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SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL, NAGPUR

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Report on Orientation Programme – 2019
BA LLB, BBA LLB & LL.M
(Batch 2019-2024)

The Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur has validated very remarkable response from the first batch (2019-2024) itself. The three days' orientation programme was organised in the by keeping in mind the tradition followed by Symbiosis.

DAY 1

SESSION 1

The orientation programme of the first batch of BA LL.B, BBA. LL.B and LL.M commenced in Moot Court Hall with the lightning of lamp by the Chief Guest, Justice V.S Sirpurkar, Former Judge, Supreme Court of India, Guests of Honor Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, Dean Faculty of Law, SIU, Director, SLS, Pune and Mr. Lindsay Tortman, from Massey University, New Zealand. Dr. Nuzhat Rizvi, Assistant Proffessor, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur welcomed the Guests and the students and also took everyone present for the programme through the remarkable journey of Symbiosisby screening a movie, portraying ideology of visionary and living legend Dr. S.B Mujumdar, Founder and President, Symbiosis, and Chancellor, Symbiosis International (Deemed University)

Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur by welcoming all the dignitaries present on the dais and off the dais described the inception and establishment of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur, also congratulated and welcomed all the students of the first batch to the Symbiosis family. Dr. Sukhvinder Singh spoke about how Symbiosis has history of turning students into ethical professionals.

Chief Guest, Justice V.S Sirpurkar, Former Judge, Supreme Court of India motivated the students with inspirational speech, wherein he urged students to put best foot forward in this exciting but challenging profession of law. He spoke about the challenges being faced by him during college days and his early days in profession. He emphatically insisted fledgling students to gain mastery over languages in such a manner thatone should know the nuances of the language. He also illuminated students about, why Supreme Court inscribed its logo with “Yato Dharmastoto Jaya”. Justice V.SSirpurkar, Former Judge, Supreme Court of India also suggested Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, Dean Faculty of Law, SIU, Director, SLS, Pune to add science like chemistry to the curriculum to understand the science of toxicology.

Guest of Honour Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, Dean Faculty of Law, SIU, Director, SLS, Pune an illustrious academician and orator told how she came into the noble profession and highlighted the fact that oratory is the skill which law profession demands and also impressed upon everyone how to concentrate on the powerful observation and discrete retention and timely re-production of the same. Mr. Lindsay Trotman also uplifted students by his motivational speech and with the message that there is no other way than hard work to success.

Session 1 of the orientation programme concluded by the Vote of Thanks proposed by Dr. Deepti Khubalkar, Assistant Professor, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur followed by National Anthem.





SESSION 2

The second session started with the presentation by various bodies functioning in the law school.

MOOT COURT ASSOCIATION

Ms. Aditee Godbole, Assistant Professor & Faculty In-Charge, gave a presentation on the vision and mission of the Moot Court Association.



INTERNATIONAL CELL AND HUMAN RIGHTS CELL

Dr. Salu D Souza, Assistant Professor & Faculty In-Charge, International Cell shared the need and importance of the cell and gave the insights of its functioning.



PLACEMENT AND CORPORATE RELATIONS

Mr. Ashish Tode, Officer, Placement and Corporate Relations introduced the procedures and the need of Training & Placement Cell. They shared the importance and the role of internships for law students to build their careers.



DAY 2

SESSION 1

Second day of the orientation programme started by ringing up with the curtains on “Gender Sensitization” by Dr. Rekha Pande, Director, Centre for Women Studies and Professor of History at University of Hyderabad and on “Corporate Personality” by Mr. Lindsay Tortman, Ms. Aditee Godbole welcomed the guests and students present.

Gender sensitization is one basic requirement for the normal development of an individual. Without being sensitive to the needs of a particular gender, an individual may refrain from understanding the opposite gender and in some acute cases him or herself. The need for this sensitivity has been felt and realised through times immemorial and in almost all kinds of human existence, across the globe.

Dr. Rekha Pande during her lecture thrive light upon issues and challenges and sensitized the students about the development of sensitivity towards women in the context of historical development and the importance of the role of women in the development of the society while Mr. Lindsay Trotman enlightened the students on “Corporate Personality”.





SESSION 2

ENVIRONMENTAL CELL

Mr. Sachin Tripathi, Assistant Professor, faculty in-charge of the Environmental Cell gave a brief description of the cell and its importance in today world and the kind of work which were undertaken by the cell since its inception.

EXAMINATION CENTRE

Mr. Sachin Tripathi, Assistant Professor & Examination In-Charge made students gets acquainted with the Examination pattern and evaluation at Symbiosis International University, Pune. In detail CGPA process, internal and external examinations were explained to students.



LEGAL AID CELL AND INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS CELL

Dr. Dipti Kubalkar, Assistant Professor and Faculty-in-charge, legal aid cell and intellectual property rights cell introduced the centre and cell. While introducing IPRC, she stressed the growing importance of IPR, and insight of Legal Aid Centre.



DAY 3

SESSION 1

The three days orientation programme came to an end with valedictory ceremony. The ceremony began with the felicitation of the Chief Guest Justice Smt. V.A.Naik, Former Judge, Bombay High Court. She expressed her privilege to be a part of the ceremony and illuminated students that they will get great returns in law profession only if they are ready to toil themselves by burning midnight oil. She foregrounded the fact by furnishing examples of many eminent personalities from the law profession who have become great by putting their heart and soul into work. Justice V.A.Naik, Former Judge, Bombay High Court conveyed confidence in Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director, SLS, Nagpur that under his leadership and able guidance SLS, Nagpur will produce great professionals.

In the end, Ms. Aditee Godbole, Faculty of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur and offered a vote of thanks to the invited guest for gracing the occasion by their solemn presence followed by National Anthem.



SESSION 2

RESEARCH AND PUBLICATION CELL

Ms. Sayalee Surjuse, Faculty in-charge of Research & Publication Cell spoke about the importance of the cell and in-house journals soon to be available to the students. She urged the students to make use of the cell available to enrich their writing abilities and research skills. She also introduced the proposed in-house student magazine whose objective is to inculcate writing ability amongst students. The cell urged the new students to research and write articles which can be shown to the Corporate to secure good Internships and subsequently, good placements.



DEBATE AND LITERARY CELL

Dr. Nuzhat Rizvi, Assistant Professor and Faculty in-charge of Debate and Literary Cell explained how the participation in extracurricular activities like debate and literary activities would help the students to improve their communication and thinking skills thus contributing to overall personality development.

CULTURAL CELL

Dr. Nuzhat Rizvi, Assistant Professor & Faculty-in-charge, Cultural Committee, highlighted the functioning of the cell and the activities and future plans of the cell.



WEBSITE, MEDIA AND PR CELL

Ms. Trupti Kokate in charge of website, media and PR cell introduced the students about the cell by talking about the importance of media.



SPORTS CELL

Mr. Hemant Titarmare, Co-ordinator, introduced the Sports Cell and he focused the importance of sports and fitness.



The Orientation Programme ended with a DJ Night at Naivedhyam Estoria,
Nagpur.

GUEST LECTURE ON “GENDER SENSITIZATION”

BY DR. REKHAPANDE

July 16th, 2019

Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur has organized Guest Lecture on “**Gender Sensitization**” during the orientation programme of 2019-2024 Batch. Dr. Rekha Pande, Director, Centre for Women Studies and Professor of History at University of Hyderabad was invited as resource person.

Dr. Rekha Pande was welcomed and felicitated with a memento by Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. Ms. Aditee Godbole, Assistant Professor, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur.

Dr. Rekha Pande in her lecture discussed that Gender sensitization is one basic requirement for the normal development of an individual. Without being sensitive to the needs of a particular gender, an individual may refrain from understanding the opposite gender and in some acute cases him or herself. The need for this sensitivity has been felt and realized through times immemorial and in almost all kinds of human existence, across the globe.

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The lecture was followed by an interactive session. The Guest speaker appreciated the enthusiasm and interest of the students.

The lecture ended with the vote of thanks proposed by Ms. Aditee Godbole, Assistant Professor, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur.



GUEST LECTURE ON “CORPORATE PERSONALITY”

BY MR. LINDSAY TROTMAN

July 16th, 2019

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Prof. Lindsay Trotman was welcomed and felicitated with a memento and shawl by Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. Ms. Aditee Godbole, Assistant Professor, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur introduced the guest.

Mr. Lindsay Trotman in his lecture enlightened the students on “Corporate Personality” and discussed how company is recognized as a legal entity distinct from its members and also discussed landmark cases of New Zealand and India on corporate personality.

The lecture was followed by an interactive session. The Guest speaker appreciated the enthusiasm and interest of the students.

The lecture concluded by vote of thanks delivered by Dr. Deepti Khubalkar, Assistant Professor, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur.



GUEST LECTURE ON “CYBER CRIME AND USE OF SOCIAL MEDIA”

BY ADV. MAHENDRA LIMAYE

July 20th, 2019

A Guest Lecture on Cyber Crime and use of social media was held at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur on 20/07/2019 at the Moot Court Hall. Adv. Mahendra Limaye, Cyber Law Consultant, Nagpur was the resource person. He has provided cyber legal consultation to more than 10,000 persons across India. He is practicing in cyber litigation as specialized domain. He was invited to deliver lecture on the above topic with the purpose of creating awareness amongst the students about threats at cyberspace and necessary precautions required while using various social sites.

Adv. Limaye quoted various examples relating to cyber stalking, bullying, cyber frauds. He explained how with the advent of technology nature of cybercrime is changing. He also guided the students about safe use of online transactions.

About 260 students and staff and faculty members attended the programme.

Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director, SLS, Nagpur gave welcome address and felicitated the guest. The programme was conducted by Ms. Kadambari Bhandarkar and concluded with vote of thanks.



GUEST LECTURE ON “LEGAL WRITING, LAWYERING SKILLS, & FACULTY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME”

BY MIMISAMUEL

July 25th & 26, 2019

The International Cell of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur had a visiting faculty from Seattle University, USA on 25 & 26 of July 2019. Prof. Mimi Samuel, an Associate Professor from the School of Law, Seattle University from USA was the guest speaker on two days.

Dr. Salu Dsouza, Prof. Sachin & Dr. Deepti received Prof. Mimi Samuel in the campus. Ms. Snehil Soni of first Semester BBA-LLB while compering the session introduced the guest speaker to the students and the faculty members. Prof. Mimi Samuel has been working with law students, lawyers, and judges overseas to help them improve their legal writing. She has travelled widely and trained law students, lawyers, judges and legal administrators in Legal Writing, imparted Lawyering skills and conducted numerous faculty development programmes. She has won various awards including the coveted award of Terri Le Clercq Courage Award.

During her two-day lectures, Prof. Samuel interacted with students through her fluent oratory skills and introduced to students to Legal writing and essential lawyering skills. She emphasized on thinking like a lawyer, writing like a lawyer and arguing like a lawyer. She kept students engaged throughout her lecture by presenting case studies and made students to draft the issues in a concise manner as judge does in the court. She prepared students to be aware of essential lawyering skills that would build up rapport with the clients, judges and fellow lawyers. The Question & Answer session was also witnessed the active participation from the students. On her final lecture, she addressed SLS Law Faculty members and briefed about teaching learning methodology. Students and the faculty members immensely benefited from her lectures.

Few students had one to one interaction with Prof. Mimi Samuel during the break time and cleared their doubts. On the final day, Ms. Snehil Soni proposed the vote of thanks.



GUEST LECTURE ON “ANTI RAGGING: PPREVENTION, REGULATION AND PUNISHMENT”

July 27th, 2019

Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur began its journey from the academic session 2019- 2010. The session commenced from 15th July, 2019 through an orientation programme wherein all the students were warmly welcomed by the SLS Nagpur teaching faculty and administrative team.

Continuing its tradition of organizing guest lectures on every Saturday and being aware of the significance of making the students aware about the importance of ragging and its prohibition, a guest lecture on the theme of anti-ragging was organized on 27/07/2019.

Dr. Sandhya Kalamdhad, Assistant Professor and Co-ordinator Anti Ragging Cell, Dr. Ambedkar Deekshabhoomi, Nagpur delivered a lecture on the topic “ANTI RAGGING: PPREVENTION, REGULATION AND PUNISHMENT.” In the beginning of her lecture she gave interesting examples of how the relationship was used to be build up between seniors and juniors in ancient India. Then she illustrated the present scenario and explained legal provisions banning the practices of ragging in India. In the process she very lucidly highlighted all the landmark cases pertaining to ragging delivered by various High Courts and the Supreme Court of India. She emphatically reiterated the reasons for why ragging should not at all be tolerated at any cost. She submitted that any person with the iota of sound logic will agree that there are many other civilized ways for bringing the fresher’s in to the mainstream of the campus life. She then encouraged students to hold a variety show program after the academic sessions for juniors and seniors.

The lecture was very well received by the students and the actively participated in the post lecture question and answer session wherein their deep interest in the topic was clearly exhibited. The programme was conducted by Miss. Snehil Soni, first year

student of SLS Nagpur. The teaching faculty and the administrative team together worked in unison and coordination to successfully conduct the programme.



REPORT OF INAUGURATION OF SYMBIOSIS INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITIES NAGPUR CAMPUS

July 28th, 2019

Symbiosis International (Deemed) University's Nagpur campus was inaugurated on 28th July, 2019 in the presence of Shri Nitin Gadkari, Hon'ble Minister for Road Transport and Highways, Govt. Of India, Shri Devendra Fadnavis, Hon'ble Chief Minister, Maharashtra State, Shri. Sudhir Mungantwar, Forest Minister, Shri. Chandrashekhar Bawankhule, Guardian Minister, Smt. Nanda Jichkar, Mayor Nagpur, Dr. S.B. Mujumdar, Chancellor, Symbiosis International University, Pune, Dr. Vidhya Yeravdekar, Pro-Chancellor, Dr. Rajini Gupte, Vice-Chancellor.

The foundation stone was laid down at the hands of Chief Guests of ceremony Hon'ble Shri. Nitin Gadkari, Minister for Road Transport and Highways, Government of India and Hon'ble Shri Devendra Fadnavis, Chief Minister, Maharashtra State to mark the beginning of Symbiosis International (Deemed University) at Nagpur.

The Grand Inaugural Ceremony commenced by lighting the lamp of knowledge and wisdom by all the dignitaries present on dias. The ceremony was attended by former Supreme Court and High Court judges.

Hon'ble Shri. Nitin Gadkari, Minister for Road Transport and Highways, Government of India in his address expressed that “We had requested Symbiosis to open a campus in Nagpur because hundreds of students from Vidarbha have to come to Pune for education and jobs. A Symbiosis campus here will now help prevent migration.” It will give impetus to our vision to make Nagpur an education hub. Educational institutions only create human resources that are required to kick-start development of any region. Like Pune, Nagpur, too, will follow the same trajectory,” said Fadnavis.

Hon'ble Shri. Nitin Gadkari, in his address express about his dream of making Nagpur an education hub is coming true as the first step of the dream has been achieved with the inauguration ceremony of Symbiosis International (Deemed) University in the city.

Hon'ble Shri. Nitin Gadkari also urged the institution to include aviation courses in their offered courses as new international airport would be established which would increase the cargo and logistic hub areas which not help create new opportunities but will also be a major step in the developmental process of the city”.

Shri Devendra Fadnavis, Chief Minister, while speaking at the occasion, expressed that the “youth power can be transformed into human resources only through quality education from prestigious education centres like Symbiosis”. “World class educational

institutions should come to Nagpur for making this city an educational hub of the country”.

The Grand Ceremony ended with the Vote of Thanks offered by Dr. Vidhya Yeravdekar, Pro-Chancellor.



GUEST LECTURE ON “THE MERCHANT OF VENICE & ELIZABETHAN JURISPRUDENCE”

August 3rd, 2019

The Debate and Literary Cell, Symbiosis Law School Nagpur organized a guest lecture on “The Merchant of Venice & Elizabethan Jurisprudence” on August 3rd, 2019 at the Moot Court Hall.

Dr. Supantha Bhattacharya, Associate Professor and Director MA (English) Hislop College, Nagpur was invited as the Guest Speaker.

Dr. Bhattacharya was welcomed by Dr. Nuzhat Rizvi and Professor Sachin Tripathi. Ms. Neerul Sahu, student of 1st semester BA LLB introduced the guest. Dr. Bhattacharya, a renowned theatre actor, who has acted in more than 150 plays. He has won All India poetry prize conducted by the British Council and Poetry Society of India. He has published poems in many anthologies. Dr. Nuzhat Rizvi, incharge Debate and Literary Cell, felicitated Dr. Bhattacharya with a memento and shawl.

Dr. Bhattacharya discussed The Merchant of Venice in the light of Elizabethan Jurisprudence. He discussed the play in backdrop of Rule of Law of Equity and Natural and Positive Law. He delivered an enriching and entertaining lecture which was hugely appreciated by staff and students. The lecture was followed by an interesting and interactive Question-Answer session. The Guest speaker appreciated the enthusiasm and interest of the students.

Ms. Neerul proposed the vote of thanks.





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Presents

CAPSULE COURSE ON BUSINESS ACCOUNTING

COURSE HIGHLIGHTS

Resource Person: Mr. Sandip Bhatia, (total experience of 18 years in Business accounting and corporate sector)

Participation: BBA LL. B Students of Division C & D

Course Duration: 4 Days (9th to 12th of Aug, 19)

Topics: Overview of Accounting, Journal entries with respect to G.S.T, Concept of ledger, Subsidiary book & Accounts.

Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur had organized four days' capsule course on business accounting for the BBA LL. B students of batch 2019-2024. Mr. Sandip Bhatia was invited as the resource person.

Mr. Sandip Bhatia was welcomed and felicitated by Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. Mr. Sandip Bhatia has decades of experience in Business Accounting and Corporate Sector and in more than 15 institutes appointed as visiting faculty. He has conducted various seminars on Budget 2011 and Investment Planning in various multinational companies like BANK OF AMERICA and PMERICA etc. Currently he is redesigning the courseware for various B-schools including foreign universities (WLC) for Management Accounting and Corporate Taxation to be followed all over the country in 32 campuses, already written a book of Taxation and Tax Planning for CFP and CFA. Conducting workshops on Accounting and Taxation in Delhi University.

Mr. Bhatia in the Capsule Course enlightened students by giving overview of accounting and introduced the students with a fundamental principles underlying for understanding accounting for Lawyers. Also illuminated with the ways of understanding the development and analysis of financial statements including the balance sheet, income statement. Capsule course on Business Accounting was intended to equip students with the basic mechanics to review and analyze an entity's financial statements, identify significant issues and to form a general familiarity with financial statements to aid in preparing for litigation or assisting with business transactions. Mr. Bhatia gave insight of how to make journal entries with respect to G.S.T also taught how to make ledger and subsidiary books of accounts.

Mr. Bhatia appreciated the enthusiasm and interest of the students. Four days long capsule course ended with the vote of thanks.

REPORT OF INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION AT SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL, NAGPUR

August 15th, 2019

Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur celebrated 73rd Independence Day at Symbiosis Internal Universities Nagpur Campus along with SIBM, Nagpur and SSPAD, Nagpur. Dr. Shrirang Altekar, Director, SIBM, Dr. Sukhvinder Badan Singh Dari, Director, SLS, Nagpur, Prof. Prassan Singh Sindhu, Director, SSPAD and Campus Administrator were the dignitaries present and all teaching staff and non-teaching staff of the respective institutes.

The unfurling of the flag was done by the Campus Administrator which was followed by the national anthem. After the flag hosting and National Anthem all the dignitaries, teaching staff and non-teaching staff assembled in the SIBM building for the celebration. Directors in their address stressed upon the importance and significance of Independence Day and on the rights and duties of every Indian citizen and about the consequences of misusing them. Campus Administrator in his speech shared his personal experiences when he was serving for the nation and also spoke about sacrifices of our great leaders.

Students of all the three institutes participated in the event and concluded the event with enthralling song and dance performances.





REPORT OF SEMINAR ON SYMBIOSIS CENTRE OF HEALTH CARE (SCHC)

August 30th, 2019

Symbiosis Centre of Health Care (SCHC) conducted a session for the first batch of 2019-2014 of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. SCHC is a In-house Health Care Unit which offers and provides preventive, primitive and curative health care services to all the students, teaching and non-teaching staff of Symbiosis family through standardized healthcare setups and quality NABL accredited lab services.

The session started with a screening of SCHC documentary. Student Affairs- Head along with the team members spoke to students about matters that students should be aware of and actively participate in.

Team SCHC also explained about the Sports facilities in Symbiosis and services provided by SCHC. SCHC provides annual health check-up of students and Out Patient Department services at all campuses of Symbiosis, dental OPD services; every student & staff of Symbiosis is covered under a unique group medical insurance scheme with the National Insurance Company. SCHC provides online health counselling for the off campuses.

Our students found the session very helpful by knowing the health policies of SIU and session was also useful for the sports enthusiasts.

REPORT OF PARTICIPATION IN 17TH ALL INDIA MEET OF DISTRICT LEGAL SERVICES AUTHORITY OF LEGAL AID CELL

17th and 18th August, 2019

The 17th All India Meet of State Legal Services Authorities held at Radison Blu, Nagpur, on 17th and 18th August 2019. The annual conclave witnessed participation of Executive Chairpersons from various State Legal Services Authorities, High Court Legal Service Committees, Member Secretaries, SLSAs and Secretaries, High Court Legal Services Committees, Law college Principals, faculties and students from across the country.

The meet was inaugurated by Hon'ble Minister of Law and Justice and Electronics & Information Technology, Shri Ravi Shankar Prasad. Expressing strong commitment of the government towards ensuring access to justice, one of key standpoints of good governance, he shared the vision of the government in making India a global hub of arbitration. He commended the legal aid movement successfully led by NALSA over the years and making access to justice a reality.

Hon'ble Minister reiterated the fact that Digital India is at the fulcrum of successful implementation of schemes and must be leveraged for the success of legal aid programmes as well. Power of social media must be recognized for reaching out to the people and spreading awareness, he emphasized.

Hon'ble Mr. Justice S.A. Bobde, Judge, Supreme Court of India & Executive Chairman, NALSA addressing the august gathering, spoke at length on the new model of legal aid on the lines of Public Defender system being introduced in the legal aid system in the country. He apprised the gathering about NALSA's initiative in this regard and quoted, 'The protocol spells out a framework for providing legal assistance at pre-arrest, arrest and remand stages. It is hoped that it will result in avoiding unnecessary arrests.' Highlighting the impressive success with three-fold increase in legal aid delivery since 2016, he added that there has been a huge focus on encouraging mediation and called for greater focus on pre-litigation mediation.

Member Students along with the faculty in charge of Legal Aid Centre of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur participated in two days programme.



GUEST LECTURE ON “BANKING LAW”

BY MR. KISHOR POTE

August 18th, 2019

A Guest Lecture on Banking Law was held at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur on 18/08/2019 for the LL. M (Comparative Banking & Insurance Law) Students. Mr. Kishor Pote, is working as a Senior Manager (Legal), Bank of Baroda, Baroda Corporate Centre, Mumbai. He was invited to deliver lecture on the above topic with the purpose of improving the knowledge of students in their specialized field.

Mr. Kishor Pote delivered lecture on basics of banking and the accounting to students involved therein. He guided the students about Banking Regulation Act & quoted various examples relating to banking & accounting, principles of Lending, Various Recovery Mechanisms in case of loan defaults.

Describe the key regulations imposed on commercial banks. Mr. Pote explained development of banking regulations over time also described the main provisions of Banking Regulation Act. Mr. Pote in his lecture in detail explained about how banking industry has experienced tremendous change in recent years. He also discussed about Regulation of capital. Regulation of interstate expansion and operations

REPORT OF PARTICIPATION IN MODEL UNITED NATIONS

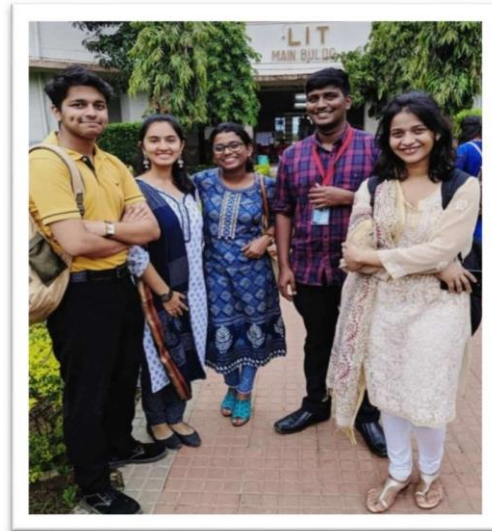
August 24th & 25th, 2019

The student's Participations in MUNs has been a tradition at Symbiosis International University, and in consonance with the same spirit, this time on the 24th and 25th of August 2019, the students of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur, both from undergraduate level as well as the Post graduate level under the aegis of Literary and Debate cell participated in the Model United Nations organized by Laxminarayan Institute of Technology, under the able guidance of our Dr. Sukhwinder Singh Dari, Director, SLS, Nagpur, who has been a staunch advocate of student participation in various extracurricular activities. Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur, not only took the initiative of making payments for delegate registration of LITMUN, on behalf of the students but also arranged to & fro transportation for all students as well.

The agenda discussed at LITMUN were according to the committee's allotted to students. The agenda, for UNSC committee was "Rising tensions between Iran and USA", it's analysis and consequences. For UNGA DISEC (United Nations General Assembly Disarmament and International Security Committee- "Prevention of illicit arms trade". The agenda for United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP)- "Role of financial institutions & the G20 in tackling climate change", Human rights council (HRC) – Agenda- "Reviewing the interrogation techniques in military & law enforcement", The agenda for LOKSABHA -Amendment of Citizenship Bill and Violations of article-14, historic crisis committee – "The 1984 Anti-Sikh Riots and the aftermath".

The knowledge and understanding gained by participating in LITMUN, was of immense help to the students and an experience worth remembering. The student's participation was a grand success with Jatin Kumar, student of LLM, receiving SPECIAL MENTION CERTIFICATE for UNSC, Mishti Chelwani receiving SPECIAL MENTION CERTIFICATE for LOKSABHA, and Gayatri Chanchani receiving SPECIAL MENTION CERTIFICATE too.

Over all the participants were highly encouraged and motivated by Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director SLS, Nagpur. Dr. Nuzhat Rizvi, faculty In charge, Literary and debate Cell coordinated the event. Mr. Snehjeet Meshram form the LLM Program was the student coordinator for the event.



PARTICIPATION IN YOGA FOR MIND, BODY & SOUL SEMINAR

AUGUST 28TH, 2019

On 28th August 2019, Saturday a Seminar on Yoga for Mind, Body and Soul was organized at SSPAD, Nagpur with great zeal and energy. Yoga is a mind and body practice with a 5,000-year history in ancient Indian philosophy. Various styles of yoga combine physical postures, breathing techniques, and meditation or relaxation. Almost 40 participants took part in that event including **Prof. Ar. P. S. Sindhu, Director, SSPAD** with students, faculty, officers, staff also participated in the event. Participants of all age groups participated in the event with great enthusiasm. Two yoga (2) teachers accompanied by few trained volunteers were there to conduct the yoga practice.

All the participants, Volunteers and Yoga teachers assembled in the earmarked area at Seminar Hall, SSPAD, Nagpur itself so as to ensure that the practice session is conducted in the most conducive manner for the all the participants. This session was followed by Power of Thoughts, Positive Thinking & Creative Visualization by Dr. Sarah Chinthamwala at sharp 09:30am.

Dr. Chinthmawala's session was followed by a special lecture on Yoga for Mind, Body & Soul by Chief Guest and Speaker Prof. Christopher Key Chappel, Director, Master of Arts in Yoga Studies Loyola Marymount University, USA. A Mantra and Meditation session by Dr. Manju Jain followed that left everybody spellbound.

The Yoga session started exactly at 7 am with Prayer, and systematic practice of different 'ASANAS' of standing, sitting and laying positions (both lying on back and reverse) smoothly changing in succession under the instructions of Yoga teacher and supervision of trained Volunteers. During the course of "Yogabhyas", the Yoga teacher also narrated the usefulness of different "Asanas" as a precautionary measure, in curing many Diseases and the usefulness of Yoga in the overall wellbeing of a human being.



REPORT ON PARTICIPATION IN “FIT INDIA MOVEMENT”

August 29th, 2019

Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur a constituent of Symbiosis International (Deemed University), Pune participated in the “Fit India Movement” by screening the event live. Movement was launched by Honorable Prime Minister Narendra Modi on the occasion of National Sports Day 2019 at Indira Gandhi Indoor Stadium, New Delhi urging the countrymen to promote and adopt healthier and fit lifestyle. The movement was launched on 29th august, 2019 which also marks the 114th birth anniversary of the hockey legend Major Dhyanchand.

Fit India Movement started with the colorful presentation of India’s indigenous martial art forms, dances and sports. Honorable Prime Minister discussed the importance of sports and fitness to keep the masses healthy. Prime Minister also congratulated the winners of National Sports Awards and applauded India’s sporting achievements. ‘Fitness logo’ and ‘Fitness pledge’ was also launched in the movement.

During the live streaming of the Fit India Movement the pledge to walk 10,000 steps was taken by the staff, students, faculty members and officials of the Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. The programme was conducted in the Moot Court Hall of the institute in the presence of students, all the faculty members and officials of institute.

Honorable Prime Minister concluded the event by thanking all the officials who were involved and supported the mission followed by National Anthem.

| SR. NO | ATTENDANCE OF FIT INDIA MOVEMENT | NUMBER OF PERSONS ATTENDED |
|--------|----------------------------------|----------------------------|
| 1 | Director | 1 |
| 2 | Teaching members | 7 |
| 3 | Non-teaching members | 14 |
| 4 | Students | 150 |



CULTURAL WEEK CELEBRATION AT SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL, NAGPUR.

September 3rd to 7th, 2019

The Cultural Cell organized a colorful and vibrant cultural week in Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur w.e.f. 03.09.2019 to 07.09.2019. The activities were carried out mostly after the classes.

The 'Colorful theme' marked the opening of the cultural week on 03rd September 2019. Various events like poster competition, face painting, T-shirt painting and best out of waste were undertaken.

The theme for Day -2 was 'Retro'. The students were elegantly dressed up for the retro theme. After classes various activities like marketing and sales, Ludo, Snakes and Ladder and Classroom Decoration were undertaken.

To mark the Teacher's Day, on the 5th of September, Ethnic Theme was celebrated. It started with opening dance and singing, open mic, music and dance competition, mini games and stall competition was organized.

Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director, SLS, Nagpur along with the staff visited the esthetically decorated classrooms under the theme of Incredible India. 7th September was celebrated as Sports Day. Various sports activities were conducted during the day.

The cultural cell worked under the personal guidance of Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari. Dr. Nuzhat Rizvi, in charge Cultural Cell coordinated the events. Mrs. Sneha Meshram and Mrs Poonam Ghate, Coordinators worked with the cultural committee. Student coordinators, Vineet Sinha, Shivani Pandey, Neel Salkar along with the committee members worked to make the event successful.



INAGURAL SPEECH BY DIRECTOR SLS, NAGPUR



SINGING



TEACHERS DAY CELEBRATION



ETHNIC DAY CELEBRATION



CLASS ROOM DECORATION



FETE STALL



FETE STALL



AUDIENCE



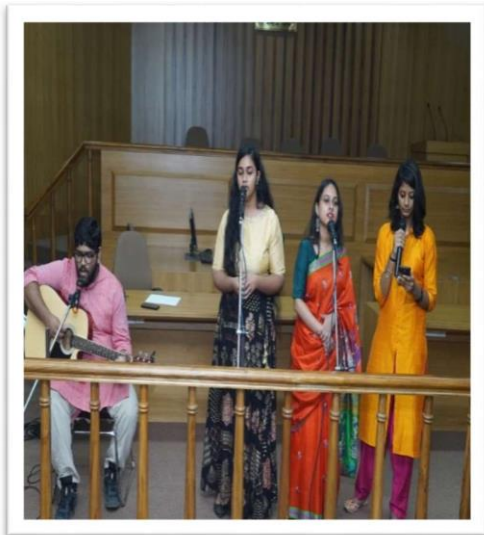
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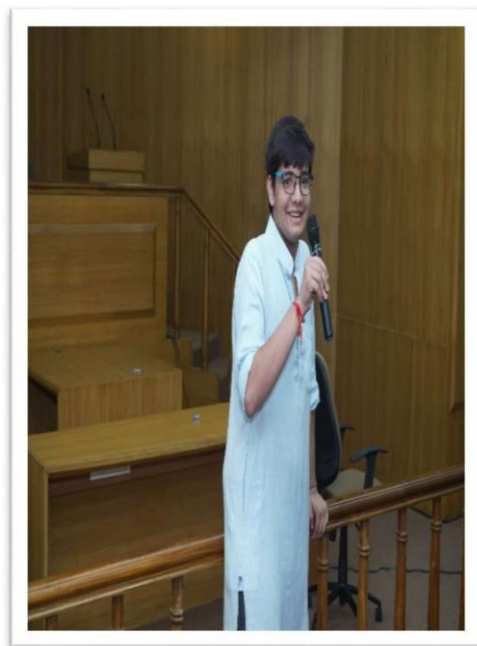
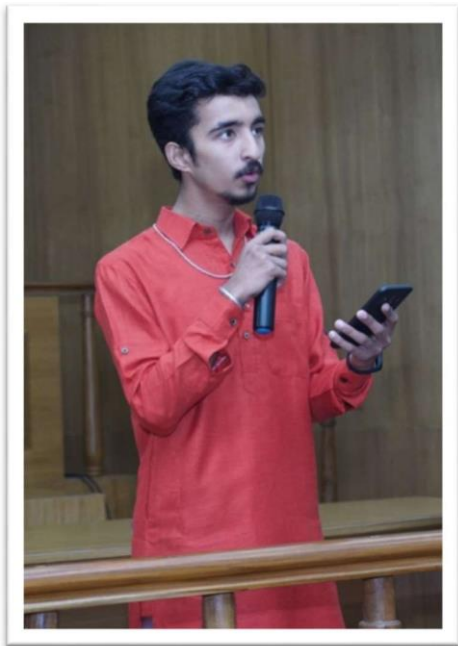
ETHNIC DAY CELEBRATION OF SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL, NAGPUR

Cultural Cell of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur hosted Ethnic Day on 5th September, 2019 which focused on celebrating different cultures, religions and languages, to showcase the tradition of every student of our Institute. Ethnic day enable the young generation to revive love and respect for their own culture and history.

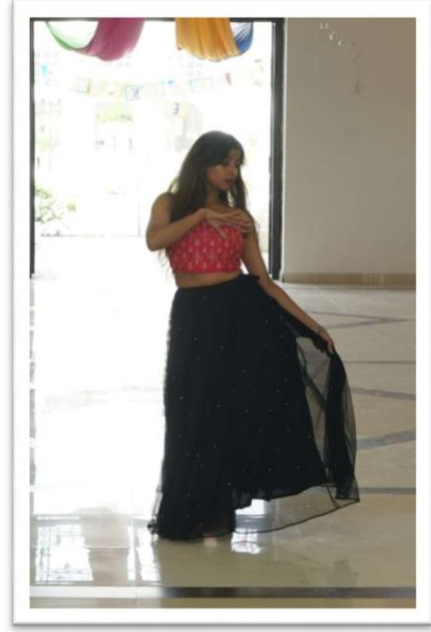
It was an endeavour to bring about expression of unity in diversity that holds together the multitudes of outlooks, lifestyles and tradition to reflect the ethnicity of our country. The students made the day more colourful by wearing traditional attire. The sarees, the kurtas, the churidars, the dhotis were few essential clothing that showed up. Some students tried to dress as ethnic and traditional as possible to display the attire of their lineage and place of origin. The students began to represent the culture of their region through various art forms like sing, dancing etc. Ethnic day saw active participation of all the students.

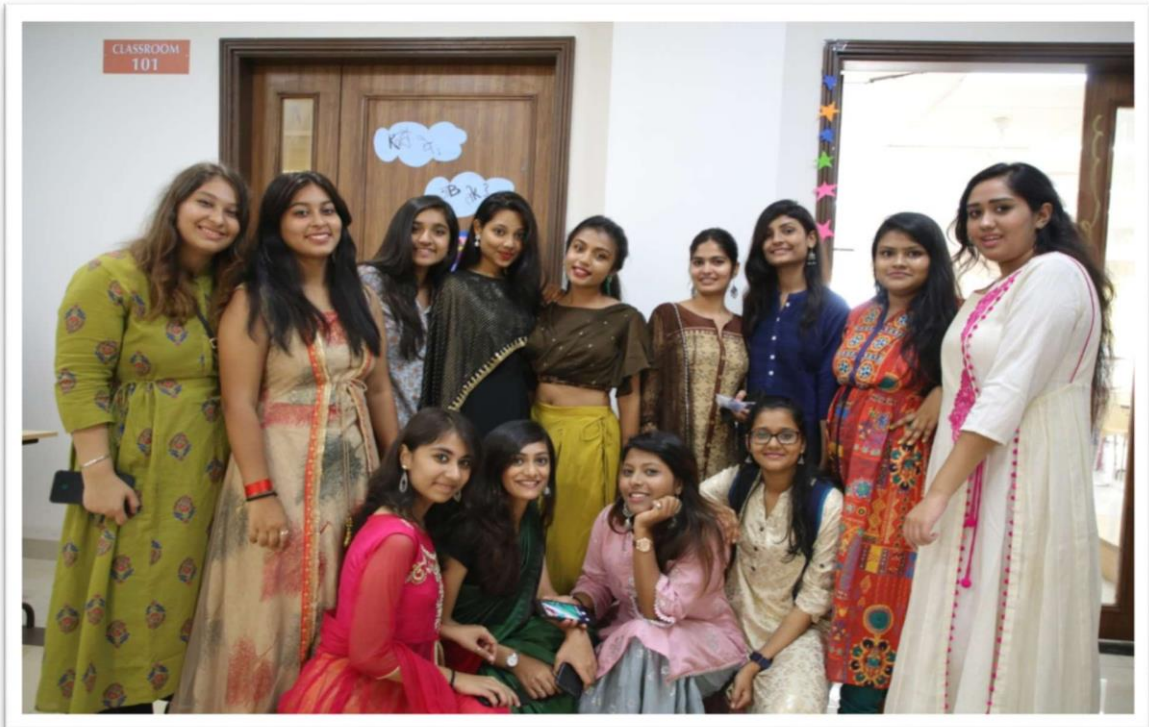
The main message of the celebration was to respect the tradition and recognize the culture of our Country.











REPORT OF 1st NATIONAL ESSAY WRITING COMPETITION ON ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE

The Centre for Environmental Law and Policy along with the Debate and Literary Cell at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur announces its First National Essay Writing Competition on the topic “*Environmental Justice*”.

The subthemes of the competition were

1. *Role of Law and Governance in securing Climate Justice*
2. *Environmental Democracy: The necessity for developing Sustainable Societies.*
3. *Waste trafficking: Impact and Challenges*
4. *Should Ecological Entities like Rivers and Forest be considered as Legal Persons?*
5. *Right to Grow in Healthy Environment: Reality or Discourse?*

The information about the event was posted on Law Octopus on 28/07/2019 and e-mails were also sent to the prominent educational institutions across the country. The event received an overwhelming response from across the country and total **138** entries were received from various disciplines like medicine, agriculture, health sciences, social sciences, the majority of them were from law.

The essays were thoroughly evaluated by the experienced faculty member of SLS Nagpur along with the plagiarism check with the *Turnitin Software*. From and out of the 138 entries, three best were selected and has been ranked as 1st, 2nd & 3rd Respectively.

Mr. Sahaj Veer Baweja & Ms. Gunjan Singh from Rajiv Gandhi National Law University, Patiala secured the First Position (cash prize of Rs. 8000/-)

Ms. Saloni Shrivastava & Mr. Nikhil Pandey from National Law University, Jodhpur secured the Second Position (Cash Prize of Rs. 5000/-)

Ms. Jagriti Sanghi from National University of Advanced Legal Studies, Kochi secured the Third Position (Cash Prize of Rs. 3500/-)

All the participants have been provided an e-certificate for participating in this event. The receipt of certificate has been acknowledged by the participants as well and all are looking forward for future events from SLS Nagpur.

REPORT OF PARTICIPATION IN MEDIATION AWARENESS PROGRAMME BY LEGAL AID CENTRE

September 7th, 2019

Member students and Faculty in-charge of Legal Aid Centre, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur attended and participated in Mediation Awareness Programme organized by District Mediation Centre, Nagpur at Judges Conference Hall, 8th floor, District Court building, Civil Lines, Nagpur on 7th September, 2019.

The programme was organized for advocates, litigants, law college students, representatives of insurance, and bank officials. Purpose of organizing the program was to make people aware about the legal provisions and functioning of mediation centre. Programme was held in two sessions. The first session was an inaugural session. The programme was commenced by Adv. Surekha Borkute. Welcome speech was delivered by Shri D.Y.Kale, Co-ordinator, District Mediation Centre, Nagpur. Hon'ble Principle District Judge was the Chairperson of the program. Keynote speech on the topic 'Role of Judges, Lawyers, Mediators and Litigants, category of cases where mediation is appropriate and its process' was given by Adv. Shri. Rajendra J. Rathi. Shri V.B. Kulkarni- District Judge-2, Nagpur shared his view regarding basics of Mediation and its necessity and benefits. The first session was concluded by 3.30 p.m.

Second session was an interactive session where participants shared their experiences of mediation. Role play video was shown to participants. Students were made aware about the proceedings of mediation. Second session was presided by Shri D.Y. Kale. The dais was shared by District judge, Kulkarni, Adv. Borkute and Dr. Deepti Khubalkar.

Total twelve students of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur actively participated in the programme. They understood the concept of Alternate Dispute resolution, mediation, conciliation, arbitration and the difference between mediation and other mode of ADR system. Students took note of all the information and shared it with other students.



GUEST LECTURE ON “FLAVOUR OF COMMERCIAL LAW PRACTICE”

September 07th, 2019

The Placement Cell of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur organized the Guest Lecture on “Flavour of commercial law practice” on 7th September, 2019 at the Moot Court Hall. Mr. Aditiya Krishnamurthy, Partner at the Boutique Law firm, Bose & Mitra & Co. was invited as the resource person.

Mr. Aditiya Krishnamurthy was welcomed and felicitated by Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur with a memento. Mr. Aditiya Krishnamurthy is a distinguished Shipping and Trade lawyer, having a decade’s experience in the industry and a partner of one of India’s largest boutique shipping law firm. His expertise includes complex, high value cross-border fraud and insolvency matters, including those which involve enforcing foreign arbitral awards and judgements in India.

During his session Mr. Aditya Krishnamurthy highlighted the basics of Nature of Commercial Law and discussed the sources of commercial law. While he discussed the rights and duties arising from the supply of goods and services he dealt with the agglomeration of distinct subjects and Freedom of Contract. He also deliberated on the skill-set of successful commercial lawyer. The Guest speaker appreciated the enthusiasm and interest of the students. The lecture ended with the vote of thanks.



GUEST LECTURE ON “OVERVIEW OF LEGAL PRINCIPLES OF CONTRACT”

September 11th, 2019

The Placement Cell of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur has organized the Guest Lecture on “Overview of Legal Principles of Contract” on 11th September, 2019 at the Moot Court Hall. Dr. Amit Mehrotra, Assistant Professor, National Judicial Academy was invited as the resource person.

Dr. Amit Mehrotra was welcomed and felicitated by Ms. Aditee Godbole, Assistant Professor, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur with a memento. Dr. Mehrotra received the Best Faculty Award from the Shri Ramswaroop Memorial Group of Professional Colleges, Lucknow for his overall exemplary performance in the academic year 2010 - 2011. He initiated and established the Institute of Legal studies at Shri Ramswaroop Memorial University, Lucknow and was the founding Dean. He developed the curriculum for Integrated Five years Law programmes which include B.com LL.B (Hons.) and BBA LL.B (Hons.), Three year Law course, LL.M and PhD in Law.

During his session Dr. Amit Mehrotra highlighted the basics of Law of Contracts and discussed the sources of Law of Contracts. He began with defining Law and Mother Law of the Country in his own interactive way insisting the students remained involved. He also deliberated by citing numerous humorous instances on different types of Law. His examples made sure all the students understood the difference between Codified and Uncodified. The Guest speaker appreciated the curiosity and interest of the students. The lecture ended with the vote of thanks proposed by Ms. Sayalee Surjuse, Assistant Professor, Symbiosis Law School.



SYMPOSIUM ON LEGAL EDUCATION IN INDIA AND CAREER IN LAW

14th September, 2019

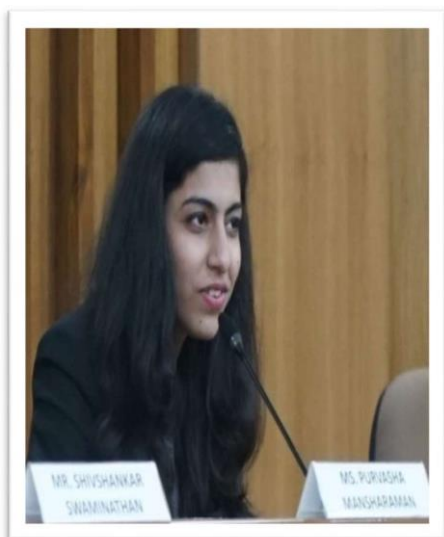
Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur had organized a one-day Symposium on Legal Education in India and Career in Law on 14th September, 2019 in the Moot Court Hall of the Law Building. Symposium was open for and attended by under graduate and post graduate students pursuing law across the city. The Symposium was structured to revolve around four themes – Need for revamping legal education in India, the ascent of corporate lawyering in India, the prospects offered by Administration & avenues in the Judiciary. **Ms. Shreya Seth**, Associate, Cyril Amarchand Mangaldas, **Mr. Pravir Shrivastava**, Legal, Legislative & Policy Consultant to Members of Parliament, **Mr. Prashant Bakhru**, Senior Associate, Cyril Amarchand Mangaldas, **Ms. Purvasha Mansharamani**, Associate with the Trademarks team at Anand and Anand and **Mr. Shankar Swaminathan**, Associate, Yuti Law Partners were the resource persons for the Symposium. The resource persons belonged to various fields of Law who have carved a niche for themselves in their respective domain.

The program began with the introduction about the need for organizing the Symposium. This was followed by the welcome address delivered by Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. Following the tradition of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur of inaugurating a program, all the dignitaries on the dais proceeded for the lighting of lamp. Thereafter the guests were felicitated by the Director and other faculty members of the Law School. The Masters of Ceremony for the program were Ms. Vaidehi Bhangde and Mr. Mahadevan Sheshadri.

The Symposium was bifurcated in two sessions. The first session saw the address by Ms. Shreya Seth and Mr. Pravir Shrivastava. Ms. Shreya Seth introduced the students as to how they should plan their Law School in the most beneficial manner. She emphasized the importance of participation in Moot Court in the Law School. Then she highlighted the prospects available to a law graduate in the corporate sector. Mr. Pravir Shrivastava was the second speaker. Being a person with experience on the policy making and legislative front, he educated the students on the prospects available to them in this branch. He also informed them about the Legislative Assistants to Members of Parliament (LAMP) Fellowship which can be taken up after graduation. After the address by both the speakers, the house was open for questions. The interactive session lasted for 15 minutes which reflected the students' inquisitiveness to know more and all the questions posed were answered by the speakers. Vote of thanks for the first session was proposed by Ms. Riddhi Mukewar.

The second session began post lunch at 1:45 pm in the Moot Court Hall. It was conducted by Ms. Aditi Uttamani. The second session began with the address of Ms. Purvasha Mansharamani, an Associate with the Trademarks team at Anand and Anand. Ms. Purvasha exhaustively explained the students about the working of a Trademarks team in a firm. She appraised them about the basics of Intellectual Property law. She shared her own experience and journey so far, inspiring the students. Thereafter, Mr. Shivshankar Swaminathan, Associate, Yuti Law Partners, a litigating lawyer guided the students about the intricacies of active practice. He acquainted them with the care that they should exercise while choosing internships. He shared his experience of working with some top-most lawyers of the country in the Supreme Court of India and how that has helped him in shaping his career. The last resource person for the second session was Mr. Prashant Bakhru, Senior Associate, Cyril Amarchand Mangaldas, Ahmedabad office. Mr. Bakhru spoke at length about transactional lawyering and the role it plays in today's time. He emphasized on the fact that the students should find their field of interest while pursuing law so that they can follow the same after graduation without much ado. For this he helped students lay down a roadmap for themselves where by undertaking maximum internships, they can find that area that interests them the most. After Mr. Bakhru's address, the floor was open for discussion. The students asked numerous questions which were ably answered by all the speakers of the second session.

Ms. Riddhi Mukewar proposed a vote of thanks for the second session. The program ended with national anthem.





REPORT OF WORKSHOP ON ‘MOOTING SKILLS’ ORGANISED BY MOOT COURT ASSOCIATION

15th September, 2019

On 15th September, 2019, a Workshop on ‘*Mooting Skills*’ was organized for the students of law. The workshop was held in the Moot Court Hall of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur from 10 AM to 3 PM. The resource persons for the workshop were Advocate Shreya Seth, Associate, Cyril Amarchand Mangaldas, along with Advocate Jatin Kumar, practicing advocate and an LL.M. student at SLS, Nagpur and Mr. Atharva Aryan Singh, a final year student of SLS, Hyderabad. The Speakers were formally introduced by Ms. Ragini(LL.B. I Semester student).

Ms. Shreya Seth elaborately discussed the meaning, role and importance of participating in Moot Court Competitions. She elaborated upon the manner in which a Memorial is to be drafted and also articulated the importance of research while drafting the memorial. The second resource person enlightened the students upon the dos and donts which are to be taken care of while arguing a case in a Mock Court. The third resource person shared his personal trust with Mooting in National and International Competitions and encouraged the students to utilize their free time judiciously right from the first semester. The students had plethora of questions for each speaker, which were answered by them to the student’s satisfaction. After an interactive session, the vote of thanks was proposed by Mr. Kumar Shivam (LL.B. I Semester student) and the workshop was concluded after the recitation of National Anthem.

The workshop was organized and coordinated by the Moot Court Association and the Research and Publication Cell at SLS, Nagpur and was attended by the students of SLS, Nagpur along with the students from other law colleges across Nagpur.



GUEST LECTURE ON “AN INTRODUCTION TO INDIRECT TAXES AND GST”

21stSeptember, 2019

The Placement Cell of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur has organized the Guest Lecture on “An Introduction to Indirect Taxes and GST” on 21stSeptember, 2019 at the Moot Court Hall. Ms. Smita Singh, Partner, Ashok Dhingra Associates was invited as the resource person.

Ms. Smita Singh was welcomed and felicitated by Dr. Sukhwinder Singh Dari, Director, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur with a memento. Ms. Smita Singh assists large number of clients in drafting reply to show cause notices/ appeals before departmental adjudication and appellate authorities. Ms. Smita Singh also assists clients in filing appeals/ writ petitions and argues at the time of hearing before Appellate Tribunal, High Courts and Supreme Court. She also assists clients in seeking advance ruling before Authority for Advance Ruling or filing appeal before Appellate Authority Advance Rulings and arguing at the time of hearings.

During her session Ms. Smita Singh highlighted the basics of Taxation and discussed the sources of authority to levy taxes. She commenced her presentation with the ‘What, Why and How of Taxes. She also differentiated between Direct and Indirect Taxes by citing numerous instances on different types of Taxes. She later went ahead with the Introduction of GST. The Guest speaker cherished the curiosity and inquisitiveness of the students. The lecture ended with the vote of thanks proposed by Dr. Deepti Khubalkar, Assistant Professor, Symbiosis Law School.



REPORT OF CAPSULE COURSE ON CYBER LAWS

September 27th to 29th, 2019

Symbiosis Law School hosted the Capsule Course on Cyber Laws from 27th to 29th September in Assembly Hall. The Guest Faculties for the course were experts from the field of Cyber Laws, Mr. Gokul Narayan, Lead Faculty of Asian School of Cyber Laws, Pune and Dr. Ashok Wadje, Registrar In-Charge of MNLU-Aurangabad. The 3 –day Capsule Course was intended to impart catholic understanding of Cyber laws. The syllabus of course was divided into three Modules covering Overview of Cyber Laws, Cyber Crimes and Regulations relating to Cyber Crimes. The course was open for all the under graduate and post graduate students across the city. Total of 109 students including students from other colleges attended the course.

DAY 1 – 27TH September, 2019

Day one of the Capsule Course began with an inauguration of the course followed by the welcome address and felicitation of the guest by Dr. Nuzhat Rizvi, Assistant Prof. Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. Day one of the course saw Mr. Gokul Narayan as a resource person. Mr. Gokul Narayan who is lead faculty at ASCL, Pune gave insight of Cyber Laws. The main focus of the first day session was an overview of Cyber Laws with introduction to the concept of Cyber Laws and scope of Cyber Laws. Mr. Gokul Narayan in detail discussed about the scope throwing light upon e-commerce, online contracts IPRS, E-governance with special reference to IT Act, 2000.



DAY 2 – 28TH September, 2019

Second day of the course began with the felicitation and welcome of the guest speaker by Dr. Salu D'Souza, Faculty, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. Speaker for the second day was Dr. Ashok Wadje, Registrar In-charge of MNLU-Aurangabad. Dr. Wadje briefed the students about Cyber Crimes and discussed in detail about the kinds of cybercrimes and concepts related to it. Dr. Wadje also discussed the case laws with the students.



DAY 2 – 29TH September, 2019

Day three of the course again saw Mr. Gokul Narayan. In this session Mr. Narayan gave indepth knowledge about Regulations of Cyber Crimes issues relating to investigation of it. Mr. Narayan also discussed in detail about provisions of IT Act 2000, Pornograpgy Act etc. He further touched upon issues relating to jurisdiction and evidence. All the three sessions turned out to be interactive session.



20th& 21stOctober, 2019 was allotted for examination of the participants. Exam was conducted online (via gogle form). The syllabus for the exam was based on all the three session taken by our resourse persons. The participants attempted the paper with the aim to be awarded with the certificates from the institute.

REPORT OF WORKSHOP ON MEMORIAL DRAFTING

27th & 28th September, 2019

On 27th and 28th September, 2019, a Workshop on Memorial Drafting was organized by the Moot Court Association of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur for the BA/BBA LL.B. students. The venue for the workshop was the Moot Court hall of SLS, Nagpur. The two day workshop was conducted in three sessions, two sessions on the first day and one session on the second day. The timings for the workshop were 10 AM to 4 PM. The resource person for the workshop was Mr. Rangam Sharma. He is a corporate lawyer based in Bengaluru. He is currently working with J. Sagar Associates and his areas of practice include private equity, venture capital, employment and emerging technologies. The Workshop began with the felicitation of the resource person and the Welcome address which was delivered by Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director, SLS, Nagpur.

Mr. Rangam Sharma elaborately discussed the meaning, role and importance of memorial drafting. He enunciated the importance of fact sheet and emphasized on how to form issues from the facts sheets and present it in the Moot Court. In the second session he emphasized on how to present the issue in front of the judge in a Moot Court. He asked the students not to assume anything and asked them to build the entire memorial only from the facts mentioned in the fact sheet. On the second day the resource person asked the students to form 5 groups and gave each group a case on which they were asked to form their own issues and argue. This practical learning made students understand the entire procedure of memorial drafting in a better way. The workshop concluded with the doubt solving session, where the resource person entertained the queries of inquisitive law students and answered them to their satisfaction.



REPORT ON WORKSHOP ON RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

5th October 2019

The Research and Publication Cell of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur organized a one-day Workshop on Research Methodology on 5th of October, 2019. The Workshop was organized for B.A./BBA. LL.B. and LL.M. students. The Workshop was broadly based on following themes – Research Methodology: general aspect; Research Methods v. Research Methodology and An Introduction to Legal Research. The workshop was divided into two sessions. The first session started at 10:00 am and was compared by Ms. Roshni Jaiswal (student member of Research & Publication Cell). Mr. G.B. Reddy, Professor of Law, Osmania University and Dr. Pushpa Negi, Visiting Faculty of Symbiosis Law School (Symbiosis International University) were the resources persons for the program. After the felicitation of the guests, Dr. Sukhvinder Badan Singh Dari, Director, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur gave the welcome address.

Dr. G. B. Reddy was the resource person for the first session. First session began at 10:30 am. Dr. Reddy spoke on the topic - 'Legal Research in India - Contemporary trends and the way forward'. He introduced the students to the basics of research, its importance and its contemporary relevance. Dr. Reddy further exhaustively put forth the Do's and the Dont's of research. Further, he also gave an insight to the students on the concept of Plagiarism and encouraged students to strive for originality in research. His discourse was well received by the students, who in turn put across number of queries which were enthusiastically dealt with by Dr. Reddy in the interactive session that followed the lecture. The session concluded at 12:40 pm and Ms. Girija Ranade(student member of Research & Publication Cell) proposed the vote of thanks for the session.

The second session began at 1:45 pm in the Assembly hall. Mr. Kalpesh Mhatre(student member of Research & Publication Cell) compared the session. Dr. Pushpa Negi was the resource person for the second session. She introduced the students to the nuances of research. Dr. Negi informed the students about the various types of research, hypotheses, formulation of hypothesis and research problem amongst other things. She exhaustively dealt with the comparison between empirical research and doctrinal research. The lecture was followed by an interactive session where the students' queries

were effectively answered by the resource person. The session concluded at 3:45 pm and the vote of thanks was proposed by Ms. Girija Ranade.





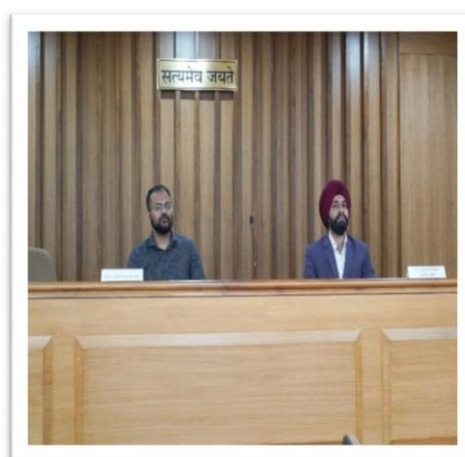
REPORT OF GUEST LECTURE ON CONTRACT DRAFTING

5TH OCTOBER, 2019

On 5th October, 2019, a Guest Lecture on 'Contract Drafting' was organized by Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur, for the students of 1st Semester BA/BBA LL.B. programme. The resource person for the Guest Lecture was Advocate Chetan Dhore, practicing advocate at Bombay High Court, Nagpur Bench, Nagpur. The Speaker was welcomed and felicitated by Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director, SLS, Nagpur. The Speaker was formally introduced by Ms. Shreya G (LL.B. I Semester student).

The resource person, in his lecture accentuated on the use of logic, anticipation of prospective dispute and proper study of statutes pertinent with the subject matter of the contract while drafting a contract. He, with the help of live examples, demonstrated the legal complications that arise if the contract does not get drafted by following the above mentioned steps. After establishing the requisites required to draft a contract, the speaker enlightened the students with the essential aspects of contract drafting. The students were also acquainted with the basic clauses which are to be included while drafting every contract. Finally, the speaker emphasized on the increasing role of arbitration in resolving contractual disputes.

The lecture concluded with the vote of thanks which was proposed by Ms. Shreya G. The event took place in the Moot Court Hall at SLS, Nagpur.



INAUGURAL CEREMONY OF LEGAL AID CENTRE IN COLLABORATION WITH DISTRICT LEGAL SERVICES AUTHORITY, NAGPUR

12thOctober, 2019

The Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur has started its academic session from July 2019 at Wathoda, Nagpur Campus. SLS, Nagpur and offers two integrated undergraduate Five years law courses in Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Laws (B.A. LL.B) and Bachelor of Business Administration and Bachelor of Laws (B.B.A. LL.B.) and LLM courses to cater to diverse needs of the legal profession.

The legal Aid Centre at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur was inaugurated by Hon'ble Justice Shri Sunil Shukre, Judge, Bombay High Court at Nagpur Bench, Nagpur as Chief Guest, Hon'ble Shri Abhay Mantri, Principal District & Session Judge, and President, DLSA Nagpur as Guest of Honour, Dr. Sukhvinder Badan Singh Dari, Director, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur in the presence of advocates, teachers and students and other distinguished dignitaries. Dr. Dari, director of SLS, Nagpur, in his welcome speech pointed the importance of legal aid and how it is important to inculcate social responsibility in the minds of students. Dr. Deepti Khubalkar, Asst. Professor and in charge of Legal Aid Centre, gave introduction about the Centre. Hon'ble Justice Shri Shukre congratulated the college administration for establishing Legal Aid Centre and providing quality legal education in India. He appreciated the legal aid practices and efforts made by law school to inculcate legal skills to the learners. Hon'ble Abhay Mantri, Principal District and Session Judge shared the importance of legal aid and its working. Ms. Aditee Godbole, Asst. Professor gave vote of thanks.

“Legal Aid Centre”, of Symbiosis law school, Nagpur is established with an objective to provide legal aid and to impart legal awareness to needy and poor sections of the society. Through this Centre, college aims to provide legal knowledge and literacy by organizing legal aid camps and other social outreach programs. Legal Aid Centre through constituting a panel consisting of faculty in charge and 30 students offers free legal advice to the indigent people who will come to the Centre with their problems. The legal aid cell also in its action plan propose to organize legal awareness programs in the villages in Nagpur District, Legal literacy camp on specific subjects such as drafting of application under Right to Information Act, Core legal help on case to case basis with the help of lawyers on panel suggested by DLSA. The centre will work in three directions; core legal aid, legal awareness and legal literacy in collaboration of DLSA, Nagpur.



REPORT OF 1ST INTRA-COLLEGE MOOT COURT COMPETITION

20TH OCTOBER, 2019

The Moot Court Association of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur organized its 1st Intra-College Moot Court Competition for the First Year students of Law pursuing BA/BBA LL.B. programme. The event was organized on 20th October, 2019 from 10 AM to 4 PM in the premises of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. A total of 53 teams participated in the Competition. They were judged by the distinguished members of Nagpur bar. We had a total of 5 panels of judges, who judged 10 teams each. The Memorials of each team were separately judged. The MCA announced the top three teams scoring maximum marks in oral arguments and in drafting of memorials and also declared top three speakers of the Moot Court Competition. The MCA will send the students to represent the law school at other National Moot Court Competitions based on the rank they secured in the 1st Intra-college Moot Court Competition.





MOOT COURT ASSOCIATION OF SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL, NAGPUR

WHAT IS MOOT COURT?

- It is a mock court at which law students argue imaginary cases for practice. Proceedings in the Moot Court follow a set pattern of conduct which is similar to the actual courts. From language to attire, students are required to follow set norms and argue the case with zeal and enthusiasm.
- Mooting is not the same as public speaking or debating, although it shares some common elements with these activities. It is a specialized application of the art of persuasive advocacy. It has been part of the process of training lawyers for centuries and plays an important role in legal education.

WHY MOOT COURT?

- Mooting as an activity aims to inculcate and improve the research, presentation and line of reasoning into students so as to equip the budding pleaders with all the court room etiquettes, research experience and advocacy skills.
- To appraise the students about presenting the case and preparing written submission and arguing a given case from either side before the court is the main purpose of Moot Court Competition.
- The reasoning of the students is screened in the process and they regularly get informed about the areas which require improvement.

STUDENT'S MOOT COURT ASSOCIATION

- It is a Student's body constituted to aid and assists the Moot Court Cell in conducting various activities.
- The Association is made in accordance with the MCA Rules of SLS Nagpur.
- Moot Court Cell along with Association would be conducting Intra-Collegiate Moot Court competitions and a National Moot Court competition yearly.
- The Association would also be instrumental in organizing various workshops and guest lectures which would help the students hone their advocacy skills.

FORMATION OF MCA

- Following are the office bearers of MCA-
 1. President
 2. Vice-President

3. Members

- Students who wish to be the part of MCA are required to-
 1. Submit previous record of curricular and co-curricular activities online.
 2. Appear for the interview.
- The selection of the Association would be based on the above mentioned criteria.

ACTIVITIES BY MOOT COURT CELL

- Moot Court Workshop
- Orientation on Mooting Skills
- Intra-Collegiate Moot Court Competition
- Intra-Collegiate Turn-Court Competition
- National Moot Court Competition

BENEFITS OF MOOTING

- Mooting provides an opportunity for the students to build advocacy skills, sharpen public speaking skills, and engage in legal analysis in a variety of areas of law.
- Students can compete in interscholastic tournaments which offer competitors the opportunity to build expertise in a field, test themselves against the skills of students at other schools, and win accolades.
- Furthermore, students are afforded the chance to visit cutting edge problems in a variety of areas of law.
- Students also get the opportunity to acquaint themselves with the members of the bar and bench.
- The benefits of mooting are not restricted for future trial attorneys, but the ability to speak persuasively and think on your feet is invaluable in all types of legal careers.

Moot Court Association of Symbiosis Laws College is managed by Ms. Aditee Godbole, faculty in-charge and Student Members.

STUDENT MEMBERS

| SR. NO. | NAME | PROGRAMME | DIVISION |
|------------|-------------------------|-----------|----------|
| 1 | Abhimanyu Menon | BBA LL.B | D |
| 2 | Akshay Krishna P | BA LL.B | A |
| 3 | Amritangshu Kaushik | BA LL.B | B |
| 4 | Anisha Nagarajan | BA LL.B | A |
| 5 | Annanya Deshpande | BA LL.B | A |
| 6 | Anwita Bhattacharyya | BA LL.B | B |
| 7 | Arindam Sarin | BBA LL.B | D |
| 8 | Aryan Rawal | BA LL.B | A |
| 9 | Ashisa Raja | BA LL.B | B |
| 10 | Avinash Srivastava | BA LL.B | B |
| 11 | Ishita Sinha | BBA LL.B | D |
| 12 | Manoneeta Banerjee | BBA LL.B | D |
| 13 | Naina Poddar | BBA LL.B | C |
| 14 | Nandakishore V Menon | BBA LL.B | D |
| 15 | Nikhil Koolahaari | BBA LL.B | D |
| 16 | Pooja Thayat | BBA LL.B | D |
| 17 | Pratistha Dahiya | BBA LL.B | C |
| 18 | Raghav Pareek | BBA LL.B | D |
| 19 | Ragini Singh | BA LL.B | B |

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|----|-------------------|----------|---|
| 20 | Raunaq Gulrez Ali | BBA LL.B | D |
| 21 | Riddhi Mukewar | BBA LL.B | D |
| 22 | Rudra Sharma | BA LL.B | A |
| 23 | Sanjana Sapra | BBA LL.B | C |
| 24 | Sayantani De | BA LL.B | B |
| 25 | Shibu Shashank | BBA LL.B | D |
| 26 | Vanshika Shukla | BBA LL.B | D |
| 27 | Vashi Jain | BBA LL.B | D |

HUMAN RIGHTS CELL OF SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL, NAGPUR

OBJECTIVES

To promote and advocate Human Rights and Fundamental Freedom for all without any discrimination of race, religion, caste, colour, sex and language.

To prepare case studies on the rising custodial deaths, killings in encounters and related issues for ensuring that human rights education must address the need of evolving new structures of knowledge and accountability to impart new skills and sensitivities amongst holders of State power so as to make them more responsive to the culture of human rights and values of democracy.

To help stop legal social and economic discrimination against women and their exploitation in different ways.

To promote human rights education as a catalyst in bringing out attitudinal and social change

To train the young men and women for facing the challenges of the pluralistic society and the rising conflicts and tensions in the name of particularistic loyalties to caste, religion, region and culture.

PROPOSED ACTIVITIES

Invited Guest Lecture on Human Rights and Gender Justice

Visit to Nagpur Central Jail, Wardha Rd, Ajni Chowk, Dhantoli- Nagpur

Visit to Old age home (on Umred Road, near to Dhigori Chowk)

Participation in seminars based on Human Rights in Nagpur

Celebration of Human Rights Day 10 December

Bring out a Newsletter on current issues on Human Rights

Arrange for workshop in Human Rights related issues

Human Rights Cell of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur is managed by Dr. Salu D Souza and student members.

STUDENT MEMBERS

| Sr No. | NAME | PROGRAMME | DIVISION |
|--------|-------------------------|-----------|----------|
| 01 | Aditya Narayan Sinha | BA LLB | B |
| 02 | Anmol Dikshit | BBA LLB | C |
| 03 | Aryan Singh | BA LLB | B |
| 04 | Manan Gupta | BA LLB | A |
| 05 | Nitin Pathak | BA LLB | B |
| 06 | Prashanth Shukla | BA LLB | B |
| 07 | Pritika Ruth | BA LLB | A |
| 08 | Sanchita Arora | BA LLB | A |
| 09 | Shashank Shekhar Kunwar | BA LLB | B |
| 10 | Shiva Ram J | BBA LLB | D |
| 11 | Shivam Raj | BBA LLB | D |
| 12 | Shruti Khatri | BBA LLB | C |
| 13 | Suvam Chakraborty | BA LLB | B |
| 14 | Vidhishree Tiwari | BBA LLB | D |
| 15 | Yukta Nidhi | BA LLB | B |

THE INTERNATIONAL CELL OF SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL, NAGPUR

The International Cell of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur works under Symbiosis Centre for International Education (SCIE), Pune, was formalized through a Board of Management (BOM) resolution made in February 2008. The resolution was a fall out of the discussion that took place in the BOM related to Internationalization of Symbiosis International University. The Symbiosis Centre for International Education (SCIE) was formed to streamline the processes related to International Collaborations, International Student Mobility, participation in International Conferences & Seminars, and setting up of Study Centres, etc.

The International Cell of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur under the Symbiosis Centre for International Education (SCIE) was formed in July 2019. This was formed to initiate International Collaborations, participation in International Conferences & Seminars, International Student Mobility, setting up of Study Centres, etc. It aims at collaborating with Student and Faculty Exchange Programmes, Semester Exchange programmes, SWS (Summer and Winter Schools), Internships and the Study India Programme.

Through International partnerships, the International Cell at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur offers opportunities for collaborations at many levels in terms of following activities:

- Joint-academic programmes
- Semester exchange programme
- Summer and winter schools
- Overseas scholarship programme
- Faculty exchange programme
- Scholar-in-residence programme
- Internships
- Study India Programme
- Distinguished visiting professors and lecture series.

The International Cell of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur is managed by Dr. Salu D Souza and the committed and reassuring team of student members as Office bearer.

STUDENT MEMBERS

| SR NO | NAME OF STUDENT | PROGRAMME | DIVISION |
|-------|--------------------|-----------|----------|
| 1. | Aastha Tiwari | BA LL.B | B |
| 2. | Yohith Konidala | | |
| 3. | Shreya G. | BA LL.B | B |
| 4. | Chandrima Das | BA LL.B | A |
| 5. | Prachi Atolia | BBA LL.B | C |
| 6. | Neerul Sahu | BA LL.B | B |
| 7. | Kanak Patidar | BA LL.B | A |
| 8. | Garima Ladha | BBA LL.B | D |
| 9. | Dev Ahuja | BA LL.B | B |
| 10. | K. Harshini | BA LL.B | A |
| 11. | Omkar V. A. | BBA LL.B | D |
| 12. | Mahadevan Seshadri | BBA LL.B | C |
| 13. | Rohan Sharma | BA LL.B | B |
| 14. | Varun Alase | BBA LL.B | D |
| 15. | Palak Gupta | BBA LL.B | D |

RESEARCH AND PUBLICATION CELL OF SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL, NAGPUR

Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur believes that the legal profession is fired by the love of knowledge and quest to find answers to complex problems. To develop the attitude of logical and scientific thinking amongst students, SLS, Nagpur encourages the students to pursue both empirical and doctrinal research and to record their findings. The Research and Publication Cell is constituted for this very purpose. The Research & Publication Cell is committed to excellence in legal and multidisciplinary research for legal enrichment. The fundamental responsibility of introducing the students to constructive researching, collating data and its representation by way of effective writing is that of the Research & Publication Cell.

OBJECTIVES OF THE CELL –

- To inculcate probing behaviour amongst students so that they are able to visualize, correlate, encapsulate, and explain various kinds of information for meaningful purposes.
- To expand their horizons of thought and knowledge.
- To help convert their thoughts into tangible ideas with the assistance of various legal and management databases.
- To enable the student to present the idea with a new dimension.
- To identify new trends in various academic domains and develop the capacity to converge it for legal enrichment.
- To provide a platform for the people capable of original thought, analysis, and creativity, who are keen on learning and developing.
- To facilitate research and publication of the same.

STRUCTURE OF THE CELL

- Dr.Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director - Ex-officio
Chairperson
- Ms. Sayalee S. Surjuse, Assistant Professor - Faculty in-
charge of Cell
- 15 students - Members

STUDENT MEMBERS

| SR NO | NAME OF STUDENT | PROGRAMME | DIVISION |
|-------|----------------------|-----------|----------|
| 1. | Pranav Kardale | BA LLB | B |
| 2. | KartikayBargoti | BBA LLB | D |
| 3. | Shreya G | BA LLB | B |
| 4. | AnushkaBhattacharjee | BA LLB | B |
| 5. | TusharGerewal | BA LLB | B |
| 6. | Aditi Uttamani | BBA LLB | D |
| 7. | KalpeshMhatre | BA LLB | B |
| 8. | MahadevanSheshadri | BBA LLB | C |
| 9. | GirijaRanade | BA LLB | A |
| 10. | Kumar Shivam | BBA LLB | D |
| 11. | RiddhiKashyap | BA LLB | A |
| 12. | VaidehiBhangde | BBA LLB | D |
| 13. | RoshniJaiswal | BA LLB | A |
| 14. | SakshiVadhera | BBA LLB | C |

PLANS OF THE CELL

- To start a Bi-annual In-house Newsletter.
- To publish an In-house annual Student Magazine.
- To hold and organize an International Multidisciplinary Law Conference.

- To conduct a Workshop on Research Methodology.
- To organize Symposiums.
- Conduct other ancillary activities related to Research.

CULTURAL CELL OF SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL, NAGPUR

We at Symbiosis endorse and spread the message of unity in diversity. symbiosis is nurtured on the vedic principles of 'vasudhaiva kutumbakam' meaning 'World is One Family'. The cultural cell is therefore committed to create an amicable atmosphere for peaceful coexistence.

"THE BEAUTY OF THE WORLD LIES IN THE DIVERSITY OF ITS PEOPLE"

NEED FOR CULTURAL CELL:

There is a need to create an atmosphere which aesthetically inspires the student community of our campus. To sprinkle some frolic and color in the hectic academic schedule, and to bring them together as one big family. Cultural Cell is established with an aim to provide students with various extra-curricular activities besides academics and sports, and also, helps them to boost the confidence in them for social aspect of their living. It is a platform for nurturing hidden talent of students. Cultural Cell allows students to participate and showcase their talent of dancing, singing, drama, writing, theatre, etc. It shall also provide opportunity to participate in prestigious competitions, dramas, theatre, street plays around the city and outside.

MISSION AND VISION:

To enable our students to appreciate cultural diversity for a peaceful coexistence.

To instill strong cultural values in the young minds, so that they may carry forward the legacy of our vibrant culture.

To mould our students into responsible citizens of the globalized world.

OBJECTIVES:

To organize cultural activities.

To imbibe team spirit, coordination and confidence.

To provide platforms for students to display their talents.

RESPONSIBILITIES OF CULTURAL CELL:

To organize cultural fests.

To celebrate festivals.

To plan and schedule national fest for the academic year.

Cultural Cell of Symbiosis is managed by Dr. Nuzhat F Rizvi, faculty in charge of cell and student members of cell.

STUDENT MEMBERS

| SR. NO. | NAME OF STUDENT | NAME OF PROGRAMME | DIVISION |
|----------------|------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------|
| 1 | Geethu Sachithanand | BA LLB | A |
| 2 | Kanak Patidar | BA LLB | A |
| 3 | Adithya D | BA LLB | A |
| 4 | Priyanka | BA LLB | A |
| 5 | Alen Mari | BA LLB | A |
| 6 | Madhumita | BA LLB | A |
| 7 | Neel Manish | BA LLB | B |
| 8 | Kalpesh Mhatre | BA LLB | B |
| 9 | Krishna KG | BA LLB | B |
| 10 | RajatNischal | BA LLB | B |
| 11 | UtkarshMadaan | BA LLB | B |
| 12 | Shivani Pandey | BA LLB | B |
| 13 | Vineet Sinha | BA LLB | B |
| 14 | Harshvardhan | BA LLB | B |
| 15 | Dinesh Kalla | BA LLB | B |
| 16 | Vanshika | BA LLB | B |
| 17 | Yukta Nidhi | BA LLB | B |
| 18 | Ishika | BBA LLB | C |
| 19 | ShobhnaNayak | BBA LLB | C |
| 20 | Krishna Jaiswal | BBA LLB | C |
| 21 | Aarosh | BBA LLB | C |
| 22 | Arya Kailabag | BBA LLB | C |
| 23 | Vedant | BBA LLB | C |
| 24 | Priyadarshini | BBA LLB | D |
| 25 | KashishLalwani | BBA LLB | D |
| 26 | PralabhPandit | BBA LLB | D |
| 27 | Pooja Thayat | BBA LLB | D |
| 28 | AnnubhutiKakkad | BBA LLB | D |
| 29 | Divyanand | BBA LLB | D |
| 30 | Abhishek Kumar | BBA LLB | D |

DEBATE AND LITERARY CELL OF SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL NAGPUR

***“WRITE TO BE UNDERSTOOD, SPEAK TO BE HEARD AND READ TO
GROW”***

ABOUT LITREARY AND DEBATE CELL:

Symbiosis has a long and enriched tradition of endorsing and implementing co- curricular and extracurricular activities. We at symbiosis aim at the holistic development of the students. Centre for literary and debate is established with a vision to split the difference between academic and non-academic activities by organizing various debating, elocution & declamation competitions by emphasizing on the participation of each student in all the extra and co-curricular activities. The Cell aim towards acknowledging the requirement for strong positive arguing skills in Law. Endeavour shall be to hold various competitions such as Quiz, Dramatics, Creative writing, etc. Centre helps students in continuing passion for reading, writing and creativity.

MISSION AND VISION:

To inculcate among our students a love for language and enhance their literary skills.

To promote freedom of expression and encourage constructive criticism.

To imbibe sense of confidence and leadership skills.

AIMS AND OBJECTIVES:

Excellent communication skills are vital to the legal profession. Debate and literary cell aims to hone the skills and talents of the students and provide apt launching pads and channels to polish and unleash the skills of students.

To develop a love for reading and creative writing.

To facilitate group discussion among students about current issues/affairs.

To encourage constructive criticism.

To instill leadership qualities and team spirit.

To encourage a love for language and literature.

ACTIVITIES:

Book reading session

Debate competition

Toastmaster club

Mock parliamentary debate/model united nation

Group discussion

Law theatres

Creative writing

Debate and Literary Cell of Symbiosis is managed by Dr. Nuzhat F Rizvi, faculty in charge of cell and student members of cell.

STUDENT MEMBERS

| SR. NO. | NAME OF STUDENT | NAME OF PROGRAMME | DIVISION |
|----------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------|
| 1 | Poras | BA LL.B. | A |
| 2 | S.S.Saakshini | BA LL.B. | A |
| 3 | Mishti Chelwani | BA LLB | A |
| 4 | Jhanvi Salve | BA LLB | A |
| 5 | Aditya Pandey | BA LL.B. | A |
| 6 | Gayatri Chanchani | BA LL.B. | A |
| 7 | Joel Kenneth | BA LLB | A |
| 8 | Shambhavi Sharma | BA LLB | B |
| 9 | Pratikshya Priyadarshini | BA LLB | B |
| 10 | Aanice Tressa Thomas | BBA LL.B. | C |
| 11 | Ishan Khisti | BBA LL.B. | C |
| 12 | Prabhav Mehrotra | BBA LL.B. | C |
| 13 | Mounish Chanukya | BBA LL.B. | C |
| 14 | Kartikay Bargoti | BBA LL.B. | D |
| 15 | Sudeshna Dutta | BBA LL.B. | D |

WEBSITE, MEDIA AND PR CELL OF SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL, NAGPUR

Website, PR and Media Cell of the institute has been established with an aim to build a bridge amongst the SLS Nagpur fraternity and the outside world through electronic media, print media etc. The Cell will be involved in making of innovative movies and videos on contemporary legal issues. The Cell aims to provide a platform to the students to express their innovative ideas through blogs, online articles etc. The Cell aims to educate people by organizing various programmes on digital privacy and security.

OBJECTIVES

- The role of Cell is to manage relations with external world through several media related activities.
- To connect with inhabitants via social platforms like Facebook, Twitter, LinkedIn, YouTube etc.
- To promote Symbiosis Nagpur Campus through Digital marketing.
- To look after all communication and publications - internal & external
- To make an endeavor by means of organizing Guest Lectures, Workshops, Capsule Courses, Online Competition and other such interactive events.
- The cell is responsible for publicity of the all major events of Symbiosis Nagpur, both on and off the campus.

VISION

- To establish a bridge amongst the SLS Nagpur fraternity and the outside world through electronic media.
- To enhance the visibility and better communication of achievements.
- To inculcate the habit of writing articles amongst students, we plan to have our own blog.

FUTURE FORTHCOMINGS

- We will be organizing various programmes on Digital Privacy and Security.
- We will be conducting various Online Competitions.

Website, media & PR Cell is managed by Ms. Trupti Kokate and student members of the Cell.

STUDENT MEMBERS

| SR NO | NAME OF STUDENT | PROGRAMME | DIVISION |
|--------------|------------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| 1. | Varun Alase | BBA LLB | D |
| 2. | Misthi | BBA LLB | C |
| 3. | ShreeyaanShrivastava | BA LLB | B |
| 4. | Shruti Sharma | BBA LLB | D |
| 5. | Neha Gupta | BBA LLB | D |

CENTRE FOR ENVIRONMENTAL LAW AND POLICY

The centre has been established with a *VISION* of developing capacities and excellence in the field of research in environmental law and policy and to use the rule of law to protect environment and secure sustainable development.

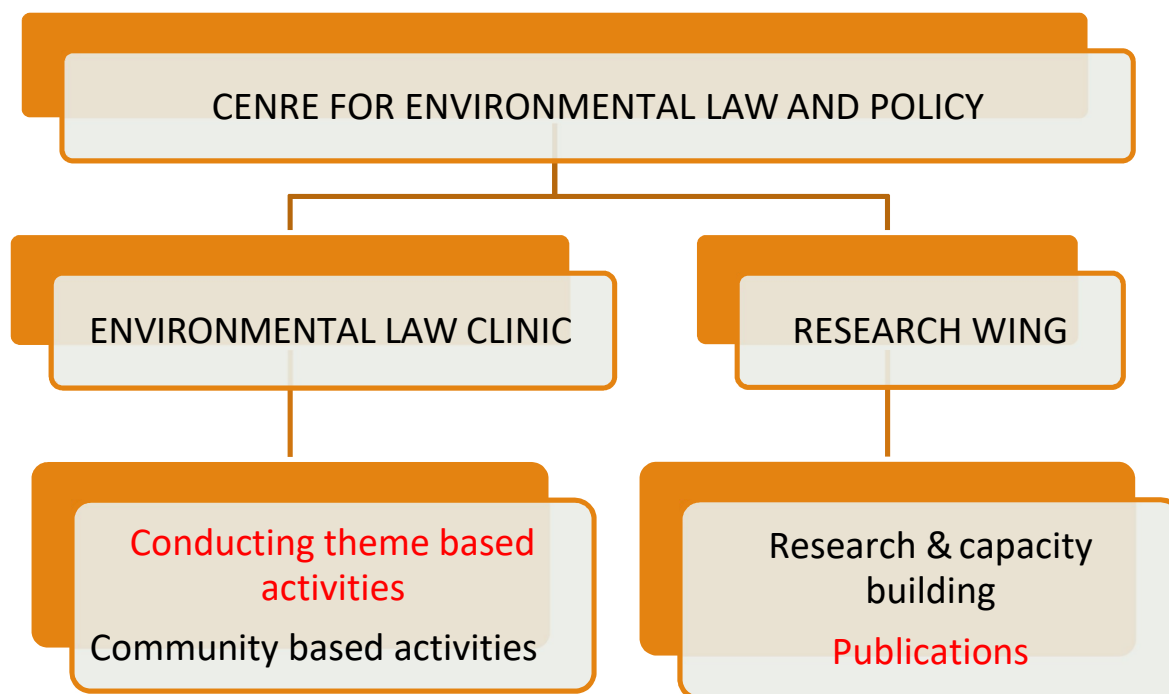
OBJECTIVES

1. To encourage and initiate research focusing on different enviro-legal issues.
2. To collaborate with the different stakeholders, academic and research institutions for research and capacity building in environmental law.
3. Fostering partnership with communities and non-profit organizations for generating awareness.
4. To organize and conduct various themes based activities on environmental protection and sustainable development.
5. To promote environmental education by organizing various training programmes, capsule courses and certificate courses for different stakeholders

ACTIVITIES PROPOSED TO BE CONDUCTED BY THE CENTER

1. To launch various eco programmes like tree plantation, cleanliness drive, caring for animals etc.
2. To conduct training programs for dissemination of information on environment law and to launch continuous mass awareness drive.
3. Conducting training programs, workshops, seminars, conferences and short term courses.
4. To start an environmental blog, newsletter, green news corner in the campus.
5. To start a publication in the form of journal.

WORKING STRUCTURE



ACTIVITIES PROPOSED TO BE CONDUCTED BY THE CENTER

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5. To start a publication in the form of journal.

STUDENTS INVOLVEMENT

Student involvement will be in the form of participation in the following activities:

1. Debate Competition

2. Essay Writing Competition
3. Case Analysis Competition
4. Moot Court Competition
5. Contributions to Journal, Newsletter and Blog in the form of Articles, Case Comments, Columns, Opinions
6. Contributions to Green News corner

PROPOSED COLLOBORATIONS

- ✓ MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT, FOREST AND CLIMATE CHANGE
- ✓ GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATIONS AND BODIES like POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD, STATE BIODIVERSITY BOARD etc.
- ✓ NON GOVERMENTAL ORGANIZATION
- ✓ RESARCH INSTITUTIONS

STUDENT MEMBERS

| SR NO | NAME OF STUDENT | PROGRAMME | DIVISION |
|-------|-----------------------------|-----------|----------|
| 1. | ARCHY GUPTA | BA LL.B | A |
| 2. | BIBHAS BHARADWAJ | BA LL.B | B |
| 3. | PRADYUMN GOPAL MANDHANI | BBA LL.B | D |
| 4. | FAZLEQUADIR CHIMTHANWALA | BBA LL.B | D |
| 5. | ADITYA KRANTI | BA LL.B | A |
| 6. | MANU SINGH | BA LL.B | B |
| 7. | SAIKAT MUKHARJEE | BA LL.B | A |
| 8. | RAKSHANDA KAUSAR | BA LL.B | A |
| 9. | GIRIJA RANADE | BA LL.B | A |
| 10. | SHAMBHAVI KARN | BA LL.B | B |
| 11. | SHREEYAN SHRIVASTAVA | BA LL.B | B |

LEGAL AID CENTRE OF SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL, NAGPUR

Legal aid is the provision of assistance to people who are unable to afford legal representation and access to the court system. Legal aid is regarded as central in providing access to justice by ensuring equality before the law, the right to counsel and the right to a fair trial. Legal Aid is essential to guaranteeing equal access to justice for all, as provided for by Article 6.3 of the European Convention on Human Rights regarding criminal law cases. Especially for citizens who do not have sufficient financial means, the provision of legal aid to clients by governments will increase the likelihood, within court proceedings, of being assisted by legal professionals for free (or at a lower cost) or of receiving financial aid. Though legal aid aims to create more equity in the sphere of legal practices, aid offered is often limited in its quality or its social impact by economic constraints that dictate who can access these services and where the aforementioned services are geographically located.

Historically Legal Aid has its roots in the right to counsel and the right to a fair trial movement of the 19th-century continental European countries. "Poor man's laws" waived court fees for the poor and provided for the appointment of duty solicitors for those who could not afford to pay for a solicitor. Initially the expectation was that duty solicitors would act on a pro bono basis. In the early 20th century, many European countries had no formal approach to legal aid, and the poor relied on the charity of lawyers. Most countries went on to establish laws that provided for the payment of a moderate fee to duty solicitors. To curb demand, legal aid was restricted to lawyer costs in judicial proceedings requiring a lawyer.

The Legal Aid Centre at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur is established with 'Aim & Objective' to **'Serve legal aid, through human resource, knowledge resource, & infrastructural resource, to those who need it the most, purely on pro-bono basis'**. It's a blend of legal duty (as laid down under Rule 31 of Bar Council of India's Rules of Legal Education, and Rule 11 of Schedule III of the said 'rules') of the Institute with mission of the Symbiosis International University.

The mission statement of the Symbiosis International University says that it is committed towards 'fostering spirit of national development', 'instilling sensitivity amongst the youth towards the community', 'contributing towards knowledge generation and dissemination', and 'promoting ethical and value based learning'. The establishment of the Legal Aid Centre at Symbiosis Law School - Nagpur acknowledges that it is committed towards fulfilling its 'institutional social responsibility'.

The above laid 'objective' will be achieved when those, who have knowledge, including persons from the legal profession, alumni of the Symbiosis International University, and the students, will come forward to share their knowledge, experience, and expertise with those who are in need of legal aid & support.

Participation of members of the Legal Aid Centre in various activities will make them more sensitive towards various legal issues that are being faced by the society people. It will enhance their understanding of their 'moral duties towards the society', which will lead to 'sense of responsibility in nation building'.

With these 'Aims & Objectives', the Legal Aid Centre of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur will be active in three directions

- **LEGAL AWARENESS**

Target population, as per the kind of activity, will be made more aware of the legal issue that is being taken up by members of the Legal Aid Centre. This awareness will be created through personal interaction, through pamphlets & posters, and through various other similar modes.

- **LEGAL LITERACY**

Target population, as per the kind of activity, will be taught how to draft very basic legal documents, like, 'writing complaint', 'writing application under the R.T.I. Act', 'drafting an affidavit', and similar other documents.

- **CORE LEGAL AID**

The aided person/s, as per requirement of the situation/case, will be given core legal aid, like, 'giving advice as per the legal provisions', 'bringing aided person/s before legal forum/authority', 'presenting case of the aided person/s before legal authority/forum', and similar other activities.

COMPOSITION

- The Legal Aid Centre at Symbiosis Law School – Nagpur constitutes of a 'Head' of the Centre, a 'convener', a 'co-convener', and thirteen 'Para-Legal Volunteers'. A senior faculty member is being appointed as 'Head', and students have been appointed as 'Convener', 'Co-Convener' And 'Para-Legal Volunteers'.
- The Centre, with all the required infrastructural facilities, is situated at Ground Floor of campus of the Symbiosis Law School – Nagpur; it is open six days a week (Monday to Saturday) from 9 am to 5 pm.

- It welcomes all to come & participate, both the ways, as a resource person, or as a needy person.

STUDENT MEMBERS

| Sr. No. | NAME | PROGRAMME | DIVISION |
|---------|-------------------------|-----------|----------|
| 1. | HimanshuDhaked | BBA LLB | D |
| 2 | Anjali Dhakde | BBA LLB | C |
| 3 | Parag Kesharwani | BBA LLB | D |
| 4 | Poras | BA LLB | A |
| 5 | TruptiAgarkar | BA LLB | B |
| 6 | SimranMoryani | BA LLB | A |
| 7 | Mahak Agrawal | BA LLB | B |
| 8 | Kalyan | BBA LLB | C |
| 9. | Tanmay Sharma | BA LLB | A |
| 10. | Paritosh Gaur | BA LLB | A |
| 11. | SnehilSoni | BBA LLB | D |
| 12. | Yash Pandey | BA LLB | A |
| 13. | Aryan Surana | BBA LLB | D |
| 14 | Archy Gupta | BA LLB | A |
| 15. | Ritwik Singh | BA LLB | A |
| 16. | VaishnaviThakre | BA LLB | A |
| 17. | KadambariBhandarkar | BA LLB | A |
| 18 | Neerul Shah | BA LLB | B |
| 19. | Najeeb Din | BBA LLB | C |
| 20 | Jasraj Singh Bhatia | BA LLB | B |
| 21. | Dhruvkalantri | BBA LLB | C |
| 22. | Aryan Ghosalkar | BA LLB | A |
| 23 | Nandini Tiwari | BBA LLB | D |
| 24. | Riya Agrawal | BBA LLB | D |
| 25. | Paritosh Singh | BA LLB | B |
| 26. | RituJaiswal | BBA LLB | C |
| 27. | ShambhaviMalviya | BA LLB | B |
| 28. | Saket Bansal | BBA LLB | D |
| 29. | FazleQadirChimthanawala | BBA LLB | D |
| 30. | ShivangiMundhra | BA LLB | B |

ACTIVITIES BY LEGAL AID CENTRE

| SR.NO. | PROGRAMME | DATE |
|--------|--|--|
| 1. | Participation of students in National Lok Adalats in District Courts, Family Court and High Court in association with DLSA | As per the Schedule prescribed by DLSA |
| 2. | Central Jail Visit | September 2019 |
| 3. | Legal Aid Camp | January 2020 (II semester) |
| 4. | Client Counselling Competition | January 2020 (II Semester) |
| 5. | Guest Lecture on ADR methods | August 2019 |
| 6. | Inauguration of Cell | July 2019 |

PLACEMENT CELL OF SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL, NAGPUR

The Placement Cell of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur is established to facilitate students the process of Campus Recruitment, Internship and Training & Development.

Placement Cell of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur makes an effort to provide the best experiences for its students and these experiences come in the form of internship opportunities, industrial and field visit, guest lectures, soft skills training, workshops and other activities which help in shaping the careers of our students.

OBJECTIVES

The cell organizes and extends services towards collaborative placement activities.

The cell conducts training activities for the students mainly focusing on Career planning, Personality Development, Industrial visits and Entrepreneurship Development.

Interaction with alumni's of Symbiosis International University which will help the students in achieving the goals.

Organize guest lectures, seminars and workshops on a regular basis which enables students to gain deeper understanding on a particular subject.

ACTIVITIES COVERED UNDER PLACEMENT CELL

Final Placements

Summer and Winter Internship Programs

Personality Development

Career Counselling

Mock Interviews

Seminars/Workshops/Guest Lectures

Industry Interface

Corporate Relations

SPORTS CELL OF SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL, NAGPUR

ABOUT THE CELL:

Sports & Games are essential components of human resource development, helping to promote good health, comradeship & spirit of healthy competition which in turn has positive impact on holistic development of personality of the Youth who is potential source of energy, enthusiasm and inspiration for development, progress and prosperity of a Nation. With this in view, Symbiosis International (Deemed University) had established Sports Cell.

OBJECTIVES OF THE CELL:

- To annually organize Symbiosis International (Deemed University) / Inter institute competitions in specified games and sports for the students & staff.
- To advice on providing equal opportunities & encouragement students and staff for participation in sports at all levels.
- To offer sports scholarship, prizes and other awards to outstanding athletes and sportsmen and women.
- To review the progress on developing, maintaining and optimally utilizing sports infrastructure.
- To advice on promoting excellence in sports by encouraging participation in National and International championships in large numbers.
- To advice on creating a culture of sports by imbibing higher moral and Ethical values, spirit of comradeship and the desire to excel.
- To recognize talent in sports and reward young women and men, who achieve excellence in sports.
- To organize workshops, seminars on sports related matters.

SWACHHATA HI SEVA CAMPAIGN ORGANIZED AT SLS NAGPUR

With the mission to check growing pollution and to save our planet, “Sawachhata Hi Seva Campaign” was organized on 20th September 2019, at SLS Nagpur, as per the directives of MHRD, Govt of India. Dr.Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director, along with the staff and students participated in the campaign. In order to curb the plastic menace, the students took the pledge on ‘Plastic Waste Management’, ‘Sanitation’ and Cleanliness Drive besides campaigning against the ‘Single Use of Plastic’.

To spread awareness about environmental pollution, the students presented short skits, participated in various activities, displayed posters and placards with various slogans on discouraging the use of polybags and making alternative arrangements instead to the use of plastic and thereby support the Nationwide campaign to keep our earth green and eco-friendly.

The Director in his address to the students advised them to play a vital role and carryout mass awareness programme to save our environment by planting trees, saving water and keeping the environment clean.

The Director along with staff and students of SLS, Nagpur actively participated in all the activities taken up to mark the occasion.



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| 1. Name of the Institute | Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur |
| 2. Name of activity with date | Cleanliness of the college premises, 20/09/2019 |
| 3. Location of the activity | Campus premises |
| 4. Number of students participated | Six |
| 5. Number of faculty/staff participated | Eight |
| 6. Before and after Photographs/ videos of the activity | Photographs attached. |

REPORT ON NATIONAL UNITY DAY

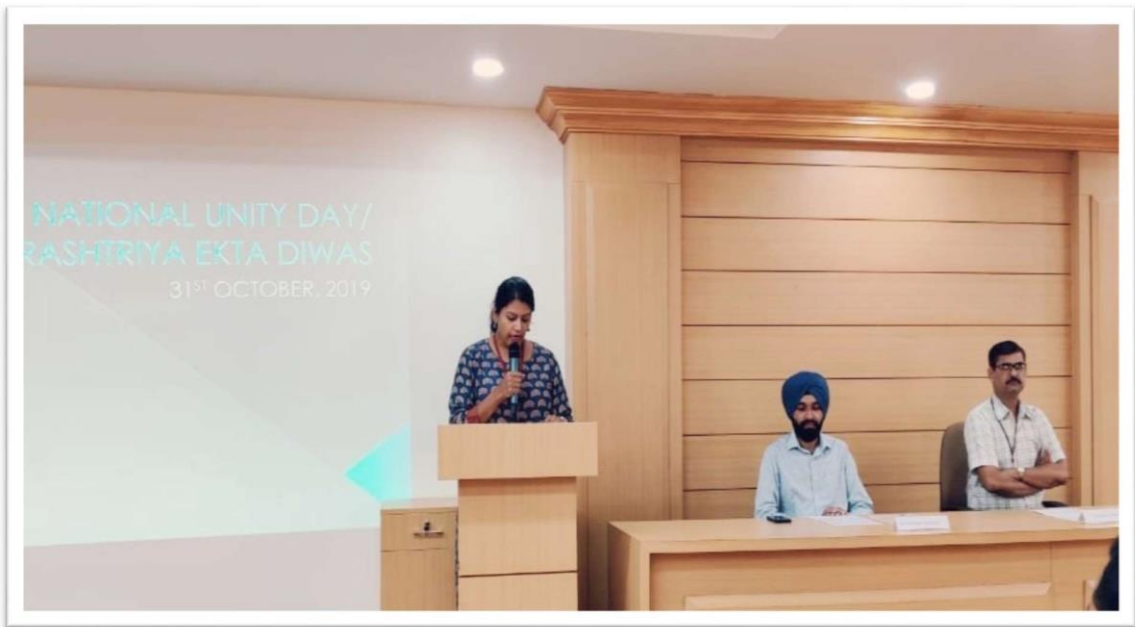
31st October, 2019

Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur a constituent of Symbiosis International (Deemed University), Pune observed the National Unity Day to commemorate the birth anniversary of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel.

Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel played a very important role in the integration of many Indian princely states to make the Indian federation. His dedication for the national integration was completely uncompromising. In order to remember him annually, Rashtriya Ekta Diwas or National Unity Day was introduced by the Government of India in the year 2014. This day was decided and introduced by the Government of India to pay him tribute for his great efforts in uniting India.

Since then every year various programmes are organized by the Government of India to mark the occasion such as run for unity, pledge taking ceremony and march past. Symbiosis Law School Nagpur also honored the commitment of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel by observing National Unity Day in the Institute. The programme was conducted in the Assembly Hall at 10:30 am in the presence of students, faculty members and officials of Institute. The pledge for promoting the Unity & Integrity of our nation was administered by Dr. Sukhvinder Badan Singh Dari, Director, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur to the students and the teaching & non-teaching staff of the Institute. The programme was compared by Ms. Sayalee Surjuse, Assistant Professor, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur.

| SR. NO | PARTICULARS | NUMBER OF PARTICIPATION |
|--------|----------------------|-------------------------|
| 1 | Director | 1 |
| 2 | Teaching members | 6 |
| 3 | Non-teaching members | 7 |
| 4 | Students | 100 |



REPORT ON INTEGRITY PLEDGE AS A PART OF VIGILANCE AWARENESS WEEK

28th October to 2nd November

Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur a constituent of Symbiosis International (Deemed University), Pune observed the Integrity Pledge taking ceremony on 1st November, 2019 as a part of the Vigilance Awareness Week. The Central Vigilance Commission (CVC) observes the Vigilance Awareness Week from 28th October to 2nd November. This is observed every year during the week in which the birth anniversary of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel (31st October) falls. This awareness week campaign is aimed at affirming our commitment towards promotion of integrity and probity in public life through citizen participation. **“Integrity- A way of life”** has been chosen as the theme for the Vigilance Awareness Week this year by the Commission.

As a part of this awareness campaign, all organisations have been advised to conduct activities relevant to the theme both within and outside their respective organizations like the pledge taking ceremony, workshops, debates, etc. To mark the contribution of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur to the mission of Central Vigilance Commission, Integrity Pledge taking ceremony came to be organised.

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REPORT OF LEGAL AWARENESS PROGRAMME CONDUCTED BY LEGAL AID CENTRE OF SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL

23rd October, 2019

Legal Aid Centre, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur conducted legal awareness program on October 23, 2019 at Wathoda village, Aganwadi NMC school, and police station, Wathoda. Awareness program was attended by Legal Aid Centre members and faculty in charge. People were made aware about the availability of Legal Aid Centre at SLS, Nagpur and its details. Members also interacted with the parents of students and gave them an idea about Right to Education law. Members had a discussion with Villagers who shared their legal problems relating to caste certificate and land disputes.

At Wathoda police station, PSI also had an interaction with the students and faculty in charge. He explained the students about various records such as FIR register, charge sheet etc. which they need to keep for the purpose of investigation of any criminal case. He also gave a brief idea about the weapons used by police at different situations. The Visit was organized under the guidance of Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. The visit was conducted under the personal supervision of Dr. Deepti Khubalkar, in charge, Legal Aid Centre. It was a learning experience for the students.





REPORT OF DIWALI CELEBRATIONS AT SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL, NAGPUR

23RD OCTOBER, 2019

It is the tradition of Symbiosis to celebrate all festivals, irrespective of caste, religion or culture. Keeping the tradition and to mark cultural harmony Diwali - the festival of lights was celebrated at SLS, Nagpur on 23rd of October 2019. The festival symbolizes 'the awareness of inner light' and victory of good over evil. It expels spiritual darkness.

The cultural cell organized the Diwali celebration. The entire law school building was lit up with festive and traditional lamps. The college was decorated with flowers and colorful Rangoli. In the evening Laxmi Puja was performed in the presence of Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director SLS Nagpur, staff and students. Sweets were distributed. The staff and students participated with festive enthusiasm.





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नवभारत

जरूरतमंदों को मिलेगी मदद : शुक्रे

सिम्बायोसिस में लीगल एड सेंटर का शुभारंभ

व्यापार प्रतिनिधि

नागपुर. सिम्बायोसिस लॉ कॉलेज (एसएलएस) में बाठोड़ा में लीगल एड सेंटर का शुभारंभ जस्टिस सुनील शुक्रे के हाथों हुआ। इस अवसर पर उन्होंने कहा कि लीगल एड सेंटर से जरूरतमंदों की मदद होगी और उन्हें कानूनी सहायता मिल सकेगी। छात्र भी इसका भरपूर उपयोग कर सकेंगे और इससे जागरूकता लाने में मदद मिलेगी। शुभारंभ अवसर पर अभय मंत्री, सुखबिर दारी प्रमुखता से उपस्थित थे। शुक्रे ने कॉलेज प्रबंधन को बधाई दी और कहा कि इससे क्वालिटी एजुकेशन देने में भी मदद मिलेगी। उन्होंने कहा कि लीगल स्किल के विकास में यह काफी मददगार साबित होगा। छात्र लीगल एड सेंटर के माध्यम से काफी कुछ प्रैक्टिकल हासिल कर सकेंगे। उन्होंने कहा कि इस सेंटर के माध्यम से जरूरतमंदों को मदद की जाएगी।

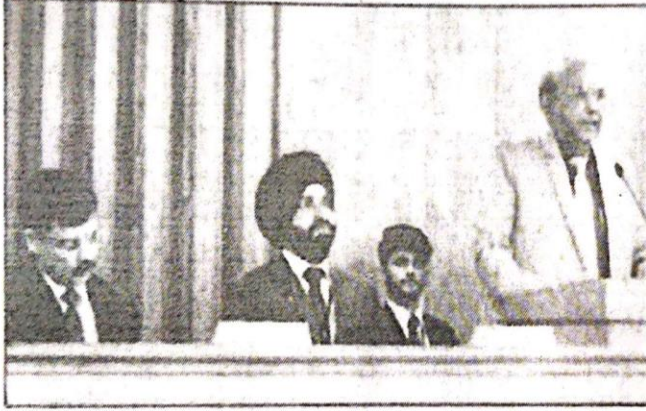


वहीं कैप आयोजित कर समाज को मदद करने का प्रयास भी किया जाएगा। मार्गदर्शक के सहयोग से 30 छात्र लीगल सहायता प्रदान करेंगे। वे अपनी सेवाएं समाज के गरीब तबकों तक पहुंचाएंगे। सेंटर के माध्यम से गांवों में कैप का भी आयोजन किया जाएगा और लोगों को कानून के प्रति जागरूक किया जाएगा। डीएलएसए इसमें मदद करेगा।

सिम्बाँयोसिस शाळेत कायदेशीर सल्ला मदत केंद्र

◆ नागपूर, १२ ऑक्टोबर

सिम्बाँयोसिस विधि शाळा व नागपूर जिल्हा विधि सेवा प्राधिकरण यांच्या संयुक्त विद्यमाने वाठोडास्थित विधि शाळेत शनिवारी मुंबई उच्च न्यायालयाच्या



मार्गदर्शन करताना न्या. सुनील शुक्रे.
बाजूला व्यासपीठावर इतर पदाधिकारी

नागपूर खंडपीठाचे न्या. सुनील शुक्रे यांच्या हस्ते कायदेशीर सल्ला मदत केंद्राचे उद्घाटन करण्यात आले. याप्रसंगी नागपूर जिल्हा व सत्र न्यायालयाचे प्रधान न्या. अभय मंत्री व सिम्बाँयोसिस विधि शाळेचे संचालक डॉ. सुखविंदर बदन सिंग दारी उपस्थित होते.

यावेळी उपस्थितांना मार्गदर्शन करताना न्या. शुक्रे यांनी शाळेने कायदेशीर मदत केंद्राची स्थापना केल्याबद्दल शाळा प्रशासनाचे अभिनंदन केले. तसेच त्यांनी या मदत केंद्राच्या माध्यमातून उत्तम दर्जाचे कायदेशीर शिक्षण उपलब्ध करून देण्याचे आवाहन केले. समाजातील गरजू व गरीब नागरिकांमध्ये कायदेविषयी जनजागृती निर्माण करणे हा मुख्य उद्देश डोळ्यासमोर ठेवून सिम्बाँयोसिस विधि शाळेने या कायदेशीर मदत केंद्राची स्थापना केली असल्याचे प्रास्ताविक भाषणात डॉ. दारी यांनी सांगितले. कार्यक्रमाला विविध पदाधिकारी, शिक्षक व विद्यार्थी मोठ्या संख्येने उपस्थित होते.

◀ (तभा वृत्तसेवा)

SLS Nagpur inaugurates Legal Aid Centre

■ Staff Reporter

THE Legal Aid Centre at Symbiosis Law School (SLS), Nagpur was inaugurated by Justice Sunil Shukre, Judge, Nagpur Bench of Bombay High Court.

Abhay Mantri, Principal District and Session Judge, and President, District Legal Services Authority (DLSA) was guest of honour. Dhanraj Kale, Secretary, DLSA; Dr Sukhvinder Badan Singh Dari, Director, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur; Dr Shrirang Altekar, Director of The Symbiosis Centre for Management Studies (SCM-SN), a constituent of Symbiosis International (Deemed University) in the presence of advocates, teachers and students and other distinguished dignitaries.

Dr Dari, Director of SLS, Nagpur, in his welcome speech pointed the importance of legal aid and how it is important to



Justice Sunil Shukre inaugurating the programme organised for the opening of legal aid centre at Symbiosis Law School. Dr Shrirang Altekar, Dr Sukhvinder Dari, Abhay Mantri and others look on.

inculcate social responsibility in the minds of students. Justice Shukre congratulated the college administration for establishing Legal Aid Centre and providing quality legal education in India. He appreciated the legal aid prac-

tices and efforts made by law school to inculcate legal skills to the learners.

'Legal Aid Centre' of Symbiosis law school, Nagpur is established with an objective to provide legal aid and to impart legal awareness

to needy and poor sections of the society. Through this centre, college aims to provide legal knowledge and literacy by organising legal aid camps and other social outreach programmes.

Legal Aid Centre through constituting a panel consisting of faculty in charge and 30 students offers free legal advice to the indigent people who will come to the centre with their problems.

The legal aid cell also in its action plan proposes to organise legal awareness programmes in the villages in Nagpur district, legal literacy camp on specific subjects such as drafting of application under Right to Information Act, core legal help on case to case basis with the help of lawyers on panel suggested by DLSA. The centre will work in three directions: core legal aid, legal awareness and legal literacy in collaboration of DLSA, Nagpur.

MEDIA COVERAGE FOR INAGUARATION OF SYMBIOSIS INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITIES NAGPUR CAMPUS

'Trained human resource is backbone of any industry'

■ Nagpur Campus of
Symbiosis International
inaugurated

■ Staff Reporter

TRAINED human resource is magnet of any developed world and in fact it is the backbone of any industry. Leadership of Nagpur City kept this factor in mind while inviting leader in nation's education sector of country, Symbiosis Group to set-up their base here, stated Chief Minister Devendra Fadnavis while inaugurating Nagpur Campus at Wathoda on Sunday.

Member of Parliament (MP) from city and Union Minister Nitin Gadkari was also present. Maharashtra Ministers including Sudhir Mungantiwar, Chandrashekhar Bawankule, Vijay Darda, ex-MP, Mayor Nanda Jichkar, MLAs Krishna Khopde, Sudhakar Deshmukh, Sudhakar Kohale were also present at the function. S B Mujumdar, Founder and Chancellor, Symbiosis International (Deemed University), Dr Vidya Yeravdekar, Pro Chancellor, Dr Rajani Gupte, Vice Chancellor, were also seated on the dais.

Elaborating further, Fadnavis



Chief Minister Devendra Fadnavis, Union Minister Nitin Gadkari lighting traditional lamp to mark inauguration of Nagpur Campus of Symbiosis International (Deemed University) at Wathoda in Nagpur on Sunday. Maharashtra Ministers Sudhir Mungantiwar and Chandrashekhar Bawankule, MLA Krishna Khopde, Mayor Nanda Jichkar, S B Majumdar, Dr Vidya Yeravdekar, Dr Rajani Gupte and others look on. (Pic by Satish Raut)

said, "Establishment of world class education facility is first step towards development process. In Pune, education sector evolved first and thereafter came the IT industries and rest is history."

"We are attempting similar feat in Vidarbha by strengthening the education base by inviting well-known universities to help gear up region's youth and make them industry ready. The process of devel-

opment of new airport has also gathered progress and very soon citizens would soon enjoy the fruits of these initiatives by city's leadership, said the Chief Minister further.

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Nagpur will be Cambridge of East: Symbiosys founder

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Nagpur: With the Nagpur campus of Symbiosis International (deemed university) getting formally inaugurated by state CM Devendra Fadnavis and union minister Nitin Gadkari on Sunday, the institute's founder and chancellor SB Mujumdar said Nagpur had the potential to turn into a global education hub. "Our Pune is called 'Oxford of the East'. I think very soon Nagpur will be called Cambridge of the East" said Mujumdar, while acknowledging that the city's campus was one of the best in their group.

The sprawling campus with construction of approximately 13 lakh square feet and spread over 75 acres, has left many awestruck.

Designed by Hafeez Contractor, the institute resembles buildings from any ivy league university from the west and has the facilities to match. Symbiosis' pro chancellor Vidya Yeravdekar said the Nagpur campus' design was the result of a strong suggestion by Gadkari.

"He told me not to construct the building for Pune-kars. This is Nagpur, here people like everything to be grand. And that's how this idea unfolded of having a huge and unique campus," said Yeravdekar.

Gadkari, whose pet project is Symbiosis, said he hopes the institute's entry will stop the brain drain from Nagpur.



Symbiosis International institute was inaugurated on Sunday

Reserve 25% seats for Vidarbha students in Symbiosis: Gadkari

Union minister Nitin Gadkari has asked the Symbiosis management and landowner Nagpur Municipal Corporation to reserve 25% seats in the institute for students from Vidarbha. "Currently only Nagpur students are entitled for this reservation plus discount in tuition fee. State minister Sudhir Mungantiwar suggested to me that we must extend this for students for Vidarbha. I hope that all stakeholders will take this suggestion forward," said Gadkari. TNN

"So many people leave Nagpur for higher education and I think this will stop now. If Symbiosis has already filled up its quota of admissions, and there are students waiting, then it is obvious that the intake capacity needs to be increased.

"We will provide the infrastructure needed for the university to grow. A metro station will come up close by, a cement road is being constructed that's connecting with the ring road, the Sports Authority of India's institute is coming up next door. Soon the ecosystem will be ready in east Nagpur so that high quality education can be imparted to stu-

dents," said Gadkari.

CM Fadnavis said that Symbiosis was indeed the dream project of Gadkari. "We both worked on this dream and today it has become a reality. Usually people are of the opinion that good institutes will come up in a city only if big ticket investments from industry happen in the vicinity. That's completely wrong. Gadkari and I believe that only if good quality institutes are present in a city, will big ticket investments be done by corporates. Human resources is the most valued commodity in today's world and that's what institutes like Symbiosis will create," said Fadnavis.

MEDIA COVERAGE FOR PRESS CONFERENCE

With thrust on quality teaching, Symbiosis to get functional on 28th

■ Principal Correspondent

THE way it selects its faculty, shows what kind of classic pedagogy it applies in its institutes. Teachers are selected on the basis of their demos, feedback from students which is maintained throughout the year. This is the reason Symbiosis



Vidya Yeravdekar

International (Deemed University) has established its uniqueness. It will get functional from city on July 28. Any educational institute earns its name on the basis of its teaching quality so has Symbiosis. Dr Vidya Yeravdekar, its Pro-Chancellor attributes the credit generously to Dr Bhama Venkatramani, Dean, Academics and Administration Symbiosis International University.

Symbiosis has already left behind



the assessment that National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) does. Now they are eyeing on national and international ranking. It is among top 7 institutes assessed by National Institutional Ranking Framework (NIRF) and first among private law schools.

After earning big name, Symbiosis has come on the land of Nagpur at Wathoda. Its Pro-Chancellor Dr Vidya

Yeravdekar has rightly observed the slow development in East Nagpur where Symbiosis got the land.

That's why while addressing the press conference at Hotel Centre Point on Friday, she said, "Everywhere it is a general scenario, little more attention is paid for the development of Western part and Nagpur is no exception. But with the presence of

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With thrust on quality teaching, Symbiosis gets functional on 28th

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Symbiosis, the growth of East Nagpur too will get a momentum."

There is a good news for Nagpurians, unlike other national top institutes, Symbiosis is offering 25 per cent seats to Nagpur domiciled candidates and also 15 per cent concession in its tuition fees. Around 10 lakh square feet has been constructed on 75 acres of land and the organisation has spent over Rs 400 crore. Campus comprises academic and administrative buildings, residential blocks for 900 students, faculty quarters, guest house, auditorium having seating capacity of 1,000 audience, etc.

Symbiosis started its operation with four schools -- Symbiosis Institute of Business Management (SIBM), Symbiosis Centre for Management Studies (SCMS), Symbiosis Law School and Symbiosis School of Planning, Architecture and Design (SSPAD). "We did not have Architecture Institute anywhere not even in our

Intake capacity

| Courses | Intake |
|---------|--------|
| SIBM | 180 |
| SCMS | 120 |
| SLS | 240 |
| LLM | 20 |
| SSPAD | 40 |
| B.Arch | 60 |
| Total | 680 |

Pune campus. Nagpur is the city where we have introduced it for the first time," said Dr Yeravdekar.

For placement which is Unique Selling Point (USP) of Symbiosis there is Dr Shrirang Altekar, Director of SIBM and SCMS who has good connection in top companies. He said, "Institute aspires to redefine management education with its eminent faculty and strong alumni support with a strong thrust on building capability and creating value for all its stakeholders."

Dr Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director of SLS explained in detail

about the law courses. He said, "We have LLM programme which has its emphasis on an interdisciplinary and global approach in the study of law and research orientation." Others who were present in the press conference include Dr R Raman, Dean, Faculty of Management, SIU; Dr Sindhu, Director, SSPAD and Dr Arney Yeravdekar, Off Campus in-charge.

Inauguration on Sunday

SYMBIOSIS International University Campus will be inaugurated on Sunday, July 28 at 11 am at Wathoda in presence of Chief Minister of Maharashtra Devendra Fadnavis, Union Minister Nitin Gadkari, Forest Minister Sudhir Mungantiwar, Guardian Minister Chandrashekhar Bawankule, Vijay Darda, ex-Rajya Sabha Member, Mayor Nanda Ichkar. Dr S B Mujumdar, Chancellor, Symbiosis International University; Dr Vidya Yeravdekar Pro-Chancellor; Dr Rajani Gupte, Vice Chancellor will remain present.

**MEDIA COVERAGE FOR LEGAL AWAREBESS
PROGRAMME CONDUCTED BY LEGAL AID CENTRE
OF SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL, NAGPUR**

Symbiosis Legal Aid Centre holds legal awareness programme

■ Staff Reporter

LEGAL Aid Centre, Symbiosis Law School (SLS) conducted legal awareness program at Wathoda village, Aganwadi NMC school, and police station, Wathoda. Awareness program was attended by legal aid centre members and faculty in charge. People were informed about availability of legal aid centre at SLS, Nagpur and its details. Members also interacted with the parents of students and gave them an idea about Right to Education law. Members had a discussion with villagers who shared their legal problems relating to caste certificate and land disputes.

At Wathoda police station, PI Bapu Dhere also had an interaction with the students and faculty in charge.

Dr Khubalkar informed him about the legal aid centre at symbiosis where the legal help can be provided to all who can not afford legal representation. He also gave a brief idea about the weapons used by police at different situations.

The visit was organised under the guidance of Dr Sukhvinder



Dr Deepti Khubalkar with students at Wathoda Police Station.
(Below) Students interacting with the children of Wathoda village.



Singh Dari, Director, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. The visit was conducted under the personal

supervision of Dr Deepti Khubalkar, In-charge, Legal Aid Centre.

MEDIA COVERAGE FOR 1ST INTRA-COLLEGE MOOT
COURT COMPETITION OF SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL,
NAGPUR



Moot court competition at Symbiosis Law School

Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur (SLS-N), conducted its first intra-college moot court competition. The competition sought to test the oratory and



research skills of the **53 participating teams** which were judged by lawyers **Ritesh Tahiliyani**, Suyog Deshpande, **Anubhav Mardikar**, Ritesh Badhe, **Harnish Gadhia**, Kuldeep Mahalle, **Deoul Pathak**, Chinmay Dharmadhikari and **Sahil Dewani**, besides **Dipti Khubalkar**, faculty at SLS-N. The judges were welcomed by **Sukhvinder Badan Singh Dari**, director, SLS-N and faculty in-charge of the moot court association of the institute. **Aditee Godbole**, faculty in-charge of moot court association, and the teachers of **SLS-N** thanked the lawyers for their contribution.

SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL, NAGPUR

INTERNSHIP REPORT

Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur has vigorous career mentoring and counselling program that encompasses not only the Placement Cell but the faculty members from all the areas of practice, assisting the students in identifying their areas of focus and appreciating different career paths while making the apt selection for themselves. This process involves a lot of grooming and understanding the attitudes and the bent of young minds which begins in their regular classes and internships.

During their internship period, students take up the Project Work that imparts significant learning. The students have to be in touch with their concerned faculty members as well as mentors at their workplace, hence their progress can be guided and monitored properly.

The life of a law student is very hectic. While pursuing their academic studies, if they engage in an internship, it helps them in understanding the other side of the coin, i.e., make them acquainted with the actualities, which somewhere down the line assist them in achieving their objectives in life, along with understanding the workings of the society. Gaining practical knowledge and experience as to know what has been the attitude of society towards the law is an essential, which every law student must master. This can be experienced only by engaging oneself persistently with the society and the best way of achieving this is to intern with an NGO.

Hence an overwhelming number of students about 55% interned at a NGOs like RLEK, JHALSA etc. while about 24% decided to pursue their internships with various law firms. The majority of the remaining students decided to pursue internships with leading Advocates and the remaining students went to Corporates for completion of their internships.

Few of the NGOs where the students pursued their internship are listed below;

Rural Litigation & Entitlement Kendra (RLEK)

PUCL, Rajasthan

The Hope Foundation Limited, Kolkata

Praja Foundation, Mumbai

Zero Gravity, Nagpur

Vanashakti, Mumbai

Saikripa NGO, Noida

Pratham Delhi education Initiative Trust, Delhi

Mashal NGO

Manas (NGO), Bihar

Jhalsa, Ranchi

Jananeethi Institute, Kerala, India

Disha (NGO), Amravti, Maharashtra

Chetanalaya, Delhi

Aarohan, New Delhi

Angan, Mumbai

Association for Advocacy and Legal Initiatives (AALI), Lucknow

INTER COLLEGIAL FACULTY DIALOGUE AT SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL, NAGPUR

Date:- 14th December, 2019.

Inspired by the ideals of '**Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam**', and with all-encompassing reason for developing healthy individual and institutional collaborative relationships for imparting quality legal education to the law aspirants, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur, a constituent of Symbiosis International (Deemed University), Pune organized an **Inter Collegial Faculty Dialogue** at its Wathoda Campus, Nagpur on 14th December, 2019.

This clarion call by SLS Nagpur for inculcating more professionalism in legal education, received very good response from the legal institutions in and around Nagpur region. RTMNU's Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar College of Law, Dr. Ambedkar College, Deekshabhoomi, G.H. Raisonni Law School, Govindrao Wanjari College of Law, Shantaram Potdukhe College of Law, Chandrapur (Gondwana University), G.H. Raisonni University, Saikheda was prominently represented by their Principals, Dean, Head of the Department and the senior faculty members.

The meeting moderated by the Director, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, discussed important agendas including the Faculty Development Program, Research Collaboration & Guidance, Faculty exchange program, Student exchange program, Organization of seminar, conferences and Workshops etc., Developing a social networking/Intellectual forum and sharing the best practices of the institutions. The meeting was very well received by the delegates and after a healthy round of discussion, the delegates explored the possibilities of conducting faculty development and exchange programme, student exchange programme along with developing the all-important inter institutional research collaboration. The initiative by Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur can be seen as a progressive step towards improving the quality of legal education and infusing more professionalism, which is one of the primary objectives of Legal Education.



Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur addressing the faculties of LAW College on the occasion of Faculty meet.



Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur felicitating Faculties.



LAW Faculties around Nagpur Region.

“CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION”

December 25, 2019

Christmas Day & New Year Celebration in Symbiosis Law School Nagpur.

On 25th of December, Symbiosis Law school celebrated both Christmas and New Year. Christmas is the season of joy, holiday greetings exchanged, gift-giving, and families getting united. The Christmas celebrations took place in the college campus on 25th December 2019. On Christmas day, a special mass was conducted in the college chapel. The celebrations included a rhythmic performance from the college choir and an add-on surprise package by Santa Claus. The staff and students were completely spellbound with the Christmas gratification and the day was called off with a Cake cutting & Snaks.





Report on Judge Scholar's on Residence

Guest Lecture by Former Justice Shri. Rohee, High Court of Bombay.

Date: 27/12/2019

Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur organized a guest lecture of former High Court Judge, Hon'ble Shri K.J. Rohee on Basic features of Indian Constitution and Constitutional history on 27th December 2019 at Moot Court hall, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. The lecture was organized under the program of *Judges on Residence*. This program is an unique idea to practically train the students of college where sitting and retired judges are invited to interact with students on various subjects relating to law. Justice Rohee guided the students in a very engaging manner. In his speech the central message was the importance of salient features of Constitution in modern time. The lecture was very informative and will definitely help the students to understand the subject more accurately.

The program was attended by students of BA.LL.B. and BBA LL.B. and teachers of Symbiosis Law School. Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director, SLS, Nagpur welcomed the guest. The program was conducted and organized by Dr. Deepti Khubalkar, Asst. Professor, SLS, Nagpur. Dr. Sachin Tripathi, Asst. Professor, SLS, Nagpur also helped in organizing the program.





Report of Legal Awareness Program at Kharbi, Nagpur

December 30th, 2019

Legal Aid Centre at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur conducted legal awareness program at Kharbi, Nagpur. People of the area were informed about the solid waste and its disposal, importance of segregation of waste for the purpose of recycling and plastic ban. Related provisions in law in vernacular language were discussed with the people.





Report of Literary week organised by Debate and Literary Cell of Symbiosis Law school, Nagpur.

The commencement of the new semester also brought with it the commencement of the Preparation of the First Ever Literary week of **Symbiosis Law school, Nagpur**. Members of the Literary Cell and other students alike were brimming with enthusiasm for the same.

It was a two-day event.

DAY 1 OF THE EVENT January 2,2020

On the first day of the Literary Week, **Symbiosis Nagpur** was honoured to welcome Dr. Supantha Bhattacharya. He was felicitated by the faculty in charge Dr. Nuzhat Fatima Rizvi.

Dr. Bhattacharya is an associate professor and PHD supervisor in Hislop College, Nagpur.

He is a renowned Theatre artist having acted in over 150 plays in English, Hindi, Marathi and Bengali. He conducted an orientation seminar on Law and Theatre which was enjoyed thoroughly by the students. A full moot court hall was the evidence for the same.

The event was co hosted by the student Co-ordinator Shambhavi Sharma.

DAY 2 OF THE EVENT JANUARY 6,2020

On the second day, Debate and literary cell organised an extempore competition titled pick a chit.

The event witnessed the participation of more than 50 students. It was conducted in two venues that is the moot court hall and the assembly hall. It was quite heart warming to see students passionately sharing their views on contemporary issues. Dr. Salu D Souza, Dr. Nikhil Polke, Prof. Aditee Godbole and Prof. Saylee Surjuse judged the extempore.

The entire event was possible under the aid and guidance of Sukhvinder Singh Dari, the impeccable planning skills of Dr. Nuzhat Fatima Rizvi and the dedicated efforts of the student members of the Debate and Literary Cell.





GUEST LECTURE ON “An Introduction to the Corporate Law Practice”

January 04th, 2020

The Placement Cell of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur has organized the Guest Lecture on “**An Introduction to the Corporate Law Practice**” on 04th January, 2020 at the Moot Court Hall.

Ms. Anubha Sital, Partner, Indus Law Firm was invited as the resource person.

Ms. Anubha Sital was welcomed and felicitated by Dr. Deepti Khubalkar, Assistant Professor, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur with a memento. Ms. Anubha Sital advises a range of clients across a variety of sectors, including ecommerce, education, technology, publishing, real estate, energy and infrastructure and renewable energy in relation to general corporate advisory, investment advisory, acquisitions, private equity and venture capital investments, competition law, foreign direct investment policy, corporate restructuring, debt structuring and company law.

During her session Ms. Anubha Sital answered a number of doubts of students for approaching Law Firms for Internships and highlighted the expectations of the Law Firms and further elaborated on ‘How to Deliver’ on these expectations. The session on General Drafting Skills was particularly engaging for students on Presentations, Publications and Agreements. She later went ahead with Breaking Down the Corporate Law Practice followed by explanation on the Transaction Flow. The Guest speaker appreciated the curiosity and keenness of the students. The lecture ended with the vote of thanks proposed by Dr. Deepti Khubalkar, Assistant Professor, Symbiosis Law School.



REPORT OF LEGAL AWARENESS PROGRAM AT NANDANVAN, NAGPUR

January 06, 2020 and January 07, 2020

Legal Aid Centre at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur conducted **Legal Awareness Program** at Nandanvan, Nagpur. Road side vendors were made aware about the food safety Rules, 2011. They were also informed about the procedural requirement for the registration under the food safety laws. During the survey, it was found that, many of the vendors are unregistered and even not aware about it.

Member students along with faculty in charge Dr. Deepti Khubalkar conducted the awareness program with great enthusiasm. Before the program students prepared few questionnaire relating to the subject. People of the vicinity were also informed about the working time and purpose of the Legal Aid Centre at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. The program was conducted under the guidance of Dr. Sukhvindar Singh Dari, Director, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur.





GUEST LECTURE ON “Will what I do in law school matter in building a successful career in law?”

January 11th, 2020

The Placement Cell of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur has organized the Guest Lecture on **“Will what I do in law school matter in building a successful career in law?”** on 11th January, 2020 at the Moot Court Hall. Mr. Ramesh K. Vaidyanathan - Managing Partner, Advaya Legal was invited as the Guest Speaker.

Mr. Ramesh K. Vaidyanathan was welcomed and felicitated by Dr. Sachin Tripathi, Assistant Professor, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur with a memento. Ramesh K. Vaidyanathan is the Founder and Managing Partner of the firm, Advaya Legal. He is a general corporate lawyer with varied experience in M&A, joint ventures, projects and infrastructure, aviation and franchising. Before founding Advaya, Ramesh had the opportunity to be in private practice as the Partner of a large law firm and the General Counsel of a large Indian infrastructure company. During his initial private practice stint, Ramesh specialised on all aspects of corporate law. He helped set up several international companies in India, which involved advice on aspects such as company formation, joint venture documentation, regulatory approvals, lease of premises and employee agreements.

Mr. Ramesh K. Vaidyanathan commenced his session by stressing on the fact that Law school prepares you to think, write and research like a lawyer but further pointed that a whole new skills sets are required once you are at the doors of a law firm or courtroom. Given the significant weightage put on attending the classes Mr. Ramesh Vaidyanathan quoted Thomas Jefferson, “Ninety-five percent of the work in law school is just showing up.” He further stressed on the fact that the lawyers need to stay updated through Newspaper, Legal Journals, Politics, Business News. He pointed out the significance of Research and Analysis in Case files and important articles. He also discussed how communication skills is the founding strength of a lawyer. He further discussed on creative problem solving and enhancing soft- skills. He also discussed about internships, attending the court and the importance of networking. Students found their interaction with the The Guest speaker appreciated the inquisitiveness and curiosity of the students. The lecture ended with the vote of thanks proposed by Dr. Sachin Tripathi, Assistant Professor, Symbiosis Law School.

Workshop on Intellectual Property Rights in collaboration with Rajiv Gandhi National Institute of Intellectual Property Management

11th January 2020

Centre for Intellectual Property Rights and Advocacy, symbiosis Law School, Nagpur organized one-day workshop on Intellectual Property Rights in collaboration with Rajiv Gandhi National Institute of Intellectual Property Management on 11th January 2020 at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. The purpose of the organizing of such event was to introduce first year students about Intellectual Property Rights.

The workshop was inaugurated by Hon'ble Judge Shri Atul Chandurkar, Judge Bombay High Court as Chief Guest and Shri Pankaj Borkar, RGNIPM as Guest of Honour at 10 AM. Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director, Symbiosis Law school, Nagpur welcomed the guests. Hon'ble Judge Shri Chandurkar, during his speech explained the terms copyright, trademark, patent etc. and its importance in modern time. Shri Borkar, highlighted various cases and explained Intellectual Property rights and its importance in advocacy. He praised college for holding this event.

Technical session on fundamentals of IPR was addressed by Dr. Payal Thaoray, Assistant Professor, PGTD, RTM Nagpur University, Nagpur. In her session she covered fundamentals of Copy right, Patent, Trademark, Design law, Geographical Indication etc.

Dr. Ushoshi Guha, IPR Agent, Nagpur highlighted the commercial aspect of IPR in technical session II. She spoke about procedure of patent filing, requirements, criterion for trademark, domain name etc.

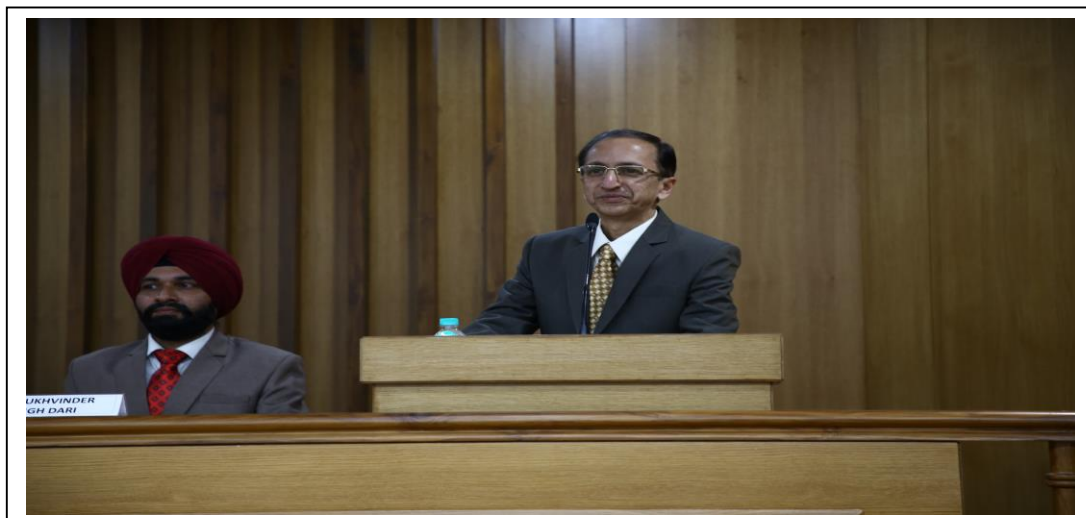
Dr. Khubalkar expressed vote of thanks at the end of the workshop.

Students of SLS, Nagpur and other colleges attended the workshop with enthusiasm. About 240 students and invitees participated in the workshop. The workshop was organized by Dr. Deepti Khubalkar, Assistant Professor, SLS, Nagpur and In Charge of CIPRA cell with the help of its member students and under the guidance of Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director, SLS, Nagpur.



Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur with the Guest Speaker Hon'ble Judge Shri Atul Chandurkar

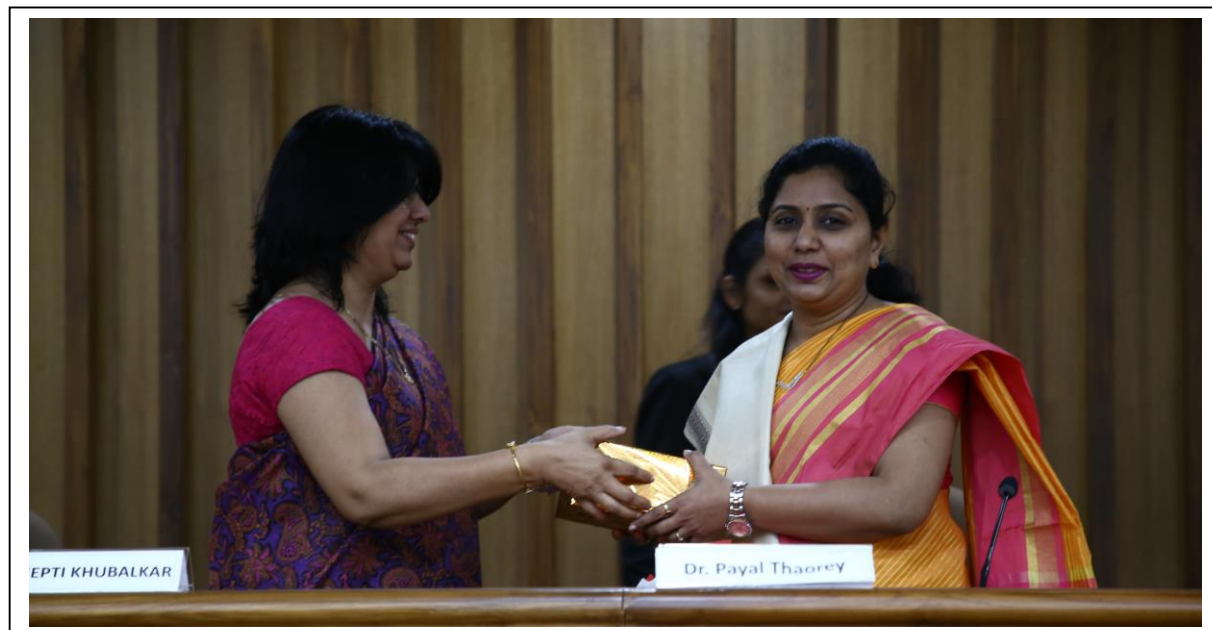




Hon'ble Judge Shri Atul Chandurkar, Judge Bombay High Court

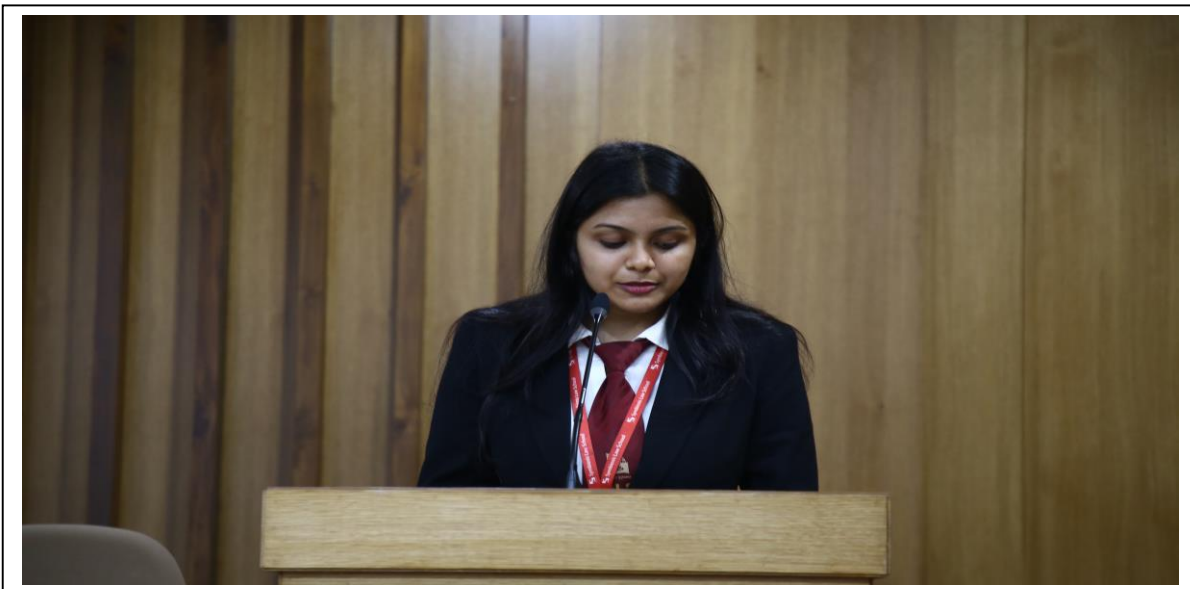


Dr. Ushoshi Guha interacting with student



Dr. Deepti Khubalkar, Faculty, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur felicitating Dr. Payal Thaorey, Assistant Professor, PGTD, RTM Nagpur University, Nagpur





Student proposing Vote of Thanks

Symbiosis Law School Nagpur celebrates India's 71st Republic Day

Date- 26/01/2020.

Symbiosis Law School Nagpur hosted the celebrations for India's 71st Republic day at the Symbiosis International University Campus Nagpur. All the four institutions in the campus namely Symbiosis Institute of Business Management, Symbiosis Centre for Management Studies, Symbiosis Law School Nagpur, and Symbiosis School for Planning Architecture and Design joined for the celebrations of the Republic Day.

The day's proceedings started with the hoisting of the tri color by Mr. Gaurav Sharma and Ms. Ashwini, the respective toppers of SLS and SIBM Nagpur, accompanied by the Directors of the respective institutions, the deputy Director of SSPAD (Symbiosis School of Planning Architecture and Design) and the Campus Administrator of the SIU Nagpur campus.

The opening address of the day was given by Dr Shirang Altekar, Director SIBM and SCMS Nagpur. He stressed on the importance of the values of "*Vasudheiva Kutumbhakam*" (the world is one family), the guiding principle of Symbiosis. Dr Altekar also highlighted the importance of rights and duties and how we as citizens of this country should be responsible enough in our attitude towards our motherland.

Dr Sukhvinder Singh Dari, director SLS then highlighted the importance of the republic day, and how it was the culmination of a long-fought battle of blood and sacrifice which finally gave to us, this Constitution. He stressed on the need to respect the constitution and the judiciary for the development of the nation.

The importance of respecting the armed forces who spend their entire lives defending the borders of the country was something that was talked about in detail by Dr Nandini Kulkarni, Deputy Director SSPAD.

Then began the cultural events scheduled for the day, started off by an energetic display of dance by the students of SLS. Through the course of the next 2 hours, the students of the 4 institutions, presented before the audience, their love for the nation through the medium of music, dance and drama. The festivities of the day were wrapped up by brig. Ratnaparkhi, who proposed a final vote of thanks, thanking SLS for their efforts in making the event a grand success. It was followed by the serving of refreshments to the students and staff at the SLS building.

The event was anchored by Mr. Saikat Mukherjee and Ms. Aanice Thomas, students of SLS Nagpur. On behalf of SLS Nagpur, the celebrations were organized by the cultural cell of the college, under the guidance and inspiration of the Director, Dr Sukhvinder Singh Dari. Mrs. Sneha Meshram coordinated the event.



Flag hosting by the students of SLS and SIBM. Nagpur



Dr.Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur.addressing the students on the Republic





REPORT

“SARAMBH” SPORT EVENT

16th Jan 2020 to 19th Jan 2020

Symbiosis Law school Nagpur has its tradition to focus on all round development of its students, accordingly enthusiastic students from Symbiosis Law school Nagpur participated in “**SARAMBH**” Inter University Fest, Organized by Maharashtra National Law University Nagpur. from 16th Jan 2020 to 19th Jan 2020.

The event saw participation from many colleges across the country.

Students from Symbiosis Law school, Nagpur participated in event like football, cricket, badminton, table tennis etc.

The students brought laurels to the college by bagging various ranks in different events.

Mr. Niwas Niranjana, Mr. Paritosh Singh got Gold Medal in men's *Badminton Team* Competition and Secured First Position.

Miss. Sanjana Sapra, Miss. Gayatri Chanchani, Miss. Riddhi Mukewar got Silver Medal in Women Badminton Competition Secured and Second Position.

Mr. Krishna Jaiswal & Miss. Arya Utkarshani got Bronze Medal in Mixed Badminton Competition and Secured Third Position.

Mr. Najeeb Din, Mr. Gaurav Sahgal, Mr. Aryan Ghosalkar, Mr. Prabhav Mehrotra, Mr. Dhruv Kalantri got Silver Medal in men's Table Tennis Competition and Secured Second Position.

Dr. Sukhvindar Singh Dari, Director SLS Nagpur Motivated the Participants and Congratulated the winners of the events. Mr Rahul Mankar and Mr. Hemant Titarmare, Staff SLS Nagpur coordinated the event Participation.



Dr. Sukhvindar Singh Dari, Director SLS Nagpur Congratulates Winners of Badminton
Team for Gold Medal



Mr. Niwas Niranjana, Mr. Paritosh Singh got Gold Medal in men's *Badminton*
Team Competition and Secured First Position



Miss Riddhi Mukewar got Silver Medal in Women Badminton Competition and Securing Second Position.





Mr. Najeeb Din got Silver Medal in men Table Tennis Competition and Secured Second Position.



SLS Cricket Team

Congratulations



Mr. Niwas Niranjana, Mr. Paritosh Singh got Gold Medal in men's *Badminton Team* Competition and Secured First Position in “SARAMBH” SPORT EVENT.

Miss. Sanjana Sapra, Miss. Gayatri Chanchani, Miss. Riddhi Mukewar got Silver Medal in Women Badminton Competition Secured and Second Position in “SARAMBH” SPORT EVENT.

Report On National Level Cultural Fest - Symbhav 2020

Symbiosis Law School Nagpur has been carrying forward the legacy of Symbiosis International Deemed University in formidable terms. It believes in the all round development of its students and provides suitable platforms to its students to facilitate their holistic growth. In view of its tradition, the students of SLS Nagpur participated in **National Level Cultural Fest - Symbhav 2020**

Symbhav is a cultural extravaganza that is annually hosted by Symbiosis Law School, Pune. It was started in the year 2009 and has been going on ever since. This year, the theme of the fest was “A leap into the Future” whereby all events of the cultural festival were centered on this theme. This event is organized by the students with the guidance of the teaching and non-teaching staff of SLS, Pune. Students not just from Pune, but from all over India take part in this festival from all backgrounds of studies; be it law, architecture, engineering, or any other stream from various prestigious colleges. This year, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur had also taken part in this prestigious event with a contingent of over 35 students taking part in various activities of the fest. This event was hosted from 28th February to 1st March, 2020. Three staff members accompanied the contingent to SLS, Pune. All the arrangements with respect to travel booking and boarding was made by the college for the students.

Some of the activities on 28th of February were **Chess, Battle of Bands, Fashion Show, General Quiz, Creative Writing, Model United Nations**, Chuggathon, Poster Making, Face Painting, Mono Advocacy, Client counseling, Group & Solo dance, PUBG, etc.

1st March, 2020 was the final day where mostly the finals of each event took place along with **Treasure hunt, Street Play, War of DJs, Lip Sync, Slam Poetry, Stock Exchange, Best Manager, and Photography.**

Along with these events, the organizers also had a treat for all participants attending. On each night, concerts were organized where even the outside public was allowed. **Artists like Gurbax, Gully Gang, and Ritviz performed in the fest, which was one of the highlights of the whole fest.** All these events had taken place in the SLS, Pune, campus.

The students from SLS Nagpur also made their presence felt in the Cultural Fest and bagged various positions in different events.

The winners from SLS, Nagpur were –

VineetSinha – 1st in Chuggathon and 2nd in Huggathon.

Treasure hunt 2nd prize. Participants were – Vineet Sinha, Aditi Uttamani, Paritosh Singh, Aryan Rawal and Krishna Jaiswal.

Lip sync battle 2nd prize. Participants were Pritika Ruth and Priyadarshini Aarya.

All the participants from SLS, Nagpur whole-heartedly thanked, **Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director, SLS Nagpur** for giving opportunity to attend a very memorable and well organized fest, complete with travel and lodging provided to the students, free of cost. It also gave students a lot of exposure and learning experience. Dr Nuzhat Rizvi, faculty in charge, Cultural Cell coordinated the event participation. Ms Sneha Meshram , coordinator, worked hard along with the committee members for the event.



Report on National Cultural Fest

SYMINARET'20

Symbiosis Law School Nagpur has been carrying forward the legacy of Symbiosis International Deemed University in formidable terms. It believes in the all round development of its students and provides suitable platforms to its students to facilitate their holistic growth. In view of its tradition, the students of SLS Nagpur participated in National Level Cultural Fest - SYMINARET'20.

Symbiosis Law School, Hyderabad organized the third edition of its Annual Cultural Fest- 'Syminaret' on 6th and 7th March 2020. There were many cultural events conducted which included group dances, solo dances, fashion show and much more. The students of Symbiosis Law School Nagpur participated with great enthusiasm in various events. Two staff members accompanied the contingent of 35 students to SLS, Hyderabad. All the arrangements with respect to travel booking and boarding was made by the college for the students.

On the first day of the fest were the preliminary rounds for fashion show, solo dance and group dances. The students of Symbiosis Law School qualified and entered the semi finals in all **the 3 events**. The students also performed very well in the solo singing and duet competition. **Mercy Jane a student of Symbiosis Law School Nagpur won the first prize in 'Khyali Pulav'** which was a story telling competition. She also received a cash prize. **Tanmay Sharma a student of SLS Nagpur came second in 'Drushyam'** which was a photography competition. He also helped in capturing the students performing well in their competitions. **The fashion after being qualified for semi-finals gave a bewildering performance and got qualified for finals. Arya Kailabag and Sharanya Tripathi who were the solo dancers also qualified for finals.** The first night ended with a comedy night which was a cherry on top. The next day was the finals for all the events. Although the team could not secure the first position, they however performed with utmost enthusiasm. This was a great learning experience for all the students as we learnt as to how a team should work and help each other. Our colleagues at Symbiosis Law School, Hyderabad were very helpful during the stay there. They were provided with the finest accommodation during our stay.

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REPORT ON

1st NATIONAL ESSAY WRITING COMPETITION

on

ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE

Organized by

**CENTRE FOR ENVIRONMENTAL LAW AND POLICY
SLS NAGPUR**

and

**DEBATE AND LITERARY CELL
SLS NAGPUR**

The Centre for Environmental Law and Policy along with the Debate and Literary Cell at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur announces its First National Essay Writing Competition on the topic ***“Environmental Justice”***.

The subthemes of the competition were

1. *Role of Law and Governance in securing Climate Justice*
2. *Environmental Democracy: The necessity for developing Sustainable Societies.*
3. *Waste trafficking: Impact and Challenges*
4. *Should Ecological Entities like Rivers and Forest be considered as Legal Persons?*
5. *Right to Grow in Healthy Environment : Reality or Discourse?*

The information about the event was posted on Law Octopus on 28/07/2019 and e-mails were also sent to the prominent educational institutions across the country. The event received an overwhelming response from across the country and total **138** entries were received from various disciplines like medicine, agriculture, health sciences, social sciences, the majority of them were from law.

The essays were thoroughly evaluated by the experienced faculty member of SLS Nagpur along with the plagiarism check with the *Turnitin Software*. From and out of the 138 entries, three best were selected and has been ranked as 1st, 2nd & 3rd Respectively.

Mr. Sahaj Veer Baweja & Ms. Gunjan Singh from Rajiv Gandhi National Law University, Patiala secured the First Position (cash prize of Rs. 8000/-)

Ms. Saloni Shrivastava & Mr. Nikhil Pandey from National Law University, Jodhpur secured the Second Position (Cash Prize of Rs. 5000/-)

Ms. Jagriti Sanghi from National University of Advanced Legal Studies, Kochi secured the Third Position (Cash Prize of Rs. 3500/-)

All the participants have been provided an e-certificate for participating in this event. The receipt of certificate has been acknowledged by the participants as well and all are looking forward for future events from SLS Nagpur.

REPORT OF '1ST NATIONAL MOOT COURT COMPETITION- 2020'

ORGANISED BY MOOT COURT ASSOCIATION

31ST JANUARY – 2ND FEBRUARY, 2020

The Moot Court Association of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur organized its maiden National Moot Court Competition from 31 January, 2020 to 2nd February, 2020. The competition witnessed enthusiastic participation from 20 teams across countries. The Competition was inaugurated by the hands of Dr. Siddharthavinayaka P. Kane, VC, RTM Nagpur University, Nagpur and Advocate Firdos Mirza on 31st January, 2020. The preliminary rounds and the quarter-final round of the Competition were held on 1st February, 2020. The Semi-final Round and Final Round were held on 2nd February, 2020 in the Moot Court Hall at SLS, Nagpur. The final round was followed by the Valedictory Ceremony. Dr. Dilip Ukey, VC, Maharashtra National Law University, Mumbai, Advocate Sampath Bulusu General Manager, Legal & Corporate Affairs, Shell Hazira LNG and Ports and Dr. Tarun Arora Dean, Central University of Punjab graced the occasion as Chief Guest and Guests of Honour respectively. Christ University, Bangalore won the 1st National Moot Court Competition- 2020 along with the Best Memorial Award. Ms. Monisa Mohanty of SVKM'S NMIMS won the Best Speaker Award. The team from Dr. Ambedkar College, Deekshabhoomi were declared Runners-up.



NMCC 2020 Inauguration Ceremony - On Dias Adv. Firdos Mirza, Dr S.P.Kane, Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Miss. Aditee Godbole







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Presents

1st NATIONAL CASE ANALYSIS COMPETITION

Organized by

**CENTRE FOR ENVIRONMENTAL LAW AND POLICY
SLS NAGPUR**

The Centre for Environmental Law and Policy at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur announces its First National Case Analysis Competition on the theme of “*Environmental Law*”.

Case for Analysis

KARNAIL SINGH AND OTHERS ..vs.. STATE OF HARYANA

2019 SCC OnLine P&H 704,

Submission Guidelines

1. The Competition is open to all the Undergraduate and Postgraduate Students of law, enrolled in any recognized institution/University in India.
2. The participants must submit an attested copy of their students Identity Card/bonafide certificate along with their submission.
3. The case analysis must be submitted in English language only and must be in Microsoft Word Format (.doc/.docx). The submission in any other language and format will be rejected summarily.
4. Only one submission per author is permitted. *Co-authorship is not permitted.*
5. All entries should include a cover page specifying name of the author, institutional affiliation, course and year of study, e-mail address and contact number.
6. Any identifying information should not be mentioned anywhere in the text of the analysis and violation of the same shall lead to immediate disqualification.
7. The analysis must be original and unpublished work of the authors. It should not be under consideration for publication or in a contest elsewhere.
8. Plagiarism of any nature will attract immediate disqualification.
9. The suggested word limit for the analysis is 3500 words inclusive of citations.

Formatting Guidelines

1. The submission should be typed in Times New Roman, Font Size-12, Line Spacing-1.5, and Justified.
2. The footnotes must be typed in Times New Roman, Font Size-10 and Line Spacing-1.
3. The margins should be 1 inch or 2.54 cm on all sides.
4. Every citation must follow the Harvard Bluebook, 20th Edition.

NO REGISTRATION FEES

Submission Procedure

1. There is no hard copy submission.
2. The submissions must be sent by email to newc@slnagpur.edu.in with the subject "Submission for The SLS NAGPUR Case Analysis Competition on Environmental Law".
3. The deadline for submission is 11:59 pm :- **10TH March, 2020**
4. Date of declaration of result is :- **20TH March, 2020**
5. ***There is no registration fee for the competition.***

Evaluation Criteria

The write-up would be evaluated in terms of

- Comprehension of the underlying essence of the case
- Research undertaken in term of precedents found and cited
- Writing Skills in terms of content, logical sequencing, innovative ideas, language and grammar.

Prizes

1. Prizes
 - a. 1st place - Rs. 5000 /-
 - b. 2nd place - Rs. 3000 /-
 - c. 3rd place - Rs. 2000 /-
2. The result of the competition will be displayed on the SLS NAGPUR Website.
3. A certificate of participation shall be e-mailed to all the contestants who have successfully submitted the case analysis.

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REPORT OF THE PANEL DISCUSSION AT SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL – NAGPUR BY HUMAN RIGHTS CELL

Thursday 13 February 2020

The Human Rights Cell had organized a Panel Discussion at Symbiosis Law School - Nagpur on the theme of “**Human Rights in the Digital Age: Defining a New Paradigm.**” The discussion began at 3.45 pm with Ms. Yukta Nidhi one of the student members of the Human Rights Cell introducing the concept note and highlighting of the main theme of the discussion. Mr. Nitin Pathak another student members of the Cell welcomed Advocate Smita Sarode Singalkar one of the speakers of the panel discussion by highlighting her achievements in the legal filed and her contribution to human rights education. Mr. Prashant Shukla a student member of the Cell welcomed Dr. Advocate Mahendra Bhaskar Limaye, who is an expert in human rights and digital information.

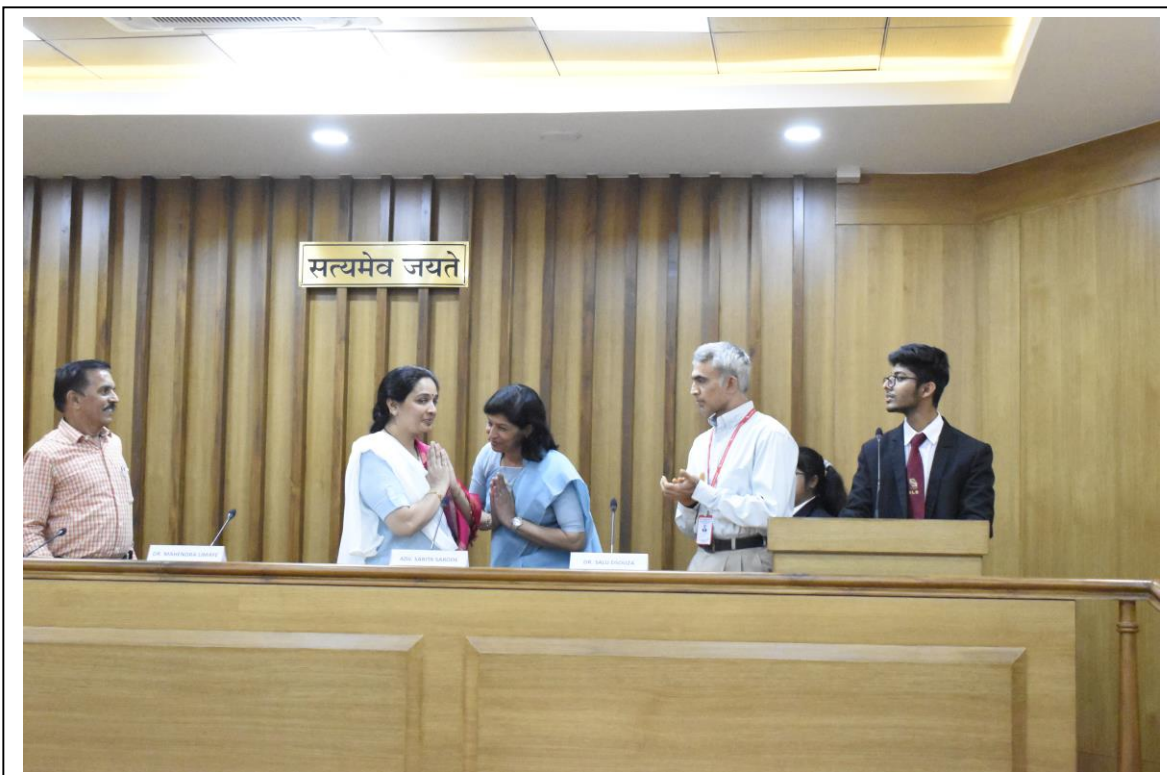
The panel discussion was moderated by Dr. Salu Dsouza, Assistant Professor and Faculty in charge of Human Rights Cell. Dr. Mahendra Limaye began his discussion by highlighting Fundamental Rights in Indian Constitution and their Enforcement in Digital Era. He also mentioned how social media collects users’ data without their knowledge. He explained how human rights is abused over the dark and deep net in the digital world and cautioned the law students to be aware of various ill effects of social media.

Advocate Smita Singalkar began her discussion by defining women rights in the digital age, its challenges and responses. Sharing her rich experience with various movements and institutions in the service of women, she focused on the specific problems faced by women in the digital world and the need to address these challenges. She highlighted many cases, which she had encountered during her legal practice regarding fake accounts, online matrimonial frauds, how women writers online abused by readers and the violation of their rights in the digital age. She also sensitized the students on such contemporary movements like the “#MeToo” campaign and its potentials and also cautioning them on the judicious use of the potentials offered by the Digital World.

The law students who were in the audience raised few valid questions to which they received appropriate answers from these two experts. The faculty members and the students of law found the discussion useful and gained much knowledge from this discussion. Finally, Ms. Sanchita Arora, a student member of the Human Rights Cell presented the vote of thanks.



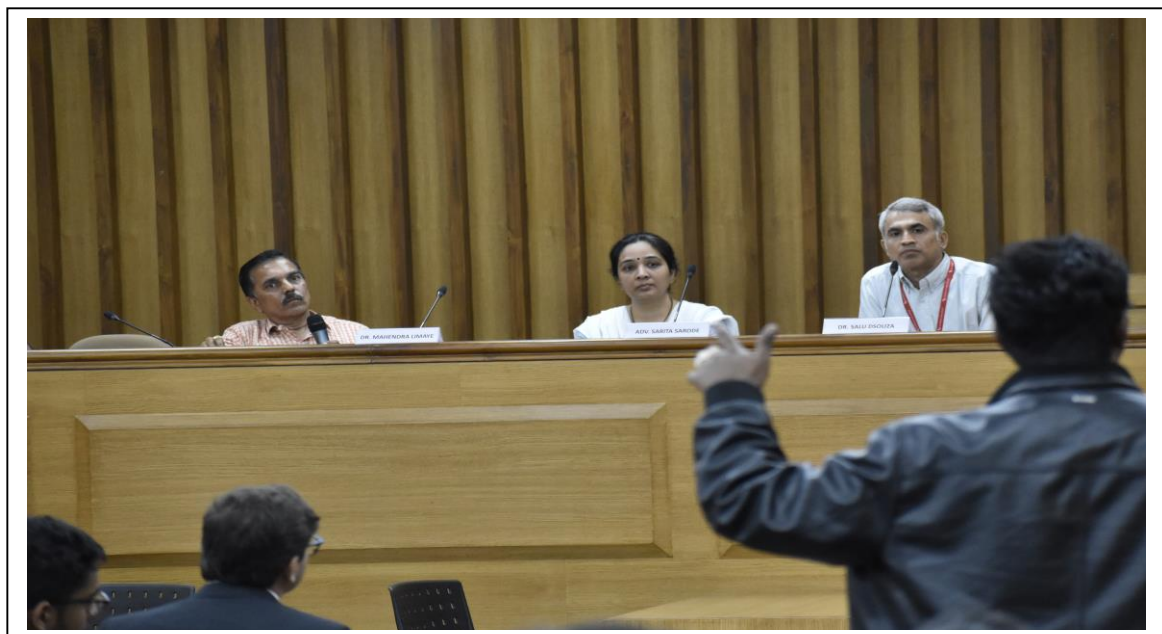
Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur interacting with the Guest Dr. Mahendra Limaye & Adv Smita Sarode Singalkar



Dr. Shilpa Sharma, Faculty, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur felicitating Adv Smita Sarode Singalkar



Dr. Mahendra Limaye, Adv Smita Sarode Singalkar & Dr. Salu D Souza interacting with student



Students presenting case before Panel for Discussion

SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL, NAGPUR

A Report on “Faith Room”

Symbiosis Law School – Nagpur, had a compulsory study subject Foundations of Ethics in the first semester of 2019 – 2020 academic year. It was mentioned by one of the invited speakers, Retired Justice Sirpurkar, to know few important quotations from Holy Scriptures such as, Bhagavad Gita, Bible, and Quran. Knowing important quotations from these Holy Scriptures would be highly beneficial for the law students now and while they practice in the courts and if they become judicial officers. Many of the learned judges while delivering the final verdicts have time and again quoted few lines from Holy Scriptures.

Keeping this issue in mind and to take care of the spiritual needs of the law students who belong to different religion and coming from diverse backgrounds, Symbiosis Law School – Nagpur set up a small portion and consecrated that as Faith Room on 17th August 2019. The Holy Books were kept in the room and a designed mat is arranged for the interested students to meditate and read from the Holy Books. Few Muslim students have been to this room on every Friday for offering Namaz and read from their scripture.

The students, irrespective of their religion, have found spiritual solace and mental peace by visiting and spending few minutes in this room though they are burdened with learning activities. As the motto of Symbiosis University, ‘Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam’ speaks of World is One family, our institution is striving hard in bringing students of **different** religion together and work for upholding human values.



SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL, NAGPUR

Report on First Intra College Parliamentary Debate

02/10/2019

On the occasion of Birth anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi, Symbiosis Law School Nagpur recently on 2/10/2019 has organized an intra college parliamentary debate competition with an intention to give students an understanding about the parliamentary proceedings and to make them ready for various academic competitions.

With this objective, the debate was held in the college premises at 9.30 a.m. Total 32 teams participated in the competition. Each team was consisting of 3 members and adjudicators. The competition was successfully concluded by 7.15 p.m. Winners of the competition were declared on the next day.

The program was coordinated by Dr. Deepit Khubalkar, Asst. Professor and in charge of the competition under the guidance and supervision of Dr. Sukhvindar Singh Dari, Director, SLS Nagpur.



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ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION (ADR) CELL.

What is ADR?

- India is a litigating country where litigation is expensive, time consuming and full of complexities.
- On the other hand, ADR is a system whereby disputants resolve their disputes Without litigation.
- It means that some disputes can be resolved outside the court in informal way.

The most common types of ADR are Arbitration, Conciliation and Mediation.

About ADR CELL:

- Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur has initiated to establish an **ADR Cell (ADR-C)**, which shall be the **student committee** entrusted with the responsibility of administering ADR activities.
- The Cell shall consist of students who are initially given orientation on ADR techniques and then selected by **merit**.
- It shall organize selection rounds and prepares panel of students to compete each year in National/International competitions.
- The mandate of the **ADR Cell encompasses** the promotion and conduction of a wide array of dispute resolution mechanisms, relevant to today's legal scenario.



Vision of the Cell:

- Unlike Moot Court, this line of professionals, need to nurture persuasive skills.
- In the 21st century, legal profession has outgrown litigation and as a result it now requires the professionals to be equipped with the skills that are essential in providing adequate dispute resolution.
- To establish a Cell that can help in contributing back to the society through providing Alternative Dispute Resolution services.
- This centre is coming up with the vision to develop and train students with another way to access justice and enhance the knowledge and practical skills of ADR system and subjects related thereto.



Mission of the Cell:

- To ensure that students are effectively trained in areas concerning Alternative Dispute Resolution and refine their mediation and negotiation skills along with imparting comprehensive knowledge of laws and regulations concerning Alternative Dispute Resolution Mechanisms to produce fair outcomes for disputes

Objectives of the Cell:

- The area of ADR being multidisciplinary in nature shall require deliberations from academicians, professionals, legal experts, judges and students. However, the basic objectives of this cell shall be:
- To Spread awareness about ADR and promote interest in ADR.
- To organize ADR training for students as well as organizing career centric ADR certification.

- To conduct workshops/ training sessions/guest lectures for students with the help of resource persons who have experience in ADR methods.
- To collaborate with various centers and institutions across India and abroad dealing with ADR mechanism.
- To provide a platform to students to showcase their skills pertaining to Alternative Dispute Resolution.

Composition of the Cell :

Faculty in charge: Dr. Shilpa Sharma, Assistant Professor at SLS, Nagpur.



SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL NAGPUR
CENTRE FOR ACADEMIC LEADERSHIP & MANAGEMENT (CALM)

VISION

- ☐ To increase visibility of the institute by acting as an Interface between the institute and the corporate / legal world.

MISSION

- ☐ To bridge the gap between the concepts learnt in class and their practical utility in the corporate world and also to keep the students updated with the latest industry and legal trends

OBJECTIVE

- The major focus is to bring eminent personalities from the industry across various fields and share their experience with the students so that students get to know the real life scenarios and cases in the corporate world.
- To promote and arrange activities to bring out the talents of students.
- The Centre shall be responsible for all intra and inter collegiate management related events in the College.
- To plan and schedule events for the academic year.
- By delegating various tasks.

MODUS OPERANDI

- ☐ The Centre for Academic Leadership and Management (CALM), was exquisitely formed to focus on the current trends we foresee in the industries today. This is extremely useful since we have a batch of BBA LLB students, although this cell doesn't discriminate the BA LLB students.
- ☐ Guest lectures of people from the Corporate World are invited with various activities planned thereby enhancing the management skills of students.
- ☐ We have fairly made programs which is purely activity based connecting the regular classroom teaching methods.

- We are a group of individuals who wish to voice the importance of activities pertaining to both corporate and the legal field. We wish to inculcate and help inculcate various skills that would help students in real life.
- The Centre also aims at giving students the opportunity to be involved in professionally enriching activities and a chance to extend themselves and to grow in their area of expertise.
- The Centre also organizes events showcasing the hidden acumen of students besides their regular studies.
- Apart from just guest lectures, rest assured we have plans on fun and educational activities in the forth coming months.

SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL, NAGPUR

STUDENT SUPPORT CENTRE

Preamble:

- Symbiosis International (Deemed University) is a multi-disciplinary university offering its students and faculty a vibrant learning ecosystem designed around its multi-cultural and innovative ethos.
- Established in 1971 by Prof. Dr. S.B. Mujumdar, it is a 'home away from home' for International students.
- The Institution is based on the principles of Vedic thought of "World as One Family" and is alive to the needs and interests of the students
- Symbiosis Law School (SLS) Nagpur is established in 2019 inheriting splendid novelty, dynamism and excellence in education.
- It offers multitude of opportunities for the budding lawyers.
- Harping on the rich legacy of both Bar and Bench, SLS Nagpur promises to be one of the finest destinations for imparting legal education in central India
- We believe that legal education needs to evolve and must meet the vitality of the changing world.
- With this objective, and with the urge to establish the tradition of academic excellence, we have decided to plan out our further process of growth.
- In this process the due importance has been given to the views, opinions and feedback of the stakeholders like students, parents, alumni, employers, teachers, etc. and the law School in letter and spirit created the Student Support Centre.
- The aim of the Centre is to guide the students in constructing more flexible study paths, to help them successfully in attaining their learning goals and supporting their entry into the legal fraternity.

Vision:

Keeping the vision of International Understanding

Mission:

To enhance employability and contribute to human resource development

- Effective learning
- Skills Enhancement
- Research Skills enrichment
- Drafting Practice
- Performance Analysis
- Field Knowledge

A student when joins an Institutions his world is filled with dreams, ambitions, enthusiasm and excitement for learning new things and adaptation of new culture and background. In the initial years of his journey he may have set of goals and objectives, but as he gets to know the field of wisdom closely his perceptions starts changing, sometimes may suffer from confusion and chaos and sometimes with disappointments. The journey of five years for a law student is a journey of learning and self-discovery. This is the period in which student goes through metamorphosis, his likings and inclination towards his set goals many times keep changing or fluctuating. He/She may enter the college with a specific interest but the exposure to various courses and activities help him know and explore the areas of his/her interest, so the basic line which was originally in thought process may also undergo a change. As child goes through many ambitions till he grows up similarly law student goes through many unsettled career options in his span of five years.

The student support centre has one aim of bringing out all round development of the student and help student explore his area of interest. The law career is full of opportunities and vast area of fields to carve a niche for oneself. Thus keeping this in mind and to provide student best possible support, the centre's core work revolves in catering best possible options. This will be done by working over basic details right from the rresume writing / drafting, then by organizing various workshops for enhancement of skills, by inviting experts from diverse fields to share their expertise and knowledge which will help the student to better equip his own choice. Exposure to field experience, and every possible backing will be offered by the center.

Keeping various options open like Practice in Courts, Corporate, Public Services, Judiciary, academican, Journalist, Banking Services, JAG branch – Army, Law Journal's Editorial Committee, Preparing for competitive/ judicial examinations, Government Lawyers and Consultants etc. , the center will time and again keep on bringing the best of each such option before the students. This will help

them to priorities their field of interest along with the additional knowledge open regarding the other fields. In the future if one option if is not found suitable according to the interest and personality of the student he will not be in a fix to start from the scratch as the student support center in his learning years have provided him with enough exposure to keep his other list of option open and provided enough guidance for moving towards the next best opportunity.

SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL NAGPUR

A REPORT ON BEST PRACTICES

Best Practice no.1

1) Practice Based Learning

SLS, Nagpur strives for providing the best empirical practices to ensure utmost participation of the students thereby honing their professional skills.

KEYWORDS:

1.Role-play – leadership, analytical skills, decision-making, communication skills, far-sightedness, attitude and approach, interpersonal abilities, promptness.

Objectives of the Practice

Role-play activity addresses one of the vital facets of understanding – perspective which is the ability to have and demonstrate critical points of view, and to be able to see things from another person's perspective. What is important in this case is the opportunity for students to acquire some observational skills and to understand and to assimilate the new information. It is essential in providing the opportunity to students to identify, validate and discuss their emotions.

Parliamentary Debate, as its name suggests, is modeled on the Asian style Parliamentary Debate. Intelligent and straightforward definitions of the motions are expected and rewarded which have to be rapid. It also aims at content for analysis of the issue including relevance, evidence to back, strategizing the process, regulating voice modulations, verbal and non-verbal expressions.

The Practice

➤ In Role-play activity it's essential to identify the objective with necessary information, guidelines for participation, time to prepare for perspective to emerge and reflect. Role-play activity involves a team of 5 students representing the plaintiff, defendant, counsel for plaintiff and counsel for defendant and the Judge. The students are given a judgment to prepare their respective roles by interpreting enactments, precedents and

legal maxims with allied laws which sharpen cognitive abilities, thorough research and understanding of law as well as socio-economic awareness.

Role-play promotes:

- a) Critical thinking and increases student's confidence in addressing an issue successfully.
- b) Encourages the student to assume an active role in constructing knowledge and understanding.
- c) Students are challenged to set priorities in managing information related to laws and rules involved and enhance advocacy skills, analytical skills, interpersonal skills etc.
- d) Encourages collaborative learning, which is a widely supported method in knowledge formation.

Role-play has 3 fold activities:

1. Analyzing the problem – This comprises of introduction of the case, identification of the issues to be addressed while recognizing the areas of complexities of the legal point of consideration thereby posing questions regarding the legal issues.
2. Developing arguments – This requires the students to collect resources and materials such textbooks, commentaries, societal concerns, precedents, articles, notes, etc. It involves sharing of opinion, perspectives thereby refining and shaping their mindset.
3. Findings and reasoning – this enhances cognitive skills, weaves a thought process and helps to arrive at a conclusion.

Best Practice no.2

2) Parliamentary Debate –

Keywords:

Rational thinking, opinionated,

In a Parliamentary debate, a team is called either Proposition or Opposition depending on the side it is given. Both sides are comprised of two debaters who are modeled members of the House. In the same way as the Parliament, the Proposition supports the motion while the Opposition opposes it. Adjudicators also participate and they act as a Judge. Debaters of

each side try to persuade judges to vote for their side within a limited period of time.

The Debaters speak in the following order:

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| ■ First Proposition (Prime Minister) Speech | 7 minutes |
| ■ First Opposition (Leader of the Opposition) Speech | 7 minutes |
| ■ Second Proposition (Deputy Prime Minister) Speech | 7 minutes |
| ■ Speech | 7 minutes |
| ■ Opposition Reply Speech | 4 minutes |
| ■ Proposition Reply Speech | 4 minutes |

It is the duty of the First Proposition Speaker to define the motion, which describes exactly what the basis for the debate will be. The definition must be fair to the Opposition and provides them an equal case to argue. The Opposition should accept any definition by the Proposition unless it presents an unreasonable or clearly irrelevant interpretation of the motion, or is true and does not leave the Opposition a side to argue.

Evidence of Success

Role-play activities have displayed a good success ratio. The students have been participative and impulsive in the activities. They also introduced certain innovate thinking coupled with detailed research which was expected. Students demonstrated their communication skills confidently enhancing their advocacy skills and interactive proficiency.

Certain students faced difficulties with respect to creative thinking and in articulating their thoughts because lack of awareness or confidence which restricts them to exhibit their complete potential despite having logical reasoning. Thus, students who refuse to participate may serve as observers and share their thoughts and perspectives at the end.

Thus, it indicates that role-play activities help to achieve the aim of enhancing communication abilities to a major extent.

Parliamentary Debates are massive success since it gives an opportunity to the students to express their opinion without strict limitations. The students have scored well displaying keen interest

in this competition. This event is lively and audience-oriented. It aims at intellectual and ethical development by challenging the students to make defensible judgments thereby critically investigating the complex issues evaluating the data. It also lays emphasis on voice their suggestions extemporaneously It was challenging for students with lack of oratory skills, fluency and promptness.

This activity was a good initiative where students were enthusiastic about participation and expressing their opinions.

Problem Encountered and Resources Required

The resources required to implement the practice are judgments, technical help such as projector, desktop, internet facility and software based applications for students to research.

The problems encountered are the smooth flow of internet. There were time constraints. Students had to limit self to the legal issues and societal issues only. Students took their own time to interact because of apprehensions and were not prompt as they are yet not well versed with the administrative process and the procedural laws concerning the nation. The standard parliamentary debate format is easily modified to include public participation in the discussion which is a huge challenge.



Students aptly watching the Role Play

SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL NAGPUR
CELEBRATES MARATHI BHASHA DIWAS

27th February 2020

Report

Marathi Bhasha Diwas is celebrated in honour of the Marathi language. It is celebrated on 27th February to rejoice the birth anniversary of Dyanpeeth award winner late poet V.V. Shirwadkar who is also known as Kusumagraj.

Marathi being the official language of the State of Maharashtra, the main focus of this celebration was to promote the Maharashtrian culture amongst the students of Symbiosis Law School Nagpur. The assembly commenced with students performing the Ganesh Vandana Dance. Following which they presented a PPT on the 'Significance of Marathi Diwas'. Students of Symbiosis Law School also recited a poem that they had learnt. The assembly concluded with a scintillating and stunning dance performance, once again performed by students.

We, at Symbiosis Law School believe that exposing students to multiple languages enhances their access to people and resources, for better communication and fruitful experiences. Imparting the learning of different languages, both native and foreign; facilitates students to gain a better understanding of varied cultures and unfamiliar customs. The assembly thus enabled the students and teachers to actively participate in the Marathi language day celebrations where they got an opportunity to display an appreciation of the multi-cultural world.





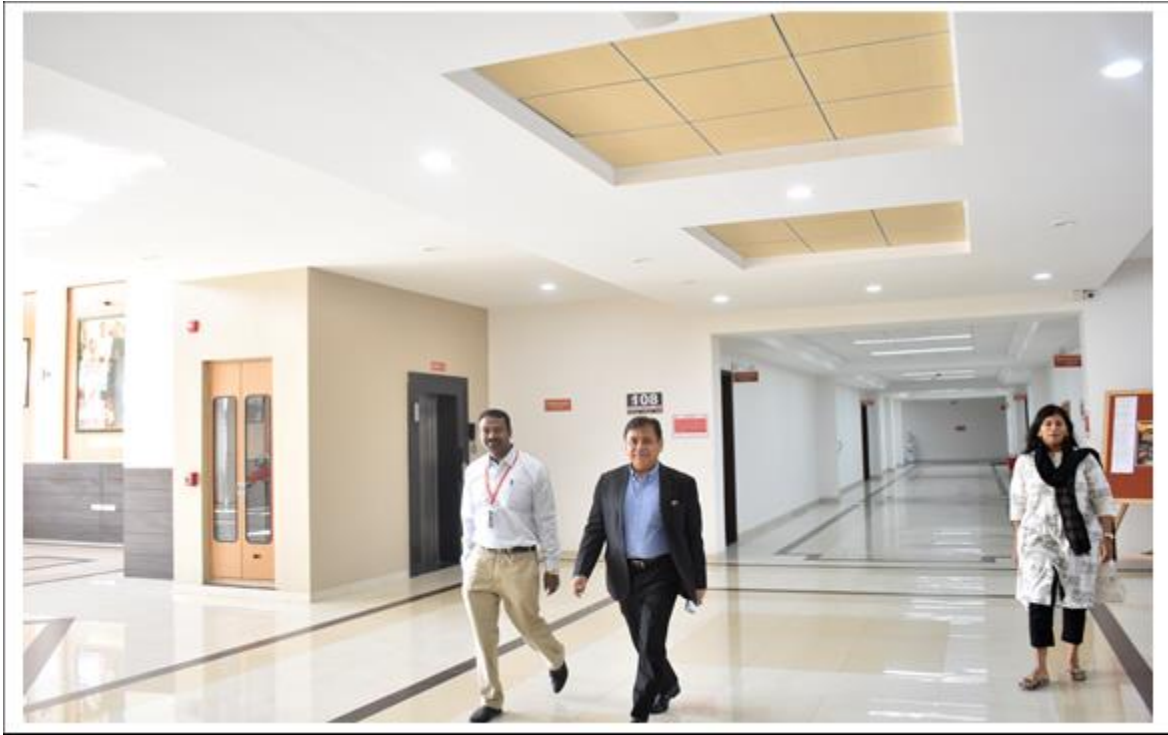
GUEST LECTURE ON Expectation Management and Challenges of a Corporate Lawyer

February 15th, 2020

The Placement Cell of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur organized the Guest Lecture on “**Expectation Management and Challenges of a Corporate Lawyer**” on 15th January, 2020 at the Moot Court Hall. Rajesh Narain Gupta - Managing Partner, SNG & Partners was invited as the Guest Speaker.

Mr. Rajesh Narain Gupta - Managing Partner, SNG & Partners was welcomed by Prof. Sayalee Surjuse, Assistant Professor, and felicitated by Dr. Salu D’Souza, Assistant Professor, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur with a memento. Mr. Rajesh Narain Gupta is the Managing Partner of the firm, SNG & Partners. His area of specialization includes Banking and Finance, Commercial Laws, Real Estate and Private Client Practice. He is an advisor to a number of foreign and Indian Banks, Financial Institutions, Corporate and Industrial Houses and Real Estate players. He has been a pioneer in India in Succession & Estate Planning. He has widely contributed and been a pioneer in the area of private wealth laws and advised Ultra HNIs and HNIs on matters connected with Business and Personal Succession Planning. Mr. Rajesh works closely with several promoter families and advises them regularly on strategic issues.

Mr. Rajesh Narain Gupta commenced his session by sharing his experience and the significance of a Dream and Vision, also the execution of the action plan to manifest the dreams and vision. He further elaborated on the subject of relevance of Integrity. He stressed on the reputational risk faced by a lawyer. He also debated the idea of I know all vs. Specialization. The unique pedagogy of using anecdotes and short stories to explain the Acts was well received by the students. He exhorted the students for Out-of-box thinking in his own unique style of story-telling. He also pointed the areas available for young lawyers for their legal practice. He further discussed the other challenges faced by lawyers like picking the Right Law Firm. He brought about the impact of commitment on time and hard work. His anecdote on the importance of perseverance had everybody smiling while driving home the point. The Guest speaker appreciated the keenness and interest of the students. The lecture ended with the vote of thanks proposed by Dr. Salu D’Souza, Assistant Professor, Symbiosis Law School.



Mr Ashish Tode (T&P) Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur receiving the guest Mr Rajesh Narain Gupta



Faculties of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur interacting with the guest Mr Rajesh Narain Gupta -
Managing Partner, SNG & Partners



Mr Rajesh Narain Gupta interacting with student



Student proposing Vote of Thanks



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ONE DAY NATIONAL SEMINAR ON CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY AND SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

**07th March 2020
10 A.M. TO 4 P.M.**

VENUE

**Symbiosis Law School,
Wathoda, Nagpur - 440008**

CONCEPT NOTE

As lawyers, we should understand that our obligation, as a component of being a part of this esteemed profession is to give back to the society. Corporate Social Responsibility is a way of giving back to society. The subject of CSR has evolved in the last few decades by leaps and bounds. It is no longer confined to philanthropic activities carried out by business houses to integrate its interests with that of the society in which it operates. CSR expects the corporates to exhibit socially, environmentally and ethically responsible behavior in governance of its operations so that they make a positive contribution to the amelioration of the society.

Sustainable Development is taken as an approach to development that looks to balance different, and often competing, needs against an awareness of the environmental, social and economic limitations we face as a society. CSR plays a vital role in attaining sustainable development. As we progress, this social responsibility is transforming into legal responsibility which is backed by rules and regulations. Increasing number of corporates are focusing on environmental issues in their CSR agenda. Companies around the world, India being no exception, are forced to consider environmental concerns like climate change, etc. and its implication in a business context. The global unease and environmental issues are sought to be strategically managed as part of their CSR agenda. However, in spite of the benevolent motive, it is accompanied with its own set of challenges.

This one-day National Seminar is organized by the Research & Publication Cell with the objective of creating a think-tank, bringing together divergent view on the topic on a single platform with an attempt to address the challenges and issues in the effective implementation of CSR and Sustainable Development.

PAPER SUBMISSION DETAILS

The scholars are requested to adhere to the below given deadlines as it is one of the significant step towards the success of the seminar. Only one submission per author is permitted. Co- authorship is permitted to a maximum of two authors per paper. The papers will be put through Turnitin software for Plagiarism check. The selected papers may be published in the book form. Along with paper, please also submit the author's profile (one paragraph) and a passport size photograph in a .doc/.docx format. The papers are to be mailed to nscsr@slnagpur.edu.in.

FORMATTING GUIDELINES

The Paper should be typed in Times New Roman, Font Size-12, Line Spacing-1.5, and Justified. The footnotes must be typed in Times New Roman, Font Size-10 and Line Spacing-1. The margins should be 1 inch or 2.54 cm on all sides. Every citation must follow the Harvard Bluebook, 20th Edition.

THEMES

1. Socially responsible products
2. Human Rights and Business Sustainability
3. Good Governance and Ethics in Corporations
4. Implementation of CSR
5. Organizational Issues in CSR
6. CSR and protection of Human Rights
7. Environment and CSR
8. Supply chain sustainability
9. Globalization and Sustainable Development
10. The gap between CSR and Sustainability in India

IMPORTANT DATES

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| Submission of Full Paper (6000-8000 words): | 23rd February 2020 |
| Notification of Acceptance: | 25th February 2020 |
| Last date of registration: | 02nd March 2020 |
| Seminar: | 07th March 2020 |

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WHO CAN APPLY AND ATTEND

Any student pursuing graduation or post-graduation from any University/Institute/Department and any professional or academician.

REGISTRATION FEE

Students – Rs. 500/-
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WEBINAR - GUEST LECTURE ON

“How to Effectively Plan 5 Years of your Law School.”

12th May, 2020

The Placement Cell, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur organized a Webinar on “How to Effectively Plan 5 Years of your Law School” on 12th May, 2020. Ms. Akagrata Singh, Additional Civil Judge, District & Session Court Allahabad was invited to deliver lecture at 02:00 pm.

Honorable Ms. Akagrata Singh, Additional Civil Judge, District & session Court Allahabad was introduced by Prof. (Dr.) Sachin Tripathi, Assistant Professor at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. The Welcome Address was given by Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director – Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. She is presently the Civil Judge at the District & Session Court Allahabad since November 2019.

The Honorable speaker emphasized on the significance of having a plan for student’s career. Her delivery of ideas were connected with the students and their assessment focusing on that a person must be a sound person with a good personality to excel in the field of their choice. The speaker had divided her session in the following parts:

- ☐ Importance of attending classes.
- ☐ Participation in extra-curricular activities.
- ☐ Significance of Personality Development.
- ☐ Associations made in classes, internships for career enhancement
- ☐ Judiciary as a career option

The well-thought-out session on How to Effectively Plan 5 Years of your Law School created an impression on the students that participation in extracurricular activities will give them an upper hand over their peers. In addition to that she emphasized to raise the standard of their CV so that it gives them an added advantage in the recruitment process which was very stimulating for the students.

The session was followed by a Question & Answer session. The event was moderated by Prof. (Dr.) Sachin Tripathi and the Vote of thanks was proposed Prof. (Dr.) Deepti Khubalkar, Faculty, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur.



WEBINAR - GUEST LECTURE ON
“First Responders and Challenges to Mental Health Maintenance”

13th May, 2020

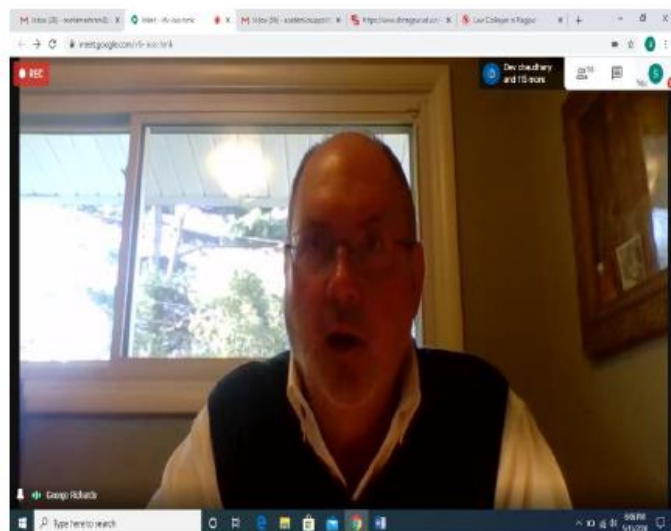
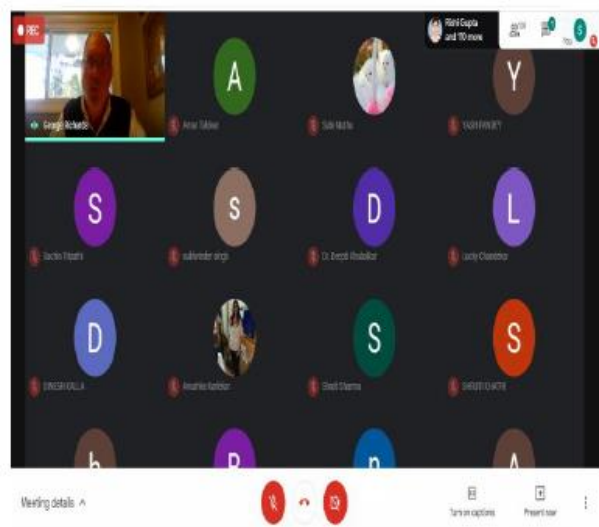
The Placement Cell, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur organized a Webinar on “First Responders and Challenges to Mental Health Maintenance” on 13th May, 2020 addresses by Prof. George E. Richards from University of Pennsylvania.

Prof. George E. Richards from University of Pennsylvania was introduced by Prof. (Dr.) Sachin Tripathi, Assistant Professor at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. The Welcome Address was given by Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director – Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. Dr. George Richards, is an Associate Professor in the Criminal Justice, Anthropology and Forensic Science Department. He was recently named as Edinboro University’s 2017 Advisor of the Year. Dr. Richards was recognized for his advising skills and prolific contributions to campus programs, events and committees.

Dr. George E. Richards highlighted for maintaining mental health and how to overcome the challenges associated with it. He further pointed out that positive mental health handling enables an individual to function well, have meaningful social connections, positive self-esteem and be better able to cope with life's ups and downs. He covered the various subject during the lecture such as - addressed the stress related endemic in organizations that deal with crisis situations, how stress is affecting organizations, culture of reason and techniques of self-help for respondents and what can be done to self-alleviate stressful situations.

The comprehensive session for Challenges to Mental Health Maintenance and instances relating to it were discussed and they were particularly helpful in driving home the point with the students and thought-provoking as well.

The session was followed by a Question & Answer session. The event was moderated by Prof. (Dr.) Sachin Tripathi and the Vote of Thanks was proposed by Prof. (Dr.) Deepti Khubalkar, Faculty, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur.



WEBINAR - GUEST LECTURE ON

“Ensuring Justice Through Science”

18th May, 2020

The Placement Cell, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur organized a Webinar on “Ensuring Justice Through Science” on 18th May, 2020. Mr. Mebin Wilson Thomas, working as Assistant Professor in Dept. of Forensic Science, JAIN (Deemed-to-be University) was invite to address the students.

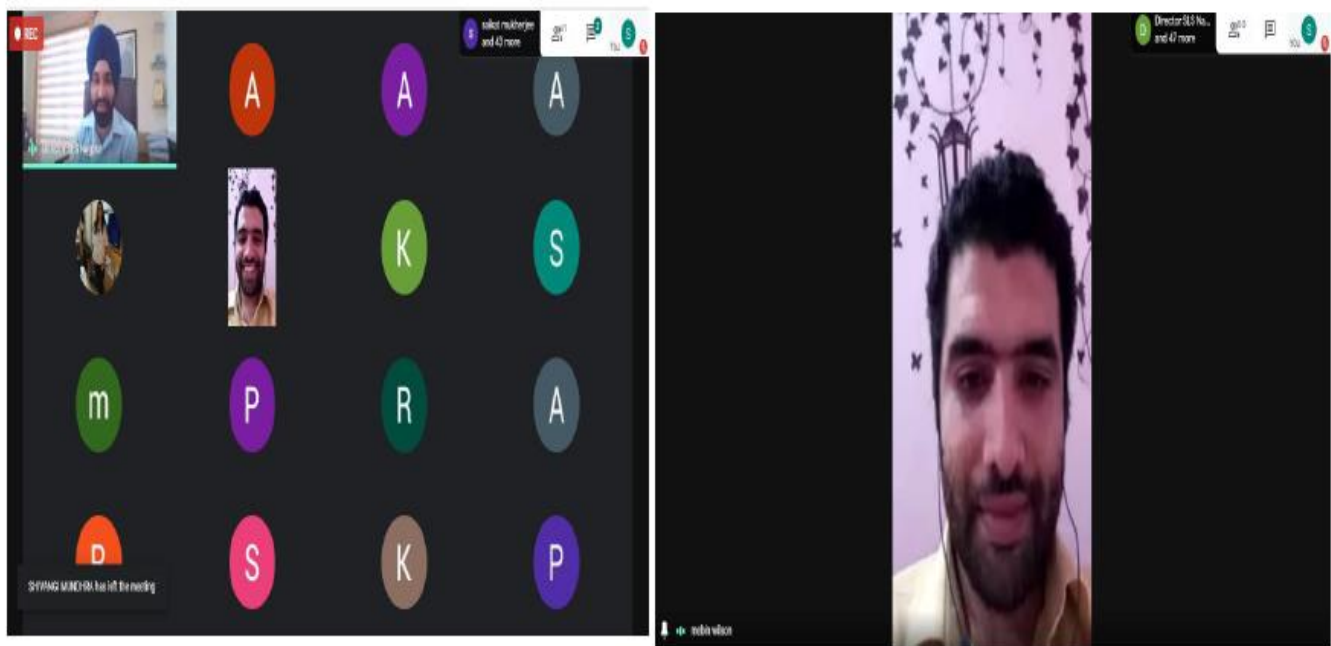
Mr. Mebin Wilson Thomas, Assistant Professor, was introduced by Prof. Aditee Godbole, Assistant Professor at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. The Welcome Address was given by Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director – Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. Mr. Mebin Wilson Thomas has completed his Post-Graduation in Criminology and Criminal Justice Administration from University of Madras.

The Speaker, Mr. Mebin Thomas began with the definition of science and further explained the concept of application of fundamentals of science to arrive at justice is what Forensic Science is all about. He further explained Forensic science is the use of scientific methods or expertise to investigate crimes or examine evidence that might be presented in a court of law. The speaker had immediately instant rapport with the students when he used the instances of fictional investigator Sherlock Holmes created by author Sir Arthur Conan Doyle. He further explained how all forensic investigations are based on the following principles of science;

- ☐ Law of Individuality.
- ☐ Principle of Exchange.
- ☐ Law of Progressive Change.
- ☐ Law of Comparison.
- ☐ Law of Analysis.
- ☐ Law of Probability.
- ☐ Law of Circumstantial Facts.

The session was very significant and it created the impact of scientific development and research on the legal outcome of a number of cases.

The session was followed by a Question & Answer session. The event was moderated by Prof. Aditee Godbole and the Vote of thanks was proposed by Prof. Sayalee Surjuse, Faculty, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur.



WEBINAR - GUEST LECTURE ON

“Internship 101-5 years and 10 Semester”

23rd May, 2020

The Placement Cell, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur organized a Webinar on “Internship 101-5 years and 10 Semester.” on 23rd May, 2020. Mr. Tejus Chauhan, working as Manager – Forensic Services at PwC India was invited as the Resource Person

Mr. Tejus Chauhan, working as Manager – Forensic Services at PwC India was moderated by Prof. (Dr).Shilpa Sharma, Assistant Professor at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. The Welcome Address was given by Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director – Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur.

The Speaker, Mr. Tejus Chauhan began with why and how he selected the topic for the session. He further elucidated that he wanted to share personal anecdotes and experiences so that the students may avoid the pitfalls of prevalent idiosyncrasies about internships. The charismatic speaker got an immediate connection with the students when he talked about the slip-ups students make and what can be done better during the 5 years in the Law School. He further explained how to make the most of their internships based on the following points;

- ☐ Things students can do better.
- ☐ How to go about internships.
- ☐ Selecting proper internships.
- ☐ Identifying internships.
- ☐ What to do at Internships.
- ☐ How to work on yourself.

The session had rightly addressed to the students of Symbiosis Law School are expected to pursue internships from the first semester itself. The participants felt the topic extremely important for there 5 years prestigious journey.

The session was followed by a Question & Answer session. The event was moderated by Prof. (Dr).Shilpa Sharma and the Vote of Thanks was proposed by Prof. (Dr.) Nikhil Polke, Faculty, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur.



REPORT OF NATIONAL WEBINAR ON “MUFFLED DEMOCRACY – REMEMBERING NATIONAL EMERGENCY ON ITS 45TH ANNIVERSARY”

3rd July, 2020

On 3rd July 2020, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur organized a National Webinar on "**Muffled Democracy - Remembering National Emergency on its 45th Anniversary**" at 11:30 am. The Webinar was organized to commemorate the Internal Emergency of 1975. Dr. Varsha Deshpande, Associate Professor, Dr. Ambedkar College, Department of Law, Deekshabhoomi, Nagpur was the resource person for the Webinar. Welcome address was delivered by Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. Ms. Sayalee S. Surjuse, Moderator of the Webinar introduced the resource person Dr. Varsha Deshpande and welcomed the participants to the Webinar.

Dr. Varsha Deshpande's discourse on the darkest day of the history since Independence was indeed riveting experience for all the attendees across nation and our students. Substance and style of Dr. Deshpande drew the audience and held their attention throughout the session. This was followed by question-answer session where the resource person enthusiastically answered the participants. Vote of thanks was proposed by Dr. Shilpa Sharma. The Webinar received an overwhelming participation from across the country.





WEBINAR - GUEST LECTURE ON “MOOTING SKILLS”

04th July, 2020

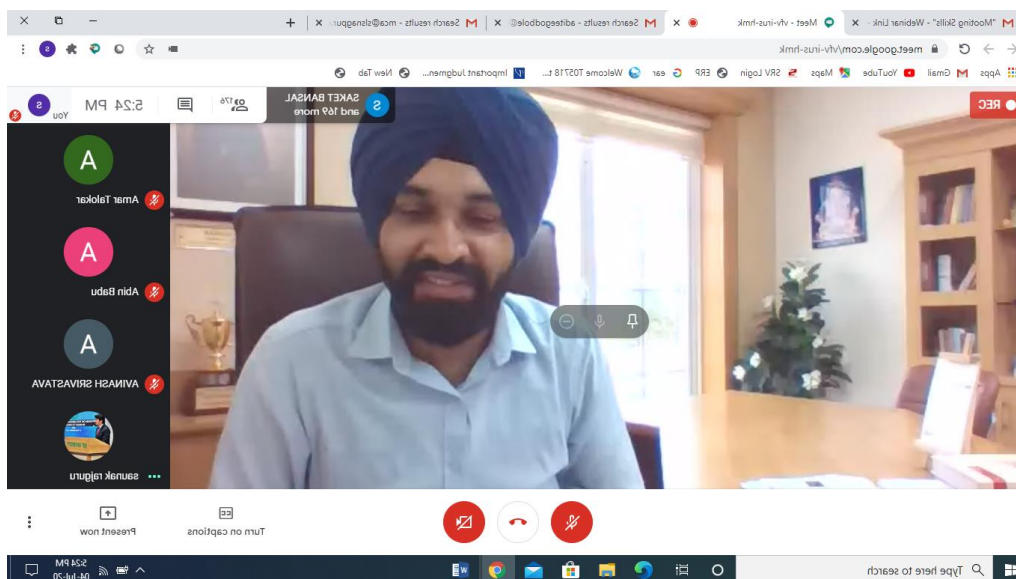
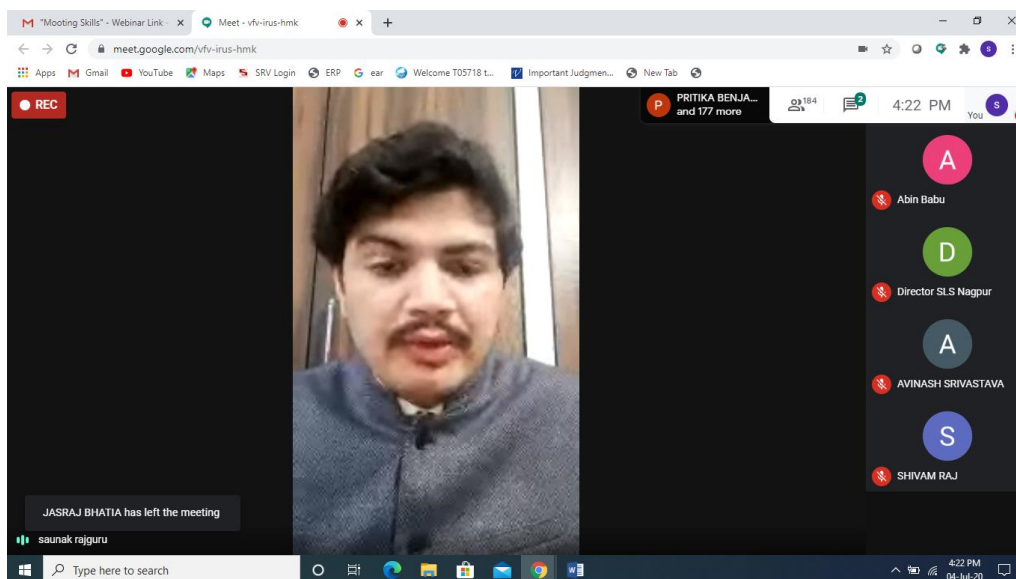
The Placement Cell in collaboration with the Moot Court Association of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur organized a Webinar on “**Mooting Skills**” on 04th July, 2020. Mr. Saunak Rajguru – Associate, J. Sagar and Associates was invited as the Guest Speaker.

Mr. Saunak Rajguru an Associate at J. Sagar and Associates was welcomed by Prof. Aditee Godbole, Assistant Professor and the Faculty-in-charge of Moot Court Association at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. The Welcome Address was given by Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director – Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. Mr. Saunak Rajguru is actively involved in the disputes practice of the firm with primary focus in the energy and transportation sector. He specializes in energy laws, administrative law, environmental laws and constitutional law. His scope of work covers the entire spectrum of drafting of Pleadings & arguing matters before specialised Commissions, Tribunals, various High Courts and the Supreme Court of India.

Mr. Saunak Rajguru opined that Mooting is about developing your capacity to argue persuasively, convincing listeners to accept your particular position or point of view. It is not just your ability to argue, you also need to demonstrate a good understanding of the relevant law and how it should be applied. He covered the various facets of Mooting like-

- Basics of Mooting
- Understanding and interpreting factual matrix of a Proposition
- Research Techniques
- Making an Ideal Memorial
- Jurisdictional issues
- Tips for an Ideal Speech
- Compendium Basics
- Various other technical but substantive details concerning Moots.

The exhaustive session for Mooting Skills was followed by a Question & Answer session. The event was moderated by Prof. Aditee Godbole and the Vote of Thanks was given by given Mr. Ashish Tode, Placement Officer, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur.



WEBINAR – National Workshop on
“Advance online Research and Writing Article”
07th July, 2020

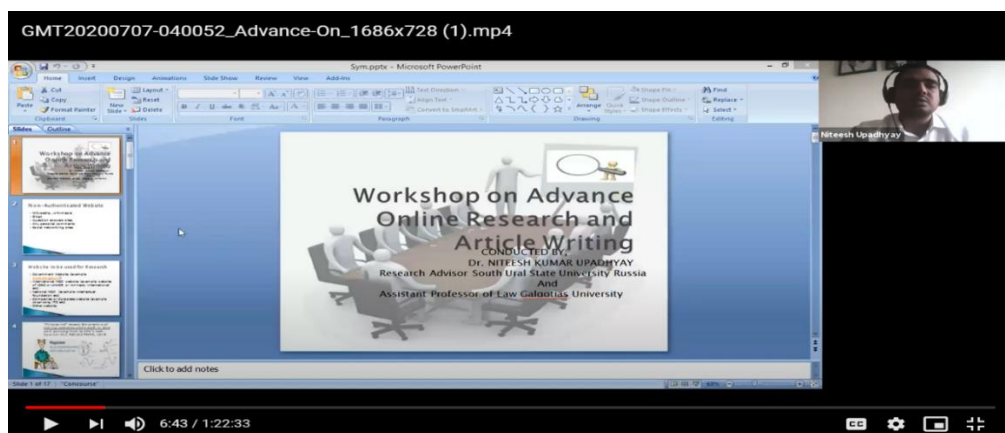
Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur strives for providing the best empirical practices to ensure utmost participation of the students thereby honing their professional and interpersonal skills. In continuation of the efforts in this direction, SLS, Nagpur organized one more Webinar on the topic –

“Advance Online Research and Article Writing”

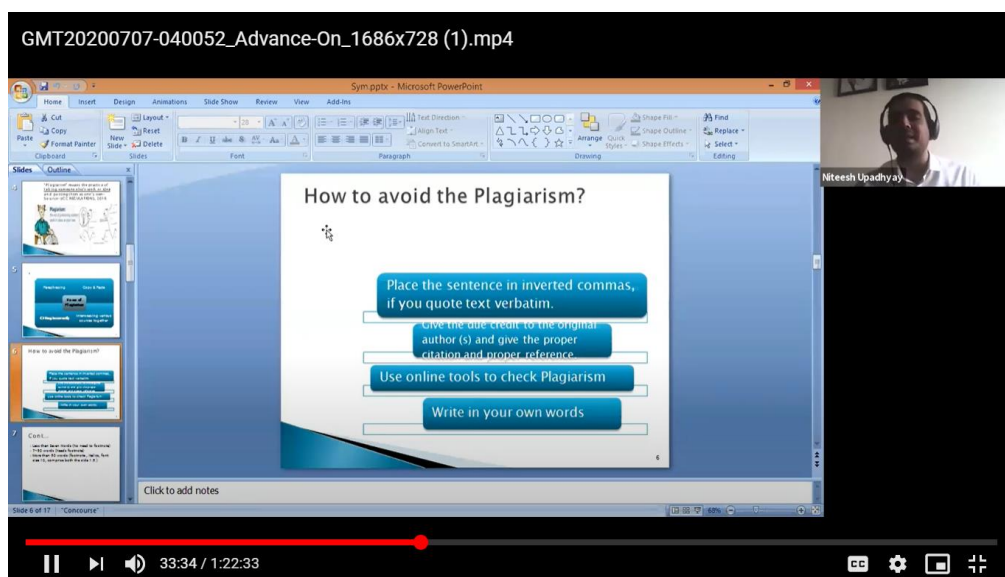
The aim was to enhance the writing and research skills of the students as research forms an integral part of legal studies. Dr. **Niteesh Kumar Upadhyay**, Assistant Professor at School of Law, Galgotias University, Greater Noida was invited to address learners virtually on Tuesday, **July 07, 2020** from **09:30 am** onwards.

Dr. Shilpa Sharma, Assistant Professor at SLS, Nagpur welcomed the Speaker on behalf of the College authorities and put forward the readiness of student to learn the nuances of Legal Research. The Speaker of the Webinar was introduced to the students and the lecture started with powerpoint presentation. In the illustrious manner, Dr. Niteesh Kumar Upadhyay engrossed students in comprehending the fine ethics and intricacies of Legal Research. He demonstrated the students about how Google Operant should have a filtered authentic Research. The students were also guided about the Plagiarism and how to avoid it. When it will amount plagiarized and when not was also elaborated by the Guest. In furtherance, he also shared list of various platforms where the students can search for upcoming events to participate, platforms for Internship and various scholarship available for Law students to name a few, this indeed was fascinating a juncture for the students. In a nutshell the National Webinar proved to be an excellent workshop for Law students across the country with a participation of more than 240 attendees.

The webinar ended with a question and answer session relating to Research problems that students face which were addressed by the Speaker in a friendly and helpful manner. The webinar received huge response and wonderful feedback. The Webinar was moderated by **Dr. Shilpa Sharma** and **Dr. Sachin Tripathi**, Assistant Professor at SLS, Nagpur proposed Vote of thanks. The event was a success due to the able visionary leadership of Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur.



Dr. Niteesh Kumar Upadhyay addressing the students with slide presentation.



Guest Speaker **Dr. Niteesh Kumar Upadhyay** addressing the students on Plagiarism

WEBINAR - GUEST LECTURE on
” Fundamentals of International Commercial Arbitration”

11th July, 2020

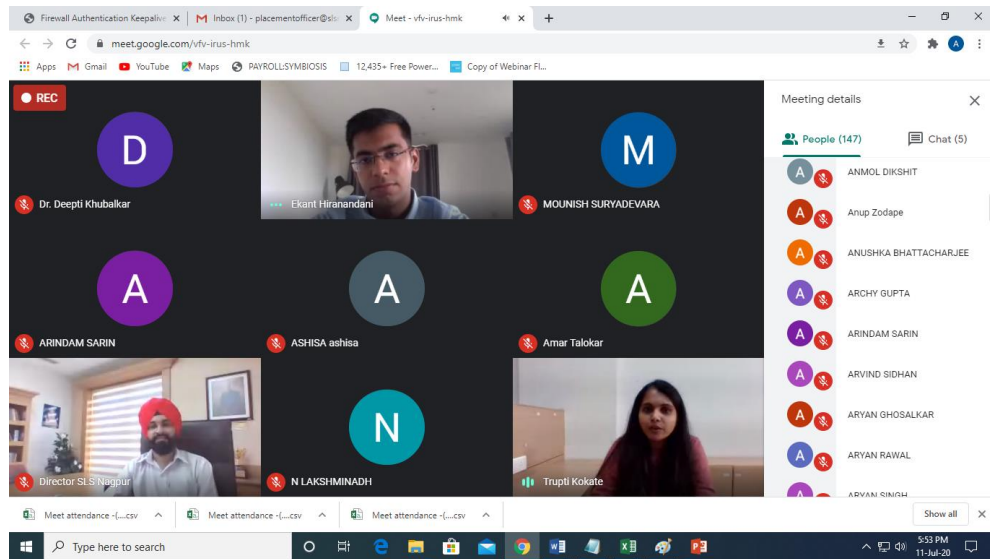
The Placement Cell, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur organized a Webinar on “**Fundamentals of International Commercial Arbitration**” on 11th July, 2020. delivered by **Adv. Ekant Hiranandani**. Adv. Ekant Hiranandani is presently practicing in London.

Adv. Ekant Hiranandani, was introduced by Prof. (Dr.) Deepti Khubalkar, Assistant Professor at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. The Welcome Address was given by Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director – Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. Adv. Ekant Hiranandani has completed his LLM from London School of Economics and Political Science. His area of specialization includes; Insolvency Law; Banking Law; International Commercial Litigation; Fundamental and Advanced Arbitration; Regulation: Strategies and Enforcement; Comparative and Transnational Law.

Adv. Ekant Hiranandani began his address from London to students with Introduction to International Commercial Arbitration and further highlighted Dispute Resolution Methods, its advantages and disadvantages of Arbitration, procedure and other details relating to International Arbitration. The Institutional vs. ‘Ad Hoc’ Arbitration was also clarified as being administration of the arbitration process. The Law and Rules governing International and National Arbitration was elucidated in a lucid manner to the students.

The lecture was followed by a case-study for the students on the Topic which made the students understand various aspects of Arbitration as a method of dispute resolution. The students were very excited to interact on the topic of International Arbitration and put forward their opinions. Students were particularly interested in nuances International Commercial Arbitration.

The session was followed by the Question & Answer session. The event was moderated by Prof. (Dr.) Deepti Khubalkar and the Vote of thanks was proposed by Prof. Trupti Kokate, Faculty, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur.



REPORT OF WEBINAR ON “ACTIVITY BASED LEARNING AND ITS IMPORTANCE”

13th July, 2020

On 13th July 2020, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur organized a Webinar on "**Activity Based Learning and its Importance**" at 10:35 am. This is the first Webinar organized under CENTRE FOR ACADEMIC LEADERSHIP AND MANAGEMENT (CALM), of SLS, Nagpur.

Dr. Lalit Khullar, Principal, Tirpude Institute of Management Education, Nagpur was the resource person for the Webinar. Dr. Nikhil Polke, Moderator of the Webinar introduced the resource person Dr. Lalit Khullar and welcomed the participants to the Webinar.

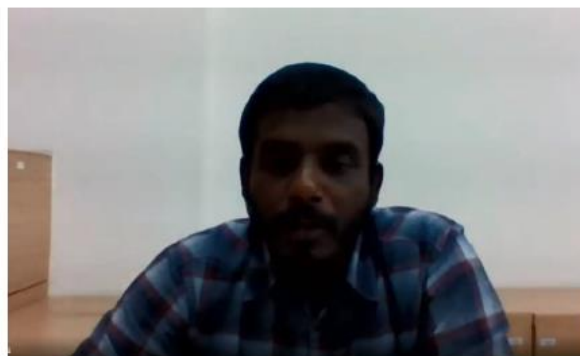
Dr. Lalit Khullar's discourse on the importance of activity based learning was indeed a rich real life experience for our students. Substance and style of Dr. Khullar drew the audience and held their attention throughout the session. A small activity in the form of a quiz was also conducted to lay more emphasis on activity based learning. This was followed by question-answer session where the resource person enthusiastically answered the participants. Vote of thanks was proposed by Mr. Abin Babu. The Webinar received an overwhelming participation from our students.



RESOURCE PERSON – DR. LALIT KHULLAR



MODERATOR – DR. NIKHIL POLKE



VOTE OF THANKS – MR. ABIN BABU

Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur

Celebrated World Day for International Justice, 2020.

Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur celebrated the World Day for International Justice 2020 by organizing a Webinar on “Institutional Social Responsibility, Human Values and Professional Ethics” on 17h July, 2020. delivered by **Sr. Adv. Anand Jaiswal**, Bombay High Court.

Sr. Adv. Anand Jaiswal, was introduced by Prof. (Dr.) Shilpa Sharma, Assistant Professor at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. The Welcome Address was given by **Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari**, Director – Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur.

Sr. Adv. Anand Jaiswal, being the epitome of knowledge and humbleness began his address by dwelling on the important aspects of Honesty and Integrity. He further explained how Honesty is about one’s behavior while Integrity is about principles. He emphasized on the fact that the Lawyers are the also one of the important pillar of the Justice Delivery System of the Nation. He also explained that the lawyer has to be clear in his thoughts and opinion. He further told the budding lawyers that while a lawyer must provide truthful advice, they should stay away of false assurances to the clients. He stated that client must be informed about conflict of interest, competence and care as “Law is a profession in India which can’t be advertised”. He further impressed that the asset of a lawyer is his/her unblemished reputation. He had the audience unequivocal attention when he stated that neither black nor white but it is the grey areas where law resides.

The session was followed by the Question & Answer session. The event was moderated by Prof. (Dr.) Shilpa Sharma and the Vote of thanks was proposed by Prof. (Dr.) Deepti Khubalkar, Faculty, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur.

The seminar was attended by the students of SLS, Nagpur and many registered participants across the Nation.



Sr. Adv. Anand Jaiswal addressing the students.

WEBINAR - GUEST LECTURE on
"Importance and Future of Arbitration Laws in India"

18th July, 2020.

The Placement Cell, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur organized a Webinar on "**Importance and Future of Arbitration Laws in India**" on 18th July, 2020. delivered by **Adv. Tariq Khan**. Adv. Tariq Khan is presently working as Principal Associate, Dispute Resolution - Advani & Co. New Delhi.

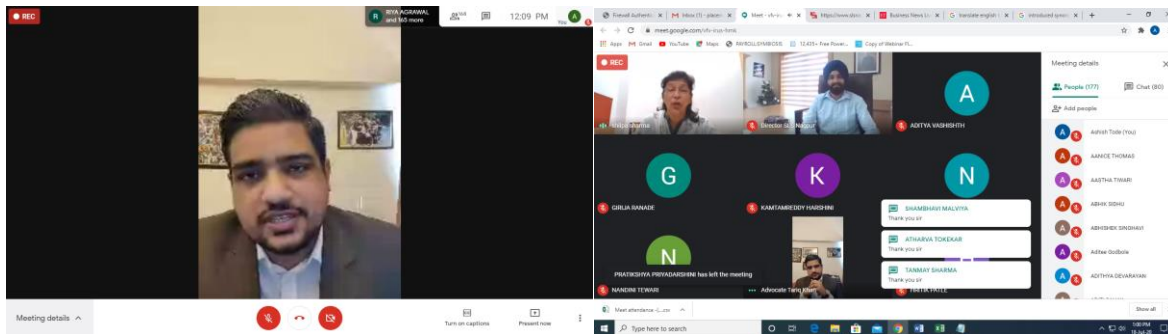
Adv. Tariq Khan, was introduced by Prof. (Dr.) Sachin Tripathi, Assistant Professor at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. The Welcome Address was given by Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director – Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. Adv. Tariq Khan has completed B.A. LL.B (Hons.) from Faculty of Law, Jamia Millia Islamia. In spite of his busy schedule at Advani & Co., Adv Tariq Khan has taken special time out for teaching and speaking engagements

Adv. Tariq Khan began with explaining the students about Alternate Dispute Resolution and what constitutes Arbitration. He further explained that Arbitration is a procedure in which a dispute is submitted, by agreement of the parties, to one or more arbitrators who make a binding decision on the dispute. He further explained that a party's right to refer a dispute to arbitration depends on the existence of an agreement also called the "arbitration agreement" between them and the other parties to the dispute that the dispute may be referred to arbitration.

He quoted **Sr. Adv. Fali S. Nariman**, "The Future of arbitration is bright as future of litigation is not" while impressing the audience with the scope of Arbitration. He further enlightened the students about how two parties negotiating a contract enter into an arbitration agreement. He further explained the important features responsible for the upswing in the popularity of arbitration include quick, convenient, expeditious resolution of the impending issues.

The session was followed by the Question & Answer session. The event was moderated by Prof. (Dr.) Sachin Tripathi and the Vote of thanks was proposed by Prof. (Dr.) Shilpa Sharma, Faculty, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur.

The seminar was attended by the students of SLS, Nagpur and many registered participants across the Nation.



Adv. Tariq Khan addressing the students.

Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur, organized webinar
The Impact of Covid-19 on Commercial Contracts''
25th July, 2020.

The Placement Cell, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur organized a Webinar on "**The Impact of Covid-19 on Commercial Contracts**" on 25th July, 2020. delivered by **Ms. Aakanksha Joshi**. Ms. Aakanksha Joshi is presently working as Partner, Economic Law Practice (ELP), Mumbai.

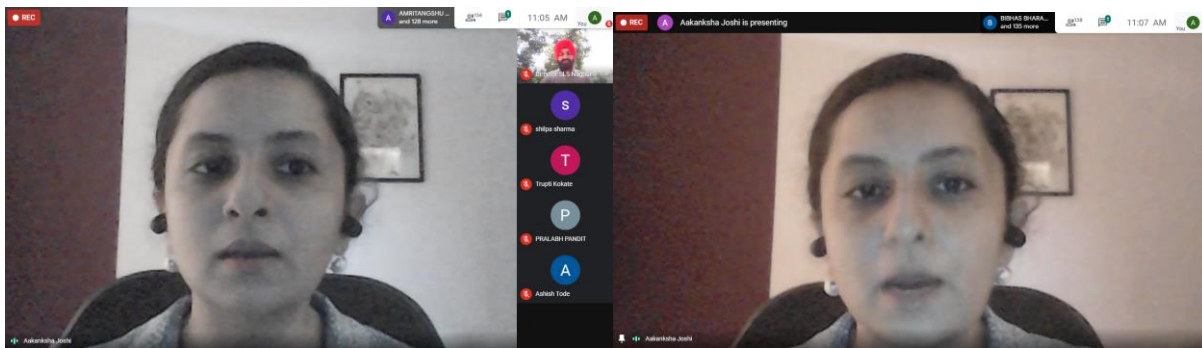
Ms. Aakanksha Joshi, Partner, Economic Law Practice, Mumbai, was introduced by Prof. Trupti Kokate, Faculty at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. The Welcome Address was given by Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director – Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. Ms. Aakanksha Joshi is a Partner in the Energy & Infrastructure, Hospitality, Corporate & Commercial, Private Equity and Real Estate practices of ELP. She graduated from the Government Law College, Mumbai and obtained her Solicitor's qualification from the Bombay Incorporated Law Society.

Ms. Aakanksha Joshi began with explaining the students about Commercial Contracts. She further explained that a commercial contract is a legally binding document that puts one party into a binding position either to do something or not to engage in the stated activity. It's used for businesses and organizations and its key requirement is to ensure that legal arrangements allow full benefits of the contract to be realized. She further explained what is meant by impossibility in contracts.

She also explained what is meant by enforceability of contracts. She further enlightened the audience about the current Covid-19 scenario with special focus on commercial contracts. She also explained term Frustration of Contracts. The illustrations and instances were pertinent with the topic and elicited response from the students. She further discussed Impossibility in the context of Frustration. She also introduced the concept of 'Force Majeure' and went on to discuss typical Force Majeure clause. She further discussed how current Covid-19 scenario affected Force Majeure clause in writing and practice. She further shed light on the Financial Hardships arising due to the current pandemic situation

The session was followed by the Question & Answer session. The event was moderated by Prof. Trupti Kokate and the Vote of thanks was proposed by Prof. (Dr.) Nuzhat Rizvi, Faculty, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur.

The seminar was attended by the students of SLS, Nagpur and many registered participants across the Nation.



Ms. Aakanksha Joshi, Partner, Economic Law Practice, Mumbai, addressing the students.

REPORT OF WEBINAR ON “IMPORTANCE OF LEGAL STUDIES IN THE CORPORATE WORLD”

29th July, 2020

On 29th July 2020, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur organized a Webinar on "**Importance of Legal Studies in the Corporate World**" at 1:40 pm. This is the second Webinar organized under CENTRE FOR ACADEMIC LEADERSHIP AND MANAGEMENT (CALM), of SLS, Nagpur.

Mr. Sachin Polke, Company Secretary & Vice President (Group Affairs), Ashapura Minechem Ltd. , Mumbai was the resource person for the Webinar. Dr. Nikhil Polke, Moderator of the Webinar introduced the resource person Mr. Sachin Polke and welcomed the participants to the Webinar.

Mr. Sachin Polke's discourse on the “Importance of Legal Studies in the Corporate World” was indeed a rich real life experience for our students. Substance and approach of Mr. Sachin Polke drew the audience and held their attention throughout the session. He also shared his real life experiences citing different examples of the legal and the corporate world. This was followed by question-answer session where the resource person enthusiastically answered the participants.

Vote of thanks was proposed by Prof. Aditee Godbole. The Webinar received an overwhelming participation from our students.



RESOURCE PERSON – MR. SACHIN POLKE



MODERATOR – DR. NIKHIL POLKE



VOTE OF THANKS – PROF. ADITEE GODBOLE

Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur organized webinar
The ESG Regulatory Framework in India"
01st August, 2020.

The Placement Cell, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur organized a Webinar on "**The ESG Regulatory Framework in India**" on 01st August, 2020. delivered by **Ms. Bhakti Madan**. Ms. Bhakti Madan is presently working as Associate, Cyril Amarchand Mangaldas.

Ms. Bhakti Madan, Partner, Associate, Cyril Amarchand Mangaldas, was introduced by Prof. (Dr.) Shilpa Sharma, Faculty at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. The Welcome Address was given by Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director – Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. Ms. Bhakti Madan is practicing in the General Corporate team of the firm. She is involved in various commercial arrangements and technology-based start-ups, on evolving regulations and legal frameworks. She has specialized in EdTech advisory, transactions pertaining to mergers and acquisitions of schools and educational institutions, advisory on equity transactions (foreign and domestic) in educational institutions including FDI, structuring and advising leading educational institutes on fund-raising, and advising the trustees and board of schools and colleges across the country on criminal liability.

Ms. Bhakti Madan began with explaining the students about ESG - Environmental, Social and Governance. She further explained the ESG Standards. She also explained that ESG is “a generic term used in capital markets and used by investors to evaluate corporate behaviour and to determine the future financial performance of companies.” It is used by investors to evaluate corporations and determine the future financial performance of companies. The current ESG trends in India were discussed as compared to existing global trends in developed and developing markets. A number of corporate instances were discussed. These instances were of special interest for the student audience and not only attracted attention but solicited a number of questions and queries. The Regulatory framework was then introduced and the NGRBC guidelines were discussed. This was followed by further discussion on the Corporate Governance Laws. The evolution of Corporate Governance Legislation in India was discussed in detail with a number of instances. The Companies Act, 2013 and the SEBI (LODR), 2015 regulations were discussed.

The session was followed by the Question & Answer session. The event was moderated by Prof. (Dr.) Shilpa Sharma and the Vote of thanks was proposed by Prof. Trupti Kokate, Faculty, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. The seminar was attended by the students of SLS, Nagpur and many registered participants across the Nation.



Ms. Bhakti Madan, Associate, Cyril Amarchand Mangaldas

Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur organizes Webinar on “Campus to Corporate”

14th August, 2020

The Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur organized a webinar on "**Campus to Corporate**" on 14th August, 2020 delivered by **Dr Arvinder Kour**. She is presently working with the Meghe Group of Institutions, Nagpur.

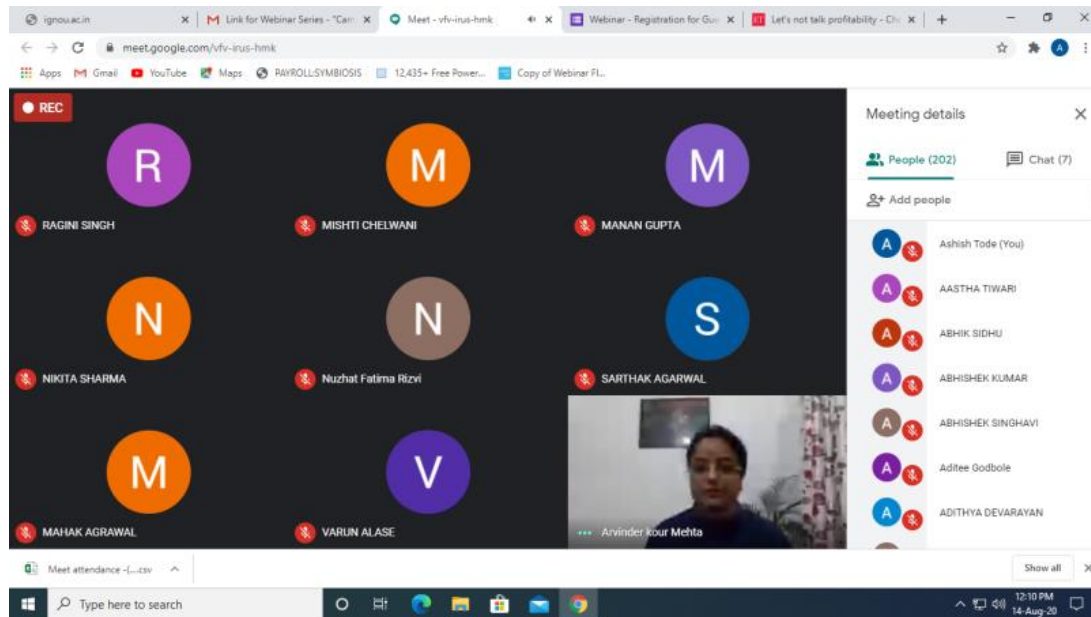
Dr Arvinder Kour, was welcomed and introduced by Dr Nuzhat Rizvi, Assistant Professor at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. Dr Arvinder Kour is a senior Professional having 20 years of broad based and progressive experience in Law, Management, HR and General Administration. She has a perpetual desire of learning and this zest and passion has led her to acquire four post gradation degrees which includes M.A. (Public Administration), LL.M (Business and Labor Law), MIRPM, MBA (HR and Marketing) and Ph.D.

She has conducted more than 100 Training Programs for employees of Private and Public Sector and students of various Institutes which includes personality development, soft skill, smart work, Applicability of ISO in personal life, Brand Management, Personal Branding, High Performance, Goal setting, Stress management, Leadership and other motivational training.

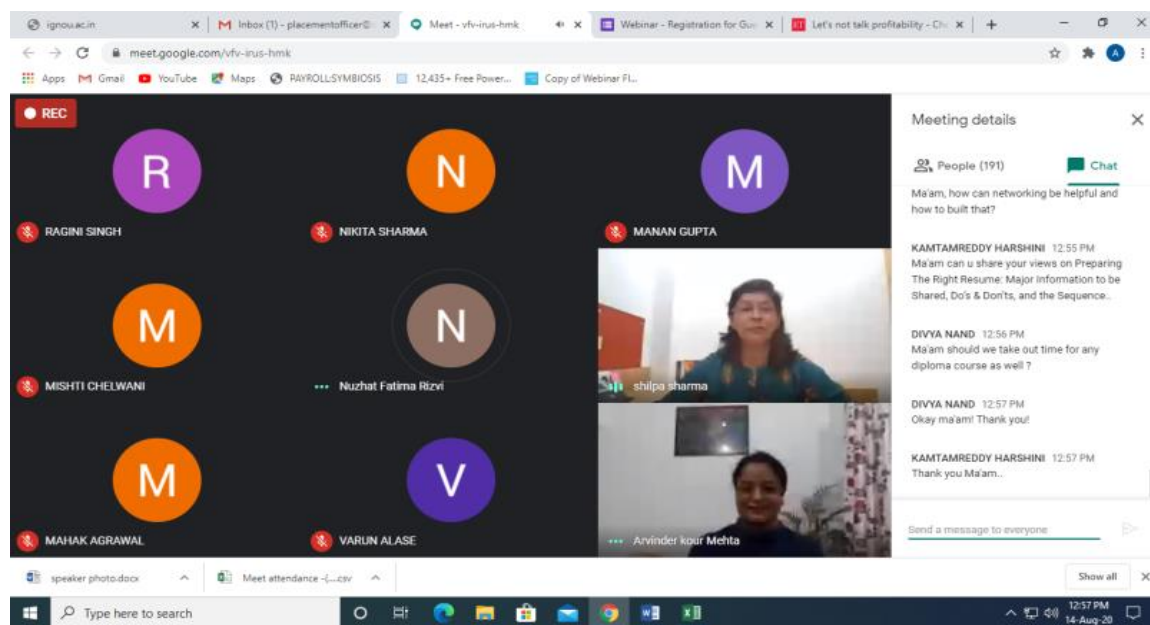
In her session Dr Arvinder Kour interacted with the students and highlighted the strategies and skills required for a successful journey from Campus to Corporate. She stressed on enhancing research skills and leadership qualities. The students were also encouraged to undertake short term courses as per the individual choice and inclination. She discussed at length how the students can make the most of their college years.

This was followed by the Question & Answer session. The webinar was organized under the guidance of Dr Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. The event was moderated by Dr Nuzhat Rizvi and the vote of thanks was delivered by Dr Shilpa Sharma, Assistant Professor, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur.

The seminar was attended by the students of SLS, Nagpur and registered participants across the Nation.



Dr. Arvinder Kour during the webinar session.



REPORT OF WEBINAR ON “DIGITAL MARKETING TO BUILD PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE BRANDS”

19th August, 2020

On 19th August 2020, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur organized a Webinar on “DIGITAL MARKETING TO BUILD PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE BRANDS” at 4 pm. This is the Third Webinar organized under CENTRE FOR ACADEMIC LEADERSHIP AND MANAGEMENT (CALM), of SLS, Nagpur.

Dr. Sanjay Arora, CEO & Founder of Shells Advertising, Nagpur was the resource person for the Webinar. Dr. Nikhil Polke, Moderator of the Webinar introduced the resource person Dr. Sanjay Arora and welcomed the participants to the Webinar.

Dr. Sanjay Arora's discourse on the “DIGITAL MARKETING TO BUILD PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE BRANDS” was indeed a rich real life experience for our students. Substance and approach of Dr. Sanjay Arora drew the audience and held their attention throughout the session. He also shared his real life experiences citing different examples of Digital marketing and advertising. This was followed by question-answer session where the resource person enthusiastically answered the participants.

Vote of thanks was proposed by Prof. Trupti Kokate. The Webinar received an overwhelming participation from our students.



RESOURCE PERSON – DR. SANJAY ARORA



MODERATOR – DR. NIKHIL POLKE

REPORT OF NATIONAL WEBINAR ON “INTRODUCTION TO THEORIES OF JUSTICE”

17th August, 2020

On 17th August 2020, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur organized a National Webinar on "**Introduction to theories of justice**" at 10:30 am. The Webinar was organized to give students a proper Understanding about the meaning and significance of justice, framework on access to justice, and to identify and recognize the various barriers within and outside the justice system that hinder access to justice.

Shri Abhijit Rohi, Assistant Professor, Maharashtra National Law University, Mumbai was the resource person for the Webinar. Welcome address was delivered by Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. Dr Deepti Khubalkar, Moderator of the Webinar introduced the resource person Shri Abjijit Rohi and welcomed the participants to the Webinar.

Mr. Rohi talked about various theories of justice including Nozik and Rawls theory. He also highlighted the importance and connection of utilitarianism, egalitarianism and liberalism with justice. Mr Abhijit Rohi's address on the Introduction to theories of justice was indeed mesmeric experience for all the attendees across nation and our students. Substance of the lecture drew the audience and held their attention throughout the session. This was followed by question-answer session where the resource person enthusiastically answered the participants. Vote of thanks was proposed by Ms. Aditee Godbole. The Webinar received an overwhelming participation from across the country. Students and faculties from various colleges participated in the seminar.



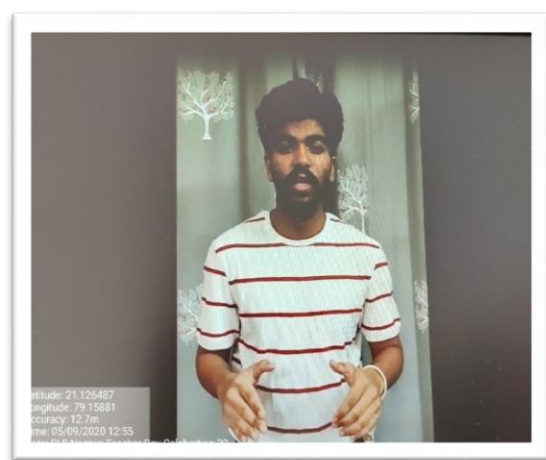
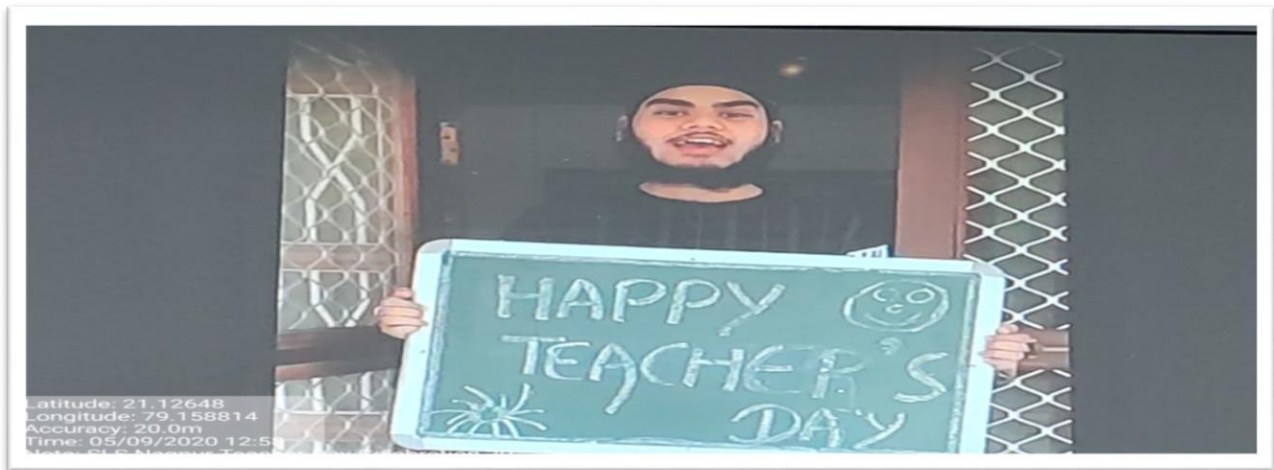
REPORT OF TEACHER'S DAY CELEBRATION

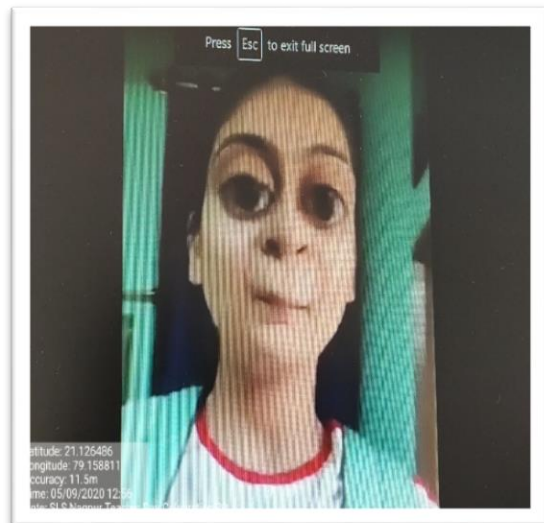
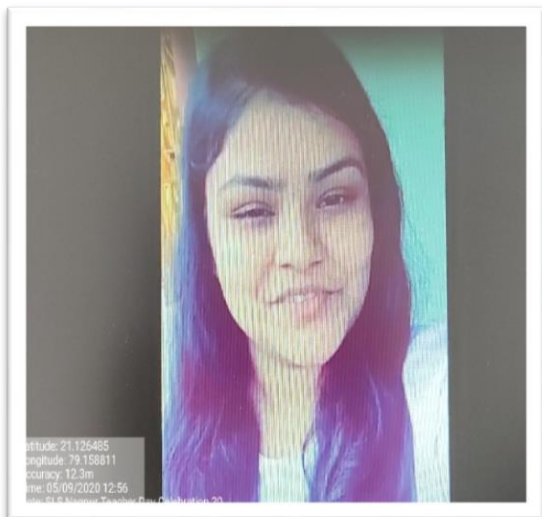
5th September, 2020

Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur celebrated Online Teacher's Day, amid the Covid-19 pandemic restrictions, but this has not dampened the enthusiasm among the students despite limitations. In spite of challenges the students have coordinated well and organized an online programme for Teacher's Day through Google Meet.

Students of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur by recording a video shared their messages to teachers and to the staff of SLS –Nagpur. Students also appreciated the efforts taken by teachers and expressed their gratitude for their constant support.

Online celebration was a new experience for the students as well as for the teaching and non-teaching staff but the efforts taken by students to make this event a huge success was commendable. The attempt made by students was well appreciated by all the teachers and the administrative staff of the institute.





Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur
organized
Three Days Induction Program for New batch of LL.M Students.

Day 1: Inauguration:

Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur organized three days online Induction Program from 03rd to 5th September 2020 for the Post-Graduate students in Law i.e. LL.M students. On 3rd September, Honorable Shri Justice M. Pitale, Judge, Bombay High Court, Nagpur Bench was the Chief Guest and the Vice-Chancellor of Maharashtra National Law University (MNLU), Aurangabad, Professor KVS Sarma was the Guest of Honor. The Master of the Ceremony, Dr. Shilpa Sharma, Faculty at Symbiosis Law School (SLS), Nagpur began the ceremony by welcoming the Chief Guest, Guest of Honor, the Director, the students and the other participants in the audience. The significance of the first day in college of a new student was articulated by new hopes, dreams and aspirations. It was also a time to commemorate the completion of 50 years of service and for being the torch bearer of quality education by Symbiosis in the field of education. A short film on how Symbiosis came into being was featured.

This feature was followed by the Welcome address by Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. Dr. Dari in his welcome address emphasized on the importance of quality education at Symbiosis Law School and urged the new young professionals to inculcate the same legacy. In his address, he acknowledges the strength of any educational Institution to be its Research area. Dr. Dari further informed in his address that the SLS, Nagpur got overwhelming response for LL.M admissions and the seats were less as compared to the applications received.

Professor KVS Sarma in his impeccable style motivated the new comers to utilize their time meticulously while studying in SLS, Nagpur to gain mastery over new challenges, Research Skills and Learning pedagogy.

Hon'ble Shri Justice Manish Pitale eloquently submitted to the young professionals not to consider this course just as post graduate course but to think differently and critically during the course completion. Hon'ble Justice also encouraged the students to think of this course as an avenue to give back to the society.

Hon'ble Justice further talked about the significance of respect for the seniors and teachers. He spoke highly about his time at Nagpur with his guru Adv. Aney. Honorable Justice Pitale recollected his college days and the professors who taught him. He distinctly remembered Prof. Upendra Bakshi, the then Vice Chancellor of Faculty of Law, Delhi University and Prof Bakshi's unique pedagogy. Justice Pitale lauded the course structure for LLM and emphasis is on interdisciplinary compatible global approach. He further talked about the fields of Criminal Law and Corporate Law. He urged the students to do original research in either of the fields of criminology or corporate laws. He asked the students to contribute original thoughts with contemporary ideas. On a final note he asked the students to be humble, be good, be righteous and be forever young.

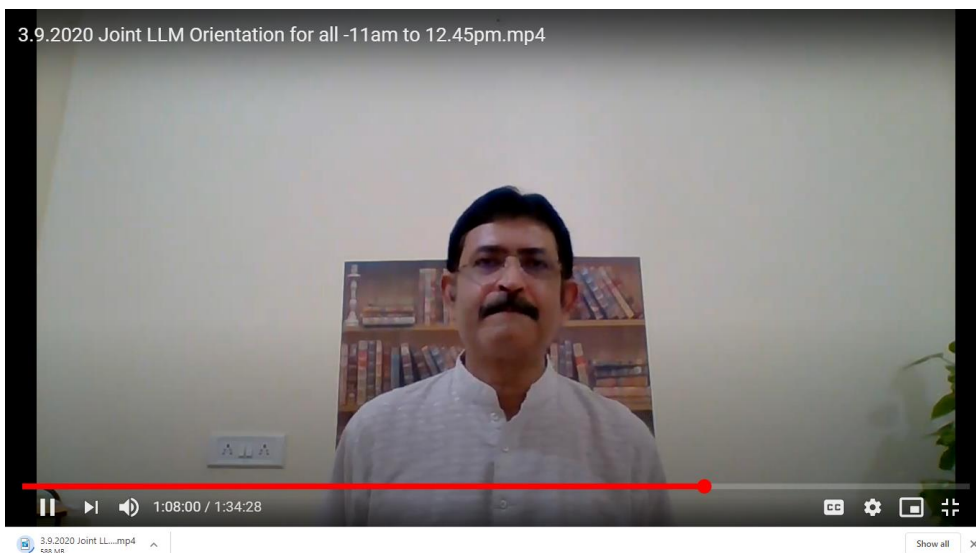
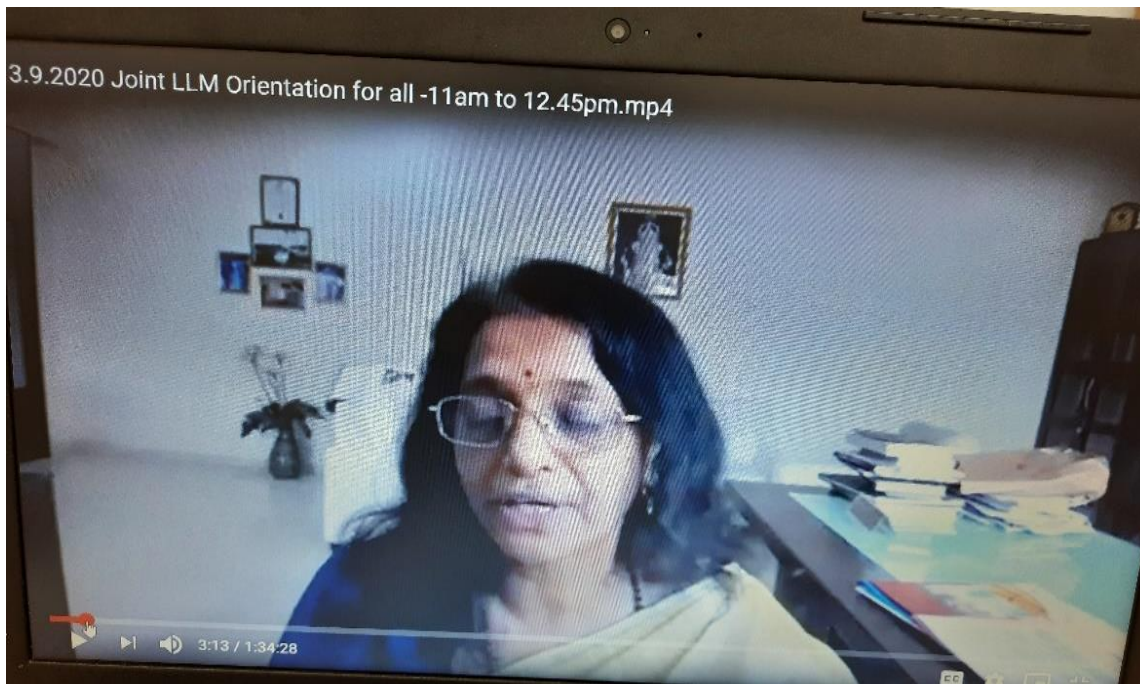
The Vote of Thanks was proposed by Dr. Aarti Kalnawat, Faculty, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur.



Honorable Shri Justice M. Pitale addressing the gathering



The Inauguration of Induction Program was followed by Dean's Address. **Dr. Shashikala Gurpur** in her address highlighted Faculty of Law Journey and emphasized the importance of Research in achieving Success to the New Young Professionals. The importance of power of mind was also demonstrated by Yoga Orientation after the dean's Address by **Mr. Prashant Pandey**.



Mr. Prashant Pandey addressing the students in Yoga Orientation.

Day 2: Induction 04.09.2020

Dr. Sachin Tripathi: Welcomed everyone to the Second day of LLM Induction Program. The day 2 of the induction program began with a session on ever-happening topic of '**Why Gender Matters**' by **Dr. Rekha Pande**, former Director of the Centre for Women's Studies and a Professor of History, University of Hyderabad.

Dr. Rekha Pande discusses the causes for gender disparity. Madam Pande also highlighted the women's contribution to the social process. Gender equality is a Human Right, unless there is equality there cannot be any kind of social and economic progress. Equality means that each individual has an opportunity to make most of their lives and talents. It also believes that no one should have a poor life chance because of where they are born, where they come from or whether they have any disability.

Who is to be blamed for this gender inequality? Is it men, is it women or is it men and women both. I would like to shift the question from who is to be blamed to what is to be blamed. This leads to patriarchy, capitalist mode of production, production relation, division of the society in terms of socio economic groups such as class, caste and religion. We have to recognize that both men and women are humans. It is time we measure one's masculinity in terms of equality. We can teach the daughter to break the silence.



Dr. Rekha Pande addressing the students



Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari welcoming the Guest.

Dr. Mimi Samuel Associate Professor of Lawyering Skills & Associate Director of Legal Writing Program Seattle University School of Law, Seattle, Washington, USA spoke on **Legal Analysis** and guided the New Comers on the same.



Dr. Mimi Samuel addressing the students on Legal Analysis.

Adv. Pranav Vyas of DSK Legal, New Delhi also addressed the New Batch Students on the topic **“Preparing Yourself for Career in the Corporate Legal Profession”**. Adv. Vyas told the students that the older and traditional solicitor firm as we knew of them from the Bombay days were the one that had carried a lot of legacy from the British Solicitor firm culture. Since then we have been developing a very robust hierarchical and a very well-organized professional set-up in the law firms across different tiers. Law firms are a collection of certain lawyers who handle a various area as practice areas. All the work that is executed for the clients, be it litigation assignment or a corporate assignment who are doing the legal research, doing the first cut of drafting, organizing the documents, organizing the filing with the paralegal staff, assisting the senior colleagues in the firm in various terms and briefings and teleconferences and meetings with the clients. This is the stage where the young lawyers are called the sponges, where they are absorbing the maximum amount of learning and experience so that they move up the corporate ladder. Now, what is expected out of these young lawyers. For preparing yourself for a career in these law firms; a young aspirant law graduate,

- Have to be 110% dedicated in what you are going to do.
- Be resilient and put in a large number of hours.
- Punctuality and quickness in reverting to the seniors and clients.



Adv. Pranav Vyas addressing the students of LL.M Batch 2020-2021.

Sr. Adv. Shekhar Naphade (Supreme Court)

Soon after the lecture of Adv. Pranav Vyas, Sr. Adv. Shekhar Naphade began his speech with recollection of 26th January 1950 when the Constitution came into force. Sir address the students on the topic

“Impact of Constitution on Criminal Law”. Sir highlighted the various supreme court judgements from A.K. Gopalan to Nirbhaya gang rape case showing the impact of Article 21 on the Criminal Cases. Hence Article 21 in its right sweep applies in all stages of the criminal trial, right up to execution of the sentence.



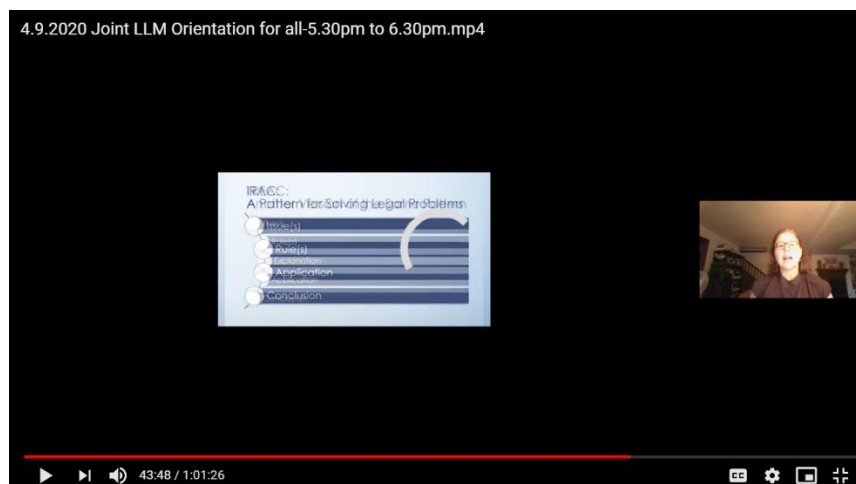
Sr. Adv. Shekhar Naphade delivering his Lecture.

The Symbiosis International University has its own Research Publication, and the importance of Research was mentioned by Head of the department **Dr. Yogesh Patil** from Pune to the Students after the Lunch Break on the topic, **“Introduction to Research”**. The session was very Informative and Interesting for the LL.M Students.



Dr. Yogesh Patil addressing the students.

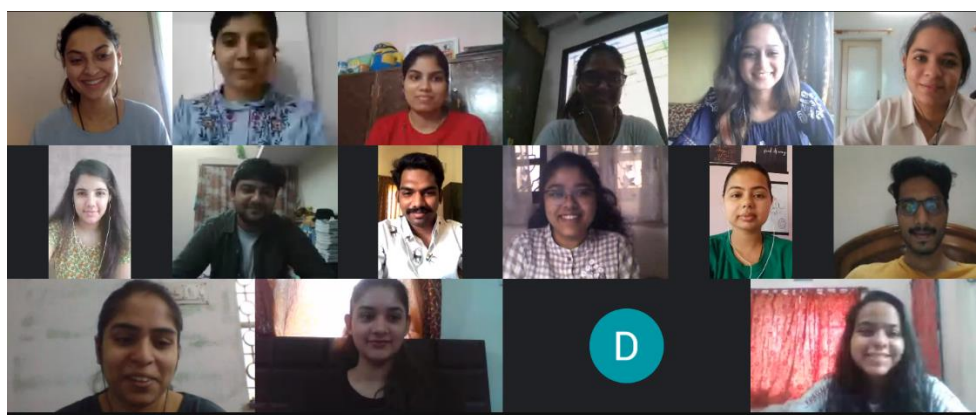
In the evening, a lecture by Antonina (Tonya) Kowalska, Professor of Law, Director of International Legal Programs, Washburn University, School of Law, USA was organized for New Comers of one year LL.M Program on the topic **BASIC IRAC STRUCTURE**. The importance of Legal Analysis was highlighted by the Guest Speaker using IRAC Method.



Antonina (Tonya) Kowalska addressing the students from USA.

Day 3: Induction 05.09.2020

The third day of the LL.M. induction program began with students introducing themselves to their classmates and the staff members of SLS, Nagpur family. It was followed by the introduction of the Teaching and Non-teaching staff members of SLS, Nagpur. The Director of SLS, Nagpur, Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari addressed the students on academic progression. The induction program was concluded after the presentation from Dr. Sachin Tripathi regarding the examinations. The event was compared by Ms. Aditee Godbole. Ms. Sayalee Surjuuse delivered the vote of thanks.



The LL.M Students during the Introduction Round.



Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari sir addressing the new students on Academic Progression.

The image is a screenshot of a video lecture. On the left, there is a presentation slide with a pink header that reads "EXAMINATION ELIGIBILITY". Below the header, there are two bullet points in green text. The first bullet point is "Course Not Granted (CNG):" and the second is "Term Not Granted (TNG):". Both points state that a minimum 75% attendance is mandatory for eligibility for examinations. If attendance is below 75%, students will not be granted permission to appear. On the right side of the slide, there is a small video window showing Dr. Sachin Tripathi, a man with glasses wearing a purple shirt and a red lanyard. Below the video window, his name "Sachin Tripathi" is written. At the bottom of the slide, there is a small blue button that says "Next" and a small red button that says "Close".

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Sachin Tripathi

Dr. Sachin Tripathi clarifying the examination rules to new students.

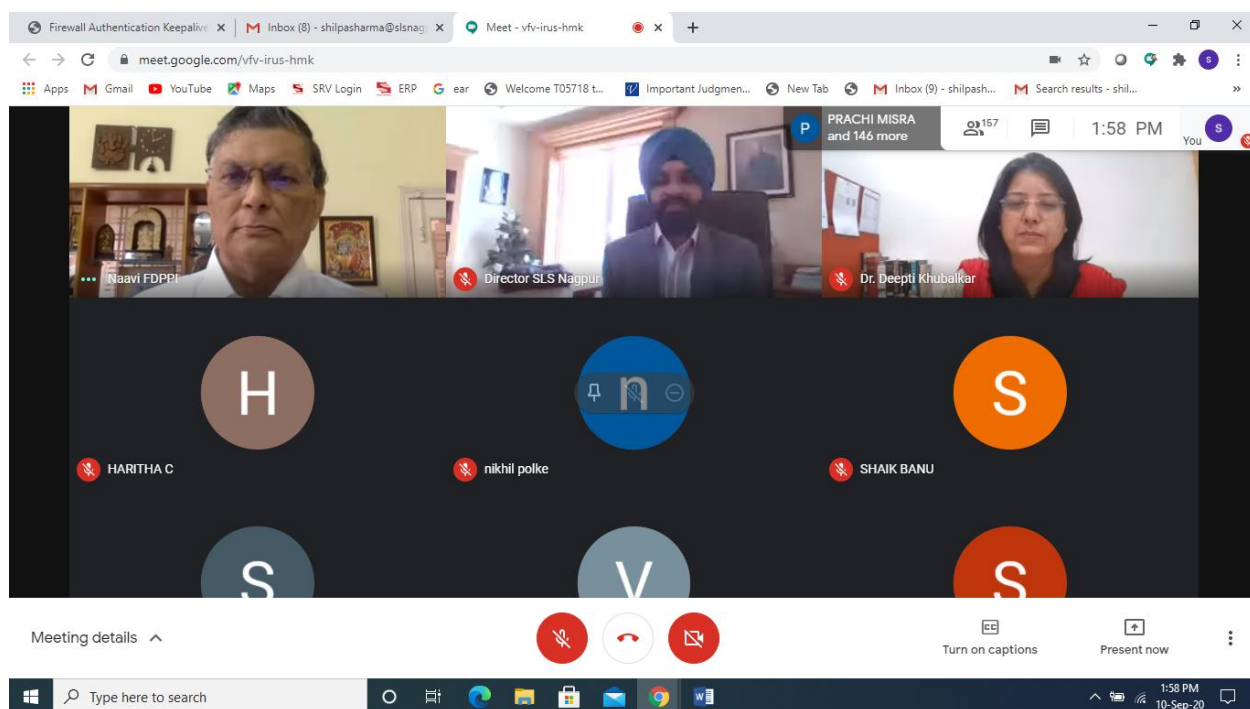
**Online Legal Awareness Programme on Emerging Data Protection and
Data Privacy Regulations in India
in Collaboration with FDPPI**

10th September, 2020

Symbiosis Law school Nagpur which is inaugurated its Legal Aid Centre at Nagpur campus on 12th October 2019 is established with an objective to provide legal aid and to impart legal awareness to needy and poor sections of the society. Through this Centre, college provide legal knowledge and literacy by organizing guest lectures legal aid camps and other social outreach programs. With this purpose the Centre at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur in collaboration with Foundation of Data Protection Professional in India organized an online Legal Awareness Program on Emerging Regulation on Data Protection and Privacy in India on 10th September, 2020 at 2 p.m.

Shri Vijayashankar Nagaraja Rao, Chairperson, FDPPI was the resource person for the webinar. Welcome address was delivered by Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. While addressing, he said data is a very important commodity of any nation whether public data or private data. Hence, deliberation and discussion is required on this topic. He also thanked to participants for attending the webinar. Dr. Deepti Khubalkar, in charge of the Legal Aid Centre and faculty, SLS, Nagpur Moderated the program. Ms. Mahak Agrawal, Member, Legal Aid Centre introduced the resource person. Mr. Vijayashankar Nagaraja Rao commenced his session by explaining the meaning of Right to Privacy and Judicial interpretation from the Supreme Court case MP Sharma vs Satish Chandra to Puttaswami an Adhar Judgement. Mr. Rao also quoted Justice Chandrachud in defining privacy as a desire of a human being to be left alone. Mr. Rao gave an in depth analysis of Data Protection Bill Data Protection Authority, rights under the Bill and Section 43A of IT Act, 2000.

The webinar ended with a question and answer session relating to data privacy in cyberspace and related issues. Vote of thanks was proposed by Ms. Ritu R. Jaiswal, Member, Legal Aid Centre and Student, SLS Nagpur.



Workshop on Research Methodology

Topic

“Stages of Research”

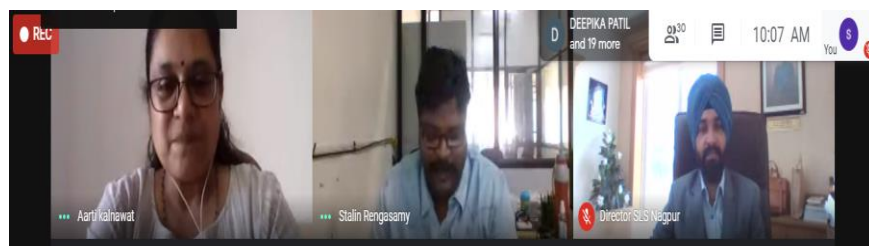
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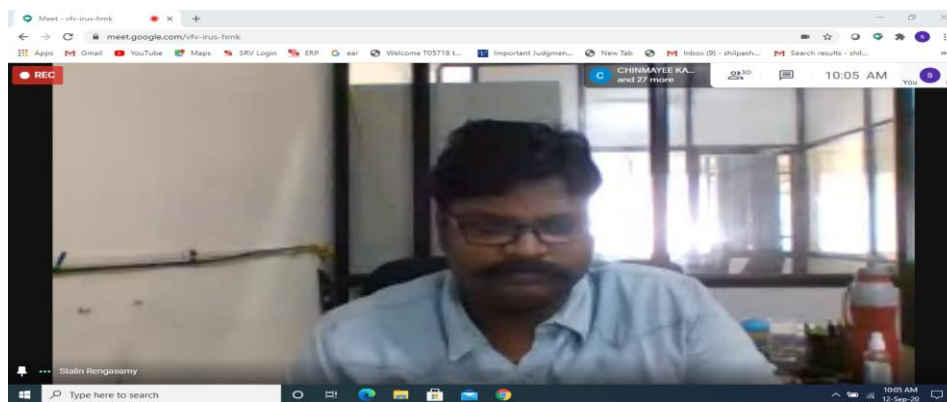
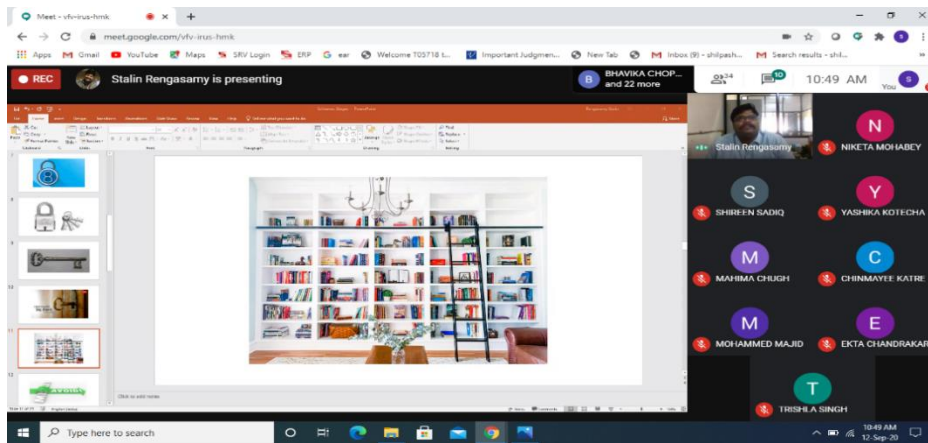
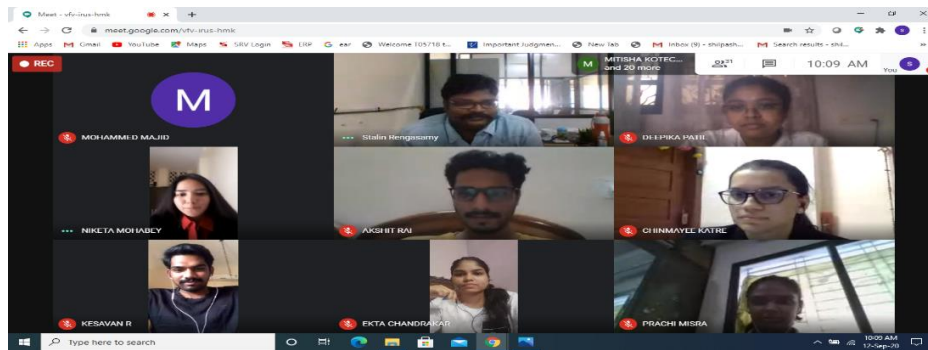
Symbiosis Law school Nagpur organised a workshop on research Methodology on 12th September 2020 from 10.00am to 1.00pm. The theme was focused on “Stages of Research.” The speaker for the session was Dr. Rangasamy Stalin, Assistant Professor, Maharashtra National Law University, Nagpur.

Workshop started with the Welcome address by Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. While addressing, he stressed on the importance of research and declared that there will be series of programmes which are planned for the students, exploring various dimensions of research. As research is a vast field and covers multidimensional implications hence, constant deliberation and discussion is required on this topic. He also thanked the participants for attending the workshop.

The Speaker of the workshop Dr Rangasamy Stalin, right from the beginning by his interactive style drawn the attention of students. He firstly drawn the views of all students on their basic knowledge of the research and then in his impeccable style discussed various research methods and schemes. He provided eight aspects as eight locks of research method like paradigm, purpose, time dimension of research, framing of hypothesis, nature of data, method of data collection, method of reasoning and unit of analysis. He guided the students in preparing their own checklist so that a good blue print of research can be laid down. All the students appreciated the knowledge gained.

Dr. Aarti Mohan Kalnawat, faculty, SLS, Nagpur Moderated the program and introduced the resource person, Vote of thanks was proposed by Prof Sayalee Surjuse, Faculty, SLS Nagpur.





Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur

Celebrated Hindi Divas.

On the occasion of Hindi Divas, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur organized a special program on 14/09/2020. This special program was conducted by Dr. Shilpa Sharma, Professor, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur.

She first welcomed and greeted **Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari**, Director of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur, teaching, non-teaching staff and all students on the occasion of Hindi Divas.

Dr. Sharma told all the participants that on September 14, 1949, the Constituent Assembly accepted Hindi as the official language. In Indian constitution, arrangements have been made in relation to the official language from Articles 343 to 351. To keep the memory of this day fresh, 14, September is celebrated every year as Hindi Day. She also told that the language which has great poets like Tulsidas and Surdas, one can find out the power of that language by reading their works. In the beginning of the program, some of the students started by presenting the poem in their own style and mesmerized the audience. The beauty, spontaneity and dignity of the Hindi language could be felt on seeing the enthusiasm of the students.

After this, students were given an extempore topic and they expressed their views on that topic in Hindi for two minutes.

Before the end of the program, students were quizzed on Hindi literature and general knowledge of Hindi Language. Many students of Post Graduate course and under graduate course participated whole-heartedly in the program.

Dr. Sachin Tripathi recited beautiful poem before everyone and proposed formal vote of thanks.



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Workshop on Research Methodology

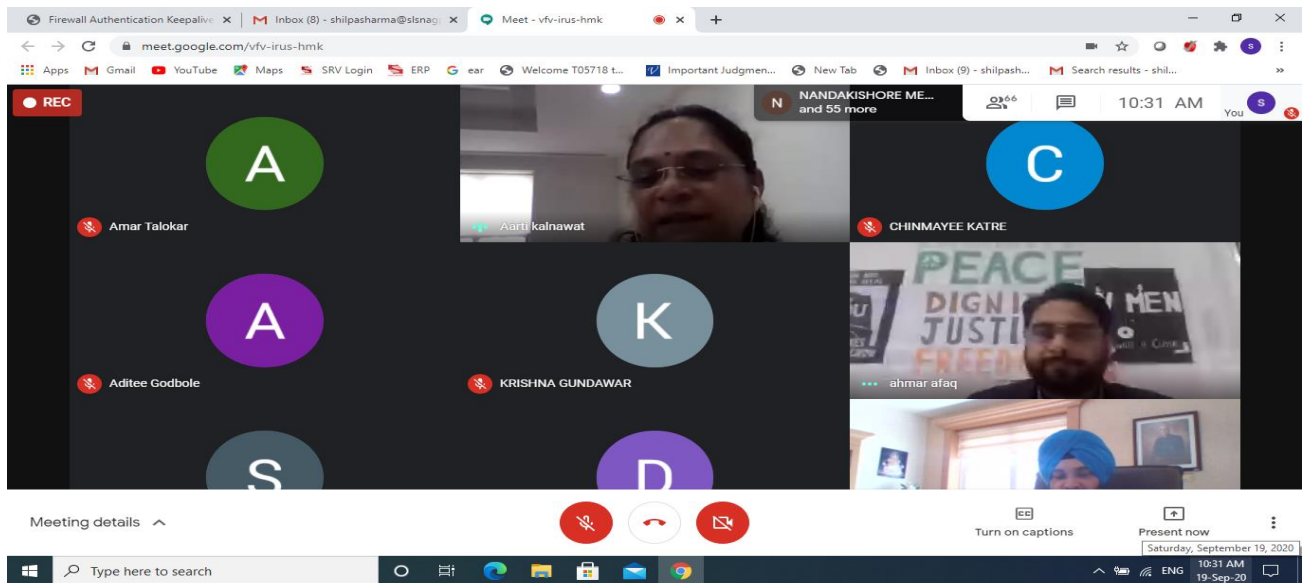
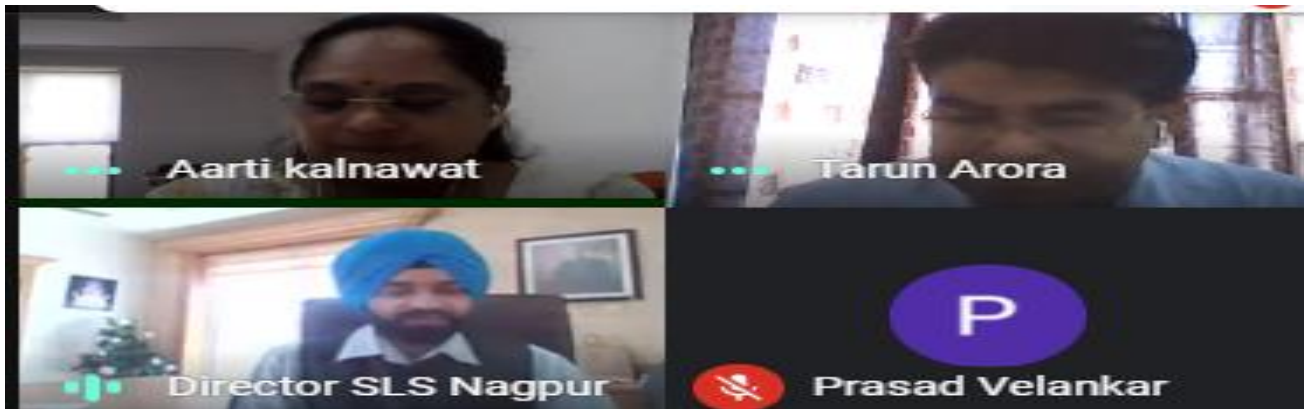
19th September, 2020

Symbiosis Law school Nagpur organised a workshop on research Methodology, on 19th September 2020 from 09.00am to 12.00pm. Continuing the tradition of bringing out the best in Students in terms of good research work, Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur in his Welcome Address shown his inclination towards making training on research as intricate part of student's all round development. While addressing, he stressed on the importance of research. He also thanked the participants for attending the workshop.

The Speaker of the workshop Prof (Dr) Tarun Arora, who is Dean, School of law, Central University of Punjab, Bhatinda emphasized on laying concrete foundation for good research work. He guided the students on art of writing a research article. He shared inputs on four aspects like purpose of research, credit of knowledge, systematic enquiry and making reforms in the written work. The critical evaluation being the core part of research study, he helped the students in understanding the nuances of research right from title framing till drawing of conclusion in nutshell.

The Second Speaker for the session Prof Ahmar Afaq, Assistant Professor, Symbiosis Law School, Hyderabad, shared his insights on steps involved in publishing the paper in Scopus indexed Journals/Publications and various citation styles, tools and technique for collecting data of research. Citing interesting examples he opened the Pandora box of empirical research and navigated the thought process of students by showcasing that the new dimension added by the researcher helps in qualitative findings and suggestions. He helped in understanding how to choose journals for publication of articles written by research students. All the students appreciated the efforts of the Law School in enriching their experience in the field of research.

Dr. Aarti Mohan Kalnawat, faculty, SLS, Nagpur Moderated both the sessions and introduced the resource persons, Vote of thanks in the first session was proposed by Prof Aditee Godbole , Faculty, SLS Nagpur and in the second session by Madam Trupti Kokate, Teaching Assistant, SLS Nagpur.



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- Research means 'something else'.
- **Originality of Ideas** is the key point.
- Expression of **genuine ideas** and contribution in **addition** and **creation of knowledge**.
- **Systematic inquiry**

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