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"There shall justice prevail"

The logo of National Law University Delhi is composed of 3 elements: n (N), L (L) and U (U) which are interlinked by the second element of L. In its totality, it represents the harmonious confluence of different elements of disciplines and level—a rule that Law and its executive, the judicial system also performs. Individually, the 'N' and 'U' are downward and upward facing, symbolising polar and complementary outlooks, through which Law threads its way. The extension of 'L' or Law to beneath the layer, attempts to encapsulate the concerns of equality and social justice. The emphasis is on the 'Rule of Law' (represented by the second 'L') in promoting social justice, particularly targeting the vulnerable population, which is lowest on the social ladder. Its columnar arrangement suggests an upholding of justice, equality, fraternity, and human rights in all their facets to reach at a secular democracy.





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“ Our endeavour has been to transform legal education into justice education and to be an instrument of social, political and economic change. The primary mission of the University is to create lawyers who will be professionally competent, technically sound and socially relevant. They shall enter the front rows of the Bar and the Bench to address imperatives of the new millennium, uphold the values of Indian Constitution and help strengthen the rule of law in the country. This necessarily means that students at our prestigious Law University shall be the bridge connecting the law with society, economics, and politics. ”

Vice-Chancellor Prof. (Dr.) Ranbir Singh

The lawyers trained here are well equipped with the desirable advocacy skills not only at the trial but at the appellate levels also. They will contribute as agents of change to the country's mandate to achieve its future developmental goals. This institution is nurturing and shaping aspirations of the youth of the country in realizing their dreams to be jurists skilled in judicial administration. Our students are ready to work relentlessly to make this world a better place to live in, in all respects. Dynamic in vision and robust in commitment, the University in a very short span of time has shown terrific promise to become a world-class institution. In the NIRF Rankings 2018 and 2019, NLU Delhi was ranked as second best Law school in the country, with a score of 74.58 and 76.23 out of 100. NLUD has been accredited with 'A' Grade by NAAC, with a benchmark CGPA of 3.59 on a 4 point scale. We have also been granted CAT-1 status by MHRD for graded autonomy and rank at no. 2 in Delhi and no. 8 in the country as per the NAAC score.

These excellent ratings by esteemed Government agencies not only place NLU Delhi amongst few of the top institutions in the country imparting quality legal education but are a reflection at the excellent academic environment at the University for teaching a research. To inculcate the professional skills in budding lawyers, the pedagogy at NLU Delhi comprises of lectures, seminars, group and individual tutorials and simulated exercises like moot courts; client interviewing and mediation/conciliation etc. To facilitate intensive and interactive learning, thoroughly revised and updated study material is prepared in every course by the faculty. In the past few years, the University paced spectacularly and attracted some world-class faculty from some of the best law schools in the world. Thus, the University at present can boast of a unique mix of faculty, which has on the one hand, some very eminent and senior faculty members whose experience is a great asset for the university and, on the other hand, young and talented faculty that brings contemporary and latest approaches to the research and teaching to this University.

We are suitably poised to be known as an institution devoted to significant research. The University has various Research Centres, inter alia, Centre for Communication Governance; Centre on the Death Penalty; Centre for Corporate Governance; Centre for Transparency and Accountability in Governance; Centre for Innovation, Intellectual Property and Competition; Centre for Criminology and Victimology; Centre for Banking and Financial Laws, etc. These centres are committed towards focused research in the contemporary issues and provide consultancy at the behest of Courts and Government bodies in various policy formulations. The University works on sensitive issues like 'Criminal Justice Administration', 'Gender-Sensitization', 'Women empowerment', 'Human Rights', 'Environmental issues'; and 'Corporate Social Responsibility' (CSR) in close association with various Government and Private Agencies. We have a 'Zero Tolerance Zone' for any kind of discrimination on the basis of sex, religion, caste and/or any other parameter in violation of the spirit of Indian Constitution. The lawyers and researchers of tomorrow trained here are expected to be committed to make the manifesto of 'justice to all' and 'equal access to justice' a living reality and help in the speedy dispensation of justice. Visualising the track fared so far; the NLU Delhi is all set to become a University with a difference committed to offer a socially relevant education.

I welcome you all to NLU Delhi.



Prof. (Dr.) Ranbir Singh
Vice-Chancellor

Vice-Chancellor's

message

Registration

The vision and mission of this University is to enable the young minds to contribute to the National development, and work towards the cause of humanity. We believe “education is not preparation for life, education is life itself”.

Registrar Prof. (Dr.) G. S. Bajpai



It is a momentous occasion to pen these lines. The year 2018 marked the tenth year of the establishment of National Law University Delhi (NLUD). Started with modest facilities, National Law University Delhi reached its zenith in the ten years since its inception, achieving incredible ranking by NAAC (A+ Scoring 3.59). The journey to excellence did not stop here as the University earned the unique distinction of achieving the 2nd Rank in law in India Ranking by the Ministry of Human Resource Development (MHRD) led National Institute Ranking Framework (NIRF), consecutively for two years in 2018 and 2019. The terrific response to NLU Delhi as an academic institution is visible from receiving 21509 number of applicants appearing for the exam in 2019, for admission to its various programmes.

The performance of the students at National Law University Delhi has always been stellar. Notably, in the last two years 13 graduate and post-graduate students cleared the Judicial Service Exams 2017 and 2018, with one graduate student topping the exam at rank one. Other exemplary performances by alumni include remarkably clearing the Union Public Service Commission (UPSC) CSE 2017 and 2018 with successful ranks by eight students. These numbers are particularly laudable as the batch size of

students is just 80 in a year, for both B.A.LL.B. (Hons.) and LL.M. The placement and employment results for the students of NLU Delhi have shown tremendous results and the students are getting coveted positions in the prestigious law firms, PSUs, Banks and any other organisations. It has almost become a trend to find the students doing convincingly when it comes to admissions and winning scholarships for higher studies in the most reputed Universities.

The confidence of the stakeholders in the University is primarily due to its ability to sustain quality education which is indicated by the presence of a very able faculty body and a terrific faculty-to-students' ratio (1:10), which is rare to find. The University offers efficient pedagogy and state-of-the-art technology and infrastructure to support students and faculty, very efficiently. One of the factors leading to the resounding presence of the University is its ability to transform itself into a research institution carrying out remarkable international projects, policy studies, and training programmes for various stakeholders in the Government. These research centres of the University cater to varied professional and academic needs of the society, making the corpus of research funds reaching over 15 Crores INR. The University incorporates over 50

Researchers, in addition to 50 full-time Faculty and over 35 Research Scholars on campus; the combination providing significant opportunities for students to indulge in research pursuits to build their competence.

The University is fortunate to have access to Ministries, Courts, Bar and Bench, and thereby these resources being mobilised onto the classrooms and for research. NLU Delhi is perhaps the only institution highly altruistic in funding students' activities of all kinds every time, for all the students selected for International mooting and other competitions. NLU Delhi also has several collaborations with prominent law schools abroad and provides opportunities every semester for student exchange programmes, amongst NLUD and Foreign Universities. The library also encompasses an expansive collection of books and e-resources, including remote access feature, with over 50,000 titles that facilitate students in their studies, research and various mooting competitions.

Prof. (Dr.) G. S. Bajpai
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objectives

- To evolve and impart comprehensive legal education including distance and continuing legal education at all levels to achieve excellence;
- To organise advanced studies and promote research in all branches of law;
- To disseminate legal knowledge and legal processes and their role in national development by organising lectures, seminars, symposia, workshops, and conferences;
- To promote cultural, legal and ethical values with a view to promote and foster the rule of law and the objectives enshrined in the Constitution of India;
- To liaise with institutions of higher learning and research in India and abroad;
- To publish periodicals, treaties, study books, reports, journals, and other literature on all subjects relating to law;
- To undertake study and training projects relating to law, legislation, and judicial institutions;

“National Law School Delhi is an institution of highest academic prestige.”

George Katrougalos, Mr. Minister of Foreign Affairs, Greece

vision

The National Law University Delhi established in 2008 by Act No. 1 of 2008 is premier Law University established in the capital city of India. Dynamic in vision and robust in commitment, the University has shown terrific promise to become a world-class institution in a very short span of time. It follows a mandate to transform and redefine the process of legal education.

Our sincere endeavour will be to make legal education as justice education, as an instrument of social, political and economic change, and to prepare Lawyers who will be competent in the art of advocacy both at the trial, appellate level and also skilled in judicial administration. The students of the National Law University, Delhi will be shaped as agents of change as the country mandates to achieve its developmental goals for future generations. The primary mission of the University will be to create Lawyers who will be professionally competent, technically sound and socially relevant, and will not only enter the Bar and the Bench but also be equipped to address the imperatives of the new millennium and uphold the Constitutional values.

The University aims to evolve and impart comprehensive and interdisciplinary legal education which will promote legal and ethical values, while fostering the rule of Law. This education will be an instrument of social, political, and economic change; preparing lawyers who are competent in the art of advocacy both at the trial and appellate level, and skilled judicial administrators.



**“The future of India and legal education belongs here at NLUD.
A truly remarkable and inspiring institution comprising of the students, academics and leadership.”**

Prof. Steve K. NGO, Singapore, DCWA

NLUD in NIRF 2018 and 2019

National Law University Delhi has received Second rank in the Law school category of National Institutional Ranking Framework 2018 and 2019 (NIRF)



National Law University Delhi does it again, two years in a row, ranked 2nd all over India, in the National Institute Ranking Framework (NIRF) recognition.

With this achievement, NLU Delhi becomes the only University in the GNCT Delhi, to have figured in Top 2 in the NIRF Ranking, under all categories, twice consecutively in 2018 and 2019.

This recognition awarded by Ministry of Human Resource Development (MHRD), Govt. of India, released its India Rankings 2019, on April 8, 2019. NLUD secured 2nd rank in the Law school category across the country, upholding its last year's position, scoring 76.23 this year, progressing from 74.58 of last year's, almost eclipsing over the first ranker with 77.21.

MHRD released this fourth edition of NIRF India Rankings 2019 and the Report of Higher Educational Institutions, at Vigyan Bhawan, on April 8, 2019, by Hon. President Shri Ram Nath Kovind.

The 2019 Rankings are:

1. NLSIU - 77.21 2. NLUD - 76.23 3. NALSAR - 74.61

Score Highlights 2019 & 2018

Almost 100 institutions that participated in the Law category, were assessed on five premises. The highlight is that NLUD significantly emerged as the top scorer in 2019 in the categories of Research and Professional Practice category and Teaching Learning and Resources amongst all the law schools in the Country. In the previous year results 2018, NLUD had topped in in the category of Teaching Learning and Resources amongst all the law schools in the Country.



National Assessment Accreditation Council (NAAC)

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The primary objective of the University is to evolve and impart comprehensive and interdisciplinary legal education that is socially relevant. Through this education, we aim to promote legal and ethical values and foster the rule of Law and the objectives enshrined in the Constitution of India. Furthermore, the University works toward dissemination of legal knowledge and its role in national development, so that the ability to analyse and present contemporary issues of public concern and their legal implications for the benefit of the public, is improved. These processes strive to promote legal awareness in the community and to achieve political, social and economic justice.



NLUD IQAC

In pursuance of performance evaluation, assessment, accreditation and quality up-gradation of institutions of higher education, National Law University Delhi established an 'Internal Quality Assurance Cell' (IQAC). This is a quality sustenance measure to work towards goals of quality enhancement and substance, taken with internal and external support.

The prime objectives of IQAC are:

- To develop a system for conscious, consistent and catalytic action—to improve the academic and administrative performance of the institution;
- To promote measures for institutional functioning, towards quality enhancement through internalisation of quality culture and institutionalisation of best practices.

Convocation 2018

6th Annual Convocation 2018

The 6th Annual Convocation of National Law University Delhi, was held on 4th August, 2018, in the Auditorium of the University. HMJ Dipak Misra, Chief Justice of India, was invited as the Chief Guest; who commenced the programme by delivering the convocation address. Shri Arvind Kejriwal, Hon'ble Chief Minister, Govt. of NCT of Delhi, was invited to be the special Guest of Honour, and HMJ Gita Mittal, acting Chief Justice, Delhi High Court and Chancellor of NLU Delhi—conferred degrees upon successful students of B.A.LL.B. (Hons.), LL.M., and Ph.D. scholars.



The Convocation also saw the release of three NLU Journals: Journal of National Law University Delhi and Journal of Victimology and Victim Justice, both published by SAGE publications and NLU Student Law Journal.

In his welcome address, Prof. (Dr.) Ranbir Singh, Vice Chancellor of National Law University Delhi, welcomed all the dignitaries, graduating students and their parents, and other invitees. 2018 being the 10th Anniversary of the University; hence, Prof. Singh highlighted the landmark achievements of the University in the last decade. He said, "the highest goal of the University is to make its students worthy members of the society, imbued with the spirit of the constitution and to exhibit kindness and humility towards all". He stated, "it is a matter of pride that NLU graduates have excelled in all fields, including Judicial and Civil Services Examinations, securing prestigious scholarships for higher studies, employed in top Law firms across the globe, working as Judicial clerks with Judges of High Court and Supreme Court, and several starting their own Litigation practice".



6th ANNUAL CONVOCATION-2018
Saturday, the 4th August, 2018
Convocation Address by
Chief Guest
Hon'ble Mr. Justice Dipak Misra
Chief Justice of India & Visitor NLU Delhi
Special Guest of Honour
Shri Arvind Kejriwal
Hon'ble Chief Minister, Govt. of NCT of Delhi
Conferee of Degrees by
Hon'ble Ms. Justice Gita Mittal
Acting Chief Justice, Delhi High Court & Chancellor, NLU Delhi

He mentioned how in a decade's span of time since its establishment, the University achieved a NAAC score of 3.59 (National Assessment and Accreditation Council), conferred with a Category I autonomy status by the UGC, and is ranked No. 2 by the NIRF (National Institutional Ranking Framework). The University has created more than 300 lectures, available online free. The University also created 10 MOOC programmes, available online free, which already has enrolment of over 5000 students.

The Vice Chancellor stated that NLU Delhi is renowned for its Research, with 14 active Research Centres running and completing various research projects. Law Commission of India, Government Ministries and Courts, among others, regularly consult NLU for collaborations or for expert advice. The University houses National Academy of Law Teachers (NALT) for training of Law faculties, having trained over 600 teachers. He said, "The best for NLU Delhi is yet to come. Being Number 1 Law school in India is too small an aim. We hope to compete with the best Law schools across the globe." He specially mentioned the Registrar, Prof. (Dr.) G. S. Bajpai's contributions in NLU's success and competent implementation of the e-PG pathshala project.

Hon'ble Mr. Justice Dipak Misra, the Chief Guest congratulated NLU for completing a decade of fruitful presence under an able leadership of Prof. Ranbir Singh. He said that Prof. Singh was being too humble in calling NLU Delhi as the second best Law school in the country and congratulated the graduating students and medal holders. He stated the country having great expectations from them graduating from India's premiere Law school and urged them to familiarise themselves with social realities, which will make them effective lawyers, judges and administrators. He implored the need for them to learn to bridge the gap between legality and reality, and to work for the advancement of the poor, downtrodden and impecunious. His advice was to "never be afraid of uncertain future that lies ahead because this uncertainty is intellectually exciting."

Apart from this, gold medals and cash prizes were awarded to students of B.A.LL.B. (Hons), and LL.M. programmes. Ms. Kanchan was awarded 7 Gold medals and 3 cash prizes, Ms. Yashika Jain received 4 Gold medals and 1 cash prize, and Ms. Kudrat Agarwal got 4 Gold medals. 2 Gold medals were awarded to LL.M. students.

The video of the Sixth Annual Convocation, National Law University Delhi, is available online on **YouTube Link: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=w8kUhEthP2Q>**



Code of Conduct and Academic Responsibility

The University takes a pro-active approach on all matters related to the professional and appropriate code of conduct on part of the entire University community, i.e. students, faculty, and non-teaching staff. All members of the University are expected to observe decorum in all their relations with each other and the University also recognises indispensability of statutory provisions in this regard. Furthermore, commitment to an environment of honesty, fairness, and mutual respect is withheld by the University, which takes serious cognizance of any acts of academic/professional misconduct. These broadly include cheating in academic exercises, plagiarism, misrepresentation, and interference of any kind in or during accessing of University services by the fellow students, among others.

NLU Delhi's curriculum is inspired by the 'UGC Curriculum Development Committee Report', to meet the challenging academic progressions posed by globalization; e-commerce; and transnational, legal, social, and political issues. The study curriculum addresses the myriad concerns of an Indian society intermingled with modern education involving legal literacy, poverty, human development, etc. The syllabi promote an inter-disciplinary approach, including aspects of clinical legal education as integral component of instruction and dissemination of knowledge.

Teaching Methodology

The University imparts academic instructions aided by AV methods along with simulated activities such as moot courts, client interviewing, mediation/conciliation and other interactive and participatory learning activities to develop professional legal skills. The faculty advisors act both as mentors and counselors for students, guiding and facilitating in them pro-active initiative taking, curiosity to learn, and an urge to help others; while engaging in their curricular as well as co-curricular activities.

Study materials accompany faculty teaching for each course to facilitate an engaging interactive learning. Pedagogy includes a mix of lectures, seminars, and group and individual tutorials. Furthermore, to develop and enhance various skills of reading, research, analysis, and writing—projects and assignments are given regularly to students. Collaborative teaching is undertaken in some courses, to maximise multiple and manifold faculty expertise and experience, thus promoting inter-disciplinary and richly varied learning.

Learning at NLU Delhi's classrooms is an amalgamated experience targeted to be engaging, enjoyable, thought-provoking, and challenging. There is a skilled pedagogy system developed premised on modern, progressive, and global teaching techniques, designed particularly to meet the varied needs of different types of students. We at NLU Delhi believe in the goal of making learning fun, so that hard work and having fun comes hand in hand, to make students learn faster and more effectively.

Interactive Faculty

Our teaching pedagogy and faculty know the importance of guidance to students; hence create such bridges and relations with students to support them in and out of class. Students can approach the faculty advisors to discuss anything troubling them, ranging from their economic hardships, emotional turmoil, learning or language difficulties, personal or academic problems, career choices, and even counseling for choosing career goals. In the classroom, there is a constant invigorating and engaging dialogue with students, on issues of contemporary concern and on curriculum constantly matching the changing times.

The University has an added advantage and opportunity of visitations by invited sitting and retired Judges of Supreme Court and High Court, by leading lawyers, academicians, and retired Judicial Officers for the purpose of lectures, seminars, and discussions involving students and faculty.



**“I am happy that instead of being merely a Law School, it has undertaken training of judicial officers.
A combination of Law School and Judicial Academy opens up lot of exciting possibilities.”**

HMJ RV Raveendran, Judge, Supreme Court



“This law school is destined for great things! From the leadership to the infrastructure to the faculty and mostly the students, let this law school pioneer a model of leadership and scholarship for India and the world based on ancient traditions and modern best practices.”

John Shuman, Minnesota USA

University Bodies

VISITOR : HMJ N. V. Ramana, Judge, Supreme Court of India
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B.A.LL.B. (Hons.) Batch of 2018

'It is a great pleasure and honour to visit the university and get acquainted, with its research facilities and efforts to advance Legal Education, and particularly to meet Prof. Singh.'

Dr Ziad Bahaa Eldin -
Former Deputy Prime Minister of Egypt



Academic Courses

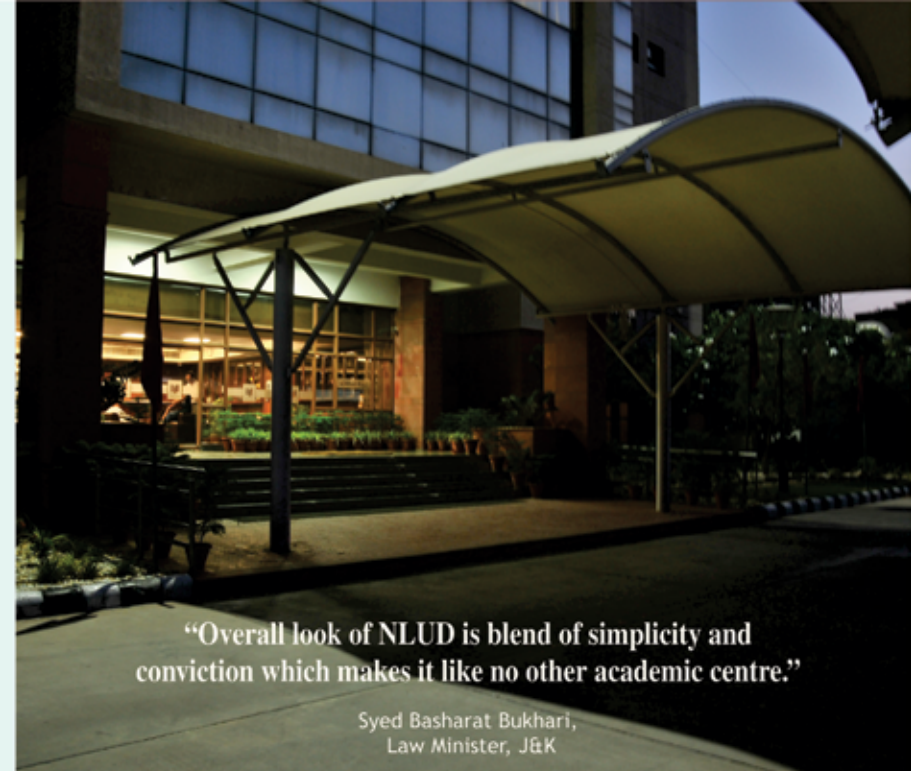
The University offers B.A.LL.B. (Hons.) Programme since its first academic session 2008-09 onwards. Further, NLUD has also started LL.M. and Ph.D. degree programmes from the academic session 2011-12 onwards.

Five Year

Integrated B.A.LL.B. (Hons.)

The University offers a five year integrated B.A.LL.B. (Hons.) Course. The Vice-Chancellor has appointed an under graduate council consisting of senior faculty members, for the conduct of this course. Joining a law course is a serious step which will perhaps change a student's perception of life, society, and more importantly possible roles in administration of justice and upholding the ideals of the Constitution of India. NLUD equips students with the knowledge to meet challenges of the emerging global paradigms, and empower them with methods and discipline preparing for Legal Professions or placement in any Corporate or Law Firm.

NLU Delhi students come from diverse backgrounds with aspirations of their own. They are intelligent and the University's task is to provide them with a platform to charter their future course of life. The faculty ensures the curriculum is stimulating, participatory, and contemporary. Listening to students, smoothly moulding their minds, and imparting knowledge is what the faculty is adept at. The students' five years stay at the University will be an ideal blend of learning and performing, and preparing them for future burgeoning needs of the legal world, with broad perspectives and finer details.



“Overall look of NLUD is blend of simplicity and conviction which makes it like no other academic centre.”

Syed Basharat Bukhari,
Law Minister, J&K

Eligibility

- All candidates, other than those applying under the Foreign Nationals category, should appear for the All India Law Entrance Test (AILET) and selection shall be solely on that basis.
- Have passed the Higher Secondary School Examination (10+2) system or an equivalent examination thereto securing in the aggregate not less than 50% of the total marks.
- The Eligibility condition for admission of students under the Foreign Nationals Category shall be 65% marks in the Higher Secondary School Examination of (10+2) system or an equivalent examination. They are exempted from taking the admission test. The other regulations regarding the eligibility for admission will be the same as applicable to the other candidates.
- The candidates belonging to OCI/PIO category shall have the option to either apply under the Foreign National Category or under the category of Indian students. In case the OCI/PIO candidate, applying under the category of Indian National; they have to appear in the AILET along with other students.

Note: Definition of Foreign Nationals: The candidates who possess citizenship of a Country other than India and hold valid passport. Definition of Overseas Citizen of India (OCI)/Person of Indian Origin (PIO): As notified by the Govt. of India.

Number of Seats

Total Seats: 80 [70 Seats on merit through AILET and 10 Seats for direct admission to Foreign Nationals on merit (5 seats for Foreign Nationals & 5 seats for OCI/PIO)]. Foreign Nationals are exempted from AILET. Reservation is: 15% for SC candidates, 7.5% for ST candidates, and 5% for Persons with Disabilities.

Note: One additional supernumerary seat for Kashmiri Migrants. Two additional supernumerary seats for Residents of Jammu & Kashmir.

All India Law Entrance Test (AILET)

It is held on the first Sunday of May, every year. The detailed notification for the AILET is published in leading National newspapers and on the University website.

Entrance Test (AILET) Scheme

The AILET has 150 Multiple Choice Questions for 150 marks that must be attempted within 1 hour 30 minutes. The AILET has sections on English, General Knowledge, Basic Mathematics, Logical Reasoning, and Legal Aptitude.

Negative Marking

There will be Negative Marking in AILET. The criteria for negative marking will be based on the formula $0.25 \times 4 = 1$, that means per wrong answer 0.25 Marks will be deducted. Therefore, four wrong answers will lead to deduction of 1 Mark.

The fee for appearing in AILET is: INR 3,050/- for General Category/Kashmiri Migrants/Resident of Jammu & Kashmir; INR 1,050/- for Persons with Disability and SC & ST Category. There is no Entrance Examination fee for SC/ST Below Poverty Line (BPL) only.

Old Question Papers

Old Question Papers of Entrance Test of B.A.LL.B. (Hons.) Programme from the year 2010 to 2018, are available on the counter at NLU Delhi for sale on payment of INR 500/- by Credit/ Debit Cards or through post by sending a Demand Draft of INR 550/- in favour of Registrar, National Law University Delhi, payable at New Delhi. Please do send a covering letter with an address for delivery.

Fee Structure of Five Year Integrated B.A.LL.B. (Hons.) Degree Programme

The fees payable falls under 3 categories: annual fees; one-time fees; and deposits.

Fee Heads	Amount (INR)
Tuition Fee	INR 85,000.00 p.a. For Foreign National: USD 10,000 for Non-SAARC Country USD 5,000 for SAARC Country
Campus Development Fund Fee	INR 5,000.00 (One time)
Admission Fee	INR 2,500.00 (One time)
Student Welfare Fund	INR 2,500.00 p.a.
SBC Fund	INR 2,500.00 p.a.
Examination Fee	INR 3,000.00 p.a.
Reading Material Fee	INR 2,500.00 p.a.
Library Fee	INR 2,500.00 p.a.
Internet Fee	INR 5,000.00 p.a.
Electricity Charges	INR 12,000.00 p.a.
Sports and Games Facilities Fee	INR 3,000.00 p.a.
Journals Fee	INR 2,500.00 p.a.
Moot Courts / Seminars / Workshops, etc. fund	INR 5,000.00 p.a.
Room Rent (For Hostel)	INR 18,000.00 p.a.
Hostel Facilities (For Hostel)	INR 20,000.00 p.a.
*Library Deposit	INR 5,000.00 (One time)
*Hostel Deposit (For Hostel)	INR 5,000.00 (One time)
*Mess Deposit (For Hostel)	INR 5,000.00 (One time)
Total	INR 1,86,000.00



In addition to above, Mess advance INR 21000.00 per semester will be paid by the students to be adjusted as per actual charges/expenses of the Hostel Mess. The amount may be increased after reviewing the actual expenses on the recommendations of Mess Committee, if required, with the approval of the Vice-Chancellor.

*50% of the deposits remaining after dues will go towards Student Welfare Fund and 50% towards Alumni on completion of the course. The Student Welfare Fund and Alumni Fund shall be kept in a separate accounts and will be used only for students & alumni.

Duration of the Course and Semester System

The duration of the course shall be five academic years, each divided into two semesters, with each semester having a minimum of ninety (90) working days. The academic semesters shall be announced in advance each year and shall ordinarily be between August-December and February-June; with winter break and summer vacations during which students will do their internship for four weeks each.

Scheme of Study of the Course

Each semester carries five courses. The details of papers and semester-wise distribution are given below, which provides an overview of the B.A.LL.B. (Hons.) Course, at National Law University Delhi.

Number of Semesters	:	10
Number of Courses per Semester	:	5
Total number of Courses	:	50
Number of Regular Law Courses	:	32
Number of Clinical Courses	:	4
Number of Social Science Courses	:	8
Number of Optional Courses	:	6





“I am of the view that all lovers of education in the country should visit this campus to have this kind of campus all over the Country.”

HMJ V. Gopala Gowda,
Chief Justice of Orissa High Court, Cuttack

Course Curriculum

B.A.LL.B. (Hons.) Programme

First Year

SEMESTER-I	Course	Credits
1.	Legal Method	3
2.	Law of Torts-I	3
3.	History of Legal & Constitutional Development in India	3
4.	Political Science-I	3
5.	English-I	3

SEMESTER-II	Course	Credits
1.	Law of Contracts-I	3
2.	Law of Torts-II	3
3.	Criminal Law-I	3
4.	Political Science-II	3
5.	English-II	3

Second Year

SEMESTER-III	Course	Credits
1.	Law of Contracts-II	3
2.	Family Law-I	3
3.	Criminal Law-II	3
4.	Economics & Law-I	3
5.	Sociology-I	3

SEMESTER-IV	Course	Credits
1.	Law of Property	3
2.	Family Law-II	3
3.	Law and Poverty	3
4.	Economics & Law-II	3
5.	Sociology-II	3

Third Year

SEMESTER-V	Course	Credits
1.	Jurisprudence-I	4
2.	Constitutional Law-I	4
3.	Administrative Law	4
4.	CPC & Law of Limitation	4
5.	Law of Evidence	4

SEMESTER-VI	Course	Credits
1.	Jurisprudence-II	4
2.	Constitutional Law-II	4
3.	Clinic-I (ADR)	5
4.	International Law	3
5.	Labour Laws	3

Fourth Year

SEMESTER-VII	Course	Credits
1.	Corporate Law-I	3
2.	Environmental Law	3
3.	Intellectual Property Rights Law	3
4.	Banking Law & Negotiable Instruments	3
5.	Seminar Course-I	5

SEMESTER-VIII	Course	Credits
1.	Corporate Law-II	3
2.	Taxation Laws	3
3.	Cyber Laws	3
4.	Clinic-II	6
5.	Seminar Course-II	5

Fifth Year

SEMESTER-IX	Course	Credits
1.	International Trade Law	3
2.	Judicial Process & Interpretation of Statutes	3
3.	Clinic-III	6
4.	Seminar Course-III	5
5.	Seminar Course-IV	5

SEMESTER-X	Course	Credits
1.	Law of Insurance	3
2.	Human Rights, International Humanitarian & Refugee Law	3
3.	Clinic-IV (Court Management & Practical Training)	6
4.	Seminar Course-V	5
5.	Seminar Course-VI	5

“The programmes here for students which expose them to develop traits for optimum use of the acquired knowledge are very beneficial. This is real legal education.”

HMJ J. S. Verma,
Former Chief Justice of India

Optional Seminar Courses

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| 1. Advanced Criminal Law & Procedure:
White Collar Crime | 26. Decoding Civil Litigation System | 53. Patent Law & Policy |
| 2. Advanced Criminal Procedure | 27. Direct Taxation Laws | 54. Perspectives on Constitutional Law |
| 3. Advanced Issues in Criminal Law | 28. Disability Law and Human Rights | 55. Practical Aspects of Securities Law
Transactions |
| 4. Advanced Mergers & Acquisitions and
Corporate Finance | 29. Energy Laws & Climate Change | 56. Practicing Intellectual Property Law |
| 5. Appellate Litigation and Advocacy | 30. Energy Laws & Policy | 57. Private International Law |
| 6. Bankruptcy Law & Policy | 31. European Law | 58. Public Issues of Equity in India |
| 7. Bankruptcy, Insolvency and
Restructuring | 32. Free Speech Law & Policy | 59. Recent Issues in Intellectual Property
Law |
| 8. Climate Change & Policy | 33. Global Internet Governance | 60. Regulation of International Trade in
Goods |
| 9. Comparative Constitutional Law | 34. Globalization and Realization of Human
Rights - Legal, Political and Ethical
Challenges | 61. Technology and Electronic Commerce
Law |
| 10. Comparative Law | 35. Income Tax: Advanced Issues | 62. The Constitutional Aspects of Taxation |
| 11. Comparative Rights Adjudication | 36. Indian Trademark Law | 63. Trade Remedies under International and
Indian Laws |
| 12. Competition Law & Policy | 37. Indirect Taxation | 64. Unorganized Sector |
| 13. Connection between Law and Literature | 38. International Business Laws | 65. Unpacking Water Laws in India |
| 14. Contemporary Challenges in
International Human Rights Law | 39. International Commercial Arbitration | 66. India's Political Economy and Land
Joint Ventures |
| 15. Contract Drafting | 40. International Commercial Laws | 67. Law, Society and the Queer |
| 16. Contract Review & Management | 41. International Economic Laws | 68. SEP's: Global Litigation Policy and
Practice |
| 17. Copyright X | 42. International Investment Law | 69. Advanced Issues in Indirect Taxation |
| 18. Corporate Disputes & Arbitration | 43. International Taxation | 70. Advanced Arbitration Law |
| 19. Corporate Finance | 44. Internet Governance | 71. International Intellectual Property
Law and Practice of Finance |
| 20. Corporate Litigation | 45. IT & Electronic Commerce Law | 72. Law and Practice of Finance |
| 21. Corporate Taxation | 46. Law of Investment Arbitration | 73. Anti-Discrimination Law in India |
| 22. Criminal Practice | 47. Laws Relating to Credit & Security | |
| 23. Criminology and Forensic Sciences | 48. Laws Relating to Sexual Offences | |
| 24. Cross-border Mergers and Acquisitions | 49. Legal Censorship across Mediums | |
| 25. Dealing with Contracts | 50. Legal Drafting | |
| | 51. Media Laws | |
| | 52. Mergers & Acquisitions Law | |



Evaluation Scheme

There shall be a continuous evaluation of the students in every course to be based on the following:

Attendance	5 Marks
Mid-Semester Examination	20 Marks
Written Project	20 Marks
Viva Voce or Presentation	5 Marks
End-Semester Examination	50 Marks
Total	100 Marks

The mid-semester examination (for 20 marks) shall generally be of 2 hours duration, and the end-semester exam (for 50 marks) shall generally be of 3 hours in duration. This scheme of evaluation, shall not apply to the Seminar and Clinical courses, and the distribution of marks in the seminar and clinical courses shall be notified by the Undergraduate Council before the commencement of every semester. A candidate shall obtain a minimum of 50% marks or the equivalent grade i.e., Grade B in every course, to have successfully completed (passed) the course. Once a student is declared as 'failed' in a course for any reason whatsoever, his/her transcript shall carry @ with the grade obtained later, whether the grade was obtained in the Repeat examination or obtained after the candidate re-registered for the course. Likewise, a student who is not allowed to take the End Semester Examinations for shortage of attendance and has been allowed to re-register, the grade obtained subsequently shall carry @.





Grades, Grade Value, Grade Point Average (GPA), and Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA)

The official transcript of the University shall indicate the Grades and the Cumulative Seven point Grade Point Average only. The interpretation of the Grade system followed by the University shall be printed at the back of the transcript itself.

The marks secured by the students shall be converted to the Grades as mentioned below:

Marks	Grade	Grade Value
70 and above	O	7
65 - 69	A+	6
60 - 64	A	5
55 - 59	B+	4
50 - 54	B	3
Below 50	F	0

Award of Degrees

A student shall be eligible for the award of B.A.LL.B. (Hons.) Degree after successful completion of all the 50 prescribed courses with a total of 180 credits, and if he/she has obtained a minimum of CGPA of 3.00 out of 7.00, as the case may be, within the maximum period of eight years from the year of admission to B.A.LL.B. (Hons.) course.

Exchange Programmes

Students may be allowed to go abroad under Exchange Programme on the basis of the Guidelines for Exchange Programmes notified by the University. Students who have been fined or expelled from halls of residence for any act of indiscipline shall not be eligible to be considered for exchange programmes.

Short Courses

The University may offer Short Courses for students of the B.A.LL.B. (Hons.) programme in accordance with the Regulations for Short Courses.



One Year LL.M. Programme

The University in principle has adopted the UGC guidelines for the one year LL.M. Programme and also the latest rules and regulations of UGC from time-to-time. The Vice-Chancellor has appointed a Centre for Post Graduate Legal Studies, consisting of faculty members competent to guide Post-Graduate scholars including Ph.D. Students.

Eligibility

- All candidates, other than those applying under the Foreign Nationals category, should appear for the All India Law Entrance Test (AILET) and selection shall be solely on that basis.
 - To be eligible for admission to the LL.M. Programme, a candidate should have passed the LL.B. or an equivalent degree from a recognised University, with not less than 55% marks on aggregate (50% in case of reserved categories, that are SC/ST/Persons with Disability).
 - Candidates awaiting results of the qualifying examination can appear for the Entrance Test, subject to a condition that they produce proof of having passed the qualifying examination at the time of admission.
- Foreign National Candidates** are exempted from taking the admission test. The other regulations regarding the eligibility for admission will be the same as applicable to the other candidates.
- The candidates belonging to OCI/PIO category shall have the option to either apply under the Foreign National Category or under the category of Indian students. In case the OCI/PIO candidate applies under the category of Indian National, they have to appear in AILET along with other students.
 - Academic record of LL.B. or equivalent degree recognised by the UGC / Association of Indian Universities, with not less than 55% marks or the equivalent grade.
 - Assessment of necessary communication skills in written and spoken English, and performance at the interview in terms of aptitude and capacity.



Number of Seats

- Total Seats: 80 [70 Seats on merit through AILET, and 10 Seats for direct admission to Foreign Nationals on merit (5 seats for Foreign Nationals & 5 seats for OCI/PIO)]. Reservation is: 15% for SC candidates, 7.5% for ST candidates, 5% for Persons with Disabilities.
- Note: One additional supernumerary seat for Kashmiri Migrants.

CURRICULUM

The one year LL.M. Curriculum shall have the following components:

- Foundation/Compulsory Papers (3 courses of 3 credits each)**
The Foundation/Compulsory Papers consist of the following three subjects/papers, which should be completed in the first semester:
a) Legal Research Methodology, b) Comparative Public Law, c) Law and Justice in a Globalizing World
- Optional/Specialisation Papers (5 courses of 2 credits)**
Specialisation courses will be offered in one or more group of the specialisation. Each group consists of several papers from which students can choose the number required to get the degree of that specialisation.
- Dissertation (5 credits)**
*Note: Foundation/Compulsory Papers will be equivalent to 64 teaching hours and Optional/ Specialisation courses will equivalent to 36 teaching hours.

FEE STRUCTURE

PARTICULARS	FEE FROM HOSTLERS	FEE FROM NON-HOSTLERS
Tuition Fee	INR 1,00,000.00	INR 1,00,000.00 For Foreign National USD 10,000 for Non-SAARC Country USD 5,000 for SAARC Country
Campus Development Fund Fee	INR 3,000.00 (One time)	INR 3,000.00 (One time)
Admission Fee	INR 1,000.00 (One time)	INR 1,000.00 (One time)
Examination Fee	INR 3,000.00	INR 3,000.00
Library Fee	INR 3,000.00	INR 3,000.00
Internet Fee	INR 8,000.00	INR 8,000.00
Electricity Charges	INR 12,000.00	INR 12,000.00
Sports and Games Facilities Fee	INR 3,000.00	INR 3,000.00
Journals Fee	INR 2,000.00	INR 2,000.00
Dissertation Fee	INR 1,000.00	INR 1,000.00
Room Rent (For Hostel)	INR 18,000.00	-----
Hostel Facilities (For Hostel)	INR 20,000.00	-----
*Library Deposit	INR 3,000.00	INR 3,000.00
*Hostel Deposit (For Hostel)	INR 5,000.00	-----
*Mess Deposit (For Hostel)	INR 3,000.00	-----
Total	INR 1,85,000.00	INR 1,39,000.00

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*50% of the deposits remaining after dues will go towards Student Welfare Fund and 50% towards Alumni on completion of the course. The Student Welfare Fund and Alumni Fund shall be kept in a separate accounts and will be used only for students & alumni.

EVALUATION:

Each of the Papers shall carry a maximum of 100 Marks. The evaluation of students in a paper shall broadly be based on two segments:

- Continuous evaluation by the teacher(s) of the course:**
Continuous evaluation will only be for 50% of the total marks assigned to each course. It may comprise of projects, case analysis, assignments, presentations, and other similar evaluation methods. The faculty member teaching any course will have the discretion to evolve his/her own scheme for continuous evaluation on the basis of this broad guideline.
- Evaluation through a semester examination:**
Each course will be evaluated by a semester examination for 50% marks of the total marks assigned to each course. The examination may be open/closed book depending upon the particular requirement of any course. The exam component cannot exceed 50% of the total marks for the course.
- Dissertation**
It will be evaluated out of a maximum of 200 marks, out of which 150 marks shall be for the dissertation and 50 marks for the viva-voce. The internal guide/supervisor and an external evaluator will evaluate the dissertation. Average of the marks awarded by both the evaluators shall constitute the final marks for the dissertation. The viva-voce will be conducted by the external evaluator, who will award the 50 marks meant for the same.

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Ph.D. Programme

The admission to the Ph.D. Programme conducted by NLU Delhi, is a two stage process and is strictly based on merit.

Procedure for Admission

Notification of Ph.D. Seats: The number of seats available for Ph.D. programme will be notified by the University every year before the start of admission process keeping in view the availability of teachers for guiding Ph.D. Scholars. However, the number of seats may be increased up to 25% for considering the applications of regular faculty members of the NLU Delhi for Ph.D. admission, who are otherwise fulfilling the required eligibility criteria.

Written Test for Admission: The admission shall be through a qualifying written test to be conducted by the University. The written test shall consist of 100 Multiple Choice Questions (MCQs) of 1 mark each of 1 hour 30 minutes duration based on Research Methodology and Legal Research Aptitude. The written test is only a qualifying test and there will be no weightage of marks secured in test in the final selection. The University has modified the evaluation system of written tests for admissions (applicable from entrance examination- 2018). Negative marking has been introduced for written test for Ph. D programme also. (The criteria for negative marking will be based on the formula $0.25 \times 4 = 1$ that means per wrong answer 0.25 marks will be deducted. Therefore, four wrong answers will lead to deduction of 1 mark).

Exemption from Written Test: The candidates who have qualified UGC NET/ JRF, SLET/M.Phil in Law are exempted from taking the admission test. The candidates who have obtained a degree in Law and Master Degree with M.Phil. in Social Sciences or Humanities applying under the Ph.D. Regulations Clause 3 (ii) and have qualified UGC NET/ JRF, SLET/M.Phil. in Social Sciences or Humanities are also exempted from taking the admission test. They will be asked to submit their Research Proposal for scrutiny along with other qualified candidates.

Online Registration: All the interested candidates whether exempted or not should apply only online on payment of prescribed fee notified by the University in the advertisement every year.

Submission of Research Proposal: The candidate shall secure minimum 50% marks (40% in case of SC/ST candidates) in the written test to qualify for submission of research proposal. The qualified candidates will be asked to submit their Research Proposal for scrutiny. The University has the right to keep the seats vacant if sufficient numbers of candidates with minimum cut off marks are not available.

Evaluation of Research Proposals by Research Advisory Committee:

All qualified candidates along with exempted category candidates shall submit research proposal. The Research Advisory Committee will short list the candidates after evaluating their research proposals for giving presentation before the Doctoral Committee as per the guidelines prescribed by the University.

Presentation before Doctoral Committee:

The candidates equal to three times of number of seats, based on scoring given by the Research Advisory Committee, will be called to give a presentation before the Doctoral Committee on the proposed topic of research on a date notified by the University. Based on identified criteria, the Doctoral Committee will evaluate the candidates for maximum of marks as may be prescribed. The decision of the Doctoral Committee in recommending the name of the candidates for admission to Ph.D. programme shall be final. The admissions will be finally approved by the Vice-Chancellor on the recommendations of the Doctoral Committee. The University has a right to keep the seats vacant if the sufficient number of candidates is not found suitable by the Doctoral Committee.





Eligibility for Admission

To be admitted to the candidature for a doctoral degree an applicant shall have:

- A Master's degree in law or a professional degree declared equivalent to the Master's degree in law by the corresponding statutory regulatory body, with at least 55% marks in aggregate or its equivalent grade 'B' in the UGC 7-point scale (or an equivalent grade in a point scale wherever grading system is followed) or an equivalent degree from a foreign educational Institution accredited by an Assessment and Accreditation Agency which is approved, recognized or authorized by an authority, established or incorporated under a law in its home country or any other statutory authority in that country for the purpose of assessing, accrediting or assuring quality and standards of educational institutions.

OR

- Obtained a degree in law and Master's Degree with M.Phil. in social sciences or humanities of any recognised University with at least 55% marks in aggregate or its equivalent grade 'B' in the UGC 7-point scale (or an equivalent grade in a point scale wherever grading system is followed). Provided that candidates with qualifications in social sciences and humanities may be admitted to the programme if the research they wish to pursue interfaces with the discipline of law with a special focus on Public Policy or Law.

For the above two categories, a relaxation of 5% of marks, from 55% to 50%, or an equivalent relaxation of grade, may be allowed for those belonging to SC/ST/OBC (non-creamy layer)/Differently-abled and other categories of candidates as per the decision of the Commission from time to time, or for those who had obtained their Master's degree prior to 19th September, 1991. The eligibility marks of 55% (or an equivalent grade in a point scale wherever grading system is followed) and the relaxation of 5% to the categories mentioned above are permissible based only on the qualifying marks without including the grace mark procedures.

OR

- Candidates possessing a Degree in law and Master's Degree considered equivalent to M.Phil. Degree of an Indian Institution, from a Foreign Educational Institution accredited as per UGC Regulations shall be eligible for admission to Ph.D. programme.

OR

- Degree in law and Ph.D. in any discipline.

OR

- Judge of any State High Court in India with three years' experience or Judge of Supreme Court of India.

OR

- A foreign student, who is interested to enrol from outside India from reputed University/Institutions may be allowed to be registered for Ph.D. in National Law University Delhi subject to the condition that one supervisor will be from the National Law University Delhi and one from the parent foreign University/Institutions of the student. He /She will be exempted from appearing in the Entrance Test subject to the condition that he/she fulfils the other minimum eligibility conditions. The Vice-Chancellor will be competent to allow registration of such students on case to case basis on the recommendations of Doctoral Committee. The student will be required to visit National Law University Delhi for Viva-Voce to defend his/her Thesis as per University Regulations.

OR

- The Vice-Chancellor may permit a member of the NLU Delhi faculty to take up Ph.D. Degree course along with his / her teaching assignment in the interest of faculty improvement on the condition that his / her teaching and other responsibilities are not hampered in any way provided such candidates fulfil the conditions prescribed in the Ph.D. Regulations.

Categories of Enrolment

Full-Time Enrolment

- i) Enrolment for the Ph.D. Degree shall ordinarily be full-time. The candidate shall put in a minimum of three-years residence of which at least 18 months shall be in the University. During this period, a scholar can be attached to a supervisor and assist the supervisor in teaching at the University. After this period, a scholar may be permitted to conduct empirical research work outside the University. There shall thus be provision for the candidate to earn credits for research work done outside the University.
- ii) Five years shall be the maximum period in which a full time candidate should complete the work and submit it for evaluation. However, this time period is extendable up to one year in two extensions of six months each in case the scholar requests in writing for such extension. This is subject to the approval of the doctoral committee on recommendation of the Research Advisory Committee.

Part-Time Enrolment

There shall be provision for part-time enrolment for the Ph.D. Degree.

- i) A part-time candidate shall put in a minimum of four years of part-time study in the University including time spent for research at any other place with the permission of the supervisor.

Provided that the part-time candidates shall put in residence in the University for at least a total period of two semesters spread over the five year period. However persons working at senior level such as a Judge in the High Court/ Supreme Court, a senior Advocate in Supreme Court, Judicial Officer (with LL.M. degree and ten years' experience as Judicial Officer) and IAS/IPS/IRS and allied Services Officer (with LL.M. degree and 10 years' experience as IAS/IPS/IRS and allied Services Officer recruited through UPSC) may be exempted from the said residence condition with the condition that they should complete the certificate course in research methodology within six months after admission.

- ii) Five years shall be the maximum period in which the part-time candidate shall complete the research work and submit it for evaluation. However, this time period is extendable up to one year in two extensions of six months each in case the scholar requests in writing for such extension. This is subject to the approval of the doctoral committee on recommendation of the research advisory committee.

Conversion

Conversion either from part-time to full-time or from full-time to part-time is to be permitted only with the approval of the Doctoral Committee. All cases of pre and post-employment of research scholars including JRF and SRF will be considered and approved by the Doctoral Committee.

Monitoring the Research Work

In cases of both part-time and full-time enrolment the supervisor of the candidate shall ensure monitoring of the research work done by the scholars outside the University campus by insisting on production of adequate proof of work done.

Expiry/Lapse of Enrolment

Enrolment for the Ph.D. shall be deemed to have lapsed after six years from the date of enrolment both in case of full-time scholars and part-time scholars.

The women candidates and Persons with Disability (more than 40% disability) may be allowed a relaxation of two years for Ph.D. in the maximum duration. In addition, the women candidates may be provided Maternity Leave/Child Care Leave once in the entire duration of Ph.D. for up to 240 days.

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PARTICULARS	FEE FROM HOSTLERS	FEE FROM NON-HOSTLERS
Registration Fee	INR 50,000.00 (one time)	INR 50,000.00
Continuation Fee	INR 30,000.00 p.a., from 2nd Year onwards	INR 30,000.00 p.a., from 2nd Year onwards
Examination Fee	INR 20,000.00 (one time)	INR 20,000.00 (one time)
*Refundable Security Deposit	INR 15,000.00 (one time)	INR 15,000.00 (one time)
Room Rent	INR 18,000.00 p.a	---
Hostel Facilities	INR 20,000.00 p.a.	---
*Library Deposit	INR 3,000.00	INR 3,000.00
*Hostel Deposit	INR 5,000.00	---
*Mess Deposit	INR 3,000.00	---
Total	INR 1,64,000.00	INR 1,18,000.00

In addition to above, Mess advance INR 21000.00 per semester will be paid by the students to be adjusted as per actual charges/expenses of the Hostel Mess. The amount may be increased after reviewing the actual expenses on the recommendations of Mess Committee, if required, with the approval of the Vice-Chancellor.

*50% of the deposits remaining after dues will go towards Student Welfare Fund and 50% towards Alumni on completion of the course. The Student Welfare Fund and Alumni Fund shall be kept in a separate accounts and will be used only for students & alumni.



“What a great, robust seat of learning. I haven't seen such a fine blend of a relationship of faculty and students. The dedication with which the faculty engages with its work with the leadership of the VC is admirable.”

HMJ Peter Mohan Maithree Peiris,
Former CJ and Att. Gen of Sri Lanka

LL.M. (Professional) Programme

The objective of the LL.M. (Professional) Programme is to enrich academic excellence in professional services.

Admission Criteria

Candidates will be selected on the basis of percentage secured in their graduation. The merit cut-off list will accordingly be prepared. 15% of the seats will be reserved for individuals from the Scheduled Castes, 7.5% for individuals from the Scheduled Tribes, and 5% for persons with disabilities.

Duration of the Programme

The programme will be for a period of one academic year. The academic year will run from August to June. Contact classes will be held for minimum one week each semester as per the schedule notified by the University.

Number of Seats

To begin with, the University has admitted a maximum of 160 candidates for the programme. However, the University reserves the right to alter the number of seats for the programme in a given academic year without prior notice.

Eligibility

The LL.M. (Professional) Programme will be conducted through a mixed mode of distance education and contact learning. A person who has completed his/her graduation in any discipline, with a minimum of 50% marks, and has been in service or has had professional experience will be eligible to enroll for the programme.

FEE

The tuition fees for the programme for Indian Nationals shall be INR 1,25,000. For Foreign Nationals, the amount shall be USD 3500.



Curriculum Overview

The LL.M. (Pro) Curriculum has the following components:

1. Core Papers (2 papers of 4 credits each)

The Foundation/ Compulsory Papers consist of the following two subjects/ papers, which should be completed in the first semester, namely: a) Basic Introduction to the Law and Legal System
b) Constitutional Law: An Introduction.

2. Optional/ Specialization papers (4 papers of 4 credits each)

Specialization papers will be offered in one or more group of the specialization. The following specialisations are being offered:

- (a) Criminology & Criminal Justice
- (b) Banking & Financial Studies
- (c) Intellectual Property
- (d) Commercial Laws
- (e) Environmental Laws and Justice
- (f) Police Studies.



P.G. Diploma Programmes

The University is offering the following Diploma Programmes

Post Graduate Diploma in Environmental Law and Policy (PGDELPL)

It is essential to minimise the adverse impacts of pollution and ecological degradation, through proper environmental management and International cooperation. This can be done by raising awareness on environmental values, while also strengthening the delivery capacity of environmental professionals, so that they are well equipped to deal with the challenges in their professional lives.

PGDELPL provides opportunities for Law graduates and professionals working in the environmental sector, to enrich their understanding—of the issues, institutions and initiatives in the field of environmental Law and Policy. In the year 2018, WWF India and NLU Delhi jointly conducted the programme for two batches with 230 students, belonging to diverse backgrounds including bureaucrats, lawyers, researchers, environmental engineers, environmentalists working with civil society organisations, and many more.

Post Graduate Diploma in Urban Environmental Management and Law (PGDUEML)

This course aims to strengthen the capacity of urban administrators and elected representatives and is designed to provide an in-depth knowledge and understanding of existing urban laws, by-laws and policies. It aims towards training and capacity building of all concerned persons involved in improving the living conditions and quality of life for urban citizens. The programme provides them with policy prescriptions, innovations for better urban governance, information and training inputs. It also provides knowledge on practical aspects of urban planning, keeping in mind the needs of sustainable growth and development.

The year 2018, saw 53 students enrol for the course, having candidates from various backgrounds including urban and city planners, architects, pollution control board scientists, researchers and academicians.

Post Graduate Diploma in Tourism and Environmental Laws (PGDTEL)

PGDTEL is specifically designed to provide in-depth understanding of the existing issues of sustainable tourism; with emphasised focus on socio-cultural, legal and policy issues. The programme includes current perspectives on new developments and insights into the relationship between tourism and the environment, at global and regional levels. It aims at assisting professionals and fresh graduates to develop better understanding of the tourism industry, especially in relation to those working in areas of ecotourism. This programme teaches sustainable tourism, with emphasis on green and clean environmental strategies.

Being a specialised course, the course has had small batch sizes, with 22 students in the year 2018, belonging to several stakeholder backgrounds including hoteliers, handicrafts people, event companies, and tour operators.



International Relations, Collaborations, and Scholarships

Collaborations

The National Law University Delhi pro-actively explores possibilities of signing MoUs with various Universities and Institutions of National and International repute, to garner a global face to the University. These MoUs pave the way for Students' and Faculty Exchange Programmes, also further facilitating collaborative research and other academic activities. These provide opportunities to the Faculty and students to excel in the field of legal education across the globe. The University has a dedicated International Relations office (IRO) for coordinating these International engagements across the globe, including mutually forging ties, and running its student exchange programmes.

University of Bergen, Norway, regularly offers Erasmus Plus scholarships to NLU students. It was offered to 9 students for the Academic Year 2019-20.

Some of the foreign collaborations signed by the University are:

- Asian Arb and Adr Alliance, Singapore
- Asean Legal Alliance Ltd.
- Bodh Raj Sawhney Memorial Trust, Delhi
- Commonwealth Human Rights Initiatives (CHRI)
- Copyright X Affiliation Agreement, Harvard Law School
- Council of Secure Justice, Delhi
- Central Reserve Police Force, Central Government
- Cochin University of Science and Technology
- Deakin University, Victoria, Australia
- Faculty of Law, University of Kashmir, Hazratbal, Srinagar
- Herbert Smith Freehills LLP
- International Centre for Alternative Disputes Resolution (ICADR), Pepperdine University, U.S.A
- Law Faculty of Julius-Maximilians University, Wirzburg, Germany
- Law Faculty of the University of Antwerp, Belgium
- Lewis & Clark Law School, Portland, Oregon, U.S.A.
- McGill University (Institute of Air & Space Law, Faculty of Law), Canada
- Ministry of Law & Justice, Government of India
- National Academic Depository (CSDL, Mumbai)
- Osgoode Hall Law School, York University, Canada
- Paris Bar, France, and The Chamber of Commerce and Industry France and India
- Pepperdine University, Malibu, USA
- School of Oriental and African Studies (SOAS), University of London
- School of Legal Studies, Central University of Kashmir, Sonwar, Srinagar
- The University of Alabama School of Law, Alabama USA
- The University of Bergen, Faculty of Law, Norway
- The University of Illinois
- The University of New Hampshire, School of Law
- The Legal Faculty of The Ruhr University Bochum, Germany
- The University of Glasgow, Scotland, UK
- The University of Melbourne
- The Law School of the Beijing Normal University, China
- The Straus Institute for Dispute Resolution, Pepperdine University, School of Law
- Trakya University, Edirne, Turkey
- University of Houston Law Centre, USA
- University of Passau, Germany
- University of Johannesburg, South Africa
- University of Bergen, Faculty of Law, Bergen, Norway
- University Paris Ouest Nanterre La Defense, France
- University of Melbourne, Australia
- Universidad Pontificia Comillas, Madrid, Spain
- University of Sheffield, United Kingdom
- VU University Amsterdam, The Netherlands

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Memorandum of Understanding with CRPF

The National Law University Delhi has signed MoU with CRPF



Scholarships

List and brief details of Scholarship Schemes

1. Central Sector Scholarship of Top Class Education for SC Students by the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Govt. of India, with total family income ceiling of Rs. 6.00 lakh.
2. Central Sector Scholarship of Top Class Education for ST Students by the Ministry of Tribal Affairs, Govt. of India, with total family income ceiling of Rs. 6.00 lakh.
3. Post Metric Scholarship for SC & OBC students
4. Post-Metric Scholarship for SC & OBC students studying in Class XI to Ph.D. including Professional/Technical courses.
5. Merit Scholarship for SC/ST/OBC/Minorities students studying in Colleges/Professional/Technical Institutions.
6. Scholarship for Diaspora students admitted in 2017-18
Ministry of External Affairs (MEA), Govt. of India, offers Scholarship Scheme to NRI's and PIOs every year under the Scholarship Programme for Diaspora Children (SPDC).
For further details visit the SPCD PORTAL (<http://spdcindia.gov.in>). Only Online Application Forms will be accepted.
7. Post Metric Scholarship (Minorities) and Merit cum means based scholarship for Minorities of Ministry of Minority Affairs, Govt. of India, on National Scholarship Portal.
All the details and instructions are available on the website of <http://scholarships.gov.in> National Scholarship Portal started by Govt. of India on NSP2.0.
8. Merit cum means linked Financial Assistance Scheme, on e-district portal of Govt. of NCT of Delhi.
9. Launching of Scholarship Schemes for the year 2018-19, on E-District Portal Delhi, Directorate of Higher Education:
 - a. Post Matric Scholarship (OBC)
 - b. Post Matric Scholarship (SC)
 - c. Merit Scholarship to SC/ST/OBC/MIN. studying in College/Professional/Technical institute.All the above schemes are for the welfare of SC/ST/OBC/Minorities, and their details as well as guidelines are available on the official website of the Dept.: www.scstwelfare.delhigovt.nic.in
10. Need cum Merit Financial Assistance to the deserving students offered by National Law University Delhi, from endowment created by Dr. Santosh Chawla w/o late Justice T. P. S. Chawla, Former Chief Justice, Delhi High Court.
11. Fee Waiver to deserving and needy student granted by the Vice-Chancellor, National Law University Delhi.



Mooting

Mooting is a thrust area of Legal Education which provides practical skills to law students through simulated settings. The activity integrates the theory and practice of law, by creating real court room proceedings; thereby inculcating skills in students for research, effective communication, and thinking on the feet. Seeing its contemporary and legal relevance, the University encourages and facilitates students to participate in National and International Moot Court Competitions. The University has had a stellar record in mooting activities, having also organised several moot court competitions in the decade's span of NLUD's existence.

To facilitate mooting, the University has a dedicated Moot Court Committee coordinated by a Faculty Advisor, for the development of its skills in students. It is a student elected committee with two members from each batch, with an objective to—promote and facilitate organisation of moots in the University; implement internal selections to choose individuals who represent the University at various moots across the World; train students in mooting skills; and to act as a channel between the University administration and the student body in all matters related to mooting.



Moot Court Achievements

International Teams:

1. Aditya Garg, Devdutta Mukhopadhyay, and Puneet Dinesh were semi-finalists at the International Rounds of the '2018 Price Media Law Moot Court Competition' at the 'University of Oxford'. They won the prize for the 'Best Memorial'. They also won the 'Africa Regional Rounds' of the 'Oxford-Price Media Law Moot Court Competition', University of Johannesburg, South Africa. There, the team again won the 'Best Memorial', and Devdutta Mukherjee, was adjudged as 'Best Speaker' (Preliminary Rounds).
1. Neeraj Nainani, Prashasthi Bhat, and Sanjana Ravjiani reached Round of 32 at the '2018 Willem C. Vis (East) International Commercial Arbitration Moot', in Hong Kong. The team received an honourable mention of 'Best Claimant Memorandum'. Prashasthi and Sanjana, both were judged 'Best Oralist'.
2. Abhinav Hansa Raman, Gaurika Khandelwal, and Yashita Gour participated in the '2018 Willem C. Vis Moot' in Vienna. They were also semi-finalists at the 'AIAC-ICC Kuala Lumpur Pre-Moot' and 'Indian Vis Pre Moot'.
3. Aakanksha Bhardwaj, Nishant Badhran, and Riddhi Jad was declared as the 9th best team at the 2018 Frankfurt Investment Arbitration Moot in Frankfurt.
4. Amber Tickoo, Anany Mishra, Dushyanth Narayanan, Gali Arudhra Rao, and Yuvnesh Sharma were runners-up at the 'India National Rounds', of the 'International Criminal Court Moot Competition 2018' (ICC). Gali Arudhra Rao was declared as the Best Oralist. In the International Rounds, the team reached Quarterfinals and Gali Arudhra Rao was given the award for Best Prosecution Counsel and Second Best Oralist.

National Teams:

1. Kaustub Narendran, Kritika Vidyarthi, Rohan Andrew Naik, Tarun Sundaram, and Tishta Tandon won the prize for 'Best Memorial' at the India National Rounds of the '2018 Philip C. Jessup International Law Moot'.
2. Riya Shah, Sahil Malhotra, and Shakaib Khan were runners-up at the 'Third Jindal Technology Law and Policy Moot Court Competition 2018'. The team won the prize for 'Second Best Memorial', and Sahil was adjudged as 'Second Best Oralist'.
3. Anushka Pandey, Divyansh Joshi, and Srikari Kancherla were semi-finalists at the '2018 NUJS-HSF Corporate Law Moot'.
4. Anushka Sachdev, Karan Vijay, and Yusrah Khan were adjudged to as the 'Best Applicant Memorial' at India National Rounds of '2018 Leiden-Sarin Air Law Moot'.
5. Aadarsh Singh, Aaditya Arora, and Kashish Singhal won the prize for 'Second Best Memorial' at the '2018 NLU Antitrust Law Moot' at NLU Jodhpur.
6. Ambar Modi, Madhav Nakra, and Siddharth Kaushal participated in the '2018 GD Goenka Global Antitrust and Commercial Law Moot'. Madhav was declared as the 'Best Oralist' (Male), and Siddharth as 'Second Best Oralist' (Male).
7. Ashima Sharma, Atulya Gupta, and Nidhi Pratap Singh were runners-up at '2018 Loi Fiesta National Moot'.
8. Palash Srivastava, Akanshha Agrawal and Manav Dhanetiya won the 'Best Memorial Award' at '2019 K. K. Luthra Memorial Moot'.
9. Anushka Pandey, Yashita Gour and Vishvesh Vikram qualified for the International Rounds of the '2019 Frankfurt Investment Arbitration Moot' to be held in 2019.

Moot Court Competitions Organised in 2018

1. India National Rounds of the 'International Criminal Court Moot Court Competition'
2. South Asia Rounds of the 'Monroe E-Price Media Law Moot'
3. CCI-NLUD Competition Law Moot'
4. Insolvency and Bankruptcy Moot Competition'
5. Justice Y. K. Sabharwal Constitutional Law Moot'



ADR Achievements 2018

International Teams

1. Devdutta Mukhopadhyay, Shrey Patnaik and Vrinda Vinayak participated in the '2018 CPR International Mediation Competition' in São Paulo, Brazil. Devdutta won 'Best Mediator' in the Mediation Category, and Shrey and Vrinda won 'Best Teamwork' in the Negotiation Category.
2. Aditya Garg, Rohan Bhatia, and Tarun Sundaram were the 'Second Best Mediation Team' (Overall) at the '2018 INADR International Law School Mediation Competition' in Chicago, USA. Tarun Sundaram won the 'Second Best Mediator' (Preliminary Rounds).

National Teams

1. Karan Vijay and Madhav Nakra participated in the '2018 RMLNLU Mediation Competition'. Karan was adjudged as runner-up for 'Best Client'.



Legal Aid Services

NLU Delhi engages in various legal aid initiatives through its committee, undertaken by the students under the guidance of faculty and other related authorities. Various activities include Para-Legal Volunteer Training Workshop, writing Petitions, providing legal assistance to Collaborations like to National Human Rights Commission, Legal Awareness, Community Outreach Programme to increase awareness towards one's rights, and Pro bono Panel wherein committee student members actively participate in client counselling and representation at court, alongside selected external lawyers.

The Committee has established a fully functional Legal Aid Clinic to pursue cases of people seeking legal counsel; and has set up an office space on the campus premises from where it operates. To spread more legal awareness and inform people about the clinic, posters were put up, flyers distributed and plays acted in Dwarka and areas around. This committee can be contacted through the clinic helpline number advertised in areas around the University and on the University website. A legal aid lawyer from the Delhi State Legal Services Authority (DSLISA) visits the clinic every week, to deal with various grievances addressed to the clinic. The members of the Committee help the lawyers with these cases along with helping clients in filing complaints, writing letters, sending RTI's, applying for certificates online, etc.



Para-Legal Volunteer Training Workshop (April 2018)

The Legal Services Committee partnered with the Delhi State Legal Services Authority and successfully conducted Para-Legal Training of more than 100 students. This training programme was designed to help students develop a functional understanding of the legal and judicial system, as well as the laws that affect individuals in everyday life and to impart elementary skills in accessing legal and judicial institutions.

3rd GNLU Legal Services Clinic Award 2018 (April 2018)

The Committee participated in the 3rd GNLU Legal Services Award 2018 which was organised in April 2018 at Gujarat National Law University, Gandhinagar where Tanaya Rajwade, Siddharth Gautam and Pritam Raman Giriya presented the Committee's work to the judges, legal aid clinics across the countries and other student members.

HRLN-LSC Kathputli Colony Petitions (August 2018)

The Legal Services Committee in collaboration with the Human Rights Law Network intervened into the matter of displacement of over 2100 families living in Kathputli Colony, Delhi and a group of 25 students (involving members of the Committee and other student volunteers from the University) drafted more than 50 Writ Petitions, making a crucial intervention into the matter.

Collaboration with the National Human Rights Commission (November 2018)

This collaboration is to study the living conditions of the inmates at Rohini Jail and further to follow up on the cases which require Legal Assistance. This is an ongoing project and the Committee is in the process to constitute a dedicated panel of Para Legal Volunteers which would be responsible in future for any kind of project related to prison fieldwork including this project.

Legal Awareness and Community Outreach Programme

In order to increase legal awareness and literacy, and to inform people about the Clinic, the Committee, in 2018, has put up posters and distributed flyers in Dwarka and suburbs surrounding Dwarka and also enacted street plays involving various legal issues, in the surrounding areas. Members from Indian People's Theatre Association have helped the Committee in developing the scripts and executing these plays by workshops with the student participants.

Pro bono Panel

The Committee has constituted the Pro-bono Panel of various lawyers and at present, it consists of various prominent lawyers including Mr. Jawahar Raja (Advocate, practising at the Supreme Court, Delhi High Court, and various courts and tribunals across Delhi), Mr. Deepak Biswas (Partner, Bharucha and Partners) and Mr. Nipun Saxena (Advocate, practising at the Delhi High Court, and various courts and tribunals across Delhi). The Committee members actively participate in client counselling and representation at court, alongside these lawyers.



Research Centres and Research Projects

The University has many illustrious Research Centres established to cater to diverse research and training needs of the society. The corpus of research funds of these centres run into Crores, and aids from Governmental agencies, higher judiciary, and International academia; parenting for various projects. The centres additionally offer significant opportunities to the students to indulge in research to build their competence.

Some of the active Research Centres at NLUD are:

1. Centre for Banking and Financial Laws
2. Centre for Communication Governance
3. Centre for Comparative Law
4. Centre for Corporate Law and Governance
5. Centre for Constitutional Law, Policy and Governance
6. Centre for Criminology and Victimology (CCV)
7. Centre for Comparative Studies in Personal Laws
8. Project 39A
9. Centre for Environmental Law, Policy and Research (CELPR)
10. Centre for Innovation, Intellectual Property and Competition (CIIPC)
11. Centre for Human Rights and Subaltern Studies
12. Centre for Law, Justice and Development
13. Centre for Transparency and Accountability in Governance
14. Centre for Transnational Commercial Law
15. Centre for Linguistic Justice and Endangered Languages
16. Centre for Tax Laws



Research Projects 2018

- **MOOCS (Law) 2018**

The University was entrusted to develop MOOCs (Massive Open Online Courses) in various subjects of Law. As many as 10 subject courses were developed in modules and launched. Almost every course attracted over 10,000 students. Hence NLUD catered to over 1,00,000 students, free of cost, online access. This is a programme initiated by the Government of India and the courses are available on Swayam Platform at swayam.gov.in.

- **e-PGPathshala Criminology (2017-18)**

UGC and MHRD entrusted National Law University Delhi, under its National Mission on Education to develop courses. Prof. (Dr.) G. S. Bajpai as Principle Investigator of the project developed 15 courses with over 500 modules. These modules consisted of four quadrants: E-text, self-learning videos, learn more, and self-assessment.

- **Exploring Court's Role in Facilitating Women's Right to Maintenance**

This project commissioned by the Ministry of Women & Child Development, Government of India, was completed by Dr. Anju Tyagi and Dr. Bharti Kumar. The purpose was to find out how effective courts are in ensuring execution of the maintenance orders, as awarded by them to the women applicants. Also to ascertain the problems that judges face in the process of its execution. This research was based on an empirical study using questionnaires and cases; while trying to know the perspectives of: litigants, civil society members, advocates, and judges.

- **Study on Legal Barriers to Access Safe Abortion Services in India**

Centre for Constitutional Law, Policy and Governance collaborated with the Centre for Reproductive Rights, New York, for a study. This empirical work aims at studying legal barriers to accessing safe and comprehensive abortion services in India, through interviews with stakeholders such as women who have sought abortion services, service providers, and government officials. Through field work in 4 states in India, the study seeks to—understand, document, and analyse legal restrictions on those seeking and providing abortion services, as well as the harm that these restrictions cause to women. The findings of this study will be published in the form of a report.

- **Prison Projects**

Centre for Constitutional Law, Policy and Governance collaborated with the Delhi High Court Legal Services Committee, for two projects on under-trial incarceration in Delhi. The projects involve preparing periodic reports on the status of each case, documenting the causes of delay (if any), compliance with guidelines and laws, and availability of bail for the incarcerated person. A policy proposal will be prepared based on these cases, highlighting systemic concerns and blockages in the criminal justice system, and providing suggestions for reforms.

- **Compendium on Reproductive Justice in India**

Centre for Constitutional Law, Policy and Governance collaborated with the Centre for Reproductive Rights, New York, on conceptualising, researching, and producing a manual on—Reproductive Rights in India. This will serve as a reference book for judges, legal practitioners, and students, on reproductive rights case laws. The research undertaken for the compendium was also the basis for an Elective Course, titled 'Reproductive Justice in India: Theory and Practice', at NLU Delhi.

- **Report on Women in Detention**

Centre for Constitutional Law, Policy and Governance collaborated with the Ministry of Women and Child Development, Government of India, undertaking a study focusing on the needs of women prisoners and their children. This report examined the extant legal regime on the incarceration of women, from the perspective of the rights, entitlements and needs of women prisoners. It also incorporated perspectives gleaned from—the work conducted by the Centre in Jail No. 6, Tihar Prisons, New Delhi, and a study of National and International norms and courts' decisions. The Report, which was submitted to the Ministry, recommended revisions in the National Model Prison Manual. The Ministry substantially relied upon, and acknowledged, this report in preparing its own submission to the Supreme Court in an ongoing matter.

- **Fair Trial Manual**

Dr. Mrinal, Executive Director, CLPG, and Dr. Aparna Chandra, Research Director, Centre for Constitutional Law, Policy and Governance, are collaborating with the Commonwealth Human Rights Initiative (CHRI), to revise and update the 2010 edition of CHRI's "Fair Trial Manual: A Handbook for Judges and Magistrates".

- **Surrogacy in India: Theory and Practice**

This project is based on a course co-taught at NLUD and Cornell Law School in 2017, which included fieldwork on Law and practice of Commercial Surrogacy in India. This work by Prof. (Dr.) Mrinal Satish and Dr. Aparna Chandra, from the CLPG, in collaboration with Cornell Law School, culminated in a memorandum submitted to the Indian Parliament, and a deposition before the Parliamentary Standing Committee on Health and Family Welfare on the Surrogacy (Regulation) Bill 2016. The research also formed part of a Report to the New York Legislature, on 'Surrogacy in New York'. The research is being consolidated and updated into a book-length Policy Report on 'Commercial Surrogacy in India'.

- **Empirical Analysis of Supreme Court Decisions**

This research project, funded by the University of Chicago, is a collaboration between Dr. Aparna Chandra, Research Director, CLPG; Prof. Sital Kalantry, Cornell Law School; and Prof. William Hubbard, University of Chicago Law School. Based on an empirical analysis of all Supreme Court cases 2010-2015, and of other original data on the Supreme Court; the project aims at conducting a critical appraisal of various issues with the functioning of Indian Supreme Court. Apart from various academic papers, this project will also culminate into a book, under contract with Penguin Publishers, titled "The Supreme Court in Crisis."

- Report on Issues of Bail for Women Prisoners**
 The Delhi High Court, in *Court on Its Own Motion v. State* [Writ Petition (Crl.) 1352/2015] requested Dr. Mrinal Satish and Dr. Aparna Chandra, CLPG, to submit a report on the issues of bail for women prisoners lodged in Tihar Jail, New Delhi. Reports were submitted in 2017 and 2018, based on the Centre's work in Tihar Prisons, as well as an examination of Court's records is identified. The Court has issued orders on based on the submissions. The matter is currently ongoing, and further reports and submissions are underway.
- The Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Act, 2013: A Study to assess its impact, implementation issues and concerns in various Government/PSUs/Private Sectors in Delhi (NCR)**
 Sponsored by National Human Rights Commission (NHRC), objective of the project is an attempt to map the functioning of the 2013 Act, since its implementation same year. The proposed study would be able to establish a missing link between the desired objectives of the 2013 Act and the current state of affairs in the chosen Government/Semi-Govt./PSUs/Private departments in Delhi (NCR). The compilation of the results of empirical study and analysis of the result would provide a glimpse about the ongoing efforts of the Government to curb the menace of sexual harassment. The Principal Investigator of the project is Prof. (Dr.) Ritu Gupta.
- Indo-Norwegian Collaboration Programme (INCP - 2015 to 2018)**
 Sponsored by UGC and SIU (Norway); this was a joint project between National Law University Delhi and Faculty of Law, University of Bergen, Norway (UiB). The objective of this programme was to initiate and build relationships between NLUD and UiB, including student and Faculty mobility programme and joint workshop for researchers and PhD scholars. The Project Coordinator is Prof. (Dr.) Harpreet Kaur.
- An Empirical Study to Examine the Impact of the Legal Aid Services provided by the Legal Aid Counsels (LACs) on the Quality of the Legal Aid System in India, 2017-19**
 Prof. (Dr.) Jeet Singh Mann, Professor of Law, is conferred with this Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR) Research Project; objective of which is to take cognisance of the hindrances in legal aid services, provided by the Legal Aid Counsels (LACs), and submit a viable solution to promote quality legal aid services in India. This empirical research, required a study of 36 District Legal Services Authorities (DLSAs) from the North, South, East, West, Centre and North-East Zones of India. The research project is currently in its report writing and analysing stage.
- Mental Health Research Project(2016-2018)**
 Project 39A was granted the Mental Health Research Project, which is a study on the mental health of prisoners sentenced to death, in India. It covers 88 interviews of death row prisoners and their families in the states of Delhi, Kerala, Karnataka, Madhya Pradesh and Chhattisgarh. It seeks to enquire into the existence of mental illnesses and intellectual disability among death row prisoners; and to unearth the relationship between mental health of prisoners and their lived experience of being under the sentence of death. Professors of NIMHANS: Dr. Pratima Murthy and Dr. Sanjeev Jain, along with Asst. Professor of NIMHANS Dr. Gitanjali Narayanan are guiding the project.
- Mental Health Project (2018-2021)**
 Project 39A was granted this project that aims to initiate the process of reforming the judicial and prison systems, which are accountable for the mental health of the accused people; towards building capacity for trial court lawyers and judges. The objectives are to (a) identify under trial prisoners with a history of mental illness, with the assistance of prison authorities; and to (b) consult with mental health professionals to ensure that the illness has been properly diagnosed and is reflected in the records.
- Trial Court Sentencing Project(2016-2018)**
 Project 39A was granted this study, which with its doctrinal roots attempts to understand the compliance to the 'rarest of rare' doctrine by trial courts. It also critically engages with the evolution of the 'doctrine' from its original meaning, assigned to it by the Supreme Court in *Bachan Singh*. Towards fulfilling these objectives, the project looks at three death penalty heavy states of: Maharashtra, Madhya Pradesh and Delhi. It will analyse 214 trial court judgments between 2000-2015, wherein death sentence was imposed.
- Legal Aid Project (2018-2021)**
 Project 39A was granted this project, with the aim to evaluate existing systems, develop a 'Best Practices Model' and incorporate this as part of a code of professional ethics for lawyers. In order to fully understand the implications of a lack of quality legal aid in criminal cases, comprehensive audit of public institutions will be conducted, namely: District Legal Services Authorities (DLSAs), State Legal Services Authorities (SLSAs) and the Supreme Court Legal Services Committee (SCLSC).
- Forensics Project (2018-2019)**
 Project 39A was granted this project that seeks to collect empirical data from governmental forensic laboratories, regarding: administrative functioning, casework management, laboratory infrastructure, accreditation, quality control, and quality assurance mechanisms. The project will also examine the state of forensic DNA profiling in India.
- Torture Project (2018-2021)**
 Project 39A was granted this project that aims to unravel the nature of custodial torture and questioning its perpetrators; given its impact on quality of evidence and influence on judicial outcomes. Custodial torture in investigative processes lies within a complex web of—police, judicial and state failures—that leads to botched or faulty evidence. This comes with a real danger of the innocent, being convicted or sentenced to death. The project will rely on interviews with prisoners, former police officers, prison officials, and people who have been acquitted on account of innocence.

- **IP in Agri-Biotech in India (2018-2019)**
The project aims to study the components as a part of its research by focusing on the Monsanto litigation in India, which raises serious concerns regarding the application of anti-trust theories and the threshold required under the Competition Law of India. Monsanto is charged with alleged abuse of its dominant position and using stipulations in the technology licensing agreements, having an appreciable adverse effect on competition. The Principal Investigator of the project is Mr. Yogesh Pai.
- **L2Pro Content Development Project (2018-2019)**
Centre for Innovation, Intellectual Property and Competition (CIIPC) has undertaken the L2Pro (Learn to Protect) content development project in collaboration with Centre for IPR Promotion and Management (CIPAM), a unit of Department of Industrial Policy & Promotion (DIPP), Government of India and Qualcomm Inc. This course aims to simplify IP protection and enforcement, by creating an interactive and engaging learning experience with maximised learning outcomes. The Principal Investigator of the project is Mr. Yogesh Pai.
- **Food Safety & Standards Law: A Study of Enforcement Experience in National Capital Region (2015-2018)**
Dr. Sushila completed the project sponsored by University Grants Commission. The research undertook a detailed examination of the regulatory architecture under the new converged system provided under the Food Safety and Standards (FSS) Act, 2006. This was to determine whether the avowed objectives of an integrated Food Safety and Standards Law have been attained, and if so, to what extent.
- **Evaluation of Functioning of Fast Track Courts in India - An Empirical Study (2018-2019)**
Centre for Criminology and Victimology at NLUD has been entrusted with this Research Project by the 'Department of Justice, Ministry of Law'. Fast track courts were set up on recommendation of the 11th Finance Commission in 2001, to deal with the pending cases and accumulating backlog; with special focus on cases that involved under-trials, for people in jail for over two years. Though this was planned to exist for five years, due to its efficient and decent performance with respect to the number of cases disposed, the scheme was extended till 2011. Prof. G. S. Bajpai is the Principal Investigator for this study.
- **Regulation of Digital Markets in the Context of Big Data, AI, and IoT (January 2018 onwards)**
While framing policies with regard to regulation of digital markets, even some of the basic concepts like—dominance, abuse of dominance, and collusion between undertakings—may have to be revisited. This project will primarily look at competition issues in two areas: (1) App Store market for mobile devices and (2) Algorithmic bias in online services. This discussion assumes special significance in the light of the recent decisions of the Competition Commission of India (CCI) in the Google case and also the decision of the European Commission in the Android case. Principal Investigator of the project is Dr. Arul George Scaria.
- **Hate Crimes - Prejudices and Violence Faced by People from North-Eastern States and Measures to Counter - an Empirical Study (2018 onwards)**
The 'Indian Council of Social Science Research', New Delhi, entrusted this Research Project to Centre for Criminology and Victimology at NLUD. The present study premises on the escalating trend of cases of prejudice and violence against people belonging to the Northeast regions; forming what we call 'hate crimes'. This study attempts to map the experiences and vulnerabilities of people from the Northeast; and would be based in the following states: Delhi, Mumbai, Chennai, Hyderabad, Pune and Bengaluru, with a total sample number of 1200 cases.
- **Study of Impact Assessment of Electoral Literacy Club in India**
NLUD has undertaken a research project in collaboration with the Election Commission of India, which initiated a programme of opening Electoral Literacy Clubs in schools, colleges and communities all over the country; in order to spread electoral literacy and awareness among the people. It also studies the impact of these clubs, through field surveys and preparing a report of the same. The project is handled by Prof. (Dr.) Anupama Goel and Dr. Ritu Sharma.
- **Study of the preparedness and level of enforcement of hospitals in the NCT of Delhi in implementing the Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Act, 2013 (2017-18)**
This is a National Commission for Women (NCW) funded project, under which an empirical research is being conducted to ascertain the preparedness of hospitals, in terms of institutional mechanism and capacity building in—implementing the above Act in hospitals of NCT of Delhi. Prof. (Dr.) G. S. Bajpai is the Project Director and Dr. Sushila is Project Coordinator.
- **Un-othering the 'Other' in Law and Development Discourse-A Study of Social Movements and Property Rights of Adivasis in Chhattisgarh**
The empirical study focuses on the interface between formal law pertaining to property rights of Adivasis and informal notions nurtured by the Adivasis with regard to the same.
- **University IPR Policy, Rajasthan State (2018)**
Dr. Arul George Scaria played an instrumental role in drafting a University IPR Policy for the State of Rajasthan. This was in relation to him being a member of the IPR expert group, constituted by the Department of Science and Technology, Government of Rajasthan.
The Principal Investigator of this project is Dr Arul George Scaria. Ms. Priyanka Choudhary is the Research Fellow working on this project.
- **Exploring Court's Role in Facilitating Women's Right to Maintenance**
Commissioned by the Ministry of Women & Child Development, the study ascertained how effective courts are in ensuring execution of maintenance orders awarded by them to women applicants, and the problems judges face in its execution process. Principal investigators were Prof. Dr. Anju Tyagi and Dr. Bharti Kumar.
- **The Fair Trial Fellowship Programme**
Conceptualised and organised by Project 39A, this was for young lawyers and social workers, to assist legal aid lawyers in providing effective legal representation. This was for the under-trial prisoners lodged in Pune and Nagpur Central Prison.

National Academy of Law Teachers (NALT)

NLUD has established 'National Academy of Law Teachers' (NALT) in 2011, for promoting and protecting teaching-learning methodology by training/grooming faculty members towards quality teaching, research and curriculum development across the Nation. It organises orientations, refresher and capacity building programmes, on Law and Social Sciences courses, involving professionals/experts from India and Abroad.



It conducted a training workshop on:

Prevention of Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace, October 6-7, 2018

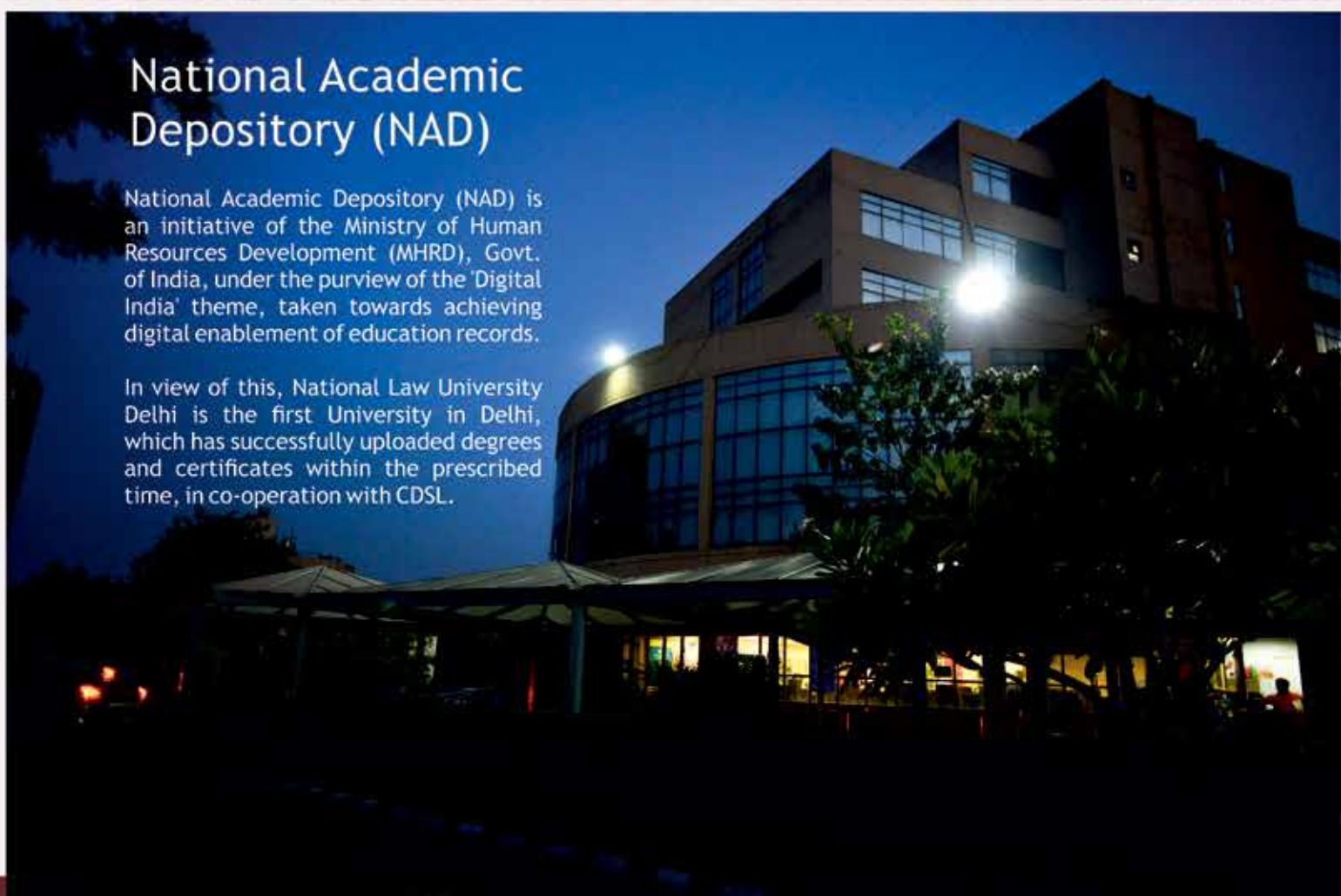
The purpose of the workshop was to bring together a variety of stakeholders, like Internal Complaints Committees (ICCs) and Local Complaints Committees (LCCs) members from all over India. The resource persons invited were from the academia, industry as well as Delhi State Legal Services Authority (DSLISA).

The support from National Human Rights Commission; Ministry of Women; Child Development, Government of India was acknowledged; while the training sessions were conducted by an associate from Bhasin & Bhasin Associates, a Prof. from Jawaharlal Nehru University (JNU), Government officials from Ministry of Women; Child Development and Delhi State Legal Services Authority, and Prof. (Dr.) Ritu Gupta, NLU Delhi, who is an expert on sexual harassment at workplace laws.

National Academic Depository (NAD)

National Academic Depository (NAD) is an initiative of the Ministry of Human Resources Development (MHRD), Govt. of India, under the purview of the 'Digital India' theme, taken towards achieving digital enablement of education records.

In view of this, National Law University Delhi is the first University in Delhi, which has successfully uploaded degrees and certificates within the prescribed time, in co-operation with CDSL.



Programmes Organised and Conducted in 2018

1. Conferences and Seminars

First International Conference on Digital Transformation: Preservation, Policy and Privacy, November 29-December 1, 2018

NLUD conducted this conference in collaboration with CSIR-NISCAIR, which was the major partner to the conference, along with other partners like: 'National Law Institute University', Bhopal; 'Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law', Punjab; 'The Energy and Research Institute', New Delhi; 'American Information Resource Centre', New Delhi; 'International Association of Law Libraries' (IALL); 'Indian Law Institute', New Delhi; 'IFLA Asia and Oceania'; etc.

It had presentations by Academicians, Law Librarians, Research Scholars and Experts of the field; while presenters deliberated on various issues.

9th International Women and Business Conference on—Business Empowerment of Women & Sustainability, October 24-26, 2018

Organised by NLU Delhi in collaboration with 'Institute of Company Secretaries of India' and 'Trakya University', brought together 16 paper presenters from different parts of India and the World, including from Istanbul, Germany, South Africa, Israel, etc. The conference had two plenary sessions and three parallel sessions on: "Business Empowerment of Women and Sustainability".

Joint Conference on IP in association with George Mason University, Washington, D.C.

National Law University, Delhi organised a 'Joint Conference on IP' in association with 'George Mason University', Washington, D.C., March 22-23, 2018, under the Centre for Innovation, Intellectual Property and Competition (CIIPC).

Second International Seminar on Scholarly Writings and Publication: How to Publish with Law and Social Science Publishers, under the aegis of IQAC, August 27, 2018

National Law University Delhi, in association with 'National Law Institute University' Bhopal; 'Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law', Patiala; and 'Brill International', organised this seminar under the aegis of IQAC at NLU Delhi, August 27, 2018. Over hundred participants and resource persons discussed, shared their views and experiences about the publishing pattern in Law and Social Sciences.



2. Workshops and Training Programmes

Panel Discussion on Wrongful Prosecution (Miscarriage of Justice): Legal Remedies Report 277 of Law Commission of India, October 1, 2018

K. L. Arora Chair in Criminal Law and Centre for Criminology & Victimology, National Law University Delhi, organised a panel discussion on Wrongful Prosecution (Miscarriage of Justice): Legal Remedies - Report 277 of Law Commission of India, at India International Centre, New Delhi.

Various themes were discussed in the panel discussion like: Law Commission's approach to using 'Wrongful Prosecution' and 'Malicious Prosecution'-its appropriateness; Conceptualisation of 'Wrongful Prosecution' and 'Malicious Prosecution'; Critique of the 'standards of wrongful prosecution'; Appreciation of 'best practices in cases of wrongful prosecution'; Contextualisation of wrongful prosecution in India vis-a-vis other jurisdictions; Legislative Reforms suggested and their implementation, etc.



2nd Asia-Pacific Workshop on Innovation, Intellectual Property and Competition

The Centre for Innovation, Intellectual Property and Competition organised the second 'Asia-Pacific Workshop on Innovation, Intellectual Property, and Competition', February 5-10, 2018. This workshop took place at the National Law University Delhi (NLU Delhi), and explored contemporary issues at the interface of IP law and Competition law in the following industries: Agriculture & Biotechnology; Automobiles; Creative Industry; Information & Communication Technologies (ICT); Online Platforms; and Pharmaceuticals. Training Workshop on Prevention of Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace, under the auspices of National Academy of Law Teachers (NALT), October 6-7, 2018

Lectures and Other Events

Lectures by Prof. (Dr.) Eric Hilgendorf, University of Wurzburg, August 28 and 30, 2018

Prof. (Dr.) Eric Hilgendorf, Professor of Criminal Law, Criminal Justice and Legal Theory, University of Wurzburg, Germany, visited NLU Delhi. He delivered lectures on "Artificial Intelligence and Law - The German and the European Perspective", on August 28, 2018 and "Robots in Criminal Law - Cases and Discussions in Germany", on August 30, 2018. His sessions were attended by Ph.D. scholars, students of B.A.LL.B. (Hons.) and LL.M., and faculty members of NLU Delhi.

18th Annual Bodh Raj Sawhny Memorial Oration, May 19, 2018

NLU Delhi, organised the '18th Annual Bodh Raj Sawhny Memorial Oration', lecture given by Ms. Aruna Roy, Founder, Mazdoor Kisan Shakti Sangathan. The topic of oration was 'Contours of a Just Democracy - Legislation and Practice', at the Justice Y. K. Sabharwal Moot Court Hall, NLU Delhi. The oration was coordinated by Dr. Sidharth Dahiya, Assistant Registrar.



19th Bodh Raj Sawhny Memorial Oration, September 8, 2018

Hon'ble (Dr.) Justice Chandrachud delivered the 19th Justice Bodh Raj Sawhny Memorial Oration, at NLU Delhi on the topic "Rule of Law in a Constitutional Democracy". The Programme's YouTube link is: <http://youtu.be/YVvRr0ZzRPM>.

HSF-NLUD International Negotiation Competition, September 7-9, 2018

Herbert Smith Freehills LLP and the National Law University Delhi, jointly organised the 'Fifth edition of the International Negotiation Competition' (INC). This edition of the competition was the largest yet to be organised by NLU Delhi; witnessing participation of 38 teams from eight countries, 20 of which flew to India from different parts of the World. It aims at providing an opportunity to law students from top universities across the globe to practice and improve their negotiation skills, in a real environment.

Price Media Law Moot Court Competition, 2017-18 and Symposium on Human Rights & Technology Law, February 22-25, 2018

The South Asia rounds of the Oxford Price Media Law Moot Court competition, organised by the Centre for Communication Governance (CCG), February 22-25, 2018, had teams participating from India, Bangladesh, and Afghanistan in the oral rounds. The team from 'National Law University', Odisha, was runner-up and the team from 'Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law', Punjab was declared the winner.



Baroness Helena Kennedy's visit to NLUD, January 22, 2018

Baroness Helena Kennedy, Sitting Member in the House of Lords and in the Special Counsel to the Queen in UK, along with a delegation of six other members of Sheffield Hallam University visited the National Law University Delhi on Monday, January 22, 2018.

4. Reports


Release of the Open Science India Report (digital version for public comments) at the Global Congress on IP and Public Interest, Washington D.C., September 27, 2018

The Open Science India Report (digital version for public comments), prepared by 'Centre for Innovation, IP and Competition' (CIIPC), was officially released by Prof. (Dr.) Ranbir Singh, Vice-Chancellor, National Law University Delhi; at the 'Global Congress on IP and Public Interest, Washington, D.C., September 27, 2018. The report, which can be accessed through the link: <https://osf.io/aj9gw/>, summarises the major findings and recommendations from the 'Open Science Project' of CIIPC.

Report Launch: Perspectives of Justice - Restorative Justice and Child Sexual Abuse in India, March 17, 2018

The Centre for Criminology & Victimology (CCV), National Law University Delhi and Centre to Secure Justice (CSJ) launched their Research Study on "Perspectives of Justice - Restorative Justice and Child Sexual Abuse in India" at the India International Centre, New Delhi. Social activists, Lawyers, and Human Rights' workers including Ms. Stuti Kacher, Chairperson, NCPDR, and Sh. Ramesh Negi, Chairperson, DCPCR, attended the event. This research makes a strong case for using 'Restorative Justice Techniques', in cases of child sexual abuse in India.





“The facilities and the environment created for the advancement of legal education in India are unparelled in the entire subcontinent of South-Asia. The NLU is an impressive project that surely will be decisive to support global efforts to promote the rule of law and access to justice.”

João Ribeiro, Head, Regional Centre for Asia and the Pacific,
United Nations Commission on International Trade Law (UNCITRAL)

Annual Events

Oxford-Price Media Law Moot Court Competition

The 'Comparative Media Law and Policy' programme at Oxford University in collaboration with National Law University Delhi organises the South-Asia Rounds of the prestigious 'Price Media Law Moot Court Competition', annually at the NLUD campus. Started in 2010 as an India-qualifying round, the moot has grown tremendously in its influence and expanse to include participation from other South-Asian nations like Pakistan, Nepal, Bangladesh, and Sri Lanka. It focuses on contemporary issues relating to media and information technology law, and is well-known for its excellent judging standards.

NLU Delhi-Herbert Smith Freehills International Negotiation Competition

NLU Delhi annually hosts the 'International Negotiation Competition', in association with Herbert Smith Freehills LLP, London, since 2014. Each year the participation and level of students' performance expertise progresses to further levels. In the recent past the competition has had 28 teams competing with each other, with 15 from across the globe; engaged in real-life simulations.

National Rounds, ICC Trial Moot Court Competition

NLU Delhi has been hosting the National rounds of the ICC Trial Moot Court Competition since 2016. The qualifying teams then represent India at the International rounds of the competition that are held at 'The Hague', Netherlands.

Indian Pre-Moot of the Willem C. Vis International Commercial Arbitration Moot

NLU Delhi organises the Indian pre-moot of the prestigious Willem C. Vis International Commercial Arbitration Moot Court Competition. All teams representing India at the editions that happen at Hong Kong as well as Vienna of the moot, participate in this event to prepare themselves for those World rounds. Eminent lawyers and judges of India judge this fiercely fought contest, to best prepare students for this competition.

Professor Ghanshyam Singh Memorial Parliamentary Debate, and Lecture

The Professor Ghanshyam Singh Memorial Parliamentary Debate is the flagship debating event of the University. It is a traditional 3-on-3 style parliamentary debate, started in 2011, after which it has grown exponentially to become one of the biggest debating events in the country. The University has previously hosted 38 teams from various Universities, with combined prize money for this edition over 1.5 Lack INR for various categories.

CCI Moot

National Law University Delhi, in collaboration with Competition Commission of India, organises National NLUD-CCI Moot, dedicated to the field of Competition Law. The first edition held in 2018, draws participation from various law colleges across India.

Bodh Raj Sawhny Memorial Oration

The Bodh Raj Sawhny Memorial Oration is being organised at National Law University Delhi for over five years. The lectures focus on contemporary politico-legal issues, delivered by renowned legal and non-legal luminaries, including Prof. Upendra Baxi, Shri Wajahat Habibullah, Prof. N. R. Madhava Menon, Dr. Shashi Tharoor and Ms. Santosh Yadav.

Programmes Organised in the Year 2018

National and International Conferences/Seminars

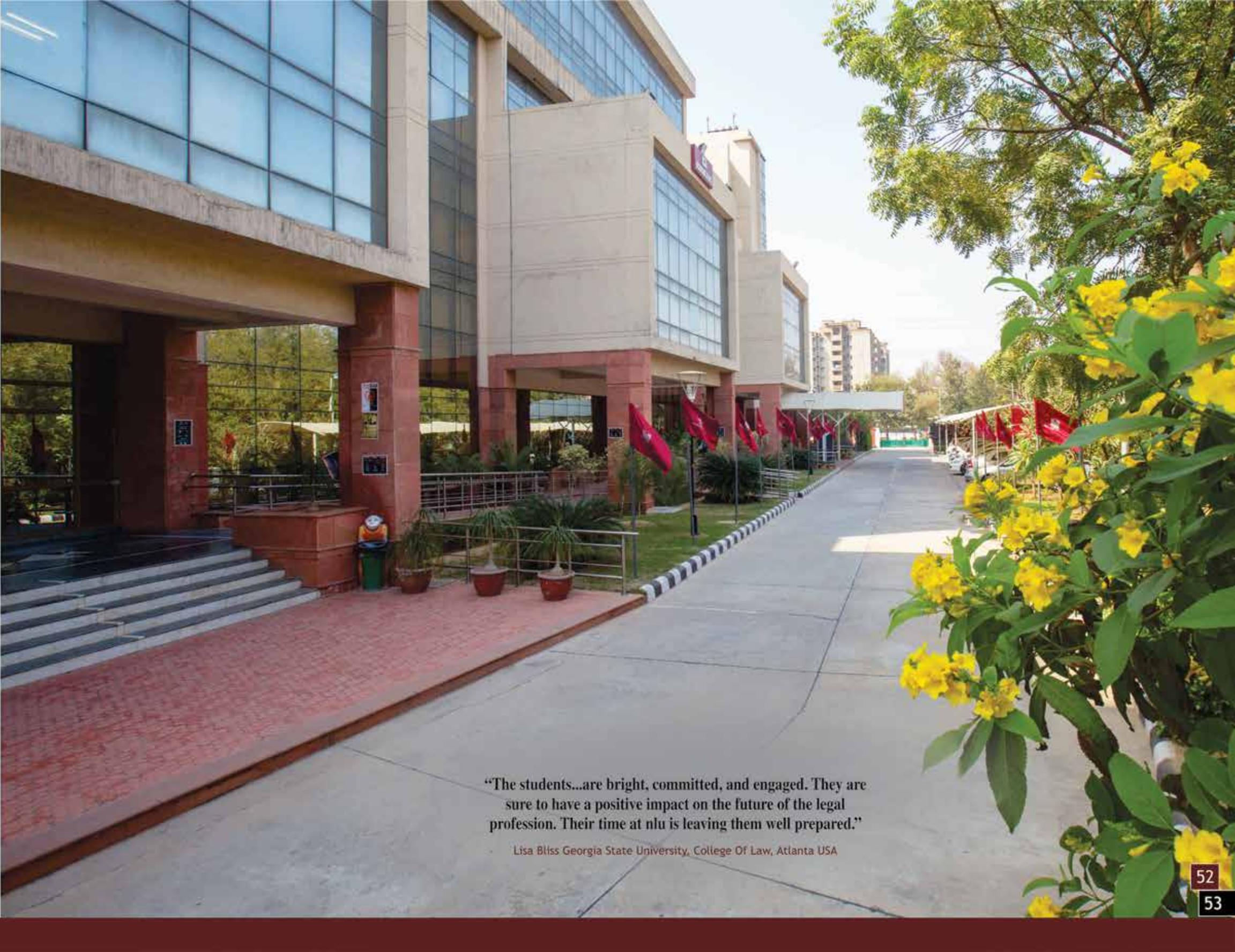
4 February	National Conference on the Approaches and Methodologies for the Study of Indigenous and Endangered Languages
22-23 March	Joint Conference on IP in association with George Mason University, Washington DC organised by Centre for Innovation Intellectual Property and Competition, NLU Delhi
22-24 March	Conference on Back to Basics: The Role of Property in the IP System and Seventh Annual IP Teaching Workshop organised by CIIPC under the auspices of National Academy of Law Teachers, NLU Delhi
1 April	Prof. Ghanshyam Singh Memorial Lecture on 'Access to Justice' by Ms. Sudha Bhardwaj, Visiting Faculty, NLU Delhi
8 May	International Conference & Workshop on Endangered Languages of Delhi-NCR - The Northeast India Focus
18-19 June	National Conference on 'Exploring Critical Perspectives in Criminal Law' organised by K. L. Arora Chair in Criminal Law & Centre for Criminology and Victimology, NLU Delhi
24-26 October	9th International Conference on Governance, Fraud, Ethics, and CSR—'Law and Accountable Business', in association with Trakya University, Turkey, and Institute of Company Secretaries of India, New Delhi
24-26 October	9th International Women and Business Conference—'Women Rights And Sustainable Business', in association with Trakya University, Turkey, and Institute of Company Secretaries of India, New Delhi
17-18 November	International Conference on Future of Work, Labour Policy and Law, in association with Ministry of Labour and Employment, Govt. of India; VV Giri National Labour Institute, Noida; Delhi Judicial Academy, Delhi; National Labour Law Association, New Delhi; and FES Germany, Indian Branch
29 Nov. -1 Dec.	International Conference on Digital Transformation: Preservation, Policy and Privacy under the auspices of IQAC NLU Delhi
5 December	International Conference on Romani Language, Linguistic Rights and Linguistic Justice

Workshops

17 January	Workshop on Standard Hindi Script and its Implication on Study of Endangered Languages
19-20 January	Workshop on the Mental Healthcare Act, 2017 and Criminal Law in India, organised by Centre on Death Penalty in collaboration with Delhi Judicial Academy
5-10 February	2nd Asia Pacific Workshop on Innovation, IP and Competition organised by Centre on Innovation Intellectual Property and Competition, NLU Delhi
20-24 February	Workshop to prepare level-1 primer of the Gadia-Lohar Language, organised as a part of Study and Research towards Preservation and Promotion of Indigenous and Endangered Languages
24 March-2 April	Workshop to finalise the Level-1 primer of the Gadia-Lohar Language
21 April	One Day Workshop to finalise a primer of the Gadia-Lohar Language, under the Study and Research Project on Indigenous and Endangered Languages
25-26 August	Workshop on Patents and Anti-Trust Issues in High Tech World organised by CIIPC, NLU Delhi
27 August	2nd International Seminar on Scholarly Writings and Publication: How to Publish with Law and Social Science Publishers, in association with NLIU Bhopal, RGNUL Patiala and Brill International
31 August	Workshop for the project entitled, 'Electoral Literacy Clubs in India: Implementation, Assessment and Impact Analysis'
31 August 2018	Indian Constitutional History Workshop organised by Centre for Law, Justice and Development, NLU Delhi, in association with Centre for Law and Policy Research, New Delhi
18-19 September	Two Days Workshop on Documenting Lesser Known Linguistic Communities and Building Linguistic Resources
24-26 September	Qualitative Methods in Legal Research with special focus on Atlas-Ti applications: A Workshop under the auspices of National Academy of Law Teachers (NALT), Centre for Criminology and Victimology (CCV), NLU Delhi and Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC)
6-7 October	Training Workshop on Prevention of Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace under the auspices of National Academy of Law Teachers (NALT)

Lectures/Talks and Orations

9 February	Talk on 'Is Aadhar Constitutional' by Dr. Usha Ramanathan, an expert on Jurisprudence on law and poverty and rights, organised by Public Law and Policy Discussion Group, NLU Delhi
10 February	Special Lecture on 'Sense of Shame as a Virtue' by Prof. Josef Drexl, Director, Max Planck Institute for Innovation and Competition, Munich, organised by Centre on Intellectual Property, Innovation and Competition, NLU Delhi
12 February	Talk on 'Artificial Intelligence, Society and Politics of the Future', by Dr. Anupam Guha, Computer Scientist
12 February	Interactive session on 'Drug Traffic as Crime against Humanity' by Dr. Carlos Pena, Vice-Rector, University of Santa Maria, Caracas.
26 February	Special Lecture on 'Constitution, Common Law and Statutory Exceptions to Copyright' by Carl Malamud, American Technologist, Author and Public Domain Advocate, organised by Centre for Innovation, Intellectual Property and Competition, NLUD
20 April	Talk on Finance, Technology and the New Economy, by Sh. Siddharth Sthalekar, Graduate of IIM Ahmedabad
21 April	Lecture on 'General Office Administration and Human Relations in delivering Optimum Output for Overall Institutional Development maintaining Human Synergy for Organisational Growth', by Sh. S. C. Prusty, Registrar ILI, organised by Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), NLU Delhi
17 May	Talk on book 'New Intimacies, Old Desires' by Mr. Oishik Sirkar, Assistant Professor at Jindal Global Law School, organised by Gender Circle, NLU Delhi
19 May	18th BRSMT Oration on 'Contours of a Just Democracy Legislation and Practice', by Ms. Aruna Roy, founder, Mazdoor Kisan Shakti Sangathan, Rajasthan
27 August	Lecture on Medicine, Law and Malpractice by Dr. Oliver Quick, Reader in Law, University of Bristol Law School, U. K.
28-30 August	Lecture by Prof. Eric Hilgendorf, Chair of Criminal Law, Criminal Procedure Law, Legal Theory, Informatics Law and Legal Informatics, University of Wurzburg, Germany on: Topic 1- "Artificial Intelligence and Law" - The German and the European Perspective" Topic 2- "Robots in Criminal Law - Cases and Discussions in Germany"
8 September	19th BRSMT Oration on 'Rule of Law in a Constitutional Democracy', by HMJ Dr. Chandrachud, Judge, Supreme Court of India
25 September	Talk on 'The Stakeholder Responsibility of Corporate Board' by Dr. Umakanth Varottil', Associate Professor, Faculty of Law, NUS Singapore
28 September	Talk on 'Crime, Punishment and Justice in India: The Trajectories of Criminal Law by Hon'ble (Dr.) Justice Muralidhar, Judge, Delhi High Court, organised by Project 39 A, NLU Delhi



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Lisa Bliss Georgia State University, College Of Law, Atlanta USA

Training Programmes/Courses

16-26 February	Certificate Course on European Civil and Political Human Rights by Prof. Bjonar Borvik, University of Bergen, Norway
5-10 April	Capsule Course on Legal Aspects and Legal Matters for the Officers of Central Economic Intelligence Bureau, New Delhi
10-11 April	Para Legal Volunteers Training, organised by Delhi State Legal Services Authority in association with Legal Aid Committee, NLU Delhi
26-28 April	Joint Certificate Course on 'Strategic Leadership Program (SLP) in association with Institute of Company Secretaries of India, New Delhi
9-14 July	Training Programme for Professors and Research Scholars on 'Environmental Laws and Policies of India' under the auspices of National Academy of Law Teachers (NALT), NLU Delhi
13 Aug. -14 Oct.	Fair Trial Fellowship Training Programme, organised by Project 39 A, NLU Delhi
22-24 August	Certificate Course on IP Licensing and Competition organised by CIIPC, NLU Delhi
14-15 November	NALT Insolvency Teachers' Training Programme
3-7 December	Training Programme on 'Legal Aspects & Legal Matters' for the officers of Central Economic Intelligence Bureau (CEIB)
15-20 December	Teachers' Training Programme on Jurisprudence- Advanced Course organised by Centre for Law, Justice and Development, NLU Delhi

Visit of Delegates

22 January	Helena Kennedy, Baroness Kennedy of The Shaws, British Barrister, Broadcaster and Labour Member of the House of Lords
25 January	Trainees from Bureau of Parliamentary Studies and Training
1 May	DANICS Probationers to NLU Delhi
23rd May	Prof. Paul James Cardwell, Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences at the University of Strathclyde, Glasgow, U.K.
26-28 July	Students from Lions Club International, U.S.A.
7 August	Visit of Prof. Gabrielle Appleby, Associate Professor, University of New South Wales, Australia
14 August	Visit of Prof. Pip Nicholson, Dean, Melbourne Law School, Australia

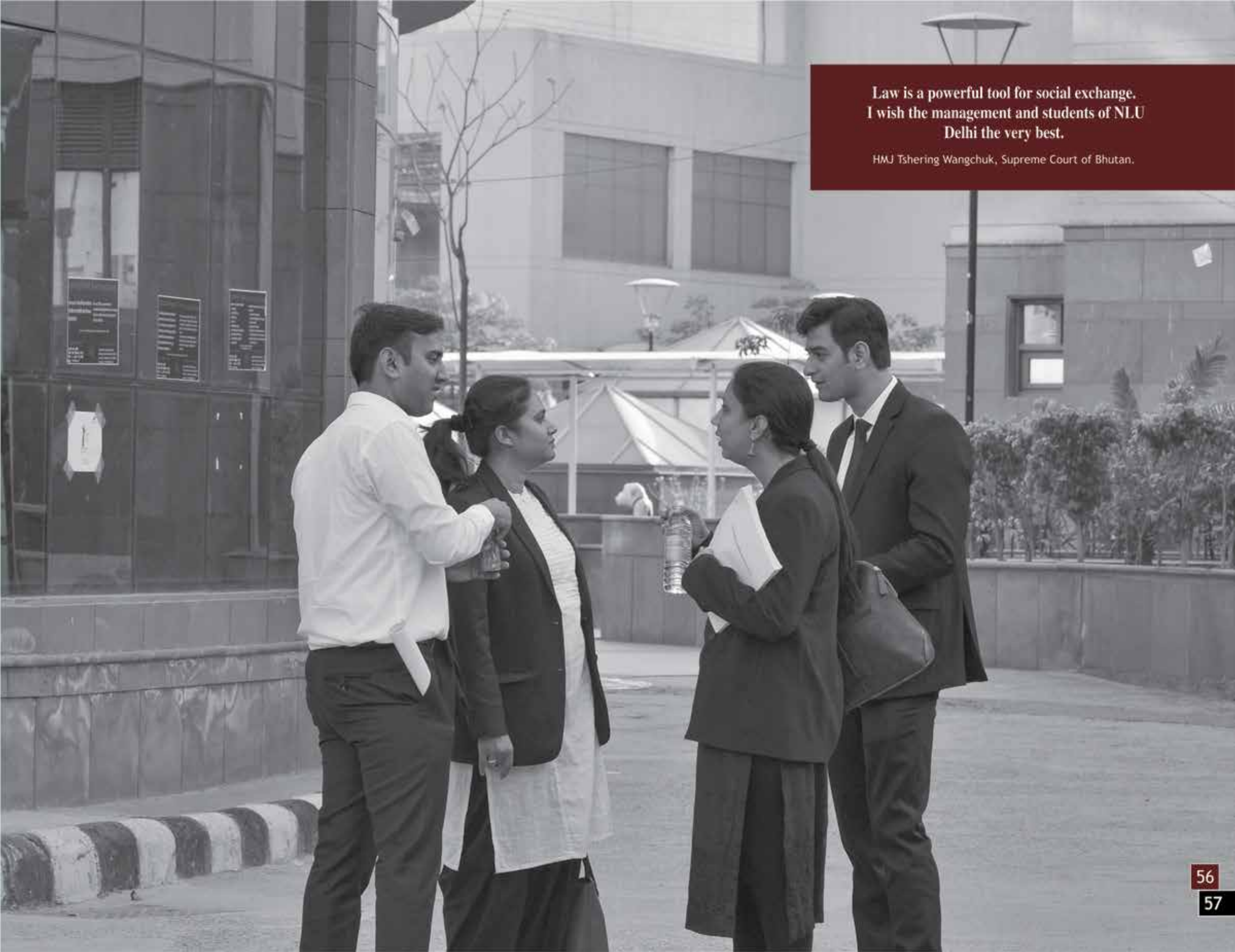
Other Events

10-17 January	Winter School in collaboration with University of Naples II on the theme 'Comparative Law in the Global South: Methodological Challenges'
22 January	Book launch - George Gadbois's History of the Supreme Court on Judgements in association with Oxford University Press Publishers, New Delhi
7 February	Telecom Consumer Awareness Programme in association with Telecom Regulatory Authority of India
9 February	Session on 'Higher Education Opportunities in France' by Ms. Victoria Dobritz, Deputy Manager, Campus France Delhi, Embassy of India
10 February	Judicial Dialogue on Right to Privacy in association with International Commission of Jurists
15 February	Panel Discussion on 'Marital Rape: Multiple Dimensions', organised by Gender Circle, NLU Delhi
17 February	Round Table Discussion on 'Court's Role in Facilitating Women's Right to Maintenance' with Ministry of Women and Child Development, New Delhi
21 February	Celebration of Matribhasha Diwas, NLU Delhi
11-18 March	Summer School on 'Embedding Human Rights in Cyber-security', organised by Centre for Communication Governance, NLU Delhi
12-13 March	Intra College Fest organised by Cultural and Dramatics Committee, NLU, Delhi
17 March	Study launch entitled 'Opportunities and Risks Using Restorative Justice Processes in Child Sexual Abuse Cases', in collaboration with Counsel to Secure Justice, New Delhi
6 April	Contempt Play organised by Queer Collective (Gender Circle), NLU Delhi
29 April	Increasing Diversity by Increasing Access (IDIA) Outreach Event
2 May	Panel Discussion on 'Remembering Maruti Crisis: Different Narratives'
23-24 May	Literary, Debating and Quiz Fest organised by Literary, Debating and Quiz Committee, NLU Delhi
25 May	Consultation on 'Enhanced Punishments for Child Sexual Abuse', organised by Project 39A, NLU Delhi
2 August	Session on 'Positive Attitude' for students of NLU Delhi by Sh. Anubandh Rai
4 August	NLUD Annual Convocation 2018
11-12 August	National Consultation on the PIL in the Supreme Court on the 'Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Act, 2009', in association with National Coalition for Education, New Delhi
14 August	Presentation on Empirical Study on Supreme Court's Special Leave Petition by Prof. Tarunabh Khaitan, Associate Professor & Hackney Fellow, Wadham College, University of Oxford
1 September	National Regional Round of Conquest 2018
7 September	Discussion on Supreme Court's Judgement on Section 377, organised by Queer Collective, Gender Circle, and the Centre for Constitutional Law, Policy and Governance, NLU Delhi
16 September	Second Alumni Meet of NLU Delhi

17 September	Reading session to celebrate '13th Birth Anniversary of Erode Venkatappa Ramasway', organised by APPSC NLU Delhi
26 September	Session on 'Block Chain and Data Privacy' and 'Smart Contracts' by Dr. Jorg Kaufmann, Partner, Waldenberger Rechtsanwälte, Berlin Germany, organised by Centre for Corporate Laws and Governance, NLU Delhi
1 October	Panel Discussion on Wrongful Prosecution (Miscarriage of Justice): Legal Remedies - Report 277 of Law Commission of India under the auspices of K. L. Arora Chair in Criminal Law, NLU Delhi
4 October	Discussion on 'EU Cyber Policy and its implications for India', organised by CCG, NLU Delhi
6 October	Roundtable discussion on 'Feminism in Practice: Feminist Lawyering and Feminist Judging', in association with Jindal Global Law School and Ambedkar University, Delhi, organised by Centre for Constitutional Law, Policy and Governance, NLU Delhi
28 October	Patent Agent Examination
1 November	Quiz Competition organised by Airports Authority of India
1 November	Conduct of Debate Competition by Steel Authority of India Limited
1-3 November	Roundtable on 'Judicial Appointments and Independence', in association with International Association of Constitutional Law (IACL)
24 November	Symposium on 'Misinformation: Technology, Elections and Democracy', organised by Centre for Communication Governance, NLU Delhi
5 December	Civil Society Organization (CSO) consultation on 'Convention on Eradication of Discrimination against Women' (CEDAW)
13-14 December	Celebration of '70th Anniversary of Universal Declaration of Human Rights', in association with Embassy of Switzerland
15 December	Project Consultation with Experts organised by Centre for Constitutional Law, Policy and Governance NLU Delhi, in association with Centre for Reproductive Rights New York, New Delhi

Moot Court Competitions

16-18 February	Competition Commission of India - National Law University, Delhi Moot Court Competition
22-25 February	Price Media Law Moot Court Competition, 2017-18, organised by Centre for Communication Governance (CCG), NLU Delhi
16-18 March	3rd India Qualifying Rounds of the International Criminal Court (ICC) Moot Court Competition
18-20 May	Summer Internal Moot Court Competition 2018
7-9 September	HSF - NLUD International Negotiation Competition - 2018
5-7 October	Justice Y. K. Sabharwal Constitutional Law Moot Court Competition
15-17 November	Insolvency & Bankruptcy Moot Court Competition 2015, in association with Insolvency and Bankruptcy Board of India (IBBI), New Delhi
22-25 November	Ninth Edition of South Asia Rounds of Oxford Media Law Moot Court Competition



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HMJ Tshering Wangchuk, Supreme Court of Bhutan.

Justice T. P. S. Chawla Library

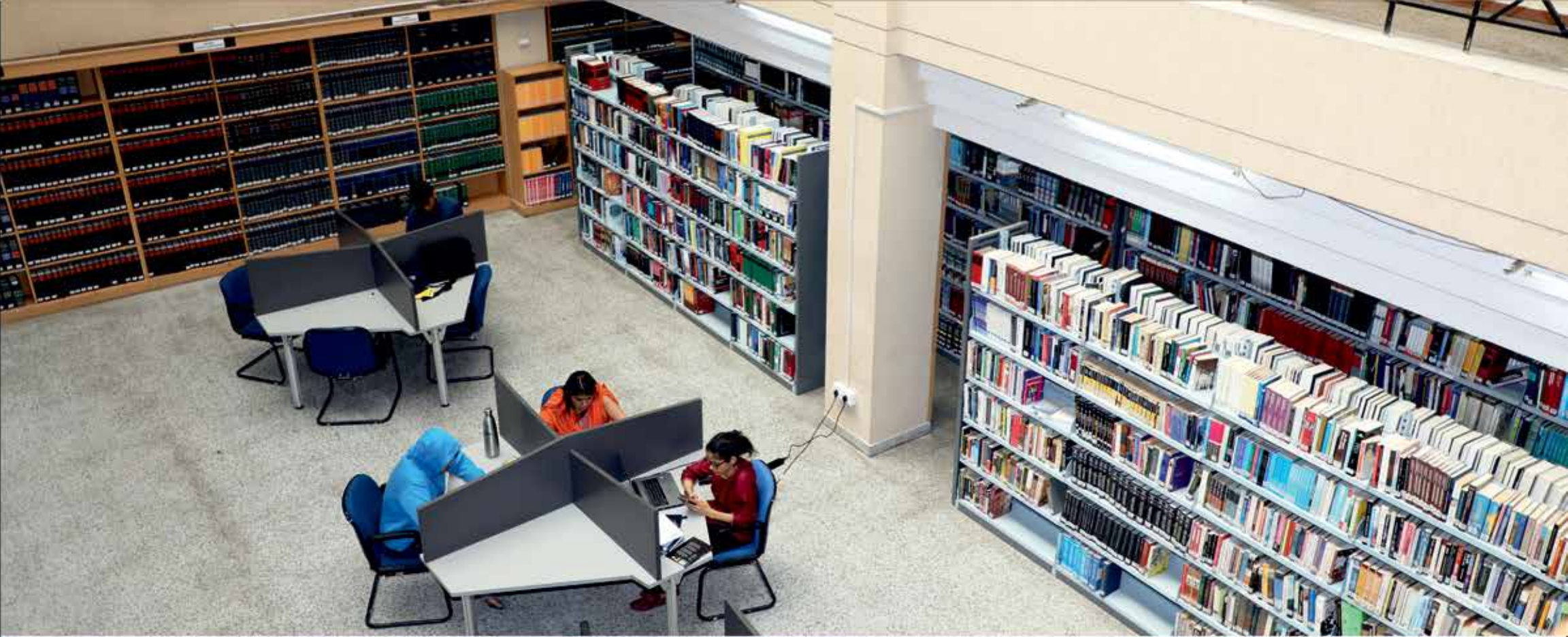
An integral part of the National Law University Delhi, Justice T. P. S. Chawla Library is renowned for its state-of-the-art infrastructure and facilities. The Library amalgamates an expansive and diverse collection of print as well as digital resources, to support the various teaching and research activities of students, research scholars and faculty members. The library encompasses a rich collection of textbooks in Law and allied subjects, Reference books, and Bare Acts in print format. The collection of books reaches over 45000, including bound volumes of reports and journals. A wide reference collection includes—International Encyclopaedia of Laws, American Jurisprudence, Corpus Juris Sundum, Halsbury's Laws of England and India, Encyclopaedia of Forms and Precedents, The Digest, etc.—all of which aid and augment researchers and scholars in their academic or scholarly research. There is subscription to 153 print journals and law reports, 27 popular magazines and 12 newspapers.

Currently the Library subscribes to 27 electronic databases accessible through IP Ranges in Law and Social Sciences, namely, HeinOnline, LexisNexis, JSTOR, Kluwer, Corporate Law Advisor, Taxmann-Online, Manupatra, Indiatat, West-Law, etc. The Library also provides access to eBooks of various international publications, like Cambridge University Press, Oxford University Press, HeinOnline Classic Books, Springer International, and eHart Books.

All the information about the library is aesthetic arranged at the library's link on the website (<http://nludelhi.ac.in/library.aspx>), covering online databases, e-books and e-journals. Being completely automated for all its Housekeeping activities and using latest version of LIBSYS Software, the library is updated in the digital world, and all records of books, journals, and users are available on the library software. These can be searched through the 'Online Public Access Catalogue', often referred as OPAC. The Library facilitates indexing of articles published in print journals, subscribed by the University and around 21000 articles are accessible through subject, author, title, etc. The Library performs a number of anticipatory and responsive services including regular updating of cases of Supreme Court of India, Central Legislation, Newspaper Clipping Articles, and Alerts related to Articles, Books, Caselaws, and Journals' Table of Contents sent through emails to students and faculty members. The Library serves from 8.00 a.m. to 12.00 p.m. midnight during the session.

Library provides access to online resources and internet facility can be availed through 25 up-to-date computer terminals, having latest software updates. The Library is also member of the British Council and American Centre and commits to providing Reprographic Services, through facilitating photocopy, scanning, and printing services. There is also a separate 'Moot Court Research Room', for overnight use, for students participating in various moot competitions.





It has also implemented RemoteX Technology accessing electronic databases through cloud computing technology. This enables the enrolled students and faculty members to access the library resources from outside the University. The users of NLU Delhi Library can access the 'Library Digital Resources', even when not in the campus through their 'Digital Access Portal' (DAP), which is designed to access all the digital resources, from anywhere in the world through 'Remote Login'. All the online databases, e-books and e-journals are accessible through the DAP with this link (<http://nludelhi.remotex.in/home>). Towards this purpose, the library issues a Login ID and Password, to access digital information, within legible copyright preview. Library has implemented a new and advanced technology, procuring LSmart solutions based on RFID and EM technologies for library automation and security. Students can automatically issue books on their own through this system and a drop-box is installed at the entrance of library for 24/7 return of books. Newspaper search database is created in-house in the library, which is accessible through library website. NLU Delhi library has procured JAWS screen-reader software for the aid of visually impaired members.

In the year 2018, Library procured compactors for storing rare and expensive documents, including bound volumes of journals. The library is presently undergoing renovating its basement, for students preparing for Moot Court Competitions. Also in 2018, the Library organised 'International Conference on Digital Transformation', November 29 to December 1, 2018, in association with 'Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law', Patiala, 'National Law Institute University', Bhopal and 'The Energy Research Institute'. Over 350 participants across the world were part of the event. The Library also organised many training sessions for students and faculty members to familiarise them with digital databases.

Out of 55,000-60,000 books, library procured in the year 2018, 1007 books and 264 bound volumes of journals. Apart from its commercial collection, Library facilitates admittance to enriched databases, having access to free eBooks, eJournals, Legislations, Reports, and other International Publications, under 'Public Domain Resources Tag', available at the website of the University, under Library.

“An excellent academic institution imparting instruction in law! Hope it is taken as a role model for law schools in India.”

HMJ R. C. Lahoti, Former CJI

Facilities

The University flaunts its sprawling campus, situated at Dwarka, New Delhi, with a contemporary, trendsetting, and leading edge infrastructure. Its facilities comprise of an Academic block (five floors), Halls of residence, Hostels separately for boys and girls (six floors), independent Administration block (five floors), a Library, and an auditorium.

The campus is wi-fi (wireless friendly) enabled and the classrooms are well equipped with digital podiums, LCD projector with display screen, and 'E-Station Smart Multimedia Podium' used to facilitate teaching through audio-visual methods. The University has a fully air-conditioned auditorium with a seating capacity of over 650 people. It also houses four Conference/Seminar rooms, furnished with ultra-modern AV facilities, located at various floors of the Academic Block in the University.

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Internet/Computer Centre

The campus is wi-fi (wireless friendly) enabled. The internet centre is located in the Library, having 50 high-end desktops well equipped with latest software. Besides this, a separate bay is provided and available for laptop users. The internet centre is supported by three servers, having high-speed bandwidth, and has a printing facility. The centre provides online databases of Manupatra, LexisNexis, Westlaw, HeinOnline, SCC Online, Jstor, TaxMann, etc.

Digital Classrooms with E-station

The classrooms are well equipped with digital podiums, LCD projector with display screen, and Wi-Fi internet access. The students are required to use their own laptops, for the purpose of study and research, by accessing the internet connectivity.

All classrooms have 'E-Station Smart Multimedia Podium' used to facilitate teaching through audio-visual methods.

Auditorium

The University has a fully air-conditioned auditorium with a seating capacity of over 650 people and is well equipped with the latest state-of-the-art audio and visual facilities. It is used for organising and holding University's various important functions including seminars, conferences, convocation, and cultural programmes.

Seminar Rooms

NLU Delhi houses four Conference/Seminar rooms, furnished with ultra-modern AV facilities, located at various floors of the Academic Block in the University. These are available for booking at due notice for various events intended towards students, faculty, and administration, along with external events.

Y. K. Sabharwal Moot Court Hall

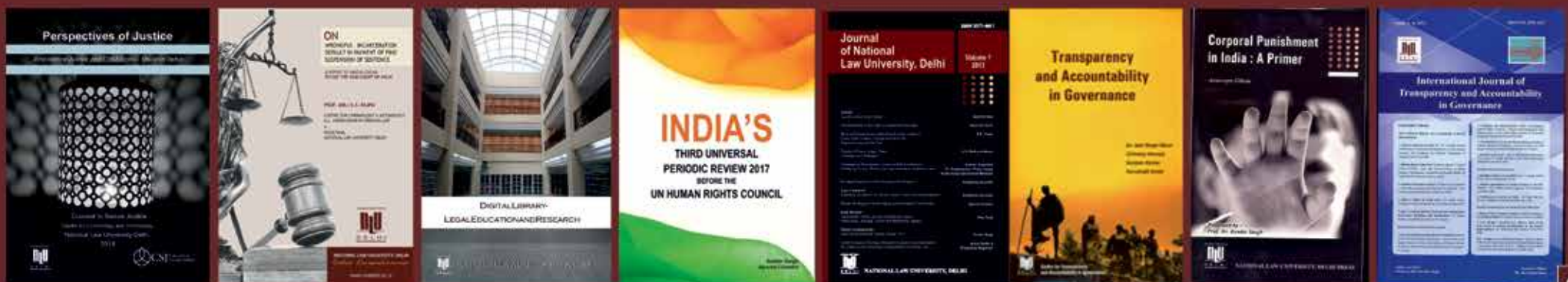
The Cambridge dictionary defines Moot in the context of Law "a trial or discussion dealing with an imaginary legal case, performed by students in exactly the same way as a real case, as part of their legal training".

The University has a pioneering E-Moot Court Hall equipped with the latest up-to-date high-tech AV equipment, with a seating capacity of over 170 people. Students studying here are habituated to real life like legal scenarios, by acquainting them with mooting through organising, attending, and participating in practice moots and competitions.



NLUD Publications

The Convocation 2018, oversaw the release of three NLUD Journals: Journal of National Law University Delhi, Journal of Victimology and Victim Justice, both published by SAGE publications, and NLUD Student Law Journal. Some of NLUD's publications are:



Halls of Residence

The University houses a faculty residential block, and maintains separate Halls of Residence for men and women students that are fully air-conditioned. These 'Halls of Residence' accommodate many amenities provided with the room, which are common room facilities like Television; indoor games like Table Tennis, Pool Table, board games, etc.; and an advanced hip Gymnasium. The resident students have to mandatorily conform to the rules and regulations of the University. Management of rules and regulations and maintenance of discipline is the combined responsibility of the residents, the Chief Warden, and the Wardens. Since 2018, all the Halls of Residence are fully air-conditioned.

Transport

The University provides transport in the form of car and/or bus, available for the usage of students towards their various University related activities, such as Court visits, Legal Aid Programmes and Clinics, and competitions in various facets and areas representing the University. NLUD is accessible through the Delhi Metro Rail via its major lines all running through Delhi, and through the DTC bus services. There is a Shuttle Service, providing pick and drop facility from the University campus to the nearest Metro station, at odd hours, between 5.30 P.M. evening to 11.00 P.M. night.

Medical Centre and Ambulance

A medical room with a nurse, along with a visiting Doctor who comes to the campus every day at 4 p.m. are available for consultation. Basic medicines and First Aid is available to all. A service of ready to go Ambulance is also available round the clock, for the residents of the University to deal with any kind of emergency medical situation, and take them to a hospital as soon as possible. University's tie-ups with hospitals, like Aakash Healthcare and Venkateshwar Hospital, in Dwarka, offer subsidised rates to NLUD students.

Banking

There University has a tie-up with UCO Bank and students can open their accounts with this bank, which has provided an ATM facility at the campus main gate. HDFC Bank also has its ATM in the cafeteria.

Sports/Games/Fitness

Presently the University houses courts for basketball and volleyball, along with a hip and user-friendly gymnasium with the latest equipment, available for both boys and girls in their respective Halls of Residence. The girl's gym is being overhauled, shifted recently to the ground floor near the common room, for accessibility to all. More facilities for sports are being planned in the additional land, which will be available to the University for this purpose, shortly.

Cafeteria and Mess

The University has an in-house Cafeteria that is equipped with Wi-Fi. There is a Café Coffee Day outlet stationed inside the cafeteria, and offers the same edible items as any CCD outlet, only at a much subsidised rate.

There is also an Amul outlet before the cafeteria in the campus, which provides fresh foods along with other everyday daily consumption edibles. For the facility of students, there are well maintained and student driven mess, separately for both Boys and Girls Halls of Residence.



Printing

There is a Photocopy section inside the cafeteria that offers various services at a marginalised rate, doing Xerox, binding, and printouts.

Counselling Psychologist

The University regularly hires a professionally trained psychologist adept at counselling, advising, and guiding students on various issues, personal, academic, or professional. This facility is available to students of all years and courses, the counsellor changing every month and visiting 3-4 days every week.



Support Services for Students

The University follows a strict adherence to providing the entire milieu to be equal for all, including making the infrastructure as friendly, accessible, and sensitised towards all strata's of the society, minorities, and people with disabilities or special needs.

Anti-Ragging: Ragging is strictly prohibited on Campus and is considered a punishable offence in the University. Any case of ragging should be brought to the notice of the authorities and anyone indulging in ragging is liable to disciplinary action.

Internal Complaints Committee (ICC): The University under the UGC guidelines has constituted an ICC, for dealing with sexual harassment complaints whose members are from faculty, employees, and students. The committee is guided by University Grants Commission (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal of Sexual Harassment of Women Employees and Students in Higher Educational Institutions) Regulations 2015 and the Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Act, 2013.

Equal Opportunity Committee: Under the guidelines received from the University Grants Commission in 2009 for developing appropriate practices and policies, an Advisory Committee of the Equal Opportunity Cell has been constituted to facilitate an environment where all students can benefit from wide range of opportunities. It will work towards addressing any direct or indirect disadvantages arising out of gender, caste, economic circumstances, sexual orientation, language abilities, cultural background or other similar factors in relevant, comprehensive and sustainable ways.

Dispute Redressal Committee: A Dispute Redressal Committee has been constituted under the chairmanship of the Vice-Chancellor or his nominee, which falls under the Section 17 of the National Law University, Delhi Act, 2007. This redresses disputes that may arise between the management and staff, management and students, teachers and students, and teachers and management; or disputes related to complaints of sexual harassment.

Facilities for Physically Challenged

The University follows a strict adherence for providing the entire milieu to be equal for all, which includes the infrastructure and facilities to be friendly, accessible, and sensitised towards individuals with any disabilities or special needs.

The University is fully wheelchair accessible, with ramps and elevators provided in all the buildings. Two electric wheelchairs have been made available from the University, allocated to students in need for their comfortable mobility and access to University's campus; along with manual wheelchairs.

Tactile have recently been installed across the entire campus for safe and easy travel to and from different parts of the University. Ramps have also been installed in the cafeteria and auditorium for quick and stress-free freedom of movement.

The classrooms are equipped with mics and speakers for the benefit of those with hearing impairments.

Examination timings are suitably modified for persons with disabilities as and when required.

Suitable accommodation is provided to disabled students in the hostels upon their request.

Student-Run Committees

The following are student-run committees by which students' govern their daily academic and personal life at NLUD:

Academics: academics@nludelhi.ac.in

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Moot Court: mcc@nludelhi.ac.in

Cultural and Dramatics: culcom@nludelhi.ac.in

Literary, Debating, and Quiz: deblitz.nlud@gmail.com

Sports: sports.nlud@gmail.com, sports@nludelhi.ac.in

Library: librarycommittee@nludelhi.ac.in

Student Welfare: student.welfare@nludelhi.ac.in, swc.nlud@gmail.com

Mess: nludmess@gmail.com

Hostel Welfare: hwc@nludelhi.ac.in



Students' Initiatives/Cultural Activities/Groups/Clubs

Increasing Diversity by Increasing Access (IDIA): This is a student body that actively participates in taking initiatives to make learning of the law more accessible and inclusive to young children from various economic and social strata. NLU Students are involved in preparing study material as well as teaching and mentoring aspiring law students through this committee.

Gender Circle: This targets breaking gender stereotypes and creating gender sensitisation on campus, through various formal and informal interactive events, guest lectures, and panel discussions. Gender Champion chosen by the University facilitates an enabling environment making everyone gender sensitive; and strengthens the potential of young girls and boys to advocate for gender equality and monitor progress towards gender justice.

Cinema Club: The Cinema Club is a gateway to accessing and making the world of cinema available to all through group viewing. This aids in exploring myriad themes which encourage open-mindedness, are thought-provoking, inculcate art appreciation, creative thinking, and providing platform for discussions and reflections on contemporary themes.

Engage: A student group geared towards encouraging a culture of thought and discourse on campus. This initiative will lay equal emphasis on University issues as it will on broader socio-political, economic, and cultural discussions through a variety of formats. While trying to resolve issues related to harassment and discrimination, attendance and academic performance, mental health, student governance, administrative transparency, etc. we intend to facilitate effective dialogue between various stakeholders, starting with the students, faculty, and the administration.

Ambedkar Periyar Phule Study Circle: A student led initiative extending support in academics to marginalised students in the University, especially those unable to utilise academic opportunities due to various social barriers and constraints. It also acts as a platform for discussion and debate on issues of social justice, gender, caste, race, and other contemporary issues in India through guest lectures, panel discussions, and movie screenings.

Enable: Enable@NLU Delhi is a student group dedicated towards providing support and to make life at the University more accessible for people with disabilities, by working towards removing barriers that impede their growth and development. It also seeks to sensitise and spread awareness in the University to the problems faced by the disabled community, and how the same could be addressed. The University is fully wheelchair accessible, with ramps and elevators provided in all the buildings, and the classrooms are equipped with mics and speakers for the benefit of those with hearing impairments.

Queer Collective: The Queer Collective is an independent student collective dealing with LGBTQIA+ politics and representation on campus. It has been involved in creating awareness on issues surrounding LGBTQIA+ rights through poster campaigns, movie screenings and discussion groups. It has also invited speakers belonging to the LGBTQIA+ community to interact with students, and has participated in the Delhi Queer Pride Parade.

RCC: The University has an efficient Recruitment Coordination Committee (RCC), for facilitating the procedure of recruitment for the graduating batches. The students of NLU Delhi this year have been placed with a 100% placement record starting from the very first batch itself. They have joined leading National and International Law Firms in India and abroad, litigation, and Judicial Services, NGOs, MNCs, etc.

Student Welfare: It is a student body that looks after the general welfare of all students on campus and also works to resolve the general concerns of the labour workforce on campus. The committee undertakes academic, financial, and counselling functions, which include conducting orientation programmes for students, facilitating economic aid programmes to help all students facing financial difficulties, and running the counselling programmes help students deal with their problems in the University.





Cultural Initiatives

The University believes in celebrating myriad festivals with the aim to make students from all parts of the country feel at home, and to introduce the International students to Indian culture and traditions.

Christmas Ball

National Law University celebrated an eventful evening with the 'Christmas Ball', on December 28, 2018. This was in the spirit of keeping alive the University's mantra of having lighthearted and fun-filled days, in the midst of study and work to help students unwind and enjoy.

Dandiya Night

Dandiya dance was celebrated at the University, on October 17, 2018 and the campus was aesthetically adorned with lights and decorations; while students were dressed in vibrant, traditional attires, befitting to the occasion.

Annual Cultural Festival

National Law University Delhi, conducts multitude of extra-curricular activities throughout the year; believing in the integration of the academic with the co-curricular as a holistic way of education. The most awaited of them all is the Annual Cultural Festival which promises learning, healthy competition, and intermingling for all the students. In this spirit, various competitions were organised to elevate an environment of growth and gaiety, through dancing, singing, drama, and poetry.



Debate, Literary, and Quiz Achievements

The University participates in various literary and debating activities across the board, some of the competitions won are:

- Winners, 70th Mukarji Memorial Debate, St. Stephens College, 2018.
- Winners, Jodhpur Parliamentary Debate, 2018.



Sports Achievements

Sports integrate the physical with the mental, emotional and social, and are highly imperative as a constant source of reinvigoration and restoring balance within the self and with people around. The Sports Committee works towards creating a more nurturing and fostering atmosphere for sports, of all kinds.

NLU Delhi's sports fest since 2016, sees students' participation from across the country, in various team and individual sports' events. NLUD as an equal opportunity policy encourages participation from female students in traditionally male dominated sports.

NLU Matches

The Committee sent a contingent to NLU Odisha, where the NLUD teams performed very well, even winning three medals, including one in volleyball.

Sovereign Cup 5th Edition

It also organised the bi-annual Sovereign Cup 5th edition, with the faculty giving a tough competition to the other team comprising of students from all batches.

Strong Alone, Stronger United

The Committee also conducted matches between the incoming batch of students and the rest of the existing batches, for a variety of sports like volleyball, basketball, football, etc.



Faculty FACULTY



Prof. (Dr.) Upendra Baxi -
Distinguished Professor

The University has the following:
Distinguished, Visiting/Chair, and Honorary Professors:

Distinguished Professors

- Prof. (Dr.) Upendra Baxi
- Prof. B. B. Pande

Visiting/Chair Professors

- Prof. (Dr.) M. P. Singh
- Prof. K. P. S. Mahalwar
- Prof. Jagbir S. Dahiya
- Dr. Veerseen Kadam
- Mr. Aniruddha Jairam

Honorary Professor of Law

- Prof. Marc Galanter
- Prof. Sophie M. Sparrow
- Prof. Olivier De Schutter
- Prof. Steve K. Ngo
- HMJ Khalil Ur Rahman
- HMJ Mohan Peiris
- HMJ A. K. Sikri
- HMJ Madan Lokur
- HMJ Lyonpo Sonam Tobgye
- Prof. Sukhsimranjit Singh
- Ms. Jayashree Watal



Prof. B. B. Pande
Distinguished Professor

He has worked with institutes of National/International repute, in various capacities like Lecturer, Faculty of Law, University of Jabalpur, Jabalpur (1962-70); Senior Lecturer, Faculty of Law, University of Dar-es-Salaam, Tanzania, Africa, 1981-83; Professor of Law, Lucknow University, 1991-1994; Visiting Professor, School of Law, City University, Hong Kong, September-December 2005; Professor of Law, Campus Law Centre, Faculty of Law, University of Delhi, India (till superannuation in 2005); and Human Rights Chair Professorship of the National Human Rights Commission, New Delhi, 2007-2008.

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Prof. (Dr.) K. P. S. Mahalwar

Chair-Professor
Justice Bodh Raj Sawhny Chair on Professional Ethics

Prof. Mahalwar has been in teaching and research in Law, for over 35 years. His research on liability for medical negligence was a pioneering work in India. He has supervised enormous students in legal research. He has adorned the offices of Dean of the Faculty and Head of the Department of Law in MD University, Rohtak. He has organised several Conferences and Seminars on various aspects of Law. He has authored over 60 papers and two books. He is an expert of Law in various academic bodies of Universities all over the country. In 2009, 'The All India Law Teachers Congress' awarded him 'Lifetime Achievement Award'.

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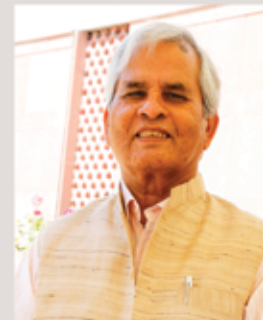
Prof. (Dr.) Ranbir Singh

Vice-Chancellor
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Founder Vice-Chancellor, NALSAR University of Law, Hyderabad

Prof. (Dr.) Ranbir Singh, since NLU's inception in 2008 till present is its Founder Vice-Chancellor. Prior to invitation of joining this University, he was the Founder Vice-Chancellor of NALSAR University of Law, Hyderabad, and had been at its helm since its inception in 1998. Prof. Singh's administrative capabilities and untiring efforts during the course of his ten years tenure at NALSAR, had taken the University to its pinnacle of Legal Education in the Country, obtaining for it recognition at the International level.

Prof. Singh has had a long association with Kurukshetra University, first as a student, a Ph.D. scholar, and then as Faculty member in its Department of Law. In 1978, he moved to Maharshi Dayanand University at Rohtak, as part of the founding Faculty, and continued there till 1998 in various capacities as Professor, Head, Dean, and Proctor. On invitation from the National Law School of India University, Bangalore, he served there as a Professor of Law from 1996-97.

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Prof. Mahendra Pal Singh

Visiting Professor

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Prof. (Dr.) Jagbir Dahiya

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He was Research Scholar at the Department of Law, MD University, Rohtak, from 1982-1984, and also taught to LL.B. students: Criminology and Criminal Administration, Company Law, Indian Partnership Act, and Indian Evidence Act. He published a book, titled "Law of Homicide in India". He joined Himachal Pradesh Judicial Service and served as a Sub-Judge-cum-Judicial-Magistrate at Una, from 1984-1986. Later, he joined Haryana Civil Service (Judicial Branch) in 1986. He has a vast experience spanning 27 years serving as former Judicial Officer in the States of Himachal Pradesh and Haryana.

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Dr. Anju Tyagi's field of specialisation is Family Law, which she has been teaching for over seven years. The topic of her Ph.D. was "Varying Dimensions of Matrimonial Cruelty in India: A study in its Socio-Legal implications", and obtained said degree from Rajasthan. Prior to joining this University, she has taught at various colleges, like Vivekananda Institute of Professional Studies, New Delhi, and Amity Law School, New Delhi; and was also visiting faculty in Indian Law Institute, New Delhi. Her areas of interest are Family Law, Criminal Law, Woman & Law, and Interpretation of Statutes. Besides teaching the abovementioned subjects at the B.A.LL.B (Hons.) level, Dr. Anju has guided several students for their Post-Graduate and Doctoral dissertations. She has presented several papers at National and International Conferences, and chaired sessions at various Seminars and National Conferences. She is also the Director of 'Centre for Comparative Studies in Personal Laws'.

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Prof. (Dr.) G. S. Bajpai

Professor, Criminology & Criminal Justice, and Registrar

Prof. (Dr.) G. S. Bajpai, prior to joining National Law University Delhi has served as Professor & Chairperson at the Centre for Criminal Justice Administration, National Law Institute University, Bhopal. He has held many positions in his professional career spanning over two and half decades; and has worked with reputed names like the Indian Institute of Public Administration, Bureau of Police Research & Development, Punjab Police Academy, and Department of Criminology & Forensic Sciences, University of Sagar, MP. He has over twenty years of active research/teaching experience in Criminal Law & Criminology. Recipient of various honours, Prof. Bajpai was awarded fellowships and invited as visiting faculty to umpteen academic institutions in several countries like France, USA, Germany, U.K., Japan, Netherlands, Malaysia, Hong Kong, etc. He is presently Vice-President of Victim Support Asia, Asian region; President of Indian Society of Victimology (ISV); and the elected Executive Member of World Society of Victimology (WSV). He is also Editor of three well known Journals namely: 'Journal of Victimology & Victim Justice' and 'Journal of National Law University Delhi', both published with Sage; and 'Indian Journal of Criminology', a publication of 'Indian Society of Criminology'.

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His areas of interest include—Endangered Languages; Law and Language; Law and Literature; Law and Culture; Communication Skills; Linguistics; Neurolinguistics; Psycholinguistics; Clinical Linguistics; and Anthropological Linguistics. He is Project Coordinator of 'Study and Research towards Preservation and Promotion of Indigenous and Endangered Languages'; and Member of the Publication Committee of the Linguistic Society of India (2018-20). He is Visiting Professor, Université Paris Nanterre, France; Visiting Professor, Università Del Piemonte Orientale (UPO), Italy; Fellow of the Institute for Advanced Studies in the Humanities, Edinburgh, UK. and British Academy. He has been associated with—University of Delhi (India); IASH, University of Edinburgh (UK); American Institute of Indian Studies (AIIS); MAIT (GGSIPU, Delhi); Skyline University College, Sharjah (U.A.E.); Bureau of Parliamentary Studies and Training; Parliament of India; LNJNI National Institute of Criminology and Forensic Science; AIIMS, ICAI, and several others.

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Dr. Harpreet Kaur specialises in commercial laws and completed her Doctor of Laws on the topic of 'Corporate Liability'. She has been teaching corporate laws, securities regulations, business laws, and competition law. Her research interests include corporate law, corporate governance, securities regulations, and competition law. She is a Fulbright Scholar in Residence and also participated in US State funded International Visitors' Leadership Programme. She has served as 'Rotating Chair Professor of Indian Studies' at Leibniz University, Hannover, Germany, for one semester. She has co-authored seven books with Dr. Avtar Singh and authored one on Business and Corporate Laws. She holds extensive work experience in both teaching and research, and has conducted many training programmes for companies on company law, competition law, and contract management. She is convener of Ph.D. Programme and Programme-in-charge of International Relations Office at National Law University Delhi.

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Prof. (Dr.) Anupama Goel

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Dr. Anupama Goel's Doctoral dissertation in Constitutional Law, involved research in theoretical underpinnings of the concept of social justice under the Indian Constitution, and the empirical evaluation of its ground-level dispensation in the State of Punjab.

She has a teaching experience of almost 21 years. During this career spanning over two decades, she has taught undergraduate and postgraduate students, and has guided various Ph.D. scholars. Her areas of interest and research include Public International Law, Human Rights Law, Law of Torts, and Constitutional Law. Apart from having published papers in various reputed law journals, she has participated in various International and National Conferences, where she has presented research papers. She is also the Co-Director of 'Centre for Comparative Studies in Personal Laws'.

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Prof. (Dr.) Mrinal Satish

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Mrinal Satish specialises in criminal law. He holds a Doctoral degree from Yale Law School, for which he wrote a dissertation on rape sentencing in India. He has formerly been a faculty member at the National Law School of India University, Bangalore (NLSIU), and at the National Judicial Academy, Bhopal (NJA). At NLSIU, he taught courses on substantive, and procedural criminal law, as well as on sentencing law. His work at NJA focused on issues relating to adjudication, and judicial method. He coordinated and conducted presentations at various judicial seminars and conferences, mainly on criminal law, sentencing, domestic violence, and reduction of delay and arrears in Indian courts. Dr. Mrinal has also been involved in various law reform initiatives; and assisted the 'Justice Verma Committee', set up by the Government of India to suggest amendments to criminal laws, in light of the Delhi gang rape incident. He is currently the Chairperson of the Delhi Judicial Academy.

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She received the 'Outstanding Young Scholars Award', for scholarly contribution to the International Research Project 'Quality Control in Preliminary Examination', conferred by 'Centre for International Law Research and Policy', Brussels, 2017. She has presented papers at International Conferences held at Cambridge; at Hague, Netherlands; and at Florence, Italy.

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He has authored a dissertation, and co-authored a research paper and a seminar paper on the aforementioned subject matter, in addition to actively participating in consultative processes with the National Investigation Agency as well as the Bureau of Police Research and Development on behalf of the University.

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Alumni Achievements, 2015-2019

Students of this University have been qualifying and even topping reputed competitive examinations of the country along with securing scholarships and fellowships.

Delhi Judicial Service Merit List 2018: 9 students

1. Aakash Sharma, rank 6
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5. Bhanu Pratap Singh, rank 39
6. Harshal Negi, rank 54
7. Neha Sharma, rank 55
8. Anam Rais Khan, rank 71
9. Karan Choudhary, rank 121

Delhi Judicial Service Topper 2017: 1 student

1. Rishika Srivastava, rank 1 (Delhi) Topper

Judicial Service Merit List 2017: 2 students

1. Nandini Harsh (Bihar)
2. Sharjil Khan (UP)

Judicial Service Merit List 2016: 1 student

1. Akash Sharma, rank 5 (UP)

Judicial Service Toppers 2014 and 2015: 2 students

1. Shriya Gauba, rank 1 topped Delhi Judicial Service Examination
2. Arushi Goel, rank 1, topped Haryana Judicial Service Examination

The Union Public Service Commission (UPSC) 2018: 3 students

1. Vaishali Singh, rank 8
2. Rangashree TK, rank 50 (Allotted to IFS)
3. Saloni Sharma, rank 531

The Union Public Service Commission (UPSC) 2017: 5 students

1. Saumya Sharma, rank 9
2. Kavya Tangirala, rank 381
3. Aditya Vikram Yadav, rank 72
4. Ritiraj, rank 583
5. Karan Choudhary, rank 821

The Union Public Service Commission (UPSC) 2016: 1 student

1. Pratik Tayal, rank 92

The Union Public Service Commission (UPSC) 2015: 1 student

1. Arushi Goel, rank 1, topped Punjab Civil Service (Judicial Branch) Examination

The Union Public Service Commission (UPSC) 2014: 3 students

1. Aashika Jain, rank 74
2. Paramvir Singh, rank 29
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International Scholarships and Study, 2015-2020: 9 students

1. **C. V. Aradhna:** Full Scholarship from University of Oxford for DPhil in Law, starting October 2019.
2. **Siddhant Sachdeva:** Secured admission to University of Oxford M.Sc. in Law and Finance (MLF) and University of Cambridge for Masters in Corporate Law (MCL).
3. **Dr. Vandana Mahalwar:** Fulbright-Nehru Postdoctoral Research Fellowship, Duke University, Durham, USA, 2019-20.
4. **Aasavri Rai:** Arthur C. Helton Fellowship of American Society of International Law, 2018-19, by 'Brookings India', to analyse policies adopted by India towards Rohingya refugees and assess how these policies have been perceived by the neighbouring states.
5. **Chinmay Kanojia:** Human Rights LL.M. Fellowship for one year LL.M. Programme from 2019-2020, Columbia Law School, USA.
6. **Gale Andrew:** Felix Scholarship to read for LL.M. Programme at 'SOAS University', London, 2018-19.
7. **Aadya Chawla:** DAAD Scholarship to pursue Masters in European and International Law (LL.M.) at 'University of Saarland', Germany.
8. **Divya Chawla:** Cambridge Scholarship in 2018, instituted by Justice Pratibha M. Singh for studying in 'Cambridge University'.
9. **Rishika Sahgal:** Rhodes Scholarship for admission in Oxford University in 2015.

Upcoming Events

ASLI 2020 at NLU Delhi

ASLI Singapore (Asian Law Institute) organises an annual academic conference held by its founding member institutions on a rotating basis. National Law University Delhi, India, will host the 17th ASLI Conference on June 3-4, 2020. The theme of the conference is "*Law and Justice in Asia*". Find the details for the conference at <https://law.nus.edu.sg/asli/index.aspx>

ASLI 2019

Glimpse of ASLI 2019 held at NUS Singapore, attended by faculty members of NLU Delhi



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