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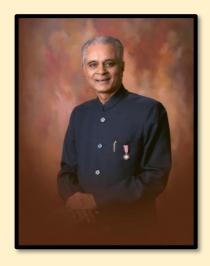
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#### **EDITOR'S NOTE:**

Greetings from Symbiosis Law School Nagpur!!!

Legal education plays a significant role in promoting social justice and carving out next-generation lawyers. Every legal professional has multi-dimensional facets in society as a policymaker, business advisor, negotiator, litigation professional, mediator, and law professional.

Law is an adventurous, exciting, and dynamic career option due to the ever-changing social and economic circumstances making it a popular choice of students these days. Legal education is bridging the gap between choices of Medicine, Engineering, or Commerce for bright and dynamic aspirants. The law profession constantly brings fresh challenges to your career therefore it is essential for legal education in India to cater to the needs of a new brand of legal consumers.

As a young law school, Symbiosis Law School Nagpur envisions a professionally sound and socially relevant legal education. Symbiosis Law School Nagpur has set its sight on contributing to the much-desired quality legal education. A group of dedicated academicians in the school are focused to carve a niche for this law school. This is possible with the active participation of a motivated student community who are brimming with energy and are committed to walking the extra mile. Symbiosis Law School Nagpur has the "State of Art Infrastructure" with remarkable facilities for its students. The pollution-free premises have abundant open space and an impressive array of academic, sports, and cultural facilities. The quality curriculum for BA.LLB., BBA.LLB., and LLM, blended with practical learning ensures that students joining the law programs will have great learning satisfaction and exposure to the challenging complex business issues.

We as a team endeavor to fulfill the noble objectives of our Founder Chancellor, Dr. S B Mujumdar in this regard under the able guidance of our Pro-Chancellor, Dr. Vidya Yeravdekar by contributing to the progress of society at large. We create a platform of interactions for students with scholars and thinkers of national and international repute.

I am delighted and honored to present before you the annual newsletter of Symbiosis Law School Nagpur, Volume VI (2024). This newsletter is an attempt to secure to our readers an opportunity to look into the innumerable activities undertaken at our splendid campus on daily basis. It is an endeavor to inform the outside world and strengthen our brand by projecting our prolific and dynamic students' activities. The entire team has made an effort to pull out all the stops in order to bring to you this virtuous reading. Bringing out this newsletter was an exciting experience that filled me up with the favor of learning and being a part of various activities.

The newsletter is published with almighty's grace and intends to present to our reads a canvas of activities painted from a pallet of sheer hard work and perseverance.

I wish all the readers an inspirational read!!

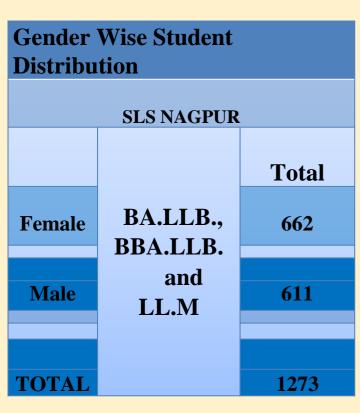
Prof. (Dr.) Sukhvinder Singh Dari,

Director, SLS NAGPUR



### STUDENT'S STRENGTH AT SLS NAGPUR

PROGRAMME NAME	TOTAL NUMBER OF STUDENTS
Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Laws	621
Bachelor of Business Administration and Bachelor of Laws	618
Master of Laws 1)Business and Corporate Law 2) Criminal and Security Law	34
Total	1273







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1	Symbiosis Law School Nagpur.	Ethnic Day	12 <sup>th</sup> January 2024	14
2	Research and Publication Cell, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur.	National Conference on 'Artificial Intelligence, Technology and Law'	12 <sup>th</sup> January 2024	15
3	<b>Dr. Jerry Banait,</b> Founder, Avi Foundation, Nagpur	Guest Lecture – Practical Application of the Right to Information Act	23 <sup>rd</sup> January 2024	16
4	Republic Day Celebration	Celebration of Republic Day.	26 <sup>th</sup> January 2024 from 7:45 am. Onwards	16
5	Symbiosis Law School Nagpur.	Attended Inauguration of Symbiosis Film Festival	27 <sup>th</sup> January 2024 from 01:00 pm. Onwards	17
6	Mr. Sajid Sheikh, Managing Director, Sentinel Solicitors based in London, United Kingdom.	International Guest Lecture on Mastering skills for successful Advocacy	30th January, 2024	17
7	Symbiosis Law School Nagpur.	Model United Nations (MUN) 2024	27 <sup>th</sup> & 28 <sup>th</sup> January 2024 from 09:00 am. Onwards	18
8	Sports Cell, Symbiosis Law School Nagpur.	"Symbiplay" Sports Event	02 <sup>nd</sup> & 03 <sup>th</sup> February 2024	19
9	Symbiosis Centre for Advocacy Skills and Litigation, Symbiosis Law School Nagpur	Devils Turn Court: Turncoat Competition at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur	03 <sup>th</sup> February 2024	20
10	Cultural Cell, Symbiosis Law School Nagpur.	Symphoria 2024	08 <sup>th</sup> February 2024 from 10:00 am. Onwards	20
11	Rotaract club of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur	Disability Care Center Visit at Home for Aged and Handicapped, Unthkana	08 <sup>th</sup> February 2024 from 10:00 am. Onwards	21



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12	Symbiosis Law School Nagpur.	Panel Discussion on Navigating the Evolving Landscape of Insolvency & Bankruptcy Perspectives from India, Canada, & Singapore.	09 <sup>th</sup> February 2024 from 05:00 pm. Onwards	22
13	Symbiosis Law School Nagpur.	Ethnic Day on Basant Panchmi 2024	14 <sup>th</sup> February 2024	23
14	Dr. Vinod Surana, CEO and Managing Partner of Surana and Surana. Tamil Nadu	Guest Lecture on Skills of Mediation Required for the Legal Profession.	19th February 2024 from 10:30 am. Onwards	23
15	International Cell, Symbiosis Law School Nagpur.	2 <sup>nd</sup> International Conference on Women Rights in Emerging Societies, 2024	17 <sup>th</sup> February 2024	24
16	Symbiosis Centre for Consumer Protection, Symbiosis Law School Nagpur.	Poster Making Competition 2024	20 <sup>th</sup> February 2024	25
17	Hon'ble Shri Justice V.C Daga, Former Judge, Bombay High Court. Nagpur Dr. Dnyaneshwar M. Mulay, Hon'ble Member, National Human Rights Commission, Delhi Hon'ble Shri. V.M. Deshpande, Former Judge, Bombay High Court. Nagpur. Shri Surajit Dey, Registrar (Law) National Human Rights Commission, India.Delhi	NHRC SLS, Nagpur National Moot Court Competition - 2024	23 <sup>th</sup> to 25 <sup>th</sup> February, 2024	26
18	Mr. Aamir Javed Associate, Phoenix Legal, New Delhi. Mr. Mohd Ashaab Advocate Supreme Court of India.	Interactive Session on Approaching Internships Placements and Interviews.	24 <sup>th</sup> February 2024	27
19	Dr. Charvi Kumar, Assistant Professor at SLS Nagpur.	Workshop on Millennium Fellowship.	26 <sup>th</sup> February 2024	27



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20	Symbiosis Advocacy & Research Centre for Women & Children Rights (SARC-WCR) Adv. Rahul G. Waghmare, Practicing Advocate at the Bombay High Court Nagpur. Mrs. Suchitaa Sarawgi soft skills trainer, image consultant, POSH Trainer and Parenting Coach.Nagpur	"Clarifying Boundaries: Shedding Light on the Complexities of Sex Work and Human Trafficking"	27 <sup>th</sup> February 2024	29
21		Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur	02 <sup>nd</sup> & 03 <sup>rd</sup> March 2024 from 02:00 pm. Onwards	30
22	Advocate Sachin V Jaiswal, Member of the District Consumer Commission in Chandrapur.	Guest Lecture on "Overview of the Consumer Protection Act in Contemporary Times"	04 <sup>th</sup> March 2024 from 02:00 pm. Onwards	33
23	Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur, Human Rights Cell	Logo Designing Competition "Insignia Contest"	05 <sup>th</sup> March 2024 from 09:00 am. Onwards	33
24	Advocate <b>Dhiraj Ailani.</b> Maharashtra Administrative Tribunal, and Bombay High Court. Nagpur	Workshop on Drafting of Bail Application	05 <sup>th</sup> March 2024 from 03:00 pm. Onwards	34
25	Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur	International Women's Day Celebration 2024	08 <sup>th</sup> March 2024 from 12:30 pm. Onwards	34
26	Mr. Suadat Ahmad Kirmani, Partner, IndusLaw, Bangalore.	Value-added course on 'A Practical Approach to Arbitration'	09 <sup>th</sup> March 2024 to 10 <sup>th</sup> March 2024	35
27	Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur	"Mera Pahla Vote Desh Ke Liye"	13 <sup>th</sup> March 2024 from 04:00 pm. Onwards	35



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28	Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur	Value Added Course on Legal Drafting	18th March 2024 to 6th April 2024	36
29	Student Council and Sports Cell, Symbiosis Law School Nagpur	"The Attorney's Cup" 2024.	18 <sup>th</sup> March 2024 from 04:00 pm. Onwards	36
30	Adv. Prateek Kubade, expertise in Forensic Science, Medical Negligence Cases, and Defense Law. Nagpur.	First Intra-Crime Scene Investigation Competition Tehkeqaat by Symbiosis Centre For Criminology and Forensic Science.	19 <sup>th</sup> to 20 <sup>th</sup> March 2024 from 3:00 pm onwards.	37
31	Symbiosis Law School Nagpur.	Sym-Jashan	29 <sup>th</sup> to 30 <sup>th</sup> March 2024	38
32	Symbiosis Law School Nagpur.	Reel Making Competition	01st April 2024	40
33	Adv. Poonam Pandey, General Manager, Godrej Properties, Nagpur.	Guest Lecture on Drafting of Mortgage Deed "	02 <sup>th</sup> April – 04 April 2024 from 10:00 am. Onwards	41
34	Mr. Siddharth Marwah, Counsel, Khaitan & Co, Delhi.	Value Added Course On Mergers And Acquisitions	6th April 2024 – 13th April 2024	42
35	Symbiosis Law School Nagpur.	E Magazine - Incubator 2.0	6th April 2024	43
36	Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur.	Farewell Batch 20219-2024	27 <sup>th</sup> April 2024	44
37	CA Premlata Daga Saboo and CA Aman Jain, Chartered Accountant, Company Secretary and Educators by Profession. Nagpur.	Workshop On Financial Fitness: Navigating Taxes And Investments With Confidence	02 <sup>nd</sup> May 2024 from 10:00 am Onwards	46



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39	SLS Nagpur Dr. Aarti Kalnawat and Dr.	Report on Three Days Training	2 <sup>nd &amp;</sup> 4 <sup>th</sup> July 2024from	48
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	Prof at SLS Nagpur	India for Students.	10.00 am Onwards	
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40	M.s Pradnya Vijay Kamble, Team Lead Product Training	Smart Board Training for Faculty and Staff	10 <sup>th</sup> July 2024 from	40
	Senses Electronics Pvt. Ltd,	and Starr	04:00 pm onwards	
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41	PROF. (DR.) Harpreet Kaur	Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur	15th -20th July 2024from	49-
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	MR. Manavendra Mishra	2024-2025		
	Partner, Khaitan & Co.			
	Mumbai.			
	Prof. (Dr.) Navpreet Kaur, a co-	"Gender Sensitization"		
	founder of the Laxmi Foundation,	Gender Sensitization		
	Social Entrepreneur, Writer, Lawyer, and POSH Trainer. Dr.			
	Payal Mundafale Thaorey, the Head			
	of the Post Graduate Department of			
	Law at Rashtrasant Tukdoji	"Anti-Ragging"		
	Maharaj Nagpur University.			
	Hon'ble Ms. Justice Indira			
	Banerjee, former Judge of the			
	Supreme Court of India. Delhi			
		"Constitutional Values in		
	Valedictory Function	Contemporary India,"		
	Dr. Ravindra Singal (IPS)			
	Commissioner of Police.			
	Nagpur.			
	Mr. Sampath Bulusu,			
	Director, Legal Shell Energy			
	India Pvt. Ltd. Ahmedabad,			
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42	Mr. Manavendra MishraPartner,	Interaction with Mr. Manavendra	15 <sup>th</sup> July 2024 from	54
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44	Prof. Giorgi Parulava,	Lecture on "AI Risk Categorisation	25 <sup>th</sup> and 26 <sup>th</sup>	55
	Stockholm University, Sweden.	from an EU LawPerspective." By Prof.	July 2024 from	
		Giorgi Puralava,	10:30 am onwards	
45	C	Shastra Sabha (Mock Parliament)	26 <sup>th</sup> and 27 <sup>th</sup>	
43	Symbiosis Law SchoolNagpur,	Shasha Saoha (Mock Fahlament)		55
	by Legal Aid Centre, Nagpur		July2024. from 10:00	
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46	Mr. Priyanshu Jain Associate,	Workshop on White Collar Crimes	27 <sup>th</sup> and 28 <sup>th</sup>	56
10	Khaitan & Co.Expert Mentor,	: Unpacking Criminal law reforms	July2024.	30
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	Mr. Kumar Kislay Partner, JSA		am onwards	
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47	Prof. Sergey Sayapin, School of	International Guest Lecture on:	02nd August	56
	Law at KIMEPUniversity,	"Central Asia and InternationalLaw"	2024 from 03:00	
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	Kazakhstan.		onwards	
48	Pro Bono Club, Legal AidCentre,	Legal Literacy and Community	02nd August 2024	57
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			10:00 am	
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49	Symbiosis Law SchoolNagpur	Awareness Campaign through Pledge	12 <sup>th</sup> August 2024	58
		titled "Say Yes to Life, No	from 04:00	
		to Drugs"	pm	
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50	Mr. Vipin Mokadam, Assistant	Guest Lecture: "Study Law	10th August, 2024	58
	Vice President	Overseas"	from	
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51	Symbiosis Law SchoolNagpur	Independence Day Celebration	15th August, 2024	59
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52	Training & Placement Cell	One Day Workshop on	17th August	59
	of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur	'Maximizing your potential andgaining	2024 from	
		an edge in law school'.	from 11:00 am	
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53	Student Council of	Oath Taking	21st August 2024	60
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56	Mr. Suadat Ahmad Kirmani,a partner at Indus Law Firm, Bengaluru.	Guest Lecture Series on 'ADR Mechanisms'	31th August – 1stSept 2024 From 09:00 am onwards	63
57	Symbiosis Law SchoolNagpur	The Role of Youth in Combating the Changing Landscape of Human Trafficking with Collaborate SLS Nagpur and Maharashtra State Human Rights Commission (MSHRC)	31 <sup>th</sup> August 2024 From 06:00 pmonwards	63
58	Adv, Krishma Merchant, Partner of I.V Merchant &Company	Workshop on Data Protection in Collaboration with I.VMerchant & Company	2nd September 2024 From 11:50 am onwards	64
59	Mr. Vivek Joshi, Senior Associate, PSL Advocates & Solicitors, New Delhi along with Mr. Rohan Gulati, Associate, PSL Advocates & Solicitors, New Delhi and Ms. Vatsala Pandey, MCL Candidate (University of Cambridge), ex- Law Clerk cum Research Associate at the Supreme Court of India.	Counselling Competitions"	September 20, 2024 & September 21, 2024	65
60	Legal Aid Centre, SymbiosisLaw School, Nagpur	Client Counselling Competition	21st September 2024	66
61	The Debate and Literary Cellin collaboration with the Symbiosis Centre for Legal and Business Conference	SLS NAGPUR NATIONAL MUN2024	21st & 22nd September 2024 From 09:30 amonwards	67



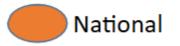
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	Maritime and Defence Laws		onwards	
63	Ms. Saumya Sharma UPSC	From Law School to LBSNAA Expert	24 <sup>th</sup> September	68
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64		Recreational Activity	27th Sontambar	
04	Staff Welfare Committee, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur	Recreational Activity	27 <sup>th</sup> September, 2024	69
65	Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur	Guest Lecture on Formation of Capital for Company Law	September 26-27, 2024	69
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66	Alternative Dispute Resolution Cell	3 <sup>RD</sup> INTRA MEDIATION	September 28, 2024	70
	(ADRC)	COMPETITION, 2024		
67	Training and Placement Cell	EDGE: A Placement Ranking Competition	September 29, 2024	71
68	Dr. Harmed Taherdoost, Associate	Workshop on "Strategies for Publishing	30 <sup>th</sup> September, 2-24	72
	Professor and Chair of RSAC, University	High-Impact Research Papers"	from 8.00 pm	, =
	Canada West, GUS Fellow (UK), and R&D Head at Q Minded Technology Inc.		onwards	
	(Canada).			
69	Student Council, Symbiosis Law School,	1st Intra Public Interest Litigation (PIL)	29 <sup>th</sup> September,	72
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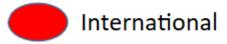


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	Publication Cell of Symbiosis Law	Election: Navigating The Future of	2024	'
	School, Nagpur.	Democracy		
71	Legal Aid Centre of Symbiosis Law	Legal Aid School Visit at G.M.	01st October	73
	School, Nagpur.	Banatwala English Madhyamik School	2024 from 10:40	13
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72	Legal Aid Centre of Symbiosis Law	Legal Aid School Visit at Saroj English	05 <sup>th</sup> October	74
. –	School, Nagpur.	Higher Primary School Hiari Nagar,	2024 from 12:00	/4
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73	Symbiosis Research and	A Workshop on Mastering Research	07 <sup>th</sup> – 08 <sup>th</sup>	7.4
''	Publication Cell of Symbiosis Law	Design	October 2024	74
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74	Cultural Call Curabiasis Law	Decent Developi Calabrations	Onwards	
74	Cultural Cell, Symbiosis Law	Basant Panchmi Celebrations	09 <sup>th</sup> October	75
	School, Nagpur.		2024 from 10:00	
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75	Centre for Taxation Laws of	Workshop on A Practical Perspectiveon	10 <sup>th</sup> October	76
	Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur	Goods and Services Tax in India	2024 from 10:00	
			am Onwards	
76	Symbiosis Advocacy & Research	Justice Quest 2.0	14 <sup>th</sup> October	77
	Centre For Women & Children		2024 From	
	Rights (SARC-WCR)		10:00 am onwards	
	Prof. Claes Granmar Associate	International Scholar in Residence	14 <sup>th</sup> – 16 <sup>th</sup>	
77	Professor, Stockholm University,	Programme	October 2024	78
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	Pune. Prof. Henricus Verhagen			
	Associate Professor, Stockholm			
	University, Sweden. Expert			
	Research Member – International,			
	SPARC Project, SLS Pune.			
78	Prof. Marcos Augusto Maliska,	"Constitutional Pluralism and the New	15th October 2024	79
70	Professor of Constitutional Law at	Family Arrangements"	From 6:00 pm	19
	the Autonomous University Center		onwards	
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	Curitiba-PR, Brazil.			
79	Symbiosis Law School Nagpur.	Diwali Celebration	23 <sup>rd</sup> October	80
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### **Ethnic Day Celebration**

Cultural Cell of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur hosted Ethnic Day on 12th January, 2024 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 endeavor 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 colorful 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. Ethnic day saw active participation of all the students

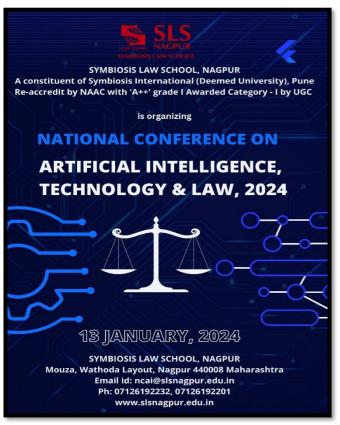




#### **National Conference on**

"Artificial Intelligence, Technology and Law, 2024"

The Research and Publication Cell of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur, hosted its first National Conference on Artificial Intelligence, Technology and Law, 2024, under the guidance of our Director, Professor Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, and Co-Convener and Faculty in charge of the Research and Publication Cell, Mr. Parth Sharma on 13th January 2024. The conference was organized to bring under one roof experts, academicians, and research scholars onto one virtual platform to share knowledge on Artificial Intelligence, Technology, and Law. In this regard, we have received warm acceptance responses from legal luminaries, professionals, and academicians as chief guests and keynote speakers. Participants included professionals, research scholars, and students from various universities in the country. The Chief Guest, Mr. Samrat Sengupta, Equity Partner at S. Jalan & Co. Delhi office, delivered the inaugural address. The Guest of Honour, Dr. Aradhana Nair, Associate Professor at the School of Law, Christ (Deemed to be) University, delivered the keynote address. The conference was divided into four technical sessions, which witnessed 31 paper presentations selected from among several entries received. The 31 papers presented at the conference addressed critical aspects of AI, technology, law, and their interrelationships. Chief Guest for the Valedictory session was Dr. Ashok Wadje, Associate Professor of Law and Associate Dean at Maharashtra National Law University Aurangabad who enlightened the attendees on various facets of Artificial Intelligence and law.







# Guest Lecture on the Practical Application of the Right to Information Act

On 23rd January 2024, the Legal Aid Centre at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur organised a guest lecture for the students of SLS on the Right to Information Act and its practical aspects as part of legal awareness. The Guest lecture was aimed towards enlightening the students upon the significance of the Right to Information Act and how the budding lawyers can help the society through the usage of RTI. Dr. Jerry Banait, Founder, Avi Foundation was the resource person for the same.



Dr. Deepti Khubalkar felicitating Dr. Jerryl Banait

### **Republic Day Celebration**

Living in a democratic republic, we have freedom in our minds, faith in our words, pride in our hearts and memories in our soul. Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur on behalf of Symbiosis International (Deemed University) Nagpur Campus organized the Republic Day Celebration to mark the 74th Republic Day.









## Inauguration of the 1st edition of Symbiosis Film Festival

The 1<sup>st</sup> edition of Symbiosis Film Festival was inaugurated by none other than The star of the Millennium' Shri Amitabh Bachchan ji, Prof. **Emeritus** Symbiosis International University. accompanied by Mrs. Bachchan Ji. The program was attended online by faculty and staff at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur.



# International Lecture on 'Mastering Skills for Successful Advocacy

Taking forward legacy its of Internationalization **Symbiosis** Law School, Nagpur organized a Guest Lecture of Mr. Sajid Sheikh, a senior legal practitioner as well as he is also currently serving as a Managing Director at Sentinel Solicitors, London, **United Kingdom** on the topic "Mastering Skills for Successful Advocacy" on 30 January 2024.





### SLS Nagpur MUN 2024: A Convergence of Intellect and Diplomacy

The Symbiosis Law School Nagpur witnessed a remarkable intellectual extravaganza as The Debate Literary Cell, in collaboration with the Symbiosis Centre for Legal Business Conference, orchestrated the Model United Nations (MUN) 2024 on January 27th and 28th, 2024. This twoday event, spearheaded by the esteemed director, Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, showcased the fusion of legal acumen and business foresight, creating unparalleled platform for students to engage in diplomacy, critical thinking, and problem-solving. The Debate and Literary Cell and Symbiosis Centre for Legal and Business Conference, renowned for its commitment fostering to creative and intellectual expression prowess, curated an event that not only simulated the workings of the United Nations but also delved into contemporary legal and business dilemmas.











#### "SYMBIPLAY"

The Sport helps to develop mental health and physical fitness of the body. It teaches about teamwork and coordination among the team members. Through participating in sports, the students gain various skills, discipline and confidence that are helpful for developing their personality.

The Sports Council of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur in association with the Department of Sports Recreation & Wellness, organized an Intra Campus Sports Event SYMBIPLAY 2023-24, on 2nd and 3rd February 2024. The Sports Council of SLS, Nagpur conducts a Badminton, Futsal, Basketball, Dodgeball, Volleyball and Throwball Tournament during the Sports Events for Boys and Girls Category.

In the Intra Campus SIU Nagpur Sports event, Symbiosis Law School Nagpur (SLS), Symbiosis School of Planning Architecture and Design (SSPAD), Symbiosis Centre for Management Studies (SCMS), Symbiosis Institute of Business and Management (SIBM) and Symbiosis Institute of Technology (SIT), students took participation in the respective events. There were more than 240 students (Boys & Girls) who participated in the two-day sports event.

A special thanks to Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari Sir, Director Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur, Dr. Pawan Bisht Sir, Asst. Director DSRW and Mr. Hemant K. Titarmare Sir, Sports Cell Incharge for the continuous support and guidance. Also, we are thankful to the sports council members and the volunteers for making this event successful.

## The Winners of the Sports Event are as follows:

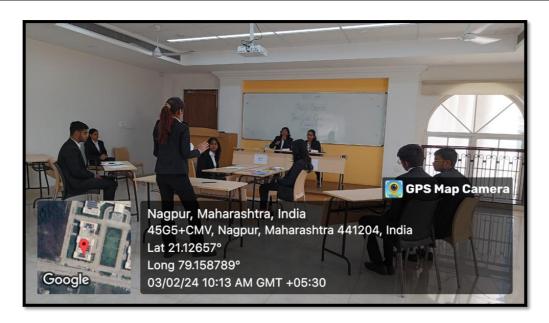
- •BADMINTON (MIX) WINNERS Team, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur
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- •THROWBALL (GIRLS) WINNERS Team, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur

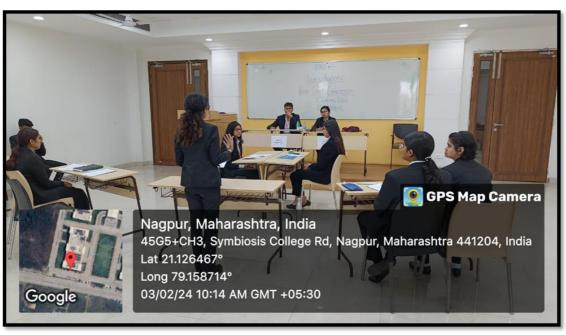




Report on Devils' Court: Turncoat Competition at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur

The Symbiosis Centre for Advocacy Skills and Litigation at Symbiosis Law School Nagpur successfully organized the "Devils' Court: Turncoat Competition" on February 3, 2024. This event, aimed at fostering and encouraging debating skills among the fresher students, witnessed enthusiastic participation from a total of 54 teams. The competition provided a platform for the participating students to engage in meaningful debates on various legal issues including euthanasia, presumption of innocence and guilt, vicarious liability, and sports law. These topics were carefully chosen to challenge the participants and stimulate critical thinking on contemporary legal matters. Total five court rooms were created with ten judges.







### Symphoria 2024

Cultural Cell, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur made sure that every calendar was marked red for **08th February**, **2024** by organizing **SYMPHORIA'24**. SYMPHORIA'24 was a succeeding event to SYMPLIFY, a cultural fest organized in year 2023. SYMPHORIA not only had to carry forward the legacy of the prior fest but also supersede the expectations and hype it had created. Events included **Treasure Hunt**, **T-Shirt Painting**, **Face Painting**, **Karaoke Competition**, **Musical Chairs**, **Sack Race and Lemon Race**; **Talent Show**, **Movie Screening** for students of SLS, Nagpur.









### Disability Care Center Visit at Home for Aged and Handicapped, Unthkana

The Rotaract Club of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur organized a visit the Home for Aged and Handicapped, Unthkana, Nagpur, upon receiving the invitation for their 134th foundation day event on the 8th of February 2024. We were welcomed by the sisters who worked there along with a mesmerizing performance by the children who were part of the disability centre. There was an interaction with some of the elderly citizens through we learnt more about the services offered by the Old Age Home and Disability Centre, such as therapy programs, residential care, job training, and any additional support services.







Panel Discussion on Navigating the Evolution Landscape of Insolvency and Bankruptcy Perspectives from India, Canada and Singapore

Taking forward the legacy of Internationalization Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur organized A Panel Discussion Navigating the Evolution Landscape of Insolvency and Bankruptcy in an online event held on February 9, 2024; successfully leveraged a digital platform to bring together 152 participants. The distinguished members of the panel were **Dr. Paila Nayaran Rao** (Associate Professor in the School of Corporate Law and Market Regulations at IICA), **Dr Paul Franchi** (Paul Licensed Insolvency trustee at Baigel Corp.), Mr. Pramod Srihari (insolvency professional), Mr. Prakul Thadi (an insolvency and practicing company secretary), and Mr. Mohammad Farhan C (legal In House at Locad Singapore).











### Ethnic Day on Saraswati Puja & Basant Pamchami

On the auspicious day of 'Saraswati Puja', the students and faculty of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur came together to seek the blessings of the goddess of knowledge, music, art and culture. The event was celebrated with a lot of devotion and dedication by worshiping Goddess Saraswati, who is the fountain head of all learning and art forms. Students worshipped Maa Saraswati to seek wisdom, artistic and technical skills, academic excellence and a good heart. The ritual was graced with the presence of all the students, staff and faculty.



#### Guest Lecture on Skills of Mediation Required for the Legal Profession

On February 19, 2024, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur, had the privilege of hosting Dr. Vinod Surana, CEO and Managing Partner of Surana Surana International Attornevs, Distinguished Professor of Practice at the Faculty of Law, Symbiosis International University, Pune. The distinguished speaker engaged with the students on the crucial topic of "Skills of Mediation Required for the Legal Profession." Dr. Vinod Surana began his address by providing an insightful overview of the role of mediation in legal practice. He shared realworld examples from his illustrious career to illustrate the transformative power of mediation in resolving disputes and creating win-win solutions.

Dr Surana explained the adversarial system and how it is not applicable in mediation. He emphasized the importance of settlement through mediation. He further explained the students about the role of mediator in asking questions thoughtfully. The interactive session saw enthusiastic participation from the students, who engaged in a lively exchange of ideas and posed thought-provoking questions to Dr. Surana

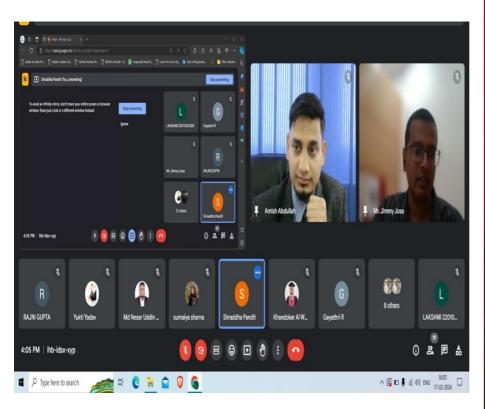


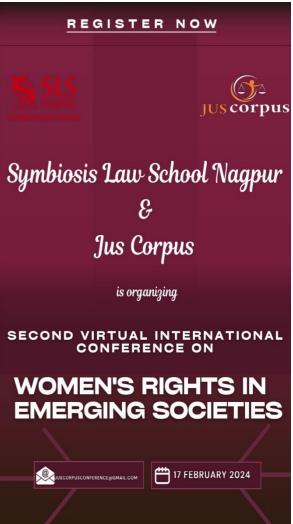




# **2nd Virtual International Conference on Women's Rights in Emerging Societies**

The Second Virtual International Conference on Women's Rights in Emerging Societies was held on 17th Feb'2024. Symbiosis Law School Nagpur and jus corpus in collaboration with American International University, Bangladesh, and Shri Ram Swaroop Memorial University, Lucknow organized its Second Virtual International Conference on Women's Rights in Emerging Societies on 17th February 2024 with luminaries of international repute joining the event. The conference had speakers, scholars, and participants from all over the globe joining us to make the event a significant one. There were a total of 8 technical sessions conducted. The resource persons for the conference were Ms. Shruti Sharma (SRMU, Lucknow) and the co-chair was Ahasan Habib (American International University Bangladesh), Dr. Priyanka Dhar (HNLU, Raipur) and Mr. Rajat Saxena (SRMU, Lucknow), Dr Vinay Kumar from (MNLU, Aurangabad) and the co-chair was Mr Ambuj Mishra (SRMU, Lucknow), Dr. Daksha Sharma a professor from Bennet University, Greater Noida, and along with Co-Chair Mr Manish Pratap Singh a professor from SRMU Lucknow, Dr. Syeda Afroza Zerin, American International University Bangladesh, and the co-chair Dr. Shashank Shekhar SRMU, Lucknow, Dr. Deepti Khubalkar (Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur) and co-chaired by Dr. Abu Taherr (American International University Bangladesh), Prof. Amish Abdullah (Faculty of Shariah & Law, Villa College, Male) Co-chair: Prof. Jimmy Jose (Symbiosis Law School Nagpur), Prof. Amish Abdullah (Faculty of Shariah & Law, Villa College, Male) Co-chair: Prof. Jimmy Jose (Symbiosis Law School Nagpur).



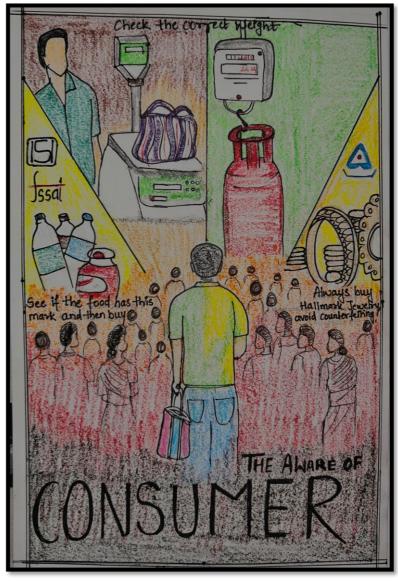




#### **Poster Making Competition**

Symbiosis Centre for Consumer Protection, Nagpur hosted a '**POSTER MAKING COMPETITION**' held on 20th February, 2024 inviting students of o Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur (Batches: 2021-26, 2022-27, 2023-28). The competition was hosted virtually to ensure a larger number of participation and easier accessibility. The motive of the event was to raise awareness, promote consumer rights and responsibilities within the community. It will help the students to impart knowledge about the role of consumers in the protection of their rights and to create consumer awareness among the society. The event received an overwhelming response from students of all batches. The students were provided with certain guidelines relating to the theme, dimensions and submission format. The submissions showcased remarkable talents and interpretation of rights and responsibilities of a consumer. The entries were evaluated on the basis of creativity, adherence to the theme, visual impact, and the clarity of the consumer protection message.







#### NHRC SLS, Nagpur National Moot Court Competition – 2024

The Moot Court Association of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur organized its 6th National Moot Court Competition in collaboration with the National Human Rights Commission from 23rd February 2024 to 25th February, 2024. The NHRC-SLS, Nagpur National Moot Court Competition received a tremendous response as the competition received over 95 registrations from several Law colleges across the country. Based on the memorial round, 20 teams were selected for the oral rounds.

The Competition was inaugurated at the hands of the chief guest of the ceremony, Hon'ble Shri. Justice V.C Daga, Former Chief Justice, Bombay High Court and the Guest of Honour Dr. Dnyaneshwar Manohar Mulay Sir, member National Human Rights Commission, on 23rd February 2024. The Inaugration ceremony was followed by the researcher's Test which was based on the moot preposition, Human Rights and Constitutional Law.





There were four rounds: Preliminary Rounds, Quarter Final Rounds, Semi-Final round and Final Round. The top two teams after competing hard through all the rounds reached the final round and the judges for the rounds were Shri Surajit Dey, Hon'ble Shri V.M. Deshpande (Rtd.) and Dr. Ahmar Afaq.

The team representing IFIM, Bengaluru won the National Human Rights Commission – Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur National Moot Court Competition, 2024 along with the cash prize of Rs. 40,000/-. The team from Jamia Millia Islamia were declared Runners - up and they won the cash prize of Rs. 30,000/-.













NHRC SLS, Nagpur National Moot Court Competition - 2024 Few Glimpses of the Final Round and the Valedictory session





#### **Interactive Session on Approaching Internships Placement and Interviews**

Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur organized an Interactive Session on 'Approaching Internships, Placements and Interviews'. The guest speakers for the lecture were Mr. Aamir Javed, Associate, Phoenix Legal, Delhi, and Mr. Mohd Ashaab, Advocate, Supreme Court of India, Delhi. The session was organized to prepare the students as they undertake the tasks of choosing an appropriate career path and building a strong professional career ahead.

Mr. Aamir Javed and Mr. Mohd Ashaab began with interacting with students on various difficulties faced by them for applying internship or placement. Thereafter, they provided valuable insights and tips for students aiming to secure internships and placements. Overall, the interactive session provided valuable guidance and strategies for students to enhance their prospects of securing internships and placements in competitive environments.



#### **Workshop on Millennium Fellowship**



Taking forward its legacy Internationalization Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur organized a workshop on millennium fellowship. Dr. Charvi Kumar, Assistant Professor at SLS Nagpur, delivered a comprehensive presentation on the nuances of the Millennium Fellowship. The event aimed to enlighten students from various batches, about the opportunities and experiences associated with the fellowship. She also elucidated the application process and criteria for the Millennium Fellowship, guiding students through the steps involved in submitting a successful application. This included discussing the essential elements of a compelling project proposal as well as she also shared inspiring stories and achievements of previous Millennium Fellows.



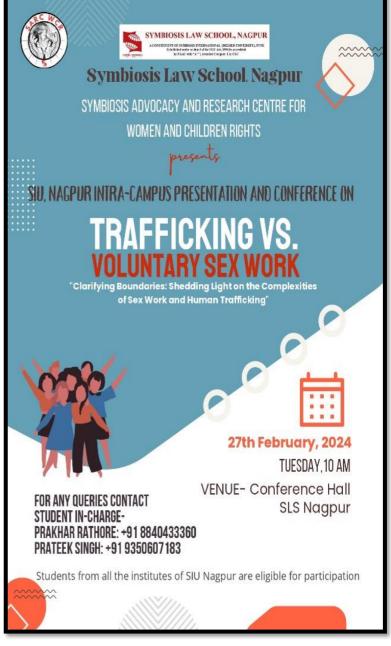
Intra - Campus Presentation Conference on Clarifying Boundaries: Shedding Light on the Complexities of sex work and Human Trafficking

The Intra SIU conference is an event organized by Symbiosis Advocacy and Research Centre for Women and Children Rights (SARC-WCR) named "SIU NAGPUR INTRA-CAMPUS PPT PRESENTATION", this Conference on "Trafficking vs. Voluntary Sex Work". This competition aims to inculcate knowledge in your minds about the issues related to the abuse of sex workers in India and the issues related to the informal sector that is Prostitution in India and the Way Forward. The competition was held on 27th February, 2024 at 10 am onwards.

The competition was evaluated by two judges, Adv. Rahul G. Waghmare and Mrs. Suchitaa









2<sup>nd</sup> National Med-Arb Competition

In the fulfilment of its goals and following the success of its inaugural edition, the Alternative Dispute Resolution Cell (ADRC) at SLS, Nagpur, extended a warm invitation to law students nationwide to participate in the 2nd National Med-Arb Competition, conducted on March 02- 03, 2024. Med-Arb, a unique hybrid approach within the Alternative Dispute Resolution framework, seeks equip practitioners future legal with effective dispute resolution techniques. The underlying object behind organizing this competition is deeply anchored in its design, which seeks to foster excellence in mediation and arbitration skills. This Competition was collaboration 'PSL organized with Advocates Solicitors, New Delhi' and knowledge partners SCC Online and Eastern Book Company (EBC) with excellent support and coordination from our supporting partners Associates International Dewani and Arbitration and Mediation Centre, Hyderabad (IAMC), whiis a leading organization in the field of Alternative Dispute Rch esolution

The inauguration ceremony was graced by several notable luminaries, including Hon'ble Mr. Justice (Retd.) Javant Sh. Nath, Former Judge of Delhi High Court; Mr. Jain, Managing Partner, PSL Advocates and Solicitors, New Delhi; Mr. Ketan Gaur, Partner, Trilegal, New Delhi; Mr. Suvigya Awasthi Partner, PSL Advocates & Solicitors: and Mr. Jasmeet Singh, Advocate-on-Record, Supreme Court of India. A panel discussion titled 'A Talk with Legal Eagles' was organised featuring Hon'ble Mr. Justice (Retd.) Sh. Jayant Nath, Mr Sameer Jain, Mr Ketan Gaur, and Mr Jasmeet Singh, moderated by Mr Suvigya Awasthy. The discussion centred around the Report by the Expert Committee on Arbitration Law, its critical recommendations for reforms in the Indian context. The discussion covered the need of recommendations for improving arbitration, judicial interventions, and the issue of delay and costs.









#### 2<sup>nd</sup> National Med-Arb Competition

The Preliminary rounds were judged by Mr. Vivek Joshi, Associate, PSL Advocates and Solicitors; Mr. Rohan Gulati Associate, PSL Advocates and Solicitors; Ms. Vatsala Pandey, Law Clerk and Research Assistant, Supreme Court of India; Mr. Aniket Dabadghao Advocate, Bombay High Court, Nagpur Bench; Mr. Sahil Dewani, Advocate, Bombay High Court, Nagpur Bench; Mr. Dhiraj Ailani, Advocate, Bombay High Court, Nagpur Bench.

Semi-Final round was judged by Mr. Raghav Kumar, Manager (Law) at SBI & Founder of TMP, Bhopal; Mr. Rohit Joshi, Advocate, Bombay High Court, Nagpur Bench; Mr. Shraddhanand Bhutada, Advocate, Bombay High Court, Nagpur Bench; and Mr. Wilson Mathew, Senior Partner- Legal Counsel- Litigation.

The Final round was judged by Mr. Sameer Jain, Managing Partner, PSL Advocates and Solicitors; Mr. Suvigya Awasthi Partner, PSL Advocates & Solicitors; Mr. Ketan Gaur, Partner, Trilegal, New Delhi; Mr. Prateek Shanker Shrivastava Regional Legal Manager, Central India, Hindustan Unilever Limited; and Mr. Jasmeet Singh, Advocate-on-Record, Supreme Court of India.

The Winners were **Best Mediator** was bagged by the **National Law University Odisha**; the **School of Law, CHRIST (Deemed to be University), Bangalore,** secured the position of **the Runner Up Mediator.** The Mediating Pair/Counsels from the **Indian Law Society's Law College, Pune,** emerged as the **Best Mediating Pair/ Counsels** while the Runner Up position in the same category was secured by **Maharashtra National Law University, Mumbai.** The **Best Written Submission** was bagged by the team from **National University of Juridical Sciences, Kolkata** and winner of **Best Arbitral Award** was team from **School of Law, CHRIST (Deemed to be University), Bangalore.** 









#### 2<sup>nd</sup> National Med-Arb Competition











Guest Lecture on "Overview of the Consumer Protection Act in Contemporary Times"

Symbiosis Centre for Consumer Protection, Nagpur hosted a 'GUEST LECTURE' which was conducted by Advocate Sachin V Jaishwal, Member of District Consumer Commission, Chandrapur held on 04th March, 2024. The motive of the event was to raise awareness and promote consumer rights and responsibilities within the community. It will help the students to impart knowledge about the role of consumers in the protection of their rights and to create consumer awareness in society.





#### **Logo Designing Competition**

Human Rights Cell, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur organized the Insignia Contest (Logo Designing Competition) on 5<sup>th</sup> March, 2024 at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. The purpose of organizing the event was not only to engage and showcase the creativity of the individual but also to create a unique opportunity to establish a visual identity that resonates with the values and essence of the institute and the cell as whole.

The Insignia Contest conducted by Human Rights Cell was a successful event where 10 students participated with enthusiasm and creativity. The competition was designed to challenge the students' skills in logo designing and to provide a platform for showcasing their abilities.





#### **Workshop on Drafting of Bail Application**

Law **Symbiosis** School, Nagpur organized a guest lecture for B.A.LL. B and BB.A.LL.B. students of batch 2021-26 on 5th March 2024 from 3 pm onwards. The aim of the lecture was to facilitate the students with the drafting of bail application. The speaker for the lecture was Advocate Dhiraj Ailani, Bombay High Court, Nagpur Bench, Nagpur. The session commenced with an introduction to basic concepts of bail. It proceeded with the discussion on the aspect of approach of the courts while dealing with bail applications. The speaker discussed the concept of different types of bail in great detail along with illustrations and case laws followed by the provisions dealing with bail as provided under the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973



#### **International Women's Day Celebration**



Symbiosis Law School organized International Women's Day on 8<sup>th</sup> March 2024 & celebrated the spirit of womanhood to the fullest. It was heartening to hear that Symbiosis Law School Nagpur joined hand with the global and national drive of giving true respect to the in the global celebration of International Women's Day, acknowledging and honoring the contributions and significance of women.



Value-Added Course on "A Practical Approach to Arbitration"

Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur organized a Value-Added Course on "A Practical Approach to Arbitration" on March 09, 2024 and March 10, 2024. The Guest speaker for the lecture was Adv. Suadat Ahmad Kirmani, Partner, IndusLaw, Bengaluru. The session was orchestrated with the intention of enhancing the students' readiness for selecting a suitable career path and establishing a robust professional trajectory moving forward. Mr. Suadat Ahmad Kirmani began the session by defining what arbitration is. Thereafter, he offered valuable insights into the subject matter, leveraging his expertise and extensive experience to mentor students during drafting sessions on arbitration agreements, statements of claims, defense/counterclaims, award structuring, evidence presentation, and award composition. Overall, these sessions were highly beneficial, equipping participants with the skills needed for professional readiness.





## Election Commission of India initiative- Mera Pahala Vote Desh ke

**UGC** In with regulations, accordance Colleges throughout India took part in the "Mera Pahla Vote Desh ke Liye" campaign, which has been launched by the Ministry of Education (MoE) in partnership with the Ministry of Youth Affairs. The principal objectives of this campaign are to encourage first-time voters to cast ballots, and reinforce the importance of voting for the betterment of this Nation. The Election Commission of India is encouraging students of various universities to actively participate in the upcoming festival of Democracy by login MyGov portal and give their contribution in various initiatives carried out by ECI.





### **Value Added Course on Legal Drafting**

Value Added Course on Legal Drafting organized by Symbiosis Law School Nagpur was organized to impart participants' relevant skills and expertise in legal drafting. The course was conducted between 20th March and 6th April 2024 and entailed participants taking part in theoretical sessions, practical exercises, and interactive discussions guided by legal experts. The Experts handling the Session were Adv. Deoul Pathak, Adv. Sumedh Kadam, Adv. Ramaa Kukday, Adv. Ayushi Dangre and Adv. Jhankruti Badani. Through the Value Added Course on Legal Drafting, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur prepared participants for future legal practice by instilling an understanding of the importance of sound communication, attention to detail, and adherence to best practices in drafting.





### The Attorney's Cup

The Student Council (2023-24) of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur in association with the Sports Cell and Department of Sports Recreation & Wellness organized Attorney's Cup 2024 Men's & Women's Division an Intra Institute Cricket Tournament on 16th and 17th of March, 2024.

Cricket is a sport that has captured the hearts of millions around the world, known for its rich history, strategic gameplay, and passionate fan following. Cricket has become a global passion that unites people across continents; whether played on the dusty streets of a small village or the grand stadiums of cricketing nations, the sport continues to enchant and inspire generations of fans worldwide. "Both Cricket and the Law demand focus, precision, and a keen eye for detail - one wrong move can make the difference between victory and defeat."







# FIRST INTRA-CRIME SCENE INVESTIGATION COMPETITION TEHKEQAAT BY SYMBIOSIS CENTRE FOR CRIMINOLOGY AND FORENSIC SCIENCE.

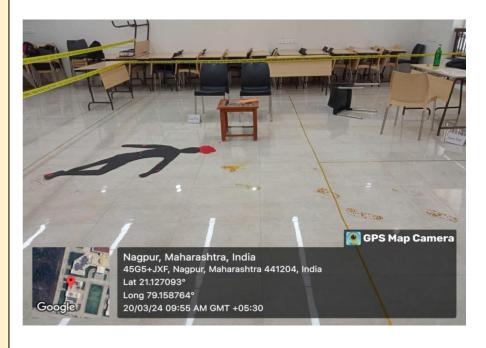
Symbiosis Centre for Criminology and Forensic Science hosted a workshop on Crime Scene Investigation on 19th March 2024 at 3.00 pm onwards. The workshop was on the basics of Crime Scene Investigation by Adv. Prateek Kubade (resource person), who holds expertise in Forensic Science, medical negligence cases, and defense law. The purpose of this workshop was to brief the students about how a forensic expert deals with a crime scene when he first enters the scene post receiving information regarding the crime. In the workshop, Adv. Prateek directed the students to maintain proper conduct once they enter the crime scene so that they do not contaminate it. The students were made aware of the numerous tools that should be used to prevent the contamination of the evidence available at the crime scene.





### **Crime Scene Investigation: Tehkequat Competition**

The event attracted an overwhelming response, with 42 teams comprising 126 participants in total. competition began at 10.00 am and the first teams arrived on time. The teams were instructed before they entered the crime scene on the time limit of 15 minutes per team and some other general instructions. Upon entering the room, they were asked to identify the tools in the kit by answering a series of questions. The time would begin as soon as they were handed the kit. Post 15 minutes' participants were directed to the report writing room.





#### 1st Annual fest SYM-JASHN

Taking forward its legacy of holistic development Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur organized a International Scholar in 1st Annual fest SYM-JASHN from 29th of March, 2024 to 30th March, 2024. The inaugural Fest SYM-JASHN, which was arranged by the Symbiosis Law School Nagpur Student Council, was a colorful display of academic zeal, cultural splendor, and pure fun. The event, which had a carnival theme, highlighted the abilities and creativity of the students in a variety of fields. The inaugural day was packed with an array of engaging activities and competitions. In the auditorium, talents flourished with mesmerizing performances in unplugged solo and group singing, Mimic Mania, open mic sessions titled "Mic Masters," and energetic group dance competition titled "Nachde Ne Sare." Simultaneously, back at the SLS building, participants. Simultaneously, back at the SLS building, participants indulged in All India party meet, Pictionary, face painting, and e-sports. The day culminated with a dazzling Panache (Fashion Walk) and an eloquent elocution competition.

The evening was further enlivened with uproarious stand-up comedy acts by Mr. Paras Batra and guest performer Mr. Inder Sahani. Meanwhile, students relished an IPL screening and a delightful assortment of culinary delights at the Siu Central Lawn, encapsulating the essence of carnival.

The second day dawned with renewed enthusiasm, as participants delved into a plethora of intellectually stimulating and entertaining events. The SLS building buzzed with activities like Invest-o-Pitch, All India Political Meet (round 2), Cooking without Fire, Spell Bee, and Article Writing, catering to varied interests and talents. The post-lunch session saw engaging competitions such as dumb-charades in the moot court hall, Street Dance on SLS Street, and Beyond the Scene (Ad Making) in the SLS building.

The event concluded on a high note with the much-awaited award ceremony, acknowledging the exceptional performances and contributions across all segments. The night sparkled with captivating musical performances by Viraj with Harsh and VDJ Shan, casting a spell of euphoria over the audience.







### 1st Annual fest SYM-JASHN













### **Reel Making Competition**

Website, PR, and Media Cell of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur organized a 'REEL MAKING COMPETITION' for the students putting in their creativity that they think would enhance the beautiful and adventurous life at 'Symbiosis Nagpur Campus'. The theme for the competition was "Life at SLS, Nagpur' year 2023-24" The competition was open for all the students Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur (batch of 2019-24, 2020-25, 2021-26 2022-2027 2023-2028 & LLM students).

The participants were judged on various criteria such on content, efforts taken, the concept of the reel and its connection with College life. The Cell had kept a certificate of merit along with cash prize for the winning reel. The other participants were also provided with the certificate of participation.

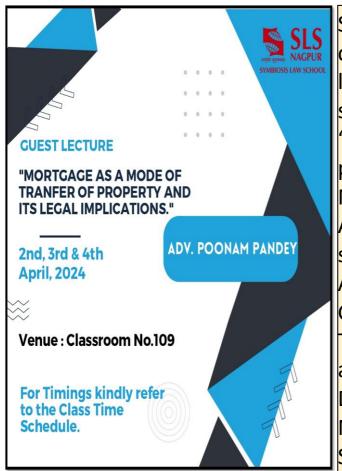








### **Guest Lecture on Drafting of Mortgage Deed**



Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur in its continuous efforts to develop holistic learning and provide practical exposure to students had organized a guest lecture on "Mortgage as a mode of transfer of property and a workshop on drafting of Mortgage Deed from 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2024 to 4<sup>th</sup> April 2024. The guest Speaker for the series of guest lecture and workshop was Adv. Poonam Pandey, General Manager, Godrej Properties, Nagpur.

The lecture series was organized under the abled guidance of Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur and Ms. Vaidehi Pareek, Faculty, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur.







### **VALUE ADDED COURSE ON MERGERS AND ACQUISITIONS**





The Placement Cell of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur organized a value added course on "Mergers & Acquisitions". The Resource Person for the insightful course was Mr. Siddharth Marwah, Counsel, Khaitan & Co, Delhi. The aim of the course was to provide students with insight into legal framework and strategic aspects of mergers and acquisitions. This course was conducted over the course of three days – April 6-7, 2024 (offline mode) and April 13, 2024 (online mode). In all, there were four half-day sessions each, spread over the aforementioned three days. The event was coordinated the by Training and Placement Cell's Faculties in Charge, Prof. Jimmy Jose and Dr. Charvi Kumar as well as by Prof. Prateek Sikchi.



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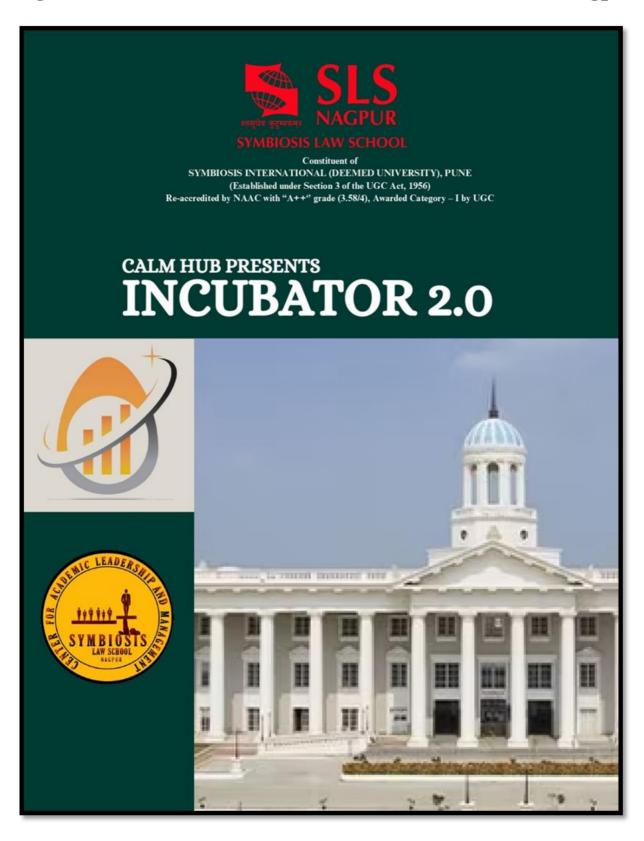
Value Added Course (VAC) on 'Mergers and Acquisitions'

Course Dates: 6-7 April 2024 (offline) and 13-14 April 2024 (online)



### **E MAGAZINE - INCUBATOR 2.0**

The Center for Academic Leadership & Management (CALM Hub) is glad and excited to announce the second edition of the in-house emagazine – INCUBATOR 2.0 for the students of SLS, Nagpur.





### Farewell Batch 2019-2024

HONORING THE PIONEERS







Every student is special for us, nonetheless the graduating batch of BA.LLB &BBA.LLB (2019-2024), being our pioneering batch holds a unique place in our hearts.

Under the visionary leadership of Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, the Director of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur, the teaching, non-teaching staff and Class of 2025 had the privilege of celebrating a special farewell dedicated exclusively to these 'originators', marking a poignant milestone in their academic journey and our institution's history.

The farewell function was organized in the Auditorium on 27th April, 2024 from 3.00 p.m. to 6.00 p.m. followed by the farewell dinner in the SLS Lawn from 7.30 p.m. onwards. The ceremony was inaugurated by the lightening of the traditional lamp by the Hon'ble Director, Dr. Deepti Khubalkar, Dr. Nuzhat Rizvi, Dr. Ahmar Afaq, Dr. Sachin Tripathi and Mrs. Lucky Chandekar.



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The event started with the address of the Hon'ble Director Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, who portrayed the entire journey of our pioneering batch and with firm conviction blessed them for their successful professional life.

The farewell ceremony witnessed various cultural events organized by the class of 2025 in loving memory of their seniors which prominently included a group dance, farewell song and a special farewell documentary featuring the *life cycle of a student* in the Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. A fashion show contest was also organized for the class of 2024 as well as the LLM batch of 2023-2024.

The limelight of the ceremony was the memento distribution segment, where each and every student of the pioneering 2019-2024 batch was awarded a personalized memento by the Director and other faculty members.





# WORKSHOP ON FINANCIAL FITNESS: NAVIGATING TAXES AND INVESTMENTS WITH CONFIDENCE

The Workshop was conducted on 02 May 2024, at 9:00 AM in the Assembly Hall for the Teaching and Non-Teaching Staff of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur, a constituent of Symbiosis International (Deemed University) under the able guidance of Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director, SLS, Nagpur. The Guest Speakers invited for the workshop were CA Premlata Daga Saboo Ma'am and CA Aman Jain, who were Chartered Accountant, Company Secretary and Educators by Profession.







#### Report on Training Workshop on New Criminal Laws in India

Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur, successfully conducted a one-day training workshop on the new criminal laws set to be effective from 1st July 2024. The workshop aimed to equip police personnel with the necessary knowledge and skills for the effective application of these laws. The training was provided on a pro bono basis by the esteemed teaching staff of SLS, Nagpur. Around 75 Police officers from eight police stations of Nagpur (Gramin) participated in the workshop. The workshop commenced with opening remarks and a welcome address by Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director, SLS, Nagpur. Dr. Dari emphasized the significance of the new criminal laws and the critical role of the police force in their implementation. He also highlighted the commitment of SLS, Nagpur, to contributing to the professional development of law enforcement officers.



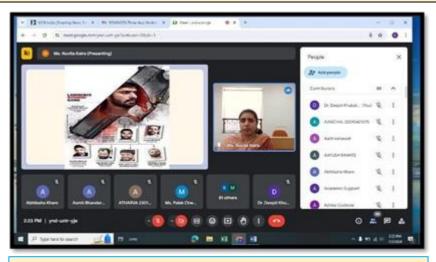
#### Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director, SLS, Nagpur addressing the Police staff at Seminar Hall.





### **Three Days Training Workshop on New Criminal Laws in India**

Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur, successfully conducted a three-day training workshop on the new criminal laws set to be effective from 1st July 2024. The workshop aimed to equip students and staff with the necessary knowledge and skills for the effective application of these laws. The training was provided on a pro bono basis by the esteemed teaching staff of SLS, Nagpur. Around 89 students and 50 staff members participated in the workshop. The workshop commenced on 2nd July with opening remarks and a welcome address by Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director, SLS, Nagpur. Dr. Dari emphasized the significance of the new criminal laws. First day session was on Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita by Prof Nuita Kalra, Assistant Professor, SLS, Nagpur. Ms. Nuvita Kalra started the session with an introduction to Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023 and an overview of the structure of the new law.



Prof. Nuvita addressing on Bhartiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023

#### TRAINING SESSION- SENSES BOARD

The training session on the Senses Smart Board was conducted on 10<sup>th</sup> July, 2024 to familiarize the faculty members of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur, with the latest interactive teaching technology. The Smart Board is designed to enhance the teaching-learning process by providing dynamic and engaging instructional methods.

As these interactive panels come with a multitude of tools and features (Pen, Eraser, Shapes, Text, Select, Canvas, Usage of Gestures, Use of videos), the new joinees were familiarized with the components and functionality of the Senses Board.







### DEEKSHARAMBH STUDENT INDUCTION PROGRAMME 2024

The week-long **Orientation Program** at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur, from **July 15 to 20, 2024**, was an impressive start for the new BA.LLB/BBA-LLB and postgraduate students. With insightful speeches from distinguished guests like **Prof. (Dr.) Harpreet Kaur and Mr. Manavendra Mishra**, the program set a strong foundation for the students' journey in law. The emphasis on ethics, dedication, and diverse opportunities in the legal field, along with the rich legacy of Symbiosis, provided a motivating and inspiring beginning for the new batch

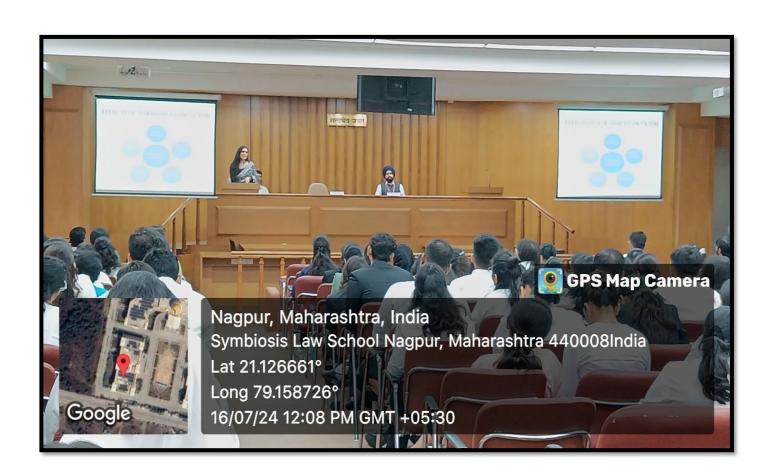


Prof. (Dr.) Harpreet Kaur receiving the memento at the hands of Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari.



#### SESSION ON GENDER SENSITIZATION

Prof. (Dr.) Navpreet Kaur's session on Gender Sensitization during the Orientation Program on **16th July 2024** was a significant step in promoting a more inclusive and equitable campus environment. Her emphasis on understanding gender diversity and the need for continuous education to challenge gender biases left a lasting impact on the participants. The positive feedback and commitment to gender equality from the attendees highlighted the importance of such initiatives, and the institution's plan to continue these efforts will further contribute to building a more inclusive community.



Dr. Navpreet Kaur delivering the lecture



#### SESSION ON ANTI RAGGING

On July 19, 2024, Dr. (Prof) Payal Mundafale Thaorey, the Head of the Post Graduate Department of Law at Rashtrasant Tukdoji Maharaj Nagpur University, addressed the students on the topic of "Anti-Ragging" during Day 5 of the Orientation Program. Dr. Thaorey emphasized the severe negative effects of ragging and the importance of rejecting both ragging and bullying in educational institutions. She highlighted the need for a safe and supportive environment for students to ensure their holistic development. Anti-ragging initiatives aim to create a safe and inclusive environment in educational institutions by preventing any form of ragging or bullying. Ragging, which involves harassment, humiliation, or abuse of newcomers by senior students, can have severe physical, emotional, and psychological consequences..



Dr. Payal Mundafale Thaorey delivering the lecture



# "CONSTITUTIONAL VALUES IN CONTEMPORARY INDIA"

Hon'ble Ms. Justice Indira Banerjee July 18, 2024

On July 18, 2024, the Day 4 session of the one-week long Orientation Program 2024 was graced by the presence of Hon'ble Ms. Justice Indira Banerjee, former Judge of the Supreme Court of India. Justice Banerjee delivered an insightful and inspiring address on "Constitutional Values in Contemporary India," captivating the newly joined students of BA.LLB/BBA.LLB, LLM Batch with her profound knowledge and experiences. Justice Indira Banerjee's address the Orientation Program was a profound and inspiring session, emphasizing the importance of constitutional values and the role of perseverance in the legal profession. Her journey from humble beginnings to becoming a Supreme Court judge served as a powerful testament to the impact of hard work and integrity.



Felicitation of Hon'ble Ms. Justice Indira Banerjee, former Judge of the Supreme Court of India at the hands of Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director, SLS, Nagpur.



### **Orientation Program - Valedictory Function**

The Valedictory function of the week-long Orientation Program at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur, was a fitting conclusion to an insightful and inspiring week. With Dr. Ravinder Singal (IPS) as the Chief Guest and Mr. Sampath Bulusu as the Guest of Honour, students received valuable advice on staying focused, avoiding distractions, and the importance of internships and access to justice. The event concluded with a cultural activity and a dinner party, marking the successful end of the orientation program. The efforts of the faculty and guidance from Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari were instrumental in the program's success.



Felicitation of Dr. Ravinder Singal(IPS) Commisioner of Police, Nagpur and, Mr. Sampath Bulusu Director & Head of Legal Shell Energy India Pvt. Ltd at the hands of Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director, SLS, Nagpur.





Interaction with Mr. Manavendra Mishra, Partner, Khaitan & Co



The Training & Placement Cell of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur organized an Interaction with Mr. Manavendra Mishra, Partner, Khaitan & Co. on 15th July 2024. The workshop commenced with the introduction & felicitation of the Hon'ble Guest Speaker.

Mr. Manavendra Mishra started the session by providing attendees with a comprehensive overview field, offering insights opportunities, the role of litigation and mediation in commercial disputes, the field of white-collar crime and practical dispute resolution skills. In this session, participants gained a deeper understanding of the roles of litigation and mediation in resolving commercial disputes. Real-world case studies were illustrate discussed the differences effectiveness of these approaches.

#### TRANSFORMING PAIN INTO POWER: RESILIENCE AFTER VITRIOLAGE"

The one-day National Workshop on the plight of acid attack victims, organized by Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur's Gender Champions, was a powerful and informative session. Dr. Navpreet Kaur's insights into the challenges faced by acid attack victims and the importance of societal support, along with practical advice on victim assistance, resonated strongly with the attendees. The workshop emphasized the need for greater awareness and action in supporting acid attack victims and highlighted the gaps in legal protections. The event successfully deepened the students' understanding of this critical issue.





# International Guest Lecture on "AI Risk Categorisation from an EU Law Perspective."



The lecture by Prof. Giorgi Puralava on "AI Risk Categorisation from an EU Law Perspective" offered

a comprehensive overview of AI's evolution, regulatory frameworks, and the legal challenges in AI regulation, particularly in healthcare. It provided the students at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur, with valuable knowledge about the importance of creating strong legal frameworks to ensure the safe and ethical deployment of AI technologies. The event was well-received, helping students gain a deeper understanding of AI's implications from a legal perspective.

# Report on Shastra Sabha (Mock Parliament) Organized by Legal Aid Centre, Nagpur

The Legal Aid Centre at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur, organized a three-day event, Shastrasabha (mock parliament), on the 23rd, 26th, and 27th of July, 2024. The primary aim of Shastrasabha was to provide practical learning about the parliamentary proceedings of law-making This event saw enthusiastic participation from a total of 24 teams, each comprising President, three members: a Spokesperson, and a Member. The first day commenced with the Election Commission, led by Dr. Shilpa Sharma, political parties allocating respective names, symbols, and party flags.







A Two-Day Workshop on White Collar Crimes: Unpacking India's Criminal Law Reforms in Collaboration with The Mentorship Project

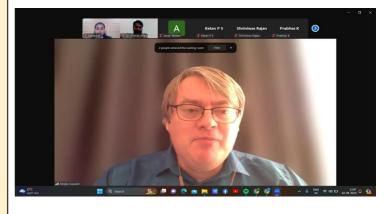


That sounds like a comprehensive and informative workshop! Mr. Jain's session on the new criminal laws and Mr. Kislay's insights into white-collar crimes and corporate liabilities must have provided the participants with valuable knowledge and practical understanding. The focus on real-world examples and case studies likely made the discussions more engaging and relevant.

International Lecture on: "Central Asia and International Law" by Prof. Sergey Sayapin

The online event hosted by the International Cell on August 2, 2024, featuring Prof. Sergey Sayapin, was indeed an intellectually enriching experience. Prof. Sayapin, a distinguished professor from the School of Law at KIMEP University, Almaty, Kazakhstan, provided an in-depth exploration of Central Asia's geopolitical and historical landscape, and its significant implications on international law and relations.

Prof. Sergey Sayapin, provided a rich exploration of Central Asia's geopolitical and legal significance. His discussion on historical events like the Battle of Talas, the Tashkent Agreement, and the Central Asian Nuclear-Weapon-Free Zone (CANWFZ) offered valuable insights into the region's strategic role in international law. The International Cell's initiative in organizing this event undoubtedly enriched participants' understanding of Central Asia and its contributions to global peace and security.





Legal Literacy and Community Service Camp (Gram Vidhi Chetna) Pro Bono Club, Legal Aid Centre, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur





The Legal Literacy and Community Service Camp organized by the Pro Bono Club and Legal Aid Centre of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur, was a remarkable success. The event not only provided the students of Madhuban Ashram Shala with essential knowledge about their fundamental rights and the Right to Education but also fostered environmental awareness and creativity through engaging activities like the drawing competition.

Dr. Deepti Khubalkar's leadership and ability to communicate complex topics in an accessible way played a significant role in the event's success. The distribution of drawing books and crayon pencils, followed by a themed competition, was a thoughtful way to reinforce the importance of environmental conservation while also providing the children with a creative outlet.

The recognition from the school administration underscores the impact of such initiatives, and it's clear that the Pro Bono Club and Legal Aid Centre are making a positive difference in the community. This event not only empowered the students with knowledge but also encouraged them to express themselves and take an active interest in important societal issues.





# Awareness Campaign through Pledge titled "Say Yes to Life, No to Drugs"



Faculty and staff participating in Pledge

The "Say Yes to Life, No to Drugs" awareness campaign held on August 12, 2024, at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur, was a significant event that effectively raised awareness about the dangers of drug abuse. With the active participation of both students and faculty, the campaign fostered a strong collective commitment to promoting a drug-free environment.

### **Guest Lecture: "Study Law Overseas"**

The guest lecture by Mr. Vipin Mokadam on "Study Law Overseas" was a comprehensive and informative session, offering students valuable insights into the intricacies of pursuing legal education abroad. The discussion covered critical aspects such as selecting the right program, understanding the application process, and navigating the challenges of cultural adaptation and financial planning.

The practical advice and personal experiences shared by Mr. Mokadam were particularly appreciated by the attendees, who found the session engaging and realistic. The suggested follow-up actions, including workshops, resource distribution, and alumni engagement, will further assist students in their journey towards studying law internationally.





#### INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION





Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur, celebrated the 78th Independence Day at the Symbiosis International University's Nagpur off-campus with great joy and enthusiasm. The event was graced by several dignitaries, including Dr. Shailesh Rastogi, Director of SIBM, Dr. Sukhvinder Badan Singh Dari, Director of SLS Nagpur, Dr. Nandini Kulkarni, Officiating Director of SSPAD Nagpur, Dr. Sameer Pingle, Director of SCMS Nagpur, Dr. Jaiprakash M. Paliwal, Director of SCSD Nagpur, Dr. Pawan Bisht, Assistant Director, Physical Education and Sports, Department of Sports, Recreation and Wellness (DSRW) and Brig. Dr. Ajay Kumar Dass (Retd.), Campus Administrator of the Nagpur Campus. All teaching Administrative staff from the respective institutes were also present.

# One Day Workshop on 'Maximizing your potential and gaining an edge in law school'.

The workshop on 'Maximising Your Potential and Gaining an Edge in Law School, conducted by Mr. Hrishikesh Prakash Jaiswal on August 17, 2024, provided students with valuable insights into the legal field. Mr. Jaiswal's discussion covered a wide range of topics, from participating in legal competitions to building a strong CV and exploring diverse career opportunities in law. His practical advice and real-life examples, along with an engaging Q&A session, offered students a comprehensive understanding of how to enhance their legal skills and succeed in their The event was a significant careers. contribution to the professional development of the attendees.





#### "OATH TAKING CEREMONY"

On the 3rd Oath Taking Ceremony of the newly elected Student Council for 2024-25 on 21st August 2024 at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur, was a significant event organized by the Cultural and Dramatics Cell. The event commenced with a warm welcome and felicitation of our esteemed guest Former Justice Vikas Shridhar Sirpurkar and Senior Advocate Kumkum Sirpurkar. and also We express our deep gratitude to Respected Campus Administrator Brigadier Dr A.S.Das. his presence and valuable insights. Former Justice Vikas Shridhar Sirpurkar and Senior Advocate Kumkum Sirpurkar graced the event as Distinguished Guests of Honour. Justice Sirpurkar, who served as the Chief Justice of India and held esteemed positions in the Calcutta and Uttarakhand High Courts, marked his 13th year of retirement during the ceremony.







#### **6<sup>TH</sup> INTERNAL MOOT COURT COMPETITION- 2024**

We are delighted to share with you that, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur successfully conducted its 6th Internal Moot Court Competition on August 24, 2024. The competition was open for participation from four batches of students hailing from the second, third, fourth and fifth years at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. The Moot Proposition for the competition was based on Criminal Law, more particularly, law related to bail. The participants were given the liberty to form a team comprising of three members consisting of two speakers (mooters) and one researcher. The participants were given one month for preparing their respective written submissions and oral arguments. The judging criterion for teams was three-fold i.e. it was based on the team's researcher's test, their written memorial submissions and their advocacy skills in oral rounds.







1<sup>st</sup> National Trial Advocacy Competition "Nyayaneeti"

The Symbiosis Centre for Advocacy Skills and Litigation, Nagpur organized the 1st National Trial Advocacy Competition- NYAYANEETI, 2024, titled - "The Pursuits of Equating Evidence" in collaboration with Dewani Associates, Nagpur from August 30, 2024 to September 01, 2024. The competition received registration from several teams across the country. 12 teams were selected for the competition.









#### **Guest Lecture Series on 'ADR Mechanisms'**



The Introductory session of the Lecture Series on ADR mechanisms, held on August 31, 2024 and September 2024 commenced with a detail-oriented presentation covering aspects relating to various Courts, Tribunals, and other adjudicatory forums prevalent in the Indian jurisdiction. The speaker for the event, Mr. Suadat Ahmad Kirmani, Partner IndusLaw, elaborately discussed matters with regards to how dispute resolution through interconnected with corporate. In furtherance of the same, he alluded to Contract Laws, Commercial Laws, IBC, Stamp Act and the Arbitration and Conciliation Act. Furthermore, the speaker examined subsequently, illustrated certain essential clauses that are to be considered while drafting contracts, namely, Forced Majure, Confidentiality, Dispute resolution, and Severability etc., therefore, clarifying the basic concept of Dispute resolution and its varied components.

# One-day awareness program on "Youth's role in Combating the changing landscape of human trafficking in Nagpur

One-day awareness program on "Youth's role in Combating the changing landscape of human trafficking in Nagpur organized by Young India Unchained (YIU) is an initiative of ACT—Alliance against Centers of Trafficking—a strategic alliance addressing sex trafficking across Maharashtra.





Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur organized a Workshop on Data Protection in Collaboration with I.V Merchant & Company

The Training & Placement Cell of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur organized a Workshop on Data Protection in Collaboration with I.V Merchant & Company on 02<sup>nd</sup> September 2024. The workshop was conducted by Adv. Krishma Merchant Patel, Partner I.V Merchant & Company and Ms. Mudra Singh, Executive Assistant, I.V Merchant & Company.







### "TRAINING SESSION ON MEDIATION, NEGOTIATION, AND CLIENT COUNSELLING COMPETITIONS"

In furtherance of fulfilling its objectives and affording due consideration to the upcoming Intra and National Competitions, the Alternative Dispute Resolution Cell (ADRC) of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur, under the able guidance of its Director, Prof.(Dr.) Sukhvinder Singh Dari and the Faculty In Charge of the ADRC, Dr. Shilpa Sharma, organised the "*Training Session on Mediation, Negotiation and Client Counselling Competitions*," held on September 20, 2024 & September 21, 2024, led by three notable experts, Mr. Vivek Joshi, Senior Associate, PSL Advocates & Solicitors, New Delhi along with Mr. Rohan Gulati, Associate, PSL Advocates & Solicitors, New Delhi and Ms. Vatsala Pandey, MCL Candidate (University of Cambridge), ex- Law Clerk cum Research Associate at the Supreme Court of India.

Mediation Act, 2023 led by Ms. Vatsala Pandey, MCL Candidate (University of Cambridge), ex- Law Clerk cum Research Associate at the Supreme Court of India





Introduction to Mediation Competitions and its Nuances, led by Mr. Rohan Gulati, Associate, PSL Advocates & Solicitors, New Delhi





Client Counselling Competition organized by Legal Aid Centre, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur

The Legal Aid Centre at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur, successfully organized a Client Counselling Competition on 21st September 2024. This event saw active participation from 70 teams, making it one of the most engaging competitions hosted by the Centre. The aim of the competition was to enhance the skills of future legal professionals in client interaction, problem-solving, and ethical counseling.



Adv. Jhankruti Badani conducting the boot camp on the techniques of client counselling.



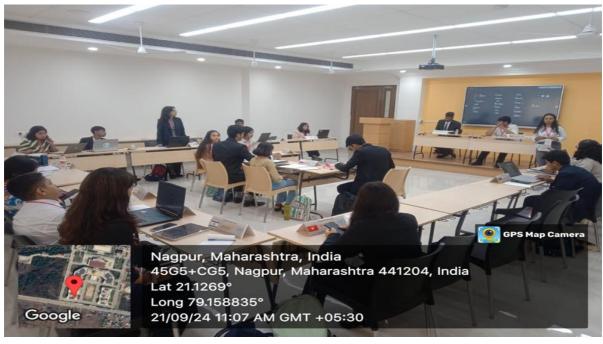




Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur organizes Second Edition of National Model United Nations, 2024

On September 21st and 22nd ,2024, the Symbiosis Law School Nagpur witnessed an incredible intellectual spectacle as The Debate and Literary Cell, in association with the Symbiosis Centre for Legal and Business Conference, organized the Model United Nations (MUN) 2024. The inaugural session marked the opening of the two day MUN. Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director, SLS Nagpur in his welcome address highlighted the importance of debate and discourse in solving crucial international and national issues in a peaceful manner.







# Discussion and Deliberation on Curtailing Media Freedom for National Security





The Centre for Geopolitics and International Relations and The Centre for Aerospace, Maritime and Defence Laws hosted a thought-provoking discussion on "Curtailing Media Freedom for National Security" at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. Ten participants engaged in a lively debate, sharing their perspectives on the delicate balance between media freedom and national security concerns.

The event commenced with individual presentations, where each participant had three minutes to express their views. This was followed by group discussions, where participants formed two groups — those supporting and those opposing media freedom curtailment. Two representatives from each group then presented their views for five minutes. Prof. Saqib Rasool, a renowned expert, judged the event.

#### From Law School to LBSNAA: Expert Guidance for Aspiring Civil Aspirants

On September 24, 2024, the Symbiosis Centre for Competitive Examinations at SLS Nagpur hosted an insightful session titled "From Law School to LBSNAA: Expert Guidance for Aspiring Civil Aspirants." The event featured IAS Ms. Saumya Sharma, who achieved an impressive AIR Rank 9 in the 2017 UPSC examinations and currently serves as the CEO of Nagpur Smart and Sustainable City.

Dr. Deepti Khubalkar, the faculty in charge, warmly welcomed Ms. Sharma, The event began with the release of a handbook titled "Legal Process for ZP Nagpur," developed in consultation with Symbiosis Law School Nagpur. Dr. Deepti Khubalkar, the faculty in charge at SLS Nagpur, and the team of students created contents for this comprehensive guide.

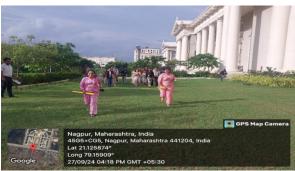






### **Recreational Activity**





On September 27, 2024, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur, organized a staff recreational activity aimed at promoting wellness and stress relief. The event included a special 15-minute break from work, allowing faculty and staff to engage in light activities designed to refresh their minds and bodies.

Participants enjoyed quick stretching exercises, mindfulness practices, and perhaps some light games or relaxation techniques. This brief interlude was a great way to foster team spirit, relieve stress, and encourage a positive workplace atmosphere. Such initiatives are vital for maintaining a healthy work-life balance and enhancing overall productivity.

### Report on Guest Lecture on Formation of Capital for Company Law

On the 26th and 27th of September 2024, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur hosted an insightful guest lecture on the topic of "Formation of Capital" for students of Company Law. The lecture was conducted by esteemed guest speaker Mr. Rahul Thakwani, who brought a wealth of knowledge and practical experience to the classroom.







THE 3<sup>RD</sup> INTRA MEDIATION COMPETITION, 2024, CONDUCTED BY ADRC, SLS- NAGPUR

In pursuit of its commitment to provide Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur students with essential skills and knowledge, the Alternative Dispute Resolution Cell (ADRC) of SLS, Nagpur successfully organized the 3<sup>rd</sup> Intra-Mediation Competition on September 28<sup>th</sup>, 2024. This event brought together students from the 2nd, 3rd, and 4th year batches with the primary goal of honing their dispute resolution skills. The competition was meticulously designed to reflect the intricacies of mediation as a credible and effective method of dispute resolution. Furthermore, the competition aimed to identify the most proficient participants to represent the institution in national Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR)-related competitions held by various law schools throughout the year.



A Group photograph all the Judges for the Event, with Faculty In Charge of the Cell – Mrs. Shilpa Sharma & Director of SLS, Nagpur- Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari



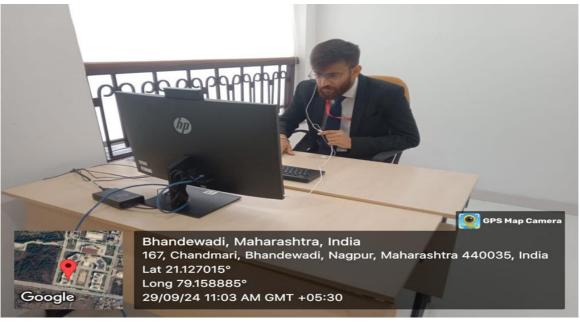




Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur Organised EDGE: A Placement Ranking Competition

On 29 September 2024, the Training & Placement Cell of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur conducted an internal placement ranking competition for the students of Batch 2021-26, under its EDGE (Employability, Development, Growth and Experience) Placement Programme. EDGE (Employability, Development, Growth and Experience) is a process designed to vet and prepare candidates opting for placement assistance at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur, open to penultimate year students at SLS Nagpur. In the first stage, participants were assessed on the basis of their CGPA, internships undertaken, additional qualifications, extra-curricular and co-curricular achievements, and publications. In the second stage, which took place on 29 September 2024, they underwent a mock interview conducted by a panel of external legal experts and academics.







Workshop on "Strategies for Publishing High-Impact Research Papers"





The International Cell of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur, organized an insightful workshop on **Publishing High-Impact** "Strategies for Research Papers" on 30 September 2024 at 8:00 PM via the Zoom platform. The esteemed speaker for the event was Dr. **Harmed** Taherdoost, Associate Professor and Chair of RSAC, University Canada West, GUS Fellow (UK), and R&D Head at Q Minded Technology Inc. (Canada). The workshop attracted 80 participants, includina faculty members. researchers, and students.

#### REPORT ON 1st INTRA PIL DRAFTING AND ADVOCACY COMPETITION

The 1st Intra Public Interest Litigation (PIL) Drafting and Advocacy Competition, 2024 was organized by the Student Council (2024-2025) of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. This competition aimed to foster participants' understanding of societal issues and provide a platform to address neglected areas in society, thereby contributing to the welfare of the downtrodden. Participants had the unique opportunity to enhance their written and oral advocacy skills, essential for their growth and personality development. The competition was held on 29th September, 2024 from 9.30 am onwards.







Discussion on One Nation, One Election: Navigating the Future of Democracy,

On October 1, 2024, the Research and Publication Cell organized a discussion for second-year students titled "One Nation, One Election: Navigating the Future of Democracy." The discussion aimed to explore the implications of implementing simultaneous elections across the nation, focusing on its potential impact on democracy. Prof. Parth Sharma, Faculty In-charge, Research & Publication Cell emphasized the significance of the topic within the contemporary legal landscape, highlighting its relevance amid ongoing debates on electoral reforms and governance.





### SLS-NG Legal Aid Centre Speed mentoring at of G.M. Banatwala English Madhyamik School





On 1st October, 2024, students from the Legal Aid Centre at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur, visited G.M. Banatwala English Madhyamik School, to conduct an awareness session focused on women's safety. This initiative was undertaken as part of their Pro Bono Services under the leadership of Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director of SLS Nagpur, and the guidance of Dr. Deepti Khubalkar, Faculty In-charge of the Legal Aid Centre. The program aimed to educate young students about vital aspects of women's safety. fostering sense empowerment and advocacy within the community.



#### **Legal Aid Centre**

Speed mentoring at of Saroj English Higher Primary School,
Hiwari Nagar, Nagpur

On 5th October, 2024, students and members of Pro bono club, Legal Aid Centre at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur, visited Saroj English Higher Primary School, to conduct an awareness session focused on cyber security. This initiative was undertaken as part of their Pro Bono Services under the leadership of Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, Director of SLS Nagpur, and the guidance of Dr. Deepti Khubalkar, Faculty In-charge of the Legal Aid Centre. The event aimed to educate students about safe online practices, the importance of cybersecurity, and how to protect personal information in an increasingly digital world.

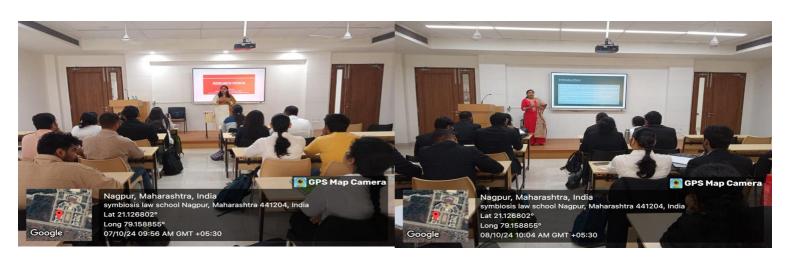




#### Workshop on Mastering Research Design and Hypothesis Formulation

Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur, in collaboration with its Research and Publication Cell, organized a two-day workshop on "Mastering Research Design" and "Hypothesis Formulation: Insights for Aspiring Legal Researchers" for the LL.M batch of 2024-2025. The workshop, held on the 7th and 8th of October, 2024, was an integral part of the subject Research Methods and Legal Writing.

The esteemed resource person for the workshop was **Dr. Payal Thaorey**, Head of Department, Post Graduate Teaching, Department of Law, RTM Nagpur University. Dr. Thaorey, a recognized Ph.D. supervisor, shared her vast academic and research expertise, mentoring students in foundational research skills critical for success in both academia and the legal profession.





Together for excellence: Dr. Payal Thaorey joins students and faculty in a memorable group photo.



### SLS, Nagpur Basant Panchmi – A Day of Knowledge

Symbiosis Law School with the assistance of the Cultural Cell, Symbiosis Law School Nagpur celebrated the occasion of Saraswati Puja on 09.10.2024.

Saraswati Puja, a highly revered celebration dedicated to Goddess Saraswati, the embodiment of knowledge, wisdom, and learning, was organized by Symbiosis Law School with assistance of the Cultural cell and administrative staff of Symbiosis Law School (SLS) Nagpur for the entire SIU Nagpur campus at the Central Library.

The primary aim of this event was to invoke the blessings of Goddess Saraswati for the academic year, promoting a harmonious atmosphere of learning across the campus. Additionally, it served as an opportunity for students, faculty, and staff from different institutes to come together and celebrate the essence of education.









Workshop on "A Practical Perspective on Goods and Services Tax in India"

Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur's Centre for Taxation Laws, has conducted a workshop on - A Practical Perspective on Goods and Services Tax in India. Adv. Gaurav Dharpure was invited to be a resource for the workshop. Adv. Dharpure is a lawyer and Chartered Accountant by profession, and maximizing financial performance; he is proficient in managing financial accounting, Taxation, cost analysis, receivables & payables management, MIS, and finalization of accounts are some of his areas of specialisation. In his sessions, he briefly discussed the different aspects of GST and Indirect tax, with practical insight into India and the cascading effects of tax in India.







**Justice Quest 2.0 - Quiz Competition on POCSO** 

On 14th October, Justice Quest 2.0, a quiz competition focusing on the Protection of Children from Sexual Offences (POCSO) Act, was held at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. The event, organized by the Symbiosis Advocacy and Research Centre for Women and Children Rights (SARC - WCR) in collaboration with My Story NGO, aimed to raise awareness about the POCSO Act among 1st-year students.









#### International Scholar in Residence Programme

Delighted to welcome esteemed scholars Prof. Claes Granmar and Prof. Henricus Verhagen from Stockholm University, Sweden, to <u>Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur</u> under the International Scholar in Residence Programme. Their contributions to international law and research through the SPARC Project, in collaboration with SLS, are invaluable.

A great learning experience for both our students and faculty, as we strengthen global academic connections and foster international collaborations.

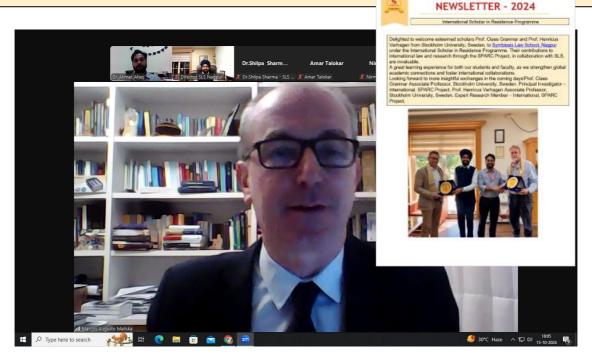
Looking forward to more insightful exchanges in the coming days!Prof. Claes Granmar Associate Professor, Stockholm University, Sweden. Principal Investigator – International, SPARC Project, Prof. Henricus Verhagen Associate Professor, Stockholm University, Sweden. Expert Research Member – International, SPARC Project,

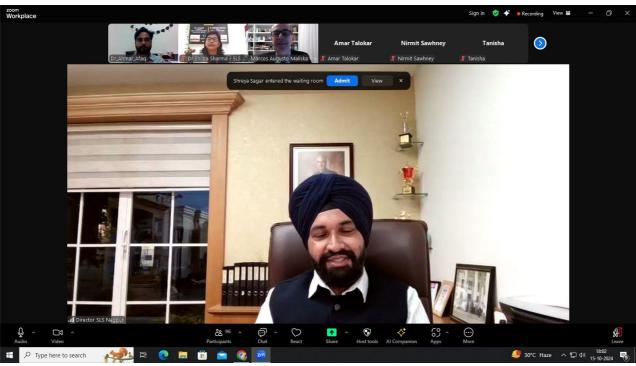




#### "Constitutional Pluralism and the New Family Arrangements"

**Prof. Marcos Augusto Maliska**, Professor of Constitutional Law at the Autonomous University Center of Brazil and Federal Attorney, Curitiba-PR, Brazil. The session offered valuable insights into how constitutional frameworks are evolving to accommodate diverse family structures, drawing from the principles of constitutional pluralism. Prof. Marcos A. Maliska highlighted the tension between traditional legal systems and contemporary family dynamics, emphasizing the need for legal adaptability in a globalized world.



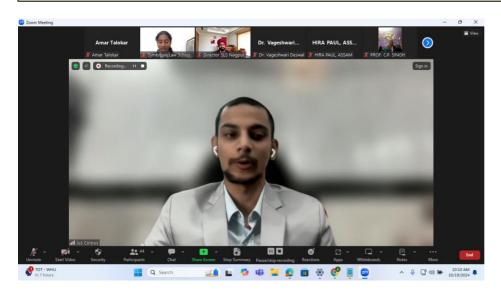




3RD INTERNATIONAL VIRTUAL CONFERENCE ON 'WOMEN'S RIGHTS, SOCIAL EQUITY, AND LEGAL TRANSFORMATION' BY JUS CORPUS IN COLLABORATION WITH SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL, NAGPUR AND FACULTY OF SHARIAH AND LAW, VILLA COLLEGE, MALDIVES

Jus Corpus, in collaboration with Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur and Faculty of Shariah and Law, Villa College, Maldives is proud to present the **3rd International Virtual Conference on "Women's Rights, Social Equity, and Legal Transformation"**, to be held on **19 October 2024**. This edition continues the legacy of fostering meaningful dialogue and collaboration that the conference has built over its previous two editions, where key issues affecting women's rights in developing and emerging societies were at the forefront of discussions.

This conference has established itself as a premier platform for legal professionals, scholars, policymakers, and activists to explore the complex intersections of women's rights, social equity, and legal reform. With a focus on addressing both the systemic challenges and the opportunities for legal and social transformation, this year's conference will emphasise actionable strategies for promoting gender equality.







#### **Diwali Celebration 2024**

On October 23, 2024, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur, celebrated Diwali with a blend of tradition and joy. The event saw faculty and staff dressed in festive attire, with men in kurtas and women in sarees, adding elegance to the occasion. The celebration began with a breakfast on the SLS lawn, accompanied by a special gift distribution ceremony led by Director Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari. This thoughtful gesture set a cheerful tone for the day.



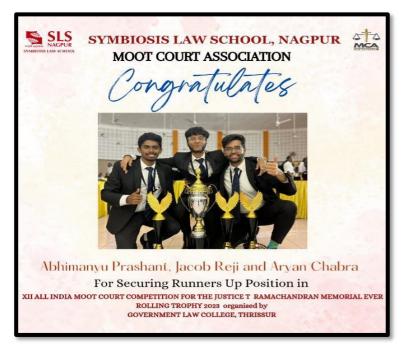


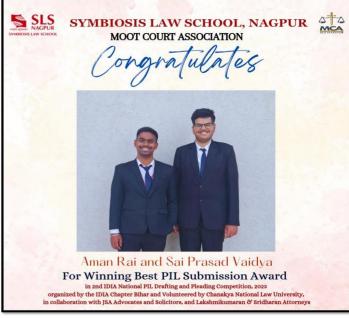


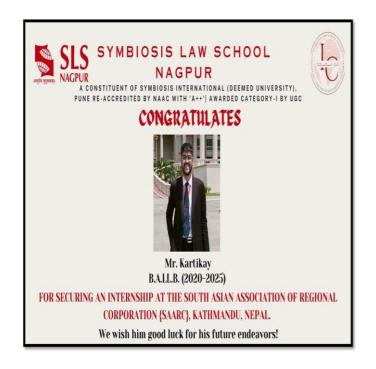


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The 12th All India Moot Court Competition by Government Law College, Thrissur.	Abimanyu Prashant, Aryan Chabra, Jacob Reji	29th Sept - 1st October, 2023	Runners Up
10th Edition of the National Moot Court Competition by School of Law, IMS Unison University, Dehradun	Vishakh KV, Vaishnavi Tiwary, Nandana S. Kaimal	October 9th - 11th, 2023	Runners Up
3rd National Moot Court Competition organised by Amity Law School, Amity University Mumbai	Dhruv Soste, Ekta Bhagwat, Sudeshna Bhatkar	October 20, 2023 – Prelims (Virtual)  November 1st - 2nd, 2023 – Quarter Finals, Semi Finals & Final Rounds (Physical)	Sudeshna Bhatkar: Best Researcher
For Securing Internship at the South Asian Associatio of Regional Corporation (SAARC) Kathmandu, Nepal.	Mr. Kartikya		Internship
2 <sup>nd</sup> IDIA National PIL Drafting and Pleading Competition 2023. Organized By Chanakya National Law University.	Aman Rai and Sai Prasad Vaidya	02 October 2023	Best PIL Submission Award
4th HPNLU Shimla National Moot Court Competition 2023	Aanice Tressa Thomas, Ashisa Raja and Shreyas Nair	28 October 2023	Semi-Finals
The Justice Murtaza Husain Memorial National Moot Court Competition organised by Unity P.G. College, Lucknow.	Ananya Kshatriya,	3rd – 5th November, 2023.	Best Mooter
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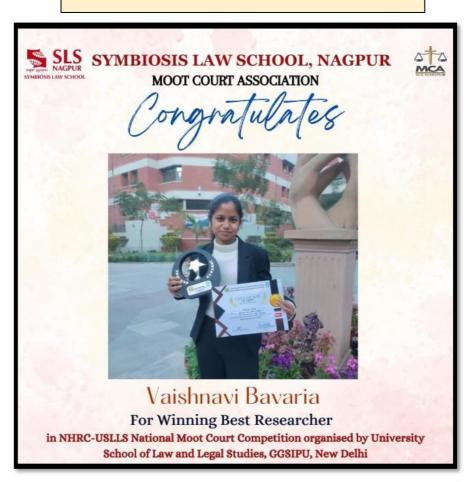
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<b>II LCIT National Moot Court Competition</b>	Aman Rai, Mayak Raj Sharma,	1 July 2023	Winners of
2023, organized by LCIT Group	Arya Kailabag		the Best
of Institutions, Bilaspur,			Memori
Chattisgarh.			al
			Award



















#### SUDENTS ACHIEVEMENTS

Certificate for qualifying as a semifinalist. Along with me Sakshi Tolani as Speaker 1 Yash Garg as speaker 2 and Srishti Anand as Researcher Reached Semifinalists stage.







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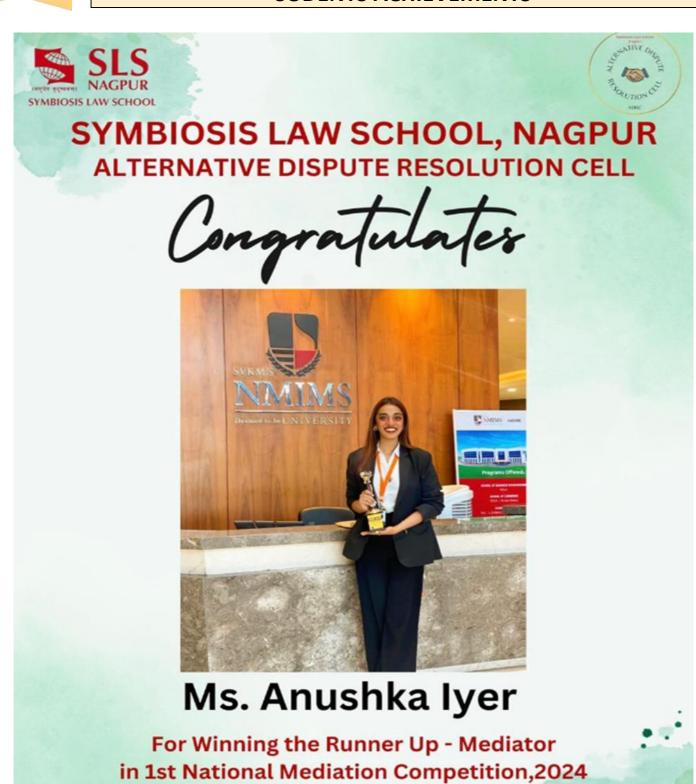




Nivas Gunda, Sowmya Sri, Varun Bharadwaj For Securing Runners Up Position in 2nd Virtual Shri Ramswaroop Memorial National Moot Court Competition, 2024



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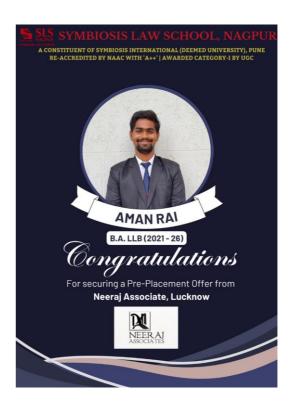
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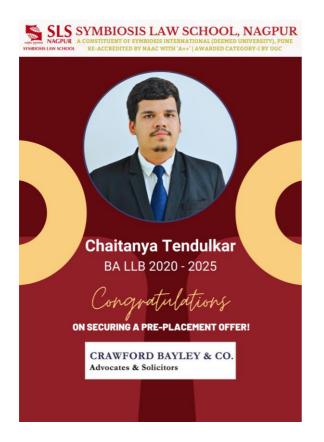








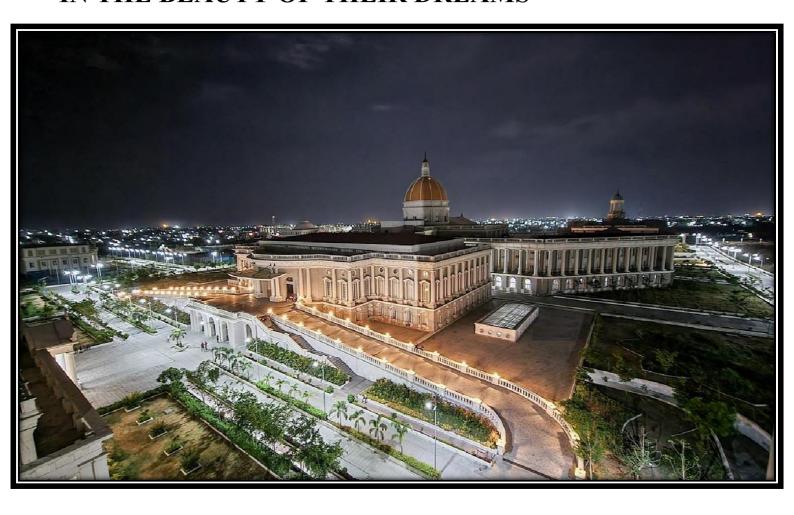








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