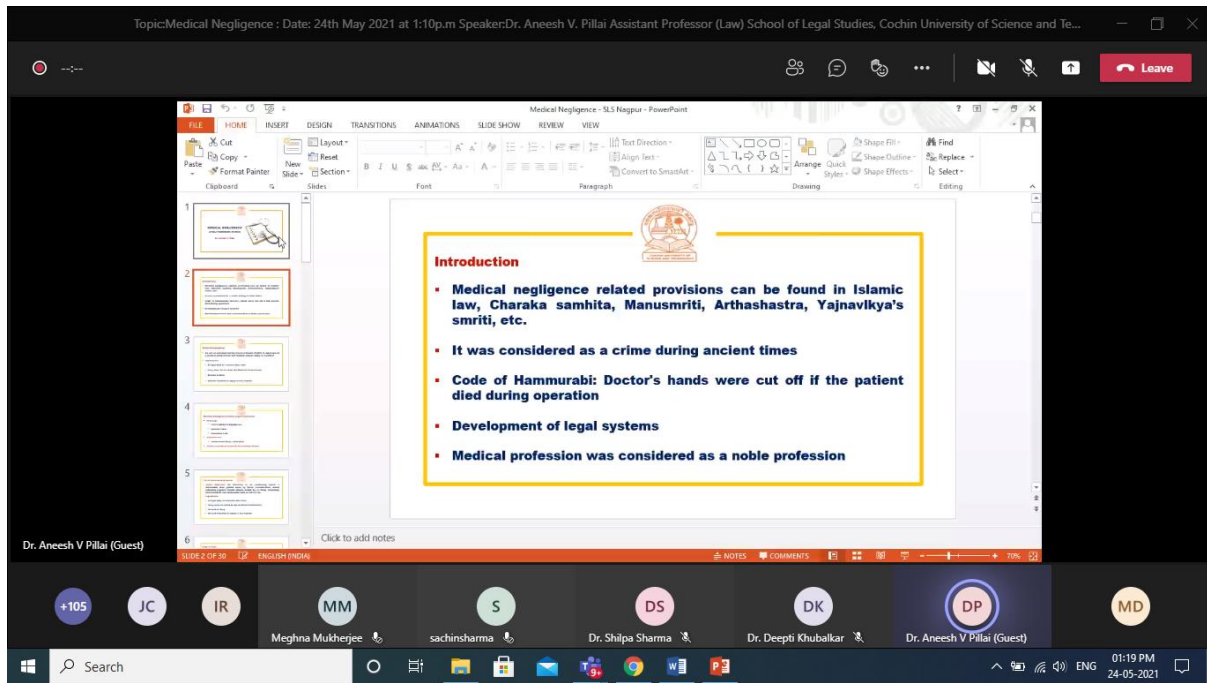
The session was followed by a question answer session in which the speaker enthusiastically dealt with the questions raised by the attendees. Dr. Deepti Khubalkar, faculty, SLS, Nagpur Moderated the sessions and introduced the resource persons, Vote of thanks was proposed by Dr. Shilpa Sharma, faculty, SLS, Nagpur. The session received huge response and wonderful feedback.



Dr. Aneesh Pillie addressing the gathering on Medical Negligence



Dr. Deepthi Khubalkar moderating the guest lecture on Medical Negligence



A group photograph of attendees with the guest speaker Dr. Aneesh V. Pillai and Dr. Shilpa Sharma