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“Learn from yesterday, live for today, hope for tomorrow.”

It's my honour and pleasure to present Volume-16 of Leglytical – Treasure of School of Law, an e-newsletter which drafts the bundles of initiatives and creativities of the School of Law, Sushant University. The School of Law has efficaciously completed one more academic session and the glimpses of such activities are framed and depicted in this vibrant volume of Leglytical. Leglytical portrays the skills and talent of the School of Law both for the students and esteemed faculty members. And it's noteworthy to mention that day by day the attainments and executions are increasing with full vigour and strength. Students are extracting inspiration and impulse, showing interests to achieve accolades, craving for accomplishments and that epitomises the true demonstration of Leglytical, that is, the treasure of the School of Law. Lastly, New Year, new day, new start let the new sunrise be filled with love and laughter in everyone's life.

Happy Reading!

Once again Happy New Year, 2025.

Best Regards,

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Ranking of LAW SCHOOLS in India

Group Rank	Name of Law School	Infrastructure & Facilities	Faculty Resources	Admission Process	Placement & Delivery	Research & Innovation	Total Score
Ranking of Top Supreme Law Schools							
1	Symbiosis Law School Pune	231	771	881	340	850	3074
2	Symbiosis International (Deemed to be University), Pune, Maharashtra	223	779	873	340	830	3045
Ranking of Top Leading Law Schools of Super Excellence							
1	ICFAI Law School, Hyderabad, Telangana	215	365	353	230	765	1268
2	K.J. Somaiya's Law College, Bangalore, Karnataka	216	365	353	230	765	1268
3	Kotniswadi Chhatrapati Law College, Mumbai, Maharashtra	216	365	353	230	765	1268
4	Indira Institute of Law, Indore, Madhya Pradesh	201	369	360	230	743	1263
5	Ramaswami College of Law, MSRT Campus, Bangalore, Karnataka	206	369	360	230	740	1265
6	Narver Law School, Paris, Odisha	201	355	360	205	725	1246
7	CNR University School of Legal Studies, Bangalore, Karnataka	206	369	353	205	730	1263
8	School of Law, Hindustan Institute of Technology and Science, Sonbhadra, Uttar Pradesh	205	355	355	200	715	1240
9	School of Law, Galgotia University, Greater Noida, Uttar Pradesh	196	253	253	193	693	1098
Ranking of Top Premier Law Schools							
1	Vivekananda Institute of Professional Studies, Technical Campus, VSI/LS, Delhi	195	354	330	195	690	1264
2	Shri Dharmaram Institute of Management Studies & Research in Law, Bangalore, Karnataka	185	353	353	190	683	1261
3	ICFAI Law School, Dehradun, Uttarakhand	181	351	351	185	680	1252
4	Mangal University Jaipur, Jaipur, Rajasthan	181	351	351	180	670	1243
5	School of Law, Presidency University, Bangalore, Karnataka	186	348	353	178	669	1264
6	School of Law, Sushant University (erstwhile Ansal University), Gurugram, Haryana	173	350	353	175	655	1256
Ranking of Top Eminent Law Schools							
1	Sardar Patel Subharti Institute of Law, Meerut, Uttar Pradesh	168	341	341	170	640	1260
2	DMS Law College, Noida, Uttar Pradesh	171	339	341	170	640	1261
3	Chanderprabhu Jain College of Higher Studies & School of Law, Delhi	172	339	341	165	630	1257
4	Faculty of Law, The Mahatma Jyotiba Phule University of Education, Yashwantrao Chavan, Gujarat	171	339	334	170	635	1253
5	The NorthCap University, Gurugram, Haryana	171	341	334	164	630	1240

CSR Law Schools Survey 2024

Ranking of Top Law Schools by State

S.No.	Name of the Law School
ASSAM	
1	NEF Law College, Guwahati
DELHI	
1	Vivekananda Institute of Professional Studies-Technical Campus, VSLLS
2	Chanderprabhu Jain College of Higher Studies & School of Law, Narela
GOA	
1	VVM's Govind Ramnath Kare College of Law, Margao
GUJARAT	
1	Faculty of Law, The Maharaja Sayajirao University of Baroda, Vadodara
HARYANA	
1	School of Law, Sushant University (erstwhile Ansal University), Gurugram
2	The NORTHCAP University, Gurugram
3	Faculty of Law, SGT University, Gurugram
4	GD Goenka University, Gurugram

Dr. Sulakshana Banerjee, Associate Professor of Law wholeheartedly worked for attaining these rankings on behalf of School of Law, Sushant University.

EVENTS AT A GLANCE

CAPSTONE PROGRAMME, 2024

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CAPSTONE PROGRAMME:
Starting **5th JULY, 2024**

Smooth Transition From
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- Constitutional Principles
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School of Law, Sushant University organised a Capstone Programme on 5th July, 2024 for the newly admitted students of BA L.LB, BBA LL.B & LL.B. The objective of the course was to make students familiarise with starting their journey as a Lawyer with fundamental understanding of law. The course acted as a base to the superstructure of their law program. The course aimed to create a peripheral understanding of various dimensions of law and its relationship with other academic streams. The Capstone Program was designed by Dr Deepak Miglani, Associate Professor of Law.

EVENTS AT A GLANCE

PRARAMBH: SCHOOL OF LAW ORIENTATION, 2024



School of Law, Sushant University organized an orientation programme “Prarambh 2024” for the newly admitted BA LLB, BBA LLB & LLB students from 5th -9th August, 2024. The orientation program at the School of Law began on 6th August, 2024 with an insightful speech and about the importance of opting Law as a career in today’s era by Prof.(Dr.) Anil Dawra. Next, an ephemeral explanation of the programme, which included the entire academic trait, courses and important details of the university along with the recent achievements under the heading “SOL at a glance” was seamlessly explained by Dr. Sulakshana Banerjee, Associate Professor of Law to familiarize the students about the functioning of the School followed by a detail presentation by the IRC (Internship and Recruitment Committee) which was done by Dr Deepak Miglani, Associate Professor of Law and Ms Kirty Lamba, Assistant Professor of Law. The Second Day of Orientation started with an awareness session by the Anti-Ragging Committee Members Dr Deepak Miglani Associate Professor of Law and Ms Shreya Suhag, Assistant Professor of Law. The third day of Orientation started with another best practice of the Law School that is, Legal Aid Activities. Ms. Anushka Choudhary, Assistant Professor of Law and the members of the Legal Aid Clinic shared about the different Legal aid events organised by the School of Law with the help of student volunteers. The entire Orientation program was a successful and effective one.

EVENTS AT A GLANCE

VISIT TO CYBER CRIME POLICE STATION



School of Law, Sushant University organised a visit to the Cyber Crime Police Station, Gurugram on 6th September, 2024 for first-year students of BA LL.B, BBA LL.B, and LL.B as part of an educational field trip. The visit aimed to provide students with practical insights into the functioning of cyber law enforcement and the various challenges faced in the realm of cybercrime. During the visit, students were briefed on the operational aspects of cyber investigations, including the identification of digital evidence, tracking cybercriminal activities, and the legal frameworks in place to combat cybercrime. This hands-on experience enriched their understanding of the complexities of cyber laws and provided a real-world context to their academic curriculum, enhancing their knowledge of the evolving nature of cyber threats and law enforcement practices. This successful visit was organised by Dr. Deepak Miglani and Mr. Vipul Gaur.

EVENTS AT A GLANCE

DEEPOTSAV, 2024



School of Law, Sushant University celebrated Diwali on 23rd October, 2024 in the university auditorium. Diwali, also known as the Festival of Lights, is one of the most significant celebrations in India. It symbolises the victory of light over darkness and good over evil. The event started with a Rangoli competition in School of Law in which many students participated followed by the lamp lighting ceremony and Saraswati Vandana that set a spiritual tone. Many students showcased their talents through music and dance performances. Fun games were organised in which the faculty members participated as well. Honourable Pro Vice Chancellor Sir, Dr Sanjeev Sharma addressed the session. The event concluded with prize distribution and refreshments, marking a joyful celebration of Diwali with the university community. The event was organised by Dr Divya and Ms. Simrat Sohi, Assistant Professor of Law.

EVENTS AT A GLANCE

GUEST LECTURE ON PERSONAL FINANCIAL PLANNING & CAPITAL MARKETS RESOURCE PERSON



A SEBI-CDSL-sponsored 'Capital Markets & Investment Awareness Workshop' for students of Law and other department students was conducted on 24th October, 2024 in the School of Law. The International Organization of Securities Commissions (IOSCO), a global body of financial regulators, celebrated "World Investor Week" by spreading Investor awareness. Very informative and knowledgeable sessions covering topics of -- how to make financial goals, financial planning, merits & demerits of various investment avenues, which were very useful for participants to make correct use of their incomes. They can further disseminate this knowledge to their other family members. Dr. Mukul Jain delivered his valuable speech in the workshop and the workshop was a successful one. The brief profile of the speaker is mentioned below:

He is a mechanical engineering graduate with 3 Post-graduations in various domains (Finance, Operations, HR) of Business Management. He has dual 'Fellowships' from the 'Insurance Institute of India' in the field of life as well as general insurance. He has also done 'Financial Planning international certifications from 'The American College of Financial Services' as well as 'The Financial Planning Standards Board (FPSB)'. He has several certifications from NISM, BSE, and NSE in the field of capital markets, Mutual Funds, etc. He has done his Ph.D. in the field of 'Behavioral Finance'. The event was organised by Mr. Amit Singh, Assistant Professor of Law.

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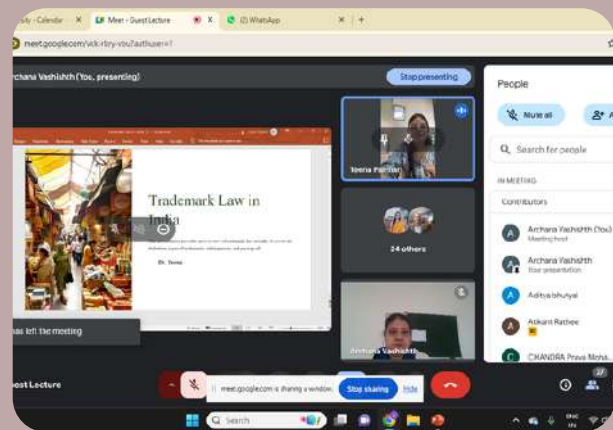
WORKSHOP ON- AI AND COPYRIGHT - NAVIGATING THE FUTURE OF DIGITAL CREATION



School of Law has organized a Media Industry Connect on 13th November, 2024 on the topic "AI and Copyright-Navigating the Future of Digital Creation". As AI systems become more advanced in autonomous creation, determining the authorship of an AI-generated piece becomes increasingly challenging, raising questions about the capability of copyright to protect such works in India. Dr Kiran Khanna Founder and CEO of AIDA Story and having 24 years of experience in the Media Industry and Academia delivered her valuable and pragmatic deliberations and explicitly explained the role of AI and Copyright in India. The session was interactive in nature and covered the evolution of technology from typewriters to computers Google to now artificial intelligence or AI on phone. Dr Kiran Khanna also explained the impact of AI tools such as ChatGPT on original creators and discussed the problem of AI not giving credit to copyright material it has accessed to learn and such owners of intellectual property not receiving royalties. Students were explained that while ideation or research with AI is a boon, commercial use of AI output is where problem begins. The questions of ownership, originality and authorship of AI generated intellectual property were covered as well as the current US emphasis on "human authorship", as well as EU emphasis on "creative human input". The inspiring session ended with the need and importance of a global law in the field of copyright law and highlighting the need to adapt to AI just as we adapted to computers previously. The session was intellectually stimulating providing plenty of food for thought for all participating students. Students of Media and Entertainment Laws were highly benefitted from the session. The Workshop was concluded with a commendable vote of thanks by Dr. Sulakshana Banerjee, Associate Professor of Law .

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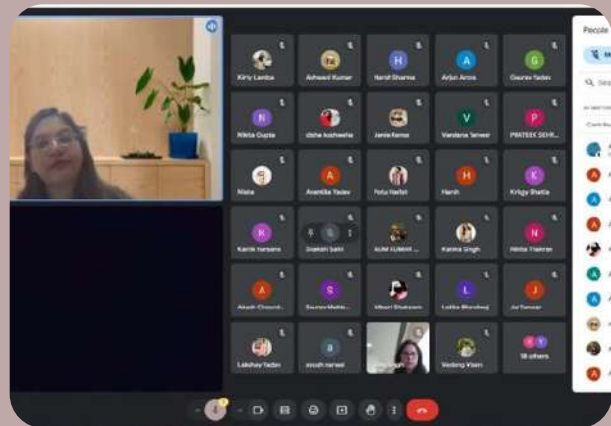
GUEST LECTURE ON TRADE MARK AND PASSING OFF



School of Law, Sushant University organised a Guest Lecture on the topic “Trademark and Passing Off” on 14th November, 2024 by Dr. Teena, Assistant Professor of Law from G.D Goenka University. She explained that a trademark serves as a unique identifier for goods or services, symbolizing the brand's quality and distinctiveness in the marketplace. She emphasised the importance of trademarks in building consumer trust and highlighted the legal protections that prevent unauthorised usage. She then discussed "Passing Off," a common law tort aimed at protecting businesses against deceptive practices where one party misrepresents its goods or services as those of another. Her lecture shed light on the legal nuances and practical implications of these principles in protecting brand identity and maintaining fair competition. The lecture was attended by more than forty students and it was a successful one.

EVENTS AT A GLANCE

GUEST LECTURE ON ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE



School of Law, Sushant University organized an inspiring and thought-provoking online guest lecture on 18th November, 2024 by the esteemed Mrs. Kiffi Aggarwal, a distinguished faculty member at Physics Wallah, on the topic "Environmental Justice: Landmark Court Rulings for a Pollution-Free World". The lecture served as a beacon of knowledge for students and faculty alike, encouraging them to explore the dynamic intersection of law and environmental protection. Environmental protection laws are essential for safeguarding our planet's natural resources and ensuring a sustainable future. These laws regulate activities that may harm the environment, such as pollution, deforestation, and waste management. Participants were inspired to reflect on the importance of legal interventions in safeguarding the environment and championing justice for future generations.

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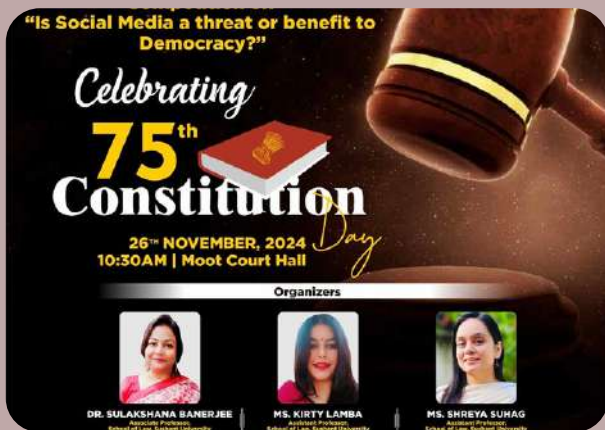
DISTRICT COURT VISIT



School of Law, Sushant University conducted a visit to the District Court, Gurugram on 19th November, 2024 for its students. The visit was facilitated by the District Legal Services Authority (DLSA), Gurugram. The panel lawyers of DLSA, Gurugram gave an exhaustive tour of the court rooms and explained the functioning of the same. It was an extremely enlightening experience. During the visit to the District Court, the students witnessed the intricacies of the Indian judiciary system firsthand. As they walked through the bustling corridors, they observed lawyers, judges, and litigants engaged in intense discussions and proceedings. They also attended a Live court session, where they saw the judge carefully listening to arguments and delivering a verdict. The experience was enlightening, providing them with a deeper understanding of the judicial process and the importance of upholding justice. The event was organised by Ms. Anushka Choudhary and Mr. Vipul Gaur, Assistant Professor of Law.

EVENTS AT A GLANCE

75TH CONSTITUTION DAY



School of Law, Sushant University celebrated Constitution Day (Samvidhan Diwas) on 26th November, 2024. This day marks the adoption of the Indian Constitution by the Constituent Assembly in 1949. To value and honour our Indian Constitution, the celebration commenced by reading of the "Preamble" to strengthen the importance of democracy, liberty, equality and justice- core ideals enshrined in the Constitution followed by an Inter School Debate competition on the topic - "Is Social Media a threat or benefit to Democracy?" Other activities like Poster making competition, quiz competition and screening of a movie on the Constitution was exhibited. The event became tremendous success with the august presence of the Chief Guest Honourable Vice Chancellor Sir Prof. (Dr) Rakesh Ranjan and Pro-Vice Chancellor Sir Prof (Dr) Sanjeev Sharma. The debate competition was judged by Dr Sonia Khera, Registrar , IILM University New Delhi. The event was concluded by a heartening vote of thanks by Dr Sulakshana Banerjee, Associate Professor of Law.

EVENTS AT A GLANCE

INTRA MOOT COURT COMPETITION



School of Law, Sushant University, successfully conducted its Intra Moot Court Competition on 27th November, 2024 at the Moot Court Hall. The event provided students with a platform to demonstrate their advocacy skills and engage with a challenging moot proposition. The competition was judged by a distinguished legal expert Dr. Kalpana, Associate Professor of Law, who applauded the participants for their preparation, argumentation, and professionalism. The engaging rounds reflected the students' dedication and legal acumen. Additionally, Moot Court competitions foster teamwork and collaboration among participants, as they often work in pairs or groups. Overall, Moot Court is vital for building confidence and competence in future legal professionals.

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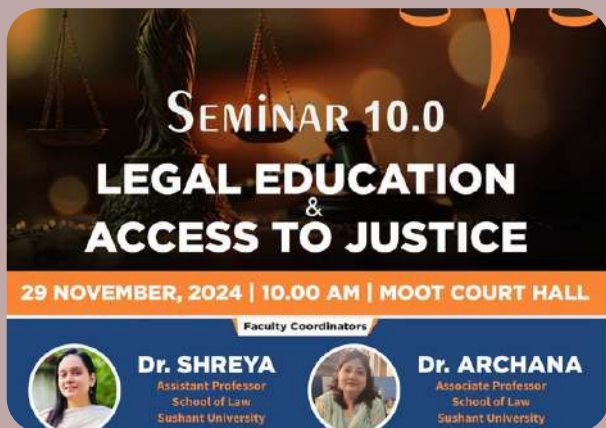
RESEARCH METHODOLOGY WORKSHOP ON DOCTRINAL & NON DOCTRINAL RESEARCH METHODS



School of Law, Sushant University successfully organized Research Methodology Workshop on 27th November, 2024. It witnessed more than sixty participations across various departments of the University in offline as well as online mode. The Speaker Ms. Aditi Prasad, Head, Research, Publication and Higher Studies at Indore Institute of Law explained the principles as well as application of various kinds of research. A brief overview of various techniques of collection of data, analysis of collected data was also given. The session ended with many hands on activities for the participants. Overall, it was a successful event and the students gained a practical hands on experience.

EVENTS AT A GLANCE

SEMINAR 10.0 ON LEGAL EDUCATION AND ACCESS TO JUSTICE



School of Law, Sushant University organised a Seminar on "Legal Education and Access to Justice" on 29th November, 2024 wherein over 150 law students presented their Research Papers. The Seminar is organized every semester to foster a culture of research among its students by encouraging participation in seminar presentations. Such initiatives foster a dynamic and intellectually stimulating academic environment. The research work done by students benefits them in staying aware and being up to date about the current affairs which eventually helps them in the field of Law. Moreover, research fosters critical thinking and analytical skills, which are essential for both academic and professional success.

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS



Kanav Grover, student of BBA LL.B (Hons.) received a certificate from the prestigious Triumphant Institute of Management Education in the month of October, 2024.



Gaurav Saluja and Navdeep Singh from LL.B 3rd year, Kanav Grover from BBA LL.B(Hons.) 2nd year and Ansh Mishra from BA LL.B 3rd year secured the first position in the Intra Moot Court competition held on 27th November, 2024. Ansh was facilitated as the “Best Mooter” in the competition.

FACULTY ACHIEVEMENTS



Prof. (Dr.) Anil Dawra, Professor, School of Law, addressed the District Attornies and Deputy District Attornies at Haryana Institute of Public Administration, Gurugram on 1st November, 2024 on the topic of 'Arrest Jurisprudence, Remand and Bail'.

Dr. Sulakshana Banerjee, Associate Professor of Law received "National Teacher Award" on 31st August, 2024 organized by the Bhagidari Jan Sahyog Samiti in collaboration with Delhi State Legal Services Authority at YMC Hostel, Sansad Marg, New Delhi. Dr Sulakshana also met and interacted with Hon'ble Justice (Retd.) Mr. Sanjib Banerjee Former Chief Justice of the Madras and Meghalaya High Courts at the Book inauguration ceremony organized by NUJS, Kolkata at India International Centre, New Delhi. Dr Sulakshana also delivered a lecture on 3rd July, 2024 on the topic "Genesis of Corruption in India - White Collar Crime and its immediate attention required in the field of research" in a Faculty Development Program organised by the VHTBS, Sushant University.



FACULTY ACHIEVEMENTS



Dr. Shreya, Assistant Professor of Law was awarded a Ph.D. degree from Amity University, Noida. Throughout her doctoral journey, she focused on Honour Killing with special reference to the State of Haryana. She has also attended and participated in a Symposium organised by the Department of Health and Pharmacy on 25th October, 2024 where she was invited as a resource person.

Dr. Divya Sharma, Assistant Professor of Law, adjudicated prestigious moot court competitions and various national-level events, including The Common Induction Moot, 2024 held on 16th November 2024, organised by the Moot Court Society, Campus Law Centre, Faculty of Law, University of Delhi. She also judged the first FICCI-CLC National Virtual Moot Court Competition, 2024 conducted on 9th October 2024.



Ms. Simrat Sohi, Assistant Professor of Law along with her Supervisor Dr. Sulakshana, Associate Professor of Law, published a paper in UCG Care titled “The Paradigm Shift of the LGBTQ Community in India: A study concerning the future of same - sex marriage and Conjugal Rights”, in Shodhkosh: Journal of Visual and Performing Arts, Vol. 5 Issue 6, ISSN 2582-7472, in June 2024 and also published a paper in ABDC Journal titled “Social and Economic Status of Transgender People in India : A study about their Identity, Dignity and Legality ”, Journal of Informatics Education and Research, Vol 4 Issue 3 ISSN 1526-4726, in October 2024.



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