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**REPORT**

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## I. Introduction

The prestigious Jean Monnet Chair on “EU Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy”, bearing Project Number 101048047, and recognized with the project acronym EUC-LAMP, funded by the European Union through its agency, European Education and Culture Executive Agency (EACEA), was granted in the year 2022 to Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, Director, Symbiosis Law School, Pune, Symbiosis International (Deemed University). The total sanctioned amount for the Jean Monnet Chair Project was 50,000 €.

The Jean Monnet Chair on EU Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy [EUC-LAMP] (hereinafter stated as JM Chair EUC-LAMP) was carried out with the following objectives:

- 1) To plan, organize and deliver the teaching activities including a MOOC in relation to proposed courses and modules of the certificate programme
- 2) To develop a toolkit/manual and conduct training for future trainers including in vernacular languages
- 3) To plan and conduct multiple side activities for a greater outreach of the Chair
- 4) To conduct research and develop diverse publications in the thematic area
- 5) To organize and conduct the dissemination activities to create visibility and impact for the Chair
- 6) To prepare and submit periodic reports including the final activity report

The JM Chair EUC-LAMP project consisted of one work package with five major deliverables with multiple tasks and milestones in the project. Until the submission of this final report the Jean Monnet Chair Professor Dr. Shashikala Gurpur has regularly provided the progress reports aligned with its objective number 6. The progress reports submitted are mapped to the other objectives below:

<b>Name of the Progress Report</b>	<b>Aligned with objectives</b>
Report on Deliverable 1.1: Three sets of teaching activities including a certificate programme having 10 modules	To plan, organize and deliver the teaching activities in relation to proposed courses and modules of the certificate programme (Objective number 1)
Report on Deliverable 1.2: Training material and Manual / Toolkit for Trainers (Guidelines, Manual, Recordings including vernacular language)	To develop a toolkit/manual and conduct training for future trainers including in vernacular languages (Objective number 2)
Report on Deliverable 1.3: Book including papers based on Research activities	To conduct research and develop diverse publications in the thematic area (Objective number 4)
Report on Deliverable 1.4: MOOC (Massive Open Online Course)	To plan, organize and deliver a MOOC (Objective number 1)
Report on Deliverable 1.5: Dissemination Output, Periodic Reports and Final Activity Report	To plan and conduct multiple side activities for a greater outreach of the Chair (Objective number 3)

	To organize and conduct the dissemination activities to create visibility and impact for the Chair (Objective number 5)
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All the progress reports have been submitted on the [ec.europa.eu](http://ec.europa.eu) portal [hereinafter stated as the EU Portal].

The present report on deliverable 1.5 besides highlighting the teaching, training and research activities, is prepared to submit the final activity report and portrays the successful accomplishment of planning and conducting multiple side activities for greater outreach of chair and to organize and conduct the dissemination activities to create visibility and impact of Chair.

This final activity report puts forth the data and information including evidence of achievement of all the important deliverables including teaching activities, training programmes, publication of book, MOOC, and the side events that were planned and carried out successfully throughout the three-year project timeline. Various activities in the form of side events including JM distinguished speaker programmes, essay writing competition, conclave (roundtable), research conferences, tree plantation drives, social media campaign, celebration of important days with student, faculty and community members such as World Environment Day, were carried out on a regular basis. The outreach, visibility and impact of the JM Chair EUC-LAMP is reported in a systematic manner herein this document.

Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, Director of Symbiosis Law School, Pune, Symbiosis International (Deemed University) [SIU] has ensured that the Jean Monnet Chair action has been communicated and promoted to a wide variety of audiences and stakeholders, including the media and public, both nationally as well as internationally, in an effective and efficient manner.

In all of the activities and communication material (such as leaflets/Brochure/Flyers, physical banners or E-banners, posters, presentations) always acknowledgements were made orally as well as in visual / multi-media displays with regard to the EU support received in terms of funding and utmost care was exercised in displaying the European Union flag (emblem) as per the requirements under the grant agreement.

During the use of multi-media (including videos and presentations) accurate and latest information was utilized, to the best of the knowledge of experts involved in various activities of the Jean Monnet Chair. Further, where appropriate the disclaimer statement as provided in the grant agreement was included for example when the MOOC videos were prepared and made available the disclaimer statement has been clearly displayed.

The Jean Monnet Chair Professor Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, each year organized a special track in the name of the chair at the prestigious Symbiosis International Annual Research Conference – Rule of Law in Context (SYMROLIC), at Symbiosis Law School, Pune, Symbiosis International (Deemed University) [SLSP-SIU] attracting inter-disciplinary research presentations. In every relevant conference and event, Dr. Shashikala Gurpur presented the progress of the chair and the activities carried out under the JM Chair EUC-LAMP. These conferences and events where the dissemination was carried out have been detailed out in a separate sections of the report.

In the case of training the trainer programme to overcome language barriers for cascading and dissemination in India the JM Chair EUC-LAMP prepared the training materials both in English and in the most widely spoken vernacular language of India that is Hindi.

Though the activities were mainly carried out in India, the European added value was in terms of adopting European priorities, best practices and their approach to the field of climate justice. Many European experts were invited and engaged in the delivery of academic sessions, chairing conferences, conducting awareness programmes and various side events. Symbiosis Law School, Pune has had several collaborations with European Universities in the past. The existing collaborations were further strengthened and new ones built over the three years of the project period by inviting European experts to engage in the Jean Monnet Chair teaching, training, research as well as side activities. These have led to an enhanced mutual understanding in the field of Climate change, new connections, associations and collaborations evident through the signing of Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) and other collaborative arrangements. These achievements in terms of collaboration have been discussed in section XIII of this report.

Communication and visibility of Project was ensured through well-established practices of SIU. Based on each activity the target groups were identified. The activities were publicized through website, emails & Group Emails (Law Teachers Group), conference and event platforms (such as Lawctopus, Knowledgesteez, Law Bhoomi), physical posters, and through social media posts. In some events where the target audience or resource persons were from Industry / NGOs / non-law institutions / think tanks or local communities, new databases were created in order to contact them through email and phone calls. To create a unique identity and for branding purposes for the JM Chair a new logo was designed and the same has been utilized consistently on brochures, certificates, website, banners and all other dissemination materials for a lasting impact. On YouTube channel of Symbiosis Law School, Pune, SIU a special section is created for the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP Videos to track them easily. The institutes newsletter Lexet (published biannually) regularly reports the achievements and activities of the JM Chair EUC-LAMP. International consortia (International Association of Law Schools, Global Alliance for Justice Education, IUCN and ASLI) were contacted on a regular basis and informed about the upcoming activities.

This report presents the detailed report and evidences of teaching activities in Section II, training activities in Section III, research publication and Book in Section IV, MOOC in Section V, side activities and events in Section VI, dissemination in press media in Section VII, Dissemination through website in Section VIII, Use of social media (LinkedIn, Facebook, Instagram and YouTube) evidences in Section IX, publicity through the institute's Newsletter in Section X, outreach and dissemination at events by the JM Chair Professor EUC-LAMP is reported in Section XI, new connections built and collaborations are reported under Section XII and the last section XIII portrays the conclusion, outreach and impact the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP Project.

This final activity report is planned to be presented at national and international conferences including the forthcoming prestigious International Annual Research Conference SYMROLIC.

## II. Teaching Activities (2022-2025)

### a) Introduction and objectives

One of the main deliverables under the JM Chair EUC-LAMP was the organization of three set of teaching units. Under this deliverable the JM Chair Professor Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, Director of Symbiosis Law School, Pune, Symbiosis International (Deemed University) [SIU] initiated the plan of organizing the teaching activities, time tables and session plans and fine-tuned the content delivery in the following two courses that were offered to the undergraduate and postgraduate students at the Symbiosis Law School, Pune as a part of the curriculum:

1. EU Environmental Law (Elective Course)
2. Climate Justice, Law, Policy and Governance with focus on EU and Asia (India, China and ASEAN) (Elective Course) [# Please note this course is named as Comparative Climate Justice in the Programme Structures of the B.A.LL.B. (Hons.), B.B.A.LL.B. (Hons) and the LL.M. available on the institute website]

Simultaneously, a certificate programme was designed under the JM Chair EUC-LAMP titled “Certificate Programme in European Union Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy” and was accredited at the University level. This certificate programme was offered across all 7 faculty of the University and also disseminated across India, so that students and professionals from different parts of the country who were interested in the field but with no access could enroll upgrade their competencies.

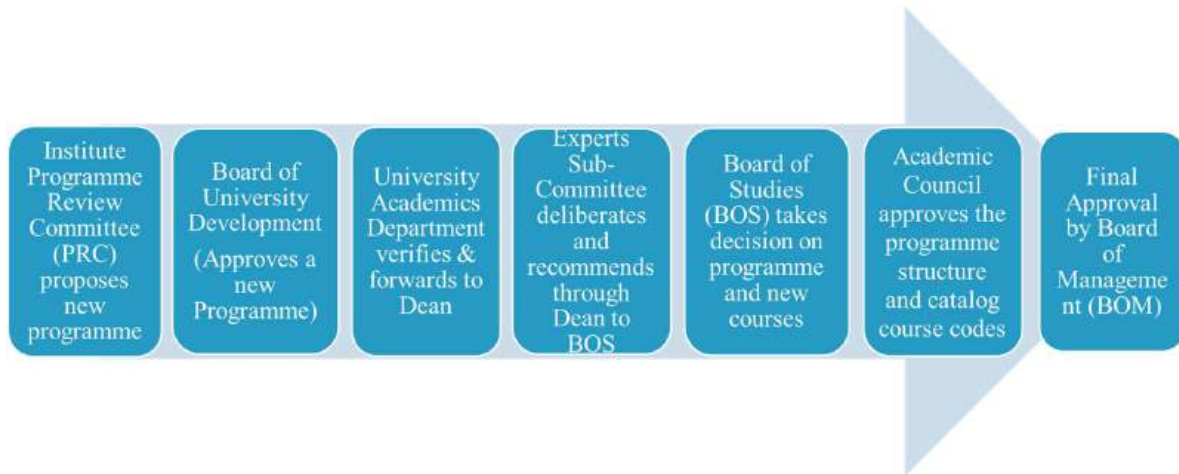
The overall aim of organizing these two elective courses and the certificate programme with 10 modules was to deliver these niche courses and enhance employability in the fields such as: climate research, climate impact assessment, climate change and sustainability, climate risk, climate justice, climate advocacy, climate finance, climate law, renewable resources, climate data analysis, value chain modelling, green product designing, green energy, sustainable financing and natural resource management, climate change modelling, policy and governance.

### b) Planning, Designing and accreditation

The finalization and fine-tuning of the niche courses in the field of climate change law mentioned earlier were identified in terms of the needs of India and conforming them to address the priorities of the EU.

The courses were planned to be delivered through three main teaching activities including a certificate programme. The total credits per cycle was planned to be total 18 credits as per the details provided in the later sections of this report. Each credit entails 15 hours of teaching-learning for a student at the University. Thus, a total number of 270 hours of teaching-learning would be done in a year or per cycle. Out of the 270 hours per year, Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, the Chair Professor would engage a total of 113 hours of teaching and the remaining was to be conducted by experienced co-faculties and other expert guests from Europe and India.

The seven stages process of accreditation followed at SIU is depicted through a chart diagram below and then explained in the description.



The courses taught under the JM Chair EUC-LAMP and the certificate programme specially designed under the JM Chair has followed the procedure of accreditation followed at the University.

For accrediting of an educational programme, in this case the online and offline ‘Certificate Programme in European Union Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy’ has followed the systematic procedure as explained below:

The first stage is the Program Review Committee (PRC) for PG/UG courses which takes place approximately in June / Nov every year. PRC consists of full-time faculty members of the institute who are specialization centre in-charges, 1 representative each from Alumni, Industry, expert academics, Head of the Institute and University representative. The PRC discusses and approves the courses that are proposed by the faculty members under the PG/UG programme at SLS, Pune.

The second stage of the process of accreditation is formal approval through the Board of University Development (BUD). The role of the Board of University Development is to assess the feasibility of starting a new programme or Diploma, Certificate Programme or a centre at SIU. The members of the BUD consider the application made by an institution based on the feasibility of running the programme depending on the market demands, financial feasibility and sustainability.

The third stage involves approval from the Academic Department of the University which verifies the details and forwards the same to the Dean of the Faculty, SIU.

The fourth stage of accreditation is to submit the developed courses to the Sub-Committee of Board of Studies consisting of selected faculty members, external experts, academicians, University representative, Dean of the Faculty who discuss and provide inputs for syllabus enhancement on the basis of the following parameters:

- Alignment of Learning Objectives and Learning Outcomes
- Curriculum Progression
- International and Comparative component

The fifth stage of accreditation is Board of Studies (BoS) which reviews and approves the recommendations received from the PRC and the Sub-Committee. The revised syllabus is uploaded on the University portal and goes to the next level for approval.

The sixth stage towards accreditation is the approval from the Academic Council (AC). The Academic Council is the principal academic body of the University comprising of the Vice Chancellor; Registrar; External Experts; Deans, Directors, Nominated Professors, Associate Professors and Assistant Professors- representing the various faculties and subject to the provisions of the Memorandum of Association and the Rules and Bye-Laws having control over and responsibility for the maintenance of standards of education, teaching and training, inter departmental co-ordination and research etc. The Academic Council reviews the programme structure and catalogue course codes.

The seventh stage is the Board of Management (BOM) where the primary role of the Board of Management is one of governance. The BOM provides direction and oversight for constituent institutes and the University. The final approval for an educational programme and courses is granted by the Board Management.

This entire process from first stage of PRC to the final approval from BOM takes about 8-10 months in the academic year. Thus, online and offline ‘Certificate Programme in European Union Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy’ was approved by the Board of Management.

The two courses, EU Environmental Law and Comparative Climate Justice that are catalogued in the university and being taught as teaching components under the JM Chair EUC-LAMP. The full curriculum was provided in the first periodic report on deliverable 1 on the EU portal and the same is also available on the institute website. The curriculum of the ‘Certificate Programme in European Union Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy’ specially designed and accredited at the Symbiosis International (Deemed University) under the Jean Monnet Chair was also provided in the first deliverable report and is available on the institute website.

### c) Teaching Activity 1 (for three years) for Undergraduate Students

Teaching activity 1 was planned and carried out successfully for the Undergraduate Students at Symbiosis Law School Pune across three programmes during the three-year period. The programmes to which the two elective subjects were offered were:

- a) Bachelor of Law Programme [LL.B.]
- b) Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Law (Honours) Programme [B.A. LL.B. (H)] &
- c) Bachelor of Business Administration (Honours) Programme [B.B.A. LL.B. (H)]

#### **The below table portrays the information and data for all three years**

<b>Academic Year</b>	<b>Course Name, Credits and Contact Hours</b>	<b>Programme &amp; Batch</b>	<b>Number of Students</b>	<b>Faculty name who taught the course</b>
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2022-2023	EU Environmental Law (Elective Course)  Credits / ECTS – 2  Contact Hours - 30	B.A.LL.B. (H) & B.B.A.LL.B. (H)  Batch 2022-2027 in Semester 2 took this course as a Value-Add Course	376	Dr. Shashikala Gurpur Dr. Sujata Arya Dr. Vivek Nemane Dr. Raj Varma Dr. Rupal Rautdesai Mr. Abhinav Shrivastava
	Climate Justice, Law, Policy and Governance with focus on EU and Asia (India, China and ASEAN) (Elective Course) [Named as Comparative Climate Justice in Programme Structure]  Credits / ECTS – 2  Contact Hours - 30	B.A.LL.B. (H) & B.B.A.LL.B. (H)  Batch of 2019-2024 in Semester 7 – took as a regular elective course	15	Dr. Shashikala Gurpur Dr. Dhanaji Jadhav Dr. Sujata Arya Dr. Vivek Nemane
2023-2024	EU Environmental Law (Elective Course)  Credits / ECTS – 2  Contact Hours - 30	B.A.LL.B. (H) & B.B.A.LL.B. (H)  Batch 2023-2028 in Semester 2 took this course as a Value-Add Course	349	Dr. Shashikala Gurpur Dr. Sujata Arya Mr. Abhinav Shrivastava Mr. Ujal Mukherjee Mr. Virendra Thakur
	Climate Justice, Law, Policy and Governance with focus on EU and Asia (India, China and ASEAN) (Elective Course) [Named as Comparative Climate Justice in Programme Structure]  Credits / ECTS – 2  Contact Hours - 30	B.A. LL.B. (H), B.B.A.LL.B. (H) and LL.B.  Students across various batches took this course by choice as a value-add course.	49	Dr. Shashikala Gurpur Dr. Sujata Arya and Dr. Vivek Nemane Mr. Abhinav Shrivastava

2024-2025	EU Environmental Law (Elective Course)  Credits / ECTS – 2  Contact Hours - 30	LL.B.  Batch 2024-2027 in Semester 1 took this course as a Value-Add Course	69	Dr. Shashikala Gurpur Dr. Sujata Arya Mr. Abhinav Shrivastava
	Climate Justice, Law, Policy and Governance with focus on EU and Asia (India, China and ASEAN) (Elective Course) [Named as Comparative Climate Justice in Programme Structure]  Credits / ECTS – 2  Contact Hours - 30	LL.B.  Batch 2024-2027 in Semester 1 took this course as a Value-Add Course	69	Dr. Shashikala Gurpur Dr. Sujata Arya Mr. Abhinav Shrivastava
<b>Total number of Students trained in UG</b>			<b>927</b>	

Each academic year the Jean Monnet Chair Professor Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, engaged in 28 sessions in the two courses and the remaining 32 sessions were engaged by experienced co-faculty members from Symbiosis Law School, Pune.

#### d) Teaching Activity 2 (for three years) for Postgraduate Students

Teaching activity 2 was planned and carried out successfully for the postgraduate students who were pursuing their one-year Master of Laws (LL.M.) programme at Symbiosis Law School Pune during the three-year period.

Academic Year	Course Name, Credits and Contact Hours	Programme & Batch	Number of Students	Faculty name who taught the course
2022-2023	EU Environmental Law (Elective Course)  Credits / ECTS – 2  Contact Hours - 30	LL.M. (Specialization - European Union Law and International Law) Batch 2022-2023 in Semester 2 took this course as a Value-Add Course	17	Dr. Shashikala Gurpur Dr. Sujata Arya Dr. Vivek Nemane Dr. Raj Varma Dr. Rupal Rautdesai Mr. Abhinav Shrivastava

	Climate Justice, Law, Policy and Governance with focus on EU and Asia (India, China and ASEAN) (Elective Course) [Named as Comparative Climate Justice in Programme Structure]  Credits / ECTS – 2  Contact Hours - 30	LL.M. (Specialization - European Union Law and International Law) Batch 2022-2023 in Semester 2 took this course as a Value-Add Course	17	Dr. Shashikala Gurpur Dr. Sujata Arya Dr. Vivek Nemane Dr. Raj Varma Dr. Rupal Rautdesai Mr. Abhinav Shrivastava
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	Climate Justice, Law, Policy and Governance with focus on EU and Asia (India, China and ASEAN) (Elective Course) [Named as Comparative Climate Justice in Programme Structure]  Credits / ECTS – 2  Contact Hours - 30	LL.M. (across 8 specializations)  Batch 2023-2024 in Semester 2 took this course by choice as a value-add course.	18	Dr. Shashikala Gurpur Dr. Sujata Arya Dr. Vivek Nemane Dr. Raj Varma Dr. Rupal Rautdesai Mr. Abhinav Shrivastava
2024-2025	EU Environmental Law (Elective Course)  Credits / ECTS – 2	LL.M. (Specialization - European Union Law and International Law)	9	Dr. Shashikala Gurpur Dr. Aparajita Mohanty Dr. Sujata Arya Mr. Abhinav Shrivastava

	Contact Hours - 30	Batch 2024-2025 in Semester 1 took this course as a Value-Add Course		
	Climate Justice, Law, Policy and Governance with focus on EU and Asia (India, China and ASEAN) (Elective Course) [Named as Comparative Climate Justice in Programme Structure]  Credits / ECTS – 2  Contact Hours - 30	LL.M. (Specialization - European Union Law and International Law)  Batch of 2024-2025 in their Semester 1 took this course as a Value-Add Course	9	Dr. Shashikala Gurpur Dr. Sujata Arya Dr. Vivek Nemane Mr. Ujal Mukherjee
<b>Total number of Students trained in PG</b>			<b>78</b>	

In each of the academic years for the postgraduate LL.M. students the JM Chair Professor Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, engaged a total of 28 sessions in the two courses and the remaining 32 sessions were engaged by experienced co-faculty members from Symbiosis Law School, Pune.

#### e) Teaching Activity 3 (for three years) Online and Offline Certificate Programme

A specially planned, designed and accredited certificate programme under the JM Chair EUC-LAMP titled “Certificate Programme in European Union Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy” consisting of 10 modules of total 10 credits/ECTS was offered online as well in offline mode, to all the 7 faculties of SIU with 30+ institutes and across India, to students and professionals from any discipline, as this subject was multidisciplinary.

The certificate programme was promoted at the University Level through emails to all Directors of Institutes and Deans of various faculty. The certificate programme was also disseminated throughout India through the law teachers’ network, and emails to the heads of various Science, Technology, Management and Law institutes. Further, the detailed information with brochures were published on well-known platforms for law students and professionals such as Lawctopus, Livelaw and Bar and Bench in India for wider outreach and make the certificate programme accessible to those who would not be able to find such opportunities in India. Social media such as Whatsapp Groups have been used to promote and reach out to the different institutions in India.



## SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL, PUNE

Launches

### Certificate Programme

On

### European Union Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy

Under

### Jean Monnet Chair, SIU (EUC - LAMP Co-funded by EU)



Brochure of Certificate Programme designed and disseminated in Academic Year 2022-2023

#### Course Overview

10 Credit Course (150 hours) will be offered in 30% Online and 70% Offline mode

1. Principles and Foundations of EU Law
2. Green philosophy and Ethics (including green lifestyle, food security, precautionary principle, sustainability)
3. Climate Justice, Law, Policy and Governance with focus on EU and Asia (India, China and ASEAN)
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9. Waste Management Policy and Law (including Hazardous Waste Management)

Course Duration: 20<sup>th</sup> February - 20<sup>th</sup> May 2023

Last Date of Registration is 10<sup>th</sup> February 2023



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Dean of Law, University of Girona (Catalonia, Spain)



**Prof. Dr. iur. Winfried Huck**  
Brunswick European Law School (BELS), Ostfalia University of Applied Sciences, Germany



**Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur**  
Jean Monnet Chair Professor (EUC - LAMP co-funded by EU) Director, SLS Pune Dean, Faculty of Law, SIU



**Prof. Dr. Prakash Rao**  
Deputy Director - SIB Head, Symbiosis Centre for Climate Change and Sustainability, SIU



**Dr. Dimitrios Parashu**  
Research Associate, Leibniz University Hannover, Germany

**Total Intake - 80** (on first come first serve basis)

**Venue:** Symbiosis Law School, Pune

#### Highlights

- Comparative
- International and Interdisciplinary
- Faculty from European Universities
- SLS Pune top law school excellence
- Synergy with global-local stakeholders

**Course Fee: Rs.7500/-**

**Time:** 4:30 PM - 6:30 PM

#### Payment Details

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Launches  
Certificate Programme

On  
**European Union Climate Justice Law, Governance,  
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Under  
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Brochure of  
Certificate  
Programme  
designed and  
disseminated in  
Academic Year  
2023-2024

To increase the number of registrations from the second year, it was thought that more information to the readers of the brochure would give better insights to the benefits of the certificate programme and thus the brochure was made more detailed and disseminated through various social media platforms. The brochure designed and disseminated for the certificate programme for the third academic year consisted of four pages the collage of the same is given below.



**SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL, PUNE**  
CARE | COURAGE | COMPETENCE | COLLABORATION



**Jean Monnet Chair**  
**EU Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management & Policy (EUC-LAMP)**

*Cordially invite you to*

**Certificate Programme**  
**European Union Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy**

**Last Batch under the EU JM Chair Certification**

**Course Duration**  
16<sup>th</sup> Sep 2024 - 26<sup>th</sup> Oct 2024



**Benefits**  
Employment advantage  
Career advancement  
Foundation to higher studies  
Interaction with globally renowned experts

**SYMBIOSIS INTERNATIONAL (DEEMED UNIVERSITY)**



**About Symbiosis Law School, Pune**  
Symbiosis Law School, Pune is a constituent of Symbiosis International (Deemed University) and has been consistently ranked in the top 10 law schools of the country by National Ranking Agency NIRF of Government of India. It is the top most private law school in India. Bar Council has conferred SLS Pune with the gold star award in 2013. It is also conferred with the honour of being a core partner in the global network of legal institutes, the Erasmus Mundus, DAAD (German Academic Exchange Service) a grant for bilateral faculty student exchange with Leibniz University of Hannover, Brunwick European Law School of Osnabruck, University of Applied Sciences, Germany. SLS Pune is a member of International Association of Law Schools (IALS), USA and Asian Law Institute, Singapore.

Established in 1977, SLS Pune in a journey of 47 years has achieved various milestones in teaching, learning and research. SLS Pune imparts high quality education through its various programmes such as B.A.LL.B (Hons), B.B.A.LL.B (Hons), Three years LL.B, Master of Laws (LL.M), different diploma and certificate programmes. Symbiosis Law School, Pune has been able to create an impact in society through our research and various community extension activities. We also have national and international collaborations with various organisations which aid in sharing knowledge, values and best practices.



**About Jean Monnet Chair**  
In the year 2022, Symbiosis International (Deemed University) Pune was awarded with Jean Monnet Chair on European Union Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy (EUC-LAMP) (Co-funded by the EU) and Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur Fulbright Scholar, Director, Symbiosis Law School, Pune, Dean, Faculty of Law, SIU is conferred with the honour to hold the Chair as its Chair Professor.

The chair promotes EU's efforts and policies in climate change mitigation as a model for other countries that seek to develop a sustainable lifestyle and eco-system thereby creating an impact in society through its contribution. In furthering this objective the Chair has organised out teaching activities for UG and PG students, training and capacity building programmes for various stakeholders and various side events for research and seminars on climate change.

**Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur**  
Fulbright Scholar  
Professor & Director, Symbiosis Law School, Pune.  
Dean, Faculty of Law, SIU  
JM Chair (EUC-LAMP) (Co-funded by EU)

**About Certificate Programme**  
The certificate programme in European Union Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy has been developed under the JM Chair of SIU (EUC-LAMP) in order to cater to global practice and popular demand by Indian students and faculty who would like to specialize in EU Law especially in climate justice. This course is specifically curated to provide for a multidisciplinary approach to ensure a comprehensive understanding of the intersections between legal, environmental, and socio-economic perspectives. This course will provide in-depth knowledge of EU and Indian Law and practice in various areas relating to climate change law which is highly relevant for practice and research.

The certificate programme will enhance employability in the following fields: climate research, climate impact assessment, climate change and sustainability, climate risk, climate justice, climate advocacy, climate finance, climate law, renewable resources, climate data analysis, value chain modelling, green product designing, green energy, sustainable financing and natural resource management, climate change modelling, policy and governance.

**International Faculty Teaching the Certificate Programme**

 <b>Dr. Dhaniraj Parashu</b> Research Associate, Leibniz University, Hannover, Germany Distinguished Visiting Professor, Symbiosis Law School, Pune, SIU	 <b>Dr. Himangana Gupta</b> Research Fellow and Academic Associate, United Nations University Institute for Advanced Study of Sustainability	 <b>Dr. Shashikala Gurpur</b> Fulbright Scholar Professor & Director, Symbiosis Law School, Pune, Dean, Faculty of Law, SIU JM Chair (EUC-LAMP) (Co-funded by EU)	 <b>Dr. Prakash Rao</b> Prof. & Dy. Director, Symbiosis Institute of International Business Head, Symbiosis Centre for Climate Change and Sustainability	 <b>Dr. Manikpraghu Dhanorkar</b> Professor & Head, Symbiosis Centre for Waste Resource Management, SIU
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**Course Overview**  
[10 credits: 150 hours of learning (including sessions, field visits and activities)]

**Topics**

1. Principles and Foundations of EU Law
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**Who can Register**

- UG or PG student from any discipline
- Professionals / Teachers / Faculty members
- Researchers from any discipline
- NGOs involved in Environment and Climate action
- Advocates, Policy researchers etc.

**Important details about the Course**

**Duration of Course:** 16<sup>th</sup> September 2024 to 26<sup>th</sup> October 2024  
**Time:** Evening hours  
**Admission Fee:** Rs. 7,500/-  
**Mode:** Hybrid (Online- Zoom- for Non Symbiosis Law School, Students participants and Physically at Symbiosis Law School, Pune participants)  
**Total Seats:** 80 (First Come First Serve Basis)

**How to Register?**

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- Fill in the Registration form at <https://forms.gle/turhtlbg6KUCARG>
- You will receive confirmation in 2-3 business days
- **Last Date of Registration is 11<sup>th</sup> September 2024**



**Contact**  
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Brochure (consisting 4 pages) of certificate programme disseminated in AY 2024-2025

The table below provides the module names, contact hours and the faculty names who taught the certificate programme over the three academic years:

<b>Modules in the Certificate Programme</b>	<b>Contact Hours</b>	<b>Faculty/ Guest Faculty name who taught the modules</b>
Principles and Foundations of EU Law	15	<u>Faculty from Symbiosis Law School, Pune who taught the course</u>
Green philosophy and Ethics (including green lifestyle, food security, precautionary principle, sustainability)	15	Dr. Shashikala Gurpur
Climate Justice, Law, Policy and Governance with focus on EU and Asia (India, China and ASEAN)	30	Dr. Aparajita Mohanty Dr. Sujata Arya Dr. Rupal Rautdesai
EU and India Energy Law (Including Energy Audit, carbon credits and trading)	15	<u>Faculty from Symbiosis</u>
Clean Air Law in Europe and Asia	15	<u>International University from other institutes and research centers who taught the course</u>
Climate Change and Global Sustainability (Including Mitigation, Adaptation, Indigenous People and Resilience, biodiversity)	15	Dr. Prakash Rao Dr. Yogesh Patil
Green Compliances for Businesses Industries (including green businesses, green markets)	15	Dr. Om Prakash Dr. T. P. Singh Dr. Manikprabhu Dhanorkar
Science, Technology, Innovation and Business Practices relating to climate change	15	<u>Indian Guest Faculty who taught the course</u>
Waste Management Policy and Law (including Hazardous Waste Management)	5	Dr. Sairam Bhat Dr. Saravanan A Dr. T R Subramanya
Project relating to Climate Change	10	<u>International Guest Faculty who taught the course</u> Dr. Albert Ruda Dr. Dimitrios Parashu Dr. Himangana Gupta

Table: Number of Students who enrolled each year in the certificate programme

Year 1 – Academic year 2022-2023	39
Year 2 – Academic year 2023-2024	11
Year 3 – Academic year 2024-2025	18
<b>Total number of students trained</b>	<b>68</b>

Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, the JM Chair Professor, conducted a total of 57 teaching learning sessions for the certificate programme each year.

Different pedagogical methods were used to deliver the sessions of the certificate programme such as field visits, seminars, case analysis, workshops, group discussions, research conference, research writing and collaborative online international learning (COIL).

f) Pedagogy used in teaching Activities



Dr. Shashikala Gurpur conducting JM Chair EUC-LAMP **Seminar Session** on History of EU



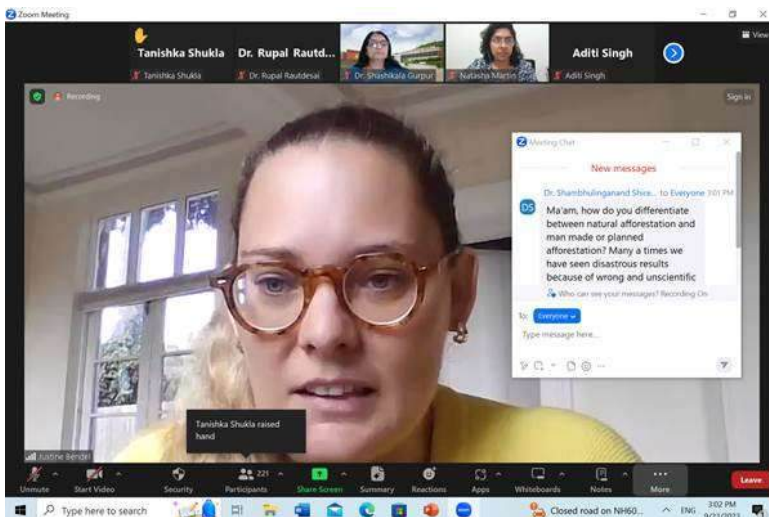
**Laboratory Visit to understand scientific solutions being researched for mitigating or adapting to climate change**



**Practical learning by Students Field Visit to the Waste Treatment Plant at SIU**



**Tree Plantation drive (left photo) and taking oath for protection of Environment (right photo) on the occasion of International Mother earth day – building values among students**



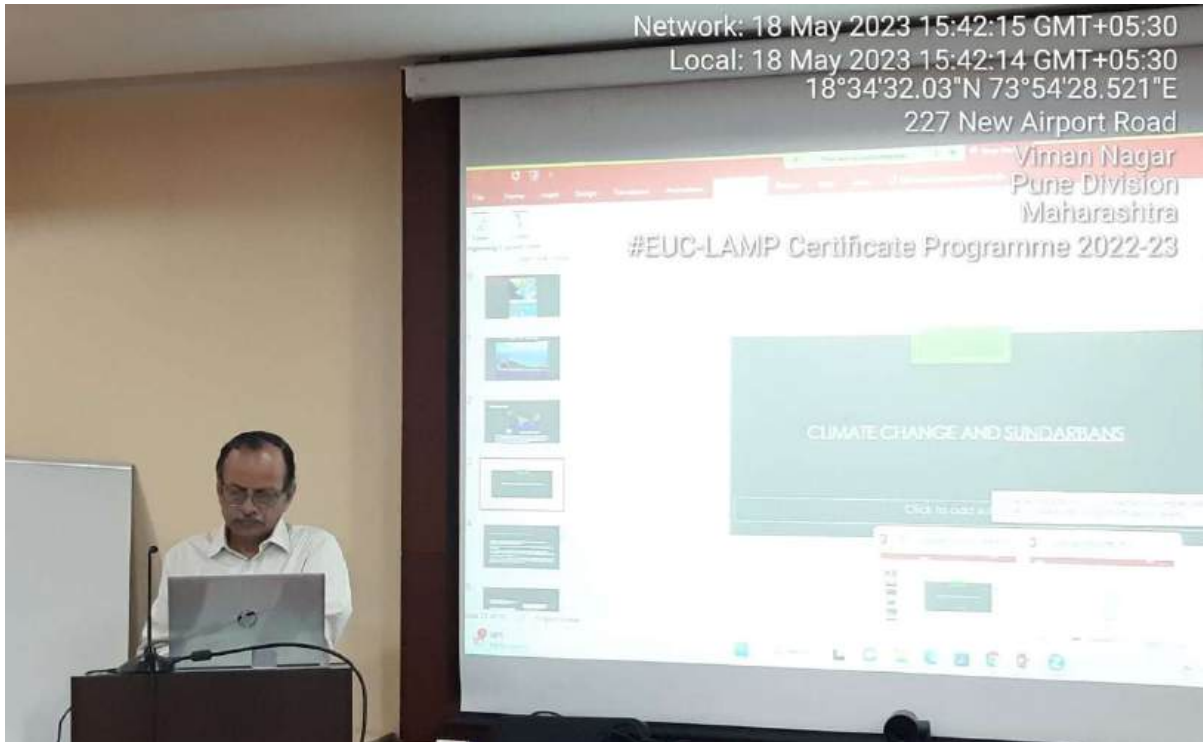
**Online programmes from European Experts – Dr. Justine Bendel delivering JM Distinguished Speaker Programme**



**Community Awareness Drives by JM Chair in collaboration with ECOCON Cell and Community Legal Care and Literary Cell (CLCL Cell)**



**Creative and Collaborative Problem Solving Exercise through Workshops**



**Multidisciplinary learning** - Dr. Prakash Rao, Head -Symbiosis Centre for Climate Change and Sustainability (SCCCS) conducting **expert session and discussion** on Climate Change and ecosystem impacts



**Multidisciplinary learning** - Dr. T P Singh, Director, Symbiosis Institute of Geo-informatics, conducting **expert session and discussion** on Geo informatics and Climate Change Mitigation and Adaptation



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Maharashtra  
#EUC-LAMP Certificate Programme 2022-23

Dr. Om Prakash, Dy. Head -Symbiosis Centre for Climate Change and Sustainability (SCCS) conducting **expert session and discussion** on Climate Change



**Student making research paper presentation in Research Conference SYMROLIC 2024**

**General Overview:**

- The European Green Deal set the blueprint for a transformational change:
- All 27 EU Member States committed to turning the EU into the first climate neutral continent by 2050.
- To get there, they pledged to reduce emissions by at least 55% by 2030, compared to 1990 levels.

**Online sessions by Dr Dimitros Parashu, Faculty of Law, Gottfried Wilhelm Leibniz University Hannover, Elements of Clean Air Law in the EU**

### Environmental Ethics

- Environmental ethics is a field that explores the ethical relationship between humans and the natural environment. While philosophers have addressed this topic throughout history, it only became a distinct philosophical discipline in the 1970s. This emergence was largely driven by the growing awareness in the 1960s of the environmental impacts of technology, industrialization, economic growth, and population expansion.
- This heightened awareness was significantly influenced by the publication of two key books. Rachel Carson's "Silent Spring" (1962) alerted the public to the dangers posed by the widespread use of chemical pesticides, highlighting their severe threats to public health and their destructive impact on wildlife. Similarly, Paul Ehrlich's "The Population Bomb" (1968) warned of the catastrophic consequences of rapid population growth on the planet's resources.

CCP-LAW | Curricula development on Climate Change Policy and Law  
Project No of Reference: 618874-EPF-1-2020-1-VN-EPF02-CB-IE-IP

Co-funded by the Erasmus+ Programme of the European Union

**Online sessions by Dr. Albert Ruda, Associate Professor in Private Law at the Universitat de Girona (Spain) conducted sessions on Green Philosophy and Ethics**

## EU CBAM

- ▶ Regulation (EU) 2023/956 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 10 May 2023 establishing a carbon border adjustment mechanism
- ▶ EU importers buy carbon certificates corresponding to the carbon price that would have been paid, had the production taken place in the EU
- ▶ when the carbon price of production has already been paid in a third country, the EU importer can deduct the corresponding cost
- ▶ CBAM certificates – mirror EU ETS allowance price (average weekly price of EU ETS allowance)
- ▶ phasing out of free EU ETS emission allowances from 2026 until 2035 (10% annually)  
(€98.5 billion was lost to free allocation between 2013 and 2021)
- ▶ projected to generate **€9.1bn** per year by 2030, €2.1 billion of which will be collected at the border, with the rest accruing to Member States from the gradual phasing-out of free allowances to EU producers.
- ▶ The payments for CBAM certificates in 2027 will be collected by Member States, and only in 2028 75% of those revenues will be transferred to the EU budget, while the rest of revenues (25%) will be kept by the Member States for themselves, on an annual basis.
- ▶ Pros/cons of this legislative solution?

**Guest session on “Climate Change and Global Sustainability” under the JM Transnational Climate Justice Project (based on pedagogy of COIL) by Dr. Melita Carević, Associate Professor, Faculty of Law, University of Zagreb**

Community (or European Union) law > sources of law

Primary law

Secondary law

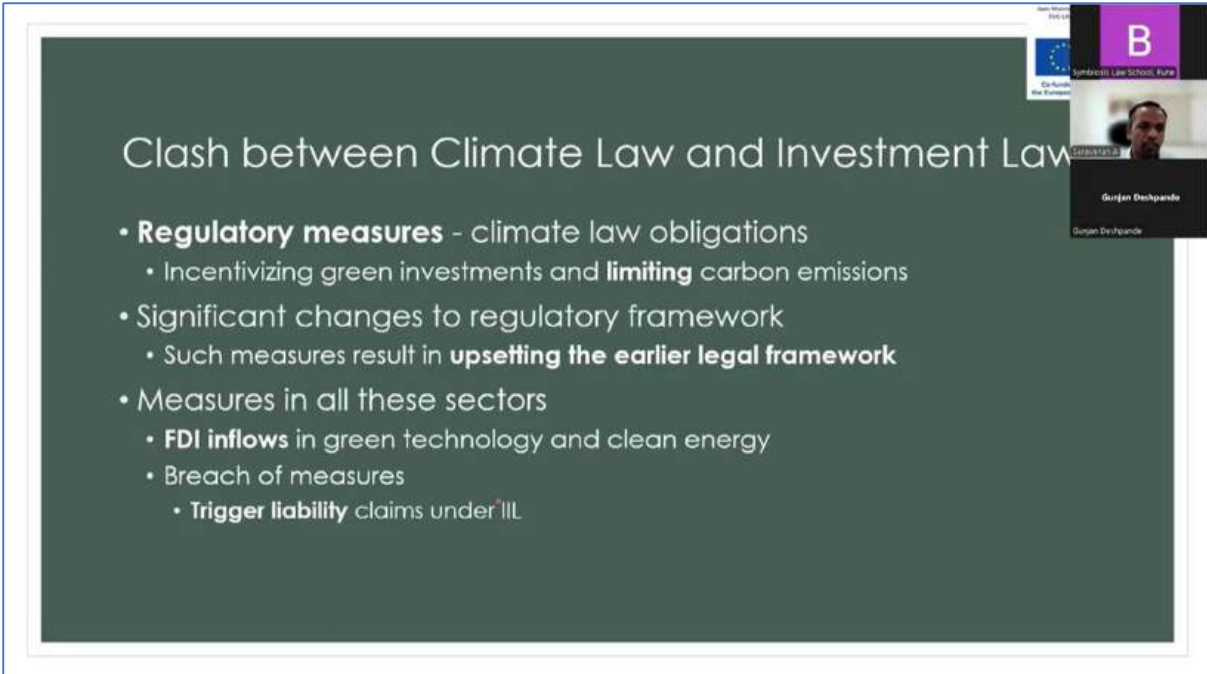
Primary law > hierarchical supremacy:

- EEC, EC, EU founding treaties
- Amending acts
- Principles of unwritten law > judgments of the EU Court of Justice

**Guest session on “Climate Justice Living Law” by Dr. Nicola Gullo, Professor, Department of Law of the University of Palermo, who is heading the Erasmus+ KA2 project CLIMATE JUSTICE LIVING LAB co-funded by the EU**

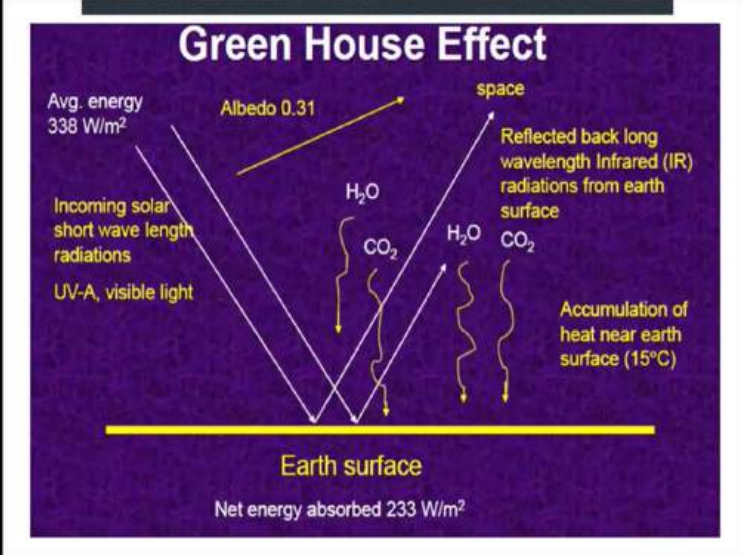
Clash between Climate Law and Investment Law

- **Regulatory measures** - climate law obligations
  - Incentivizing green investments and **limiting** carbon emissions
- Significant changes to regulatory framework
  - Such measures result in **upsetting the earlier legal framework**
- Measures in all these sectors
  - **FDI inflows** in green technology and clean energy
  - Breach of measures
    - **Trigger liability** claims under IIL




**Online sessions on Climate Change and International Investment Law: Challenges and Opportunities by Prof. Sarvanan A, Assistant Professor: Strategy, IIM Ahmedabad**

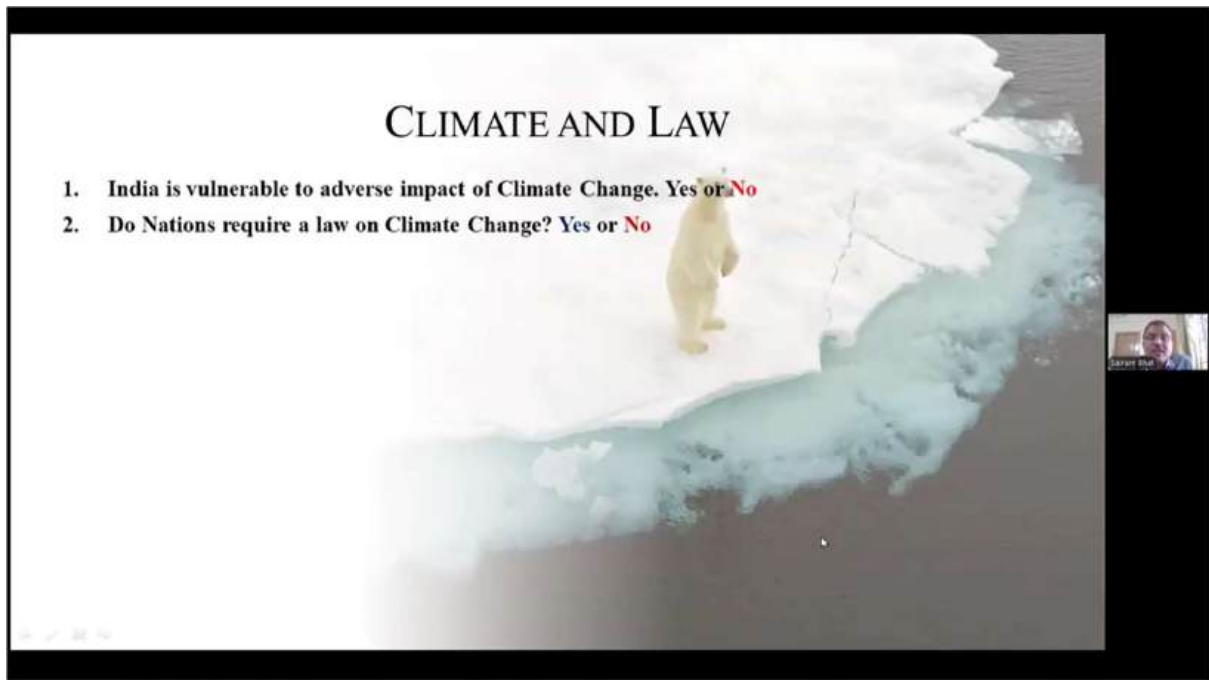
**Green House Effect**



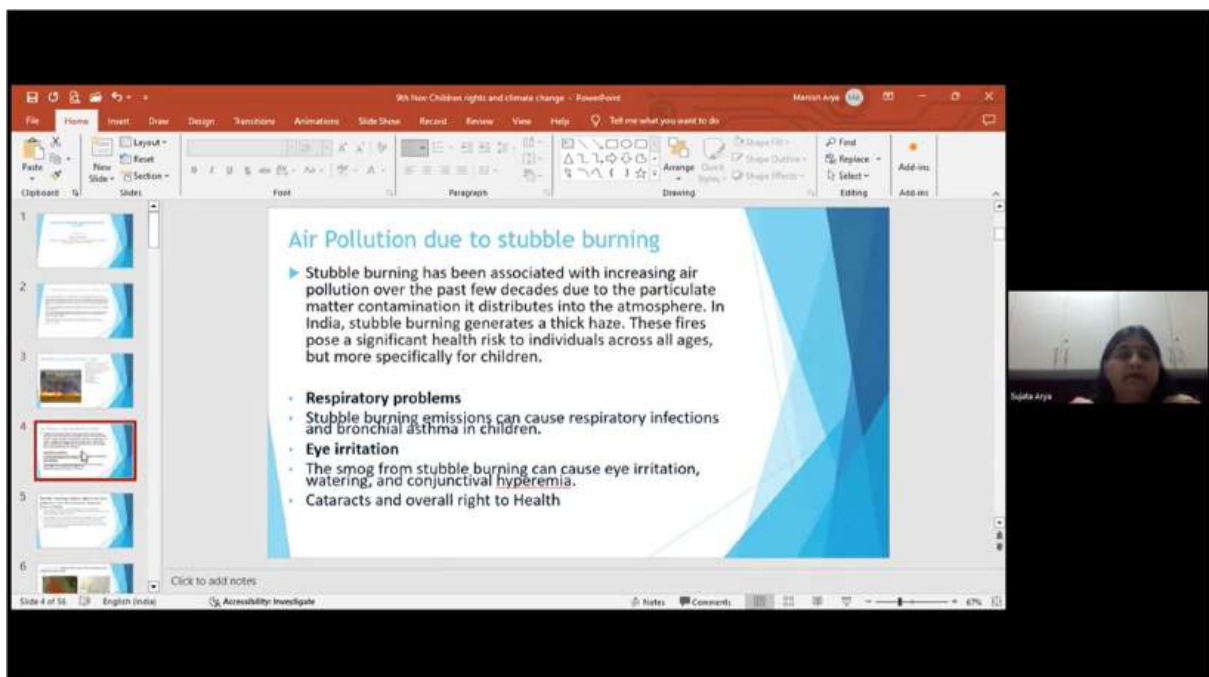
The diagram illustrates the Green House Effect. It shows incoming solar short wave length radiations (UV-A, visible light) with an average energy of 338 W/m<sup>2</sup>. An albedo of 0.31 is shown as a reflected ray. The Earth's surface absorbs the remaining energy, resulting in a net energy absorbed of 233 W/m<sup>2</sup>. The Earth's surface then emits long wavelength Infrared (IR) radiations. Greenhouse gases (H<sub>2</sub>O and CO<sub>2</sub>) in the atmosphere reflect some of this IR radiation back to the Earth's surface, leading to an accumulation of heat near the Earth's surface, which is noted as 15°C. The diagram also shows some IR radiation being reflected back to space.



**Dr. Yogesh Patil, Professor (Environmental Management) & Head, Research and Publications, Symbiosis Centre for Research and Innovation, SIU took sessions on Green Technological Strategies for Climate Change Mitigation Through Bioremediation and Waste Resource Recovery Pathway**



**Online sessions on Climate Law and Disaster Management by Dr. Sairam Bhat, Professor of Law, National Law School of India University Bengaluru**



**Sessions conducted by Assistant Professor, Symbiosis Law School, Pune on Children Rights and Climate Change**

### III. Training Activities

Important contribution for long term impact of the Jean Monnet Chair project was the organization of training the trainers programmes for the purpose of building capacity among teachers, NGOs, advocacy groups mainly youth, industry and government officials, with the objective to cascade the training through the trainers to the most grass root level in the urban as well as rural community.

The Jean Monnet Chair Professor - Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, Director of Symbiosis Law School, Pune, Symbiosis International (Deemed University) [SIU] along with invited trainer experts carried out two successful training programmes:

- 1. Training the Trainers Programme** on Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy – organized on 20<sup>th</sup> January 2024 at Symbiosis Law School, Pune (Hybrid Training – Physical presence of participants plus online participation) – **115 participants were trained from 28 different organizations/institutions**
- 2. Executive Workshop on Climate Justice: Advancing SDG and ESG through Impactful CSR Proposal** – organized on 15<sup>th</sup> July 2024 at Symbiosis Law School, Pune carried out in association with ExploreiT & The Climate Reality Project India & South Asia – **108 participants were trained from 39 different organizations/institutions**

This section of the final activity report presents the following in regard to each of the aforesaid training programmes:

- a) Objectives of the training programme
- b) Brochure cum invitation card
- c) Schedule / Table programme
- d) Sample Invitation sent to the Trainers
- e) Sample Invitation letter sent to the trainees/Stakeholders
- f) List of participants (anonymized)
- g) Pre-press release
- h) Press release after the event and press media coverage
- i) Training Manual / Training material
- j) Certificate Sample given to Trainers as well as Trainees
- k) Photos of the programme
- l) Impact of the programme

Each of these training programmes saw scholarly and brilliant trainers and a diverse group of participants that too from various organizations including NGOs, corporates, teachers, students, and community workers.

## 1. Training the Trainer Programme on Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy – 20th January 2024

One of the biggest relevance of the Jean Monnet Chair is the ability to influence and shape a large cohort of young students from SIU which has eight faculties ranging from Management, Telecom, Engineering, Media, International Business, Design, apart from Law who opt for careers ranging from public service, entrepreneurship, business and industry engagement to policy, law, judiciary and government. The Chair also aims to indirectly impact the community at large by way of dissemination and training programmes to students of other universities and participation of youth from rural and urban spaces.

Recognizing the importance of climate change and its impact in various aspects like food security, energy security, water security, health, migration and conflict, the central and state governments in India have made climate change a focal area.

The chair wished to discuss EU's efforts and policies in climate change mitigation as a model for other countries, especially for India to seek and develop a sustainable lifestyle and ecosystem thereby promoting the role of the EU in a globalized world.

Thus, the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP was able to train 115 participants from diverse organizations and background in the training the trainer programme on Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy on 20<sup>th</sup> January 2024. The list of participants is provided further in the report at point (f) of this section.

### a) Objectives of the training the trainer programme

The specific objectives of the training the trainer were:

1. To reach out to wider community of youth, i.e. students, academics, NGO, policy makers, think tanks, industry leaders, the youth of urban, semi-urban and rural communities with regard to imparting ethics, laws, policies, compliances, media advocacy and management practices for ensuring a sustainable and climate friendly future.
2. To ensure adherence to sustainable lifestyle heralding the mechanism of ethical compliances and applications of the best practices inherited from the EU experience and adapted to the Indian context thereby ensuring climate justice.
3. To equip participants with requisite knowledge and skills that will enable them to implement a climate change education, dissemination, developing niche courses and undertaking practical measures for climate change mitigation.
4. To enhance opportunities for professional networking, teaching and research linkages amongst legal professionals engaged in climate change education.
5. To develop training manual/kit in English as well as in vernacular language Hindi for the participants that would become an essential foundation for environmental stakeholders, think tanks, researchers, academicians, field workers and students to understand best practices (especially of EU) in climate justice education.

b) Brochure cum invitation card

**JEAN MONNET CHAIR**  
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**Golden Jubilee**  
Celebrating 50 Years of Excellence

**Jean Monnet Chair**  
**EU Climate Justice Law, Governance,  
Management & Policy (EUC-LAMP)**

*Cordially invite you to*  
**Training the Trainer Programme**  
*on*  
**Climate Justice, Law, Governance,  
Management and Policy**

**Date & Day: 20<sup>th</sup> January, 2024 (Saturday)**  
**Time: 9.30 am – 5.30 pm (IST)**

**Sessions and activities include**  
Practicum on Environmental Hearing  
Media Campaign and para legal dimensions of climate justice  
Management Perspectives for a sustainable and climate friendly future  
Best Practices on Waste segregation

**Register for Free <https://forms.gle/FQLf7mAL2zhaj38T7>**  
**Receive Certificate of Participation upon successful completion**  
**Last Date of Registration – 19<sup>th</sup> Jan 2024 (5 pm)**

## c) Schedule / Table programme



**Symbiosis Law School, Pune**  
 (A Constituent of Symbiosis International Deemed University, Pune)  
 CARE | COURAGE | COMPETENCE | COLLABORATION

**Jean Monnet Chair (EUC-LAMP)**  
**Training the Trainers Programme on**  
**Climate Justice, Law, Governance, Management and Policy**

**Table Programme**

**Date: January 20th, 2024**

***Breakfast*** – 9.30 am to 10.00 am (Outside VIP Lounge area, Ground Floor, SLS Pune)

10:00 am to 10:05 am	Introduction to the training programme and introduction to JM Chair Professor	Lasya Vyakaranam, Assistant Professor, Symbiosis Law School, Pune
10:05 am to 10:10 am	Lighting of the Lamp	Dr. Shashikala Gurpur
10:10 am to 10:15 am	Welcome Address	Prof. (Dr.) Shashikala Gurpur Director, Symbiosis Law School, Pune, Dean, Faculty of Law, Jean Monnet Chair Professor, Symbiosis International (Deemed University) (SIU)
10:15 am to 10:30 am	Ice Breaking Session	Trainees (to write their name, current profession, number of years of experience, and expectations from the training on the post-it and then paste them on the board)
10:30 am to 11:15 am	Primer with Examples – Climate Justice Law, Policy and Governance in India and EU	Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur
11:15 am to 11:45 pm	<b>Activity 1</b> – Groups & Sketching	Trainees

11:45 am to 12:15 pm	Session on Practicum Environmental Hearing (reading EIA Report and participating in Hearing)	Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur
12:15 pm to 1:00 pm	<b>Activity 2</b> – Simulation of an EIA hearing (Frame questions, Act as parties and Role Play)	Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur
1:00 pm – 1:30 pm	Session on Environmental and Climate Change Issues (including how to design and execute Media Campaign; Movements, campaigns and case studies of NGOs)	Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur
1:30 pm to 2:15 pm	<b>Lunch Break</b>	
2:15 pm to 2:45 pm	Activity 3 – Preparing a Plan for a NGO and Campaign  Media Campaign	Trainees (to ideate in groups and write a plan – Name of NGO; Looks; Plan a campaign on any issue relating to Climate or Envnt.)  (Identify news item, Develop Press Release & develop News Story) (Virtual Field Visit going to Police and Court)
2:45 pm to 3:00 pm	Paralegal Dimensions	
3:00 pm to 4.00 pm	Climate change and sustainability - management perspectives in building a climate resilient future	Dr. Prakash Rao Dy. Director and Head - Energy & Environment Dept. at Symbiosis Institute of International Business (SIIB), Head, Centre for Climate Change and Sustainability, SIU.
4:00 pm to 4:45 pm	How to start a movement for environmental issues	Mr. Claude Alvares Director, Goa Foundation Editor, Other India Press
4:45 pm to 5:15 pm	Session on Best Practices of Waste segregation	Dr. Manikprabhu Dhanorkar, Associate Professor and Deputy Head, Symbiosis Centre for Waste Resource Management, Symbiosis International (Deemed University), Pune.
5:15 pm to 5:30 pm	Debriefing and home work to train others and share video	Vision Sharing by Participants
5:30 pm to 5.35 pm	Vote of thanks	Lasya Vyakaranam

**High Tea** – 5:35 pm to 6:00 pm (Outside VIP Lounge area, Ground Floor, SLS Pune)

#### d) Sample Invitation sent to the Trainers



### Invitation to be a Resource Person in Training the Trainer Programme on Climate Justice, Law, Governance, Management and Policy under the JM Chair EUC-LAMP

Director SLS <[REDACTED]> Mon, Jan 8, 2024 at 3:46 PM  
To: Prakash Rao <[REDACTED]>  
Cc: A mohanty <[REDACTED]>, Kshitij Naikade <[REDACTED]>, Dr Rupal Rautdesai <[REDACTED]>, trupti rathi <[REDACTED]>, Richa Dwivedi <[REDACTED]>, KARTHIAYANI A <[REDACTED]>

Dear Dr. Prakash Rao,

Greetings from Symbiosis Law School, Pune.

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The Training the Trainers Programme is scheduled on **20<sup>th</sup> January 2024 from 9.30 AM to 5.30 PM** at Symbiosis Law School, Pune (Venue: PDCLE Hall, First Floor)

In light of your expertise, we would like to invite you to conduct a training session for the participants on ***Management Perspectives for a sustainable and climate-friendly future***. **We further request you to kindly provide some training material for your session which can be shared with the participants in English and Hindi language. Hindi translation would be done by us.** We would acknowledge your participation in the JM training the trainers programme in our periodic reports to the European Commission. Your expertise would immensely enrich the participants and they will greatly benefit from your vast knowledge and experience. We will take care of the honorarium and conveyance.

You are also requested to share the invitation with your contacts who would benefit from the training programme. They may register for the programme at the link given below.

<https://forms.gle/FQLf7mAL2zhaj38T7>

**The last date for registration is 19<sup>th</sup> January 2024.** The participants will receive a certificate of Participation on successful completion of the training.

The Invitation Letter and Invitation Card are attached for reference.

We eagerly look forward to your confirmation and response.

For further queries, you can contact the faculty members Dr. Trupti Rathi (Mob.no. [REDACTED]) and Prof. Richa Dwivedi (Mob.no. [REDACTED])

Thanking You.

Regards,

Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, PhD, Fulbright Scholar  
Director | SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL PUNE  
Dean | Faculty of Law, Symbiosis International (Deemed University)  
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Rank 10 (India's Top 30 LAW Colleges in 2019) | India Top 10 (most online surveys and consistently since 2000)*

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**2 attachments**

**Invitation Letter.pdf**  
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**JM Chair Training Programme Invitation - Brochure (2).pdf**  
308K

e) Sample invitation sent to trainees/Stakeholders



**Re: Invitation to participate in the Training the Trainer Programme on Climate Justice, Law, Governance, Management and Policy under the JM Chair EUC-LAMP**

Director SLS <[redacted]> Mon, Jan 8, 2024 at 3:50 PM  
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In this regard, I am writing to encourage you and members of your organization to enrol and take advantage of this Training Programme The attached invitation card provides detailed information regarding the training Programme.

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#### f) List of participants (Anonymized)

The names of the participants have been anonymized in keeping with the data protection and privacy norms.

<b>Sr. No.</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Organization / Institution</b>
1	Participant 1	G H Rasoni University Amravati
2	Participant 2	School of Law, Christ University
3	Participant 3	G H Rasoni University, Amravati
4	Participant 4	Department of Environmental Science, Fergusson College, Pune
5	Participant 5	Fergusson College, Pune
6	Participant 6	Maulana Abul Kalam Azad University of Technology
7	Participant 7	CMRU School of Legal Studies
8	Participant 8	Fergusson College Pune
9	Participant 9	Fergusson College (Autonomous) Pune
10	Participant 10	Bimal Chandra College of Law
11	Participant 11	The ICAI University
12	Participant 12	Ethel Gordon Junior College of Education
13	Participant 13	Fergusson College, Pune
14	Participant 14	Symbiosis Law School, Hyderabad
15	Participant 15	Fergusson College
16	Participant 16	SMCW & SUHRC
17	Participant 17	Symbiosis Institute of Technology, Nagpur
18	Participant 18	Symbiosis International University, Symbiosis Institute of Technology
19	Participant 19	Symbiosis Law School, Pune
20	Participant 20	Fergusson College (Autonomous) Pune
21	Participant 21	Government Law College Mumbai
22	Participant 22	INNOIPS (Law Firm)
23	Participant 23	Haveli institute of legal studies and research
24	Participant 24	Haveli institute of legal Studies and Research
25	Participant 25	Legal practitioner
26	Participant 26	Symbiosis Law School, Pune
27	Participant 27	School of Law, Lovely Professional University, Punjab
28	Participant 28	Symbiosis Law School, Pune
29	Participant 29	New Law College, Pune
30	Participant 30	ExploreIT Nextgen Solutions (Private Limited Company)
31	Participant 31	SCOPE, Symbiosis International University
32	Participant 32	New Law College, Bharati Vidyapeet Deemed University
33	Participant 33	Symbiosis International Deemed University

<b>Sr. No.</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Organization / Institution</b>
34	Participant 34	Symbiosis Law School, Pune
35	Participant 35	Symbiosis Law School, Pune
36	Participant 36	Kasturi Shikshan Sansthan school of law
37	Participant 37	Jeeva Bhavana (NGO)
38	Participant 38	Symbiosis Law School, Pune
39	Participant 39	New Law College, Bharati Vidyapeet Deemed University
40	Participant 40	Symbiosis Law School, Pune
41	Participant 41	Symbiosis Law School, Pune
42	Participant 42	Punarbharan Foundation (Private Company)
43	Participant 43	Symbiosis Law School Pune
44	Participant 44	Samuchit Enviro Tech (Social Green Enterprise)
45	Participant 45	Symbiosis Law School, Pune
46	Participant 46	Sarva Seva Sang (NGO)
47	Participant 47	Symbiosis Law School, Pune
48	Participant 48	Symbiosis Law School, Pune
49	Participant 49	Symbiosis Institute of Operations Management
50	Participant 50	Symbiosis Law School, Pune
51	Participant 51	Symbiosis Law School, Pune
52	Participant 52	Symbiosis Law School, Pune
53	Participant 53	Symbiosis Law School, Pune
54	Participant 54	Symbiosis Law School, Pune
55	Participant 55	Environmentalist
56	Participant 56	Symbiosis Law School, Pune
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## g) Pre-press release



### **PRE-PRESS INFORMATION NOTE**

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The Training the Trainers Programme will take place at Symbiosis Law School, Pune (Venue: Moot Court Hall, Second Floor)

The sessions and themes focus on values, ethics, knowledge, skills on law, policy and management related to climate justice and include:

- Practicum on Environmental Hearing

- Media Campaign, advocacy, lifestyle, values and para legal dimensions of climate justice
- Management Perspectives for a sustainable and climate friendly future
- Best Practices on Waste Management

The objectives are:

1. To reach out to wider community of youth, i.e. students, academics, NGO, policy makers, think tanks, industry leaders, the youth of urban, semi-urban and rural communities.
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3. To enable participants with requisite knowledge and skills that will enable them to implement a climate change education, dissemination, developing niche courses and undertaking practical measures for climate change mitigation.
4. This Training the Trainers programme, and the use of the training manual, will provide an essential foundation and networking opportunity for environmental stakeholders, think tanks, researchers, academicians, field workers and students to understand best practices in climate justice education.

For the training the trainers programme, Training manual with standard template has been prepared both in English and vernacular language (Hindi) so as to ensure its wider reach. The study material and the tool kit will be later made will be made accessible to all including the differently abled.

#### h) Press release after the event and press media coverage

The Press report of the training the trainer programme was published on the institute website at the following webpage maintained for the Jean Monnet Chair activities: [https://www.symlaw.ac.in/assets/images/jm\\_chair/Report\\_training\\_the\\_trainer\\_programme.pdf](https://www.symlaw.ac.in/assets/images/jm_chair/Report_training_the_trainer_programme.pdf)

**Further the press report was also published in the leading online news media in ANI News, The Print, and Latestly. The reports are available at**

<https://www.aninews.in/news/business/business/symbiosis-law-school-pune-achieves-milestone-with-jean-monnet-chair-on-eu-climate-justice-law-hosts-successful-training-the-trainers-programme20240123175926/>

<https://theprint.in/ani-press-releases/symbiosis-law-school-pune-achieves-milestone-with-jean-monnet-chair-on-eu-climate-justice-law-hosts-successful-training-the-trainers-programme/1935754/?clientId=663c631856e840159e994170&mobileView=false>

[https://www.latestly.com/agency-news/business-news-symbiosis-law-school-pune-achieves-milestone-with-jean-monnet-chair-on-eu-climate-justice-law-hosts-successful-training-the-trainers-programme-5713516.html#google\\_vignette](https://www.latestly.com/agency-news/business-news-symbiosis-law-school-pune-achieves-milestone-with-jean-monnet-chair-on-eu-climate-justice-law-hosts-successful-training-the-trainers-programme-5713516.html#google_vignette)

#### i) Training Manual (English and Vernacular)

The Training manual was prepared initially in English and then was translated in Hindi (Vernacular) Language. The contents of the training manual are based on the contents provided by the trainers during the ‘Training the Trainer Programme’. After the preparation of the Training manual, it was shared with the participants through email. The participants were expected to make use of the Training Manual to train other people from the community whether peers, neighbours, friends, relatives and any other people from the community.

Following are the first few pages of the Training Manual (English and Hindi vernacular) reproduced herein to gather the idea about its contents and the people who contributed to its preparation and editing:



## Training Manual & Toolkit

for

## Training the Trainers Programme on Climate Justice, Law, Governance, Management and Policy

created by

Jean Monnet Chair  
EU Climate Justice Law,  
Governance,  
Management & Policy (EUC-LAMP)

**SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL PUNE**

**SYMBIOSIS INTERNATIONAL (DEEMED  
UNIVERSITY)**

**Pune, Maharashtra, India**

**Day & Date of Training: Saturday, 20<sup>th</sup> January, 2024**

## ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

We are grateful to the contributions made by the trainers to provide contents for the various sections of the training manual. The contents are majorly elaboration on the presentations made by the various trainers during the training programme.

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j) Certificate Sample given to Trainers as well as Trainees

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Following is the design of the certificate that was given to the participants after the signature:



k) Photos of the programme



Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, Jean Monnet Chair Professor, giving the welcome address to the expert trainers and participant trainees during the event on 20<sup>th</sup> January 2024



Group of Participants/trainees being guided by Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur on climate change issues and providing hands on training during the programme



Group photo of the Participants/trainees and Trainers (all those attending physically) at the conclusion of the training the trainer programme

### 1) Impact of the Training the trainer programme

The training the trainer programme was successful as in all 115 participants from diverse backgrounds got trained. The trainees included students from 19 different educational institutions, 4 NGOs in the field of Environment protection, 2 law firms and 3 Corporates. The trainees were a mix from the urban and rural areas of Pune (District), Maharashtra (State), India. All the trainees were urged to cascade their learning in the community. Each one was asked to share their learning with at least 5-10 persons be it in a residential society, or among other students, friends, or colleagues. The trainees have provided a positive-feedback and have made efforts in cascading the learning from the training programme to their peers, friends, family and community. All training videos are available for free on YouTube. The training manual was made available for free to the trainees in English and vernacular language Hindi.

## 2. Executive Workshop on “Climate Justice: Advancing SDG and ESG through impactful CSR Proposal” – 15<sup>th</sup> July 2024

The main goal of the executive workshop was to train the executive participants to achieve knowledge, skills, ethics and commitment for better environmental compliances. The executive workshop in order to build the capacity among various stakeholders (executives) was planned in a manner to provide a primer on climate justice, hands on training in Environmental, Social, Governance (ESG) Policy and action through skills training in drafting an impactful proposal for Corporate Social Responsibility wherein the environmental and climate change issues are addressed and to create a meaningful impact in the society.

This executive workshop was organized in collaboration with ExploreiT and Climate Reality Project India & South Asia. ExploreiT consists of a team of passionate solutionists with a focus on attaining SDGs through collaboration and impact-based approach. They provide end-to end services to corporates, institutions, and organizations, helping them to fulfil their commitments towards ESG, CSR, and community outreach. Their aim is to create stories of change around sustainability and use it as a medium to convince larger crowds for scaling up their scope. They follow the methodology of learn, share and act with youth as a focus group who they intend to convert into change makers. Climate Reality Project is an NGO founded by Nobel laureate and former US Vice President Al Gore, which is working to catalyze a global solution to the climate crisis by making urgent action a necessity across every sector of society.

### a) Objectives of the executive workshop

The specific objectives of the executive workshop were:

1. To reach out to wider community of youth, i.e. students, academics, NGO, policy makers, think tanks, industry leaders, the youth of urban, semi-urban and rural communities with regard to imparting ethics, laws, policies, compliances, management practices for ensuring a sustainable and climate friendly future.
2. To ensure adherence to sustainable lifestyle heralding the mechanism of ethical compliances and applications of the best practices inherited from the EU experience and adapted to the Indian context thereby ensuring climate justice.
3. To equip participants with requisite knowledge and skills that will enable them to implement a climate change education, dissemination, developing niche courses and undertaking practical measures for climate change mitigation.
4. To enhance opportunities for professional networking, teaching and research linkages amongst legal professionals engaged in climate change education.
5. To provide hands on training in Environmental, Social, Governance (ESG) through writing impactful CSR Proposals

b) Brochure cum invitation card

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through impactful CSR Proposal**

**Date & Day: 15<sup>th</sup> July, 2024 (Monday)**  
**Time: 10 am – 4 pm, Venue: Symbiosis Law School, Pune, Viman Nagar**

**Sessions and activities include**  
Primer on India & EU Climate Justice Law, Policy and Governance  
Case Studies on CSR in the context of SDGs & ESG  
Practicum on writing effective CSR Proposal  
Field Visit a guided tour to local site for CSR intervention  
CSR Proposal Development advancing SDGs & ESGs

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**Last Date of Registration – 12<sup>th</sup> July 2024**

c) Schedule / Table programme



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**Jean Monnet Chair**  
**EU Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management & Policy**  
**(EUC-LAMP)**  
*in collaboration with*  
**ExploreiT & The Climate Reality Project India & South Asia**

*presents*  
**Executive Workshop**  
*on*  
**Climate Justice: Advancing SDG and ESG through impactful CSR Proposal**

**15th July, 2024 Monday (10:00 AM to 4 PM)**

**Reporting and Registration** – 9.45 am to 9.55 am (Outside PDCLE Hall, First Floor, SLS Pune)

9:55 AM to 10:00 AM (5mins)	Arrival of Dignitaries and Introduction	Compere
10:00 AM to 10:05 AM (5mins)	Watering the Bilwa Sapling	Dignitaries on Dais
10:05 AM to 10:10 AM (5 mins)	Introduction to the training programme and introduction to JM Chair Professor	Prof. Lasya Vyakaranam, Assistant Professor, Symbiosis Law School, Pune
10:10AM to 10:15AM (5 mins)	Welcome Address	Prof. (Dr.) Shashikala Gurpur Director, Symbiosis Law School, Pune, Dean, Faculty of Law, Jean Monnet Chair Professor, Symbiosis International (Deemed University) (SIU)

10:15 AM to 10: 20 AM (5 Mins)	Felicitation of the Guests	Prof. (Dr.) Shashikala Gurpur
10:20 AM to 10:30 AM (10 mins) Activity 1	Ice Breaking Session	Participants (to write their name, current profession, number of years of experience, and expectations from the training on the post-it and then paste them on the board)
<b>Primer on Climate Justice: Advancing SDG and ESG through impactful CSR</b>		
10:30 AM to 10:45 AM (15 mins)	Introduction to Climate Justice Law, Policy and Governance in India and EU with examples	Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur JM Chair Professor
10: 45 AM to 11:00AM (15 Mins)	Importance of ESG and CSR in advancing sustainable development goals with India and EU Examples	Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur JM Chair Professor
<b>Case Studies on Corporate Social Responsibility in the Context of SDGs and ESG</b>		
11:00 AM- 11:30 AM (30 mins)	Mapping SDGs and ESG criteria to CSR initiatives (exploring the synergies between corporate objectives, societal needs, and global sustainability targets)	Dr. Erach Bharucha Director, Bharati Vidyapeeth Institute of Environment Education and Research, Pune.
11:30 AM – 11:45 AM (15 mins)	Interaction and Discussion on Case studies and examples highlighting successful CSR projects aligned with SDGs and ESG principles	Mr. Shivam Singh Founder and CEO ExploreIT National Coordinator for Youth of The Climate Reality Project, South Asia & India
<b>Practicum on Writing Effective CSR Proposals with focus on ESG</b>		
11:45 AM – 12:15 PM (30mins)	Decoding CSR, ESG and SDG (based on insights from work through BAIF Development Research Foundation) – 20 mins presentation  Q & A – 10 mins	Rajashree Joshi Program Director, BAIF Development Research Foundation
12:15 PM to 12:35 PM (20 mins)	<b>Demonstration</b> Understanding CSR programme and Project Development with special reference to ESG and SDG: Problem Statement Theory of Change Innovation	Mandar Vaidya Director, Srishti for Resilience and Sustainable Development, Maharashtra

	Impact approach & result framework	
12:35 PM -12:55 PM (20 mins) Activity 2	<b>Group activity</b> to brainstorm ideas, set measurable objectives, and develop implementation plans	Mandar Vaidya Director, Srishti for Resilience and Sustainable Development, Maharashtra
12:55 PM - 1:30 PM (35 Mins) Activity 3	<b>Hands-on exercises</b> to practice CSR proposal writing: integrating SDGs and ESG criteria – <b>Template provided in the kit</b>	Mandar Vaidya Director, Srishti for Resilience and Sustainable Development, Maharashtra
<b>1:30 PM - 2:20PM Lunch Break</b>		
<b>2:20 PM – 2:30 PM Board Bus/personal Vehicle for field visit</b> <b>Follow the route map to Swachh Kalyani Nagar Initiative (will be provided in the kit)</b>		
2: 30 PM-3: 30 PM	<b>Field Visit: Immersion in Impact for CSR Intervention:</b> Guided tour to a local site with potential for CSR intervention, emphasizing SDG alignment and ESG integration.	Ms. Purnima Joshi, Founder Trustee, Team Swachh Kalyani Nagar
3:30-4:00 PM	<b>Interaction</b> on guidelines for submission of draft proposals by participants <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Assignment Brief to be emailed to all participants on the same day</li> <li>• Participants will submit the proposal developed within 15 days from the date of workshop</li> <li>• Certificate will be issued after submission of proposal developed by participants</li> <li>• Constructive feedback from trainers on proposals submitted by the participants will be taken and sent in 15 days by JM chair team</li> <li>• Impact analysis feedback will be taken within 3 months through google forms</li> </ul>	Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur JM Chair Professor

#### d) Sample Invitation sent to the Trainers



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### **Invitation to be a Trainer in Executive Workshop on 'Climate Justice: Advancing SDG and ESG through impactful CSR Proposal' under the JM Chair EUC-LAMP (15th July 2024)**

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Director SLS <[REDACTED]@symlaw.ac.in>

Tue, Jul 9, 2024 at 10:18 AM

To: "mandar [REDACTED]srishticonsultants.com" <[REDACTED]@srishticonsultants.com>

Cc: Dr Rupal Rautdesai <[REDACTED]@symlaw.ac.in>, A mohanty <[REDACTED]@symlaw.ac.in>, Vojjala Sahiti

<[REDACTED]@symlaw.ac.in>, [REDACTED]@exploreit.in, [REDACTED]@symlaw.ac.in

Dear Sir,

Greetings from Symbiosis Law School, Pune.

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The Executive Workshop is scheduled on 15th July 2024 from 10.00 AM to 4.00 PM at Symbiosis Law School, Pune (Venue: PDCLE Hall, First Floor)

In light of your expertise, we invite you to conduct a training session in the said executive workshop on “Practicum on Writing Effective CSR Proposals with focus on ESG: 11:45 AM to 1:10 PM for approximately one and half hours at SLS Pune. In the said session we would request you to cover the following:

- Training session integrating SDGs and ESG considerations into proposal development. (10mins)
- Key components of a persuasive CSR proposal, with emphasis on sustainability impact measurement and reporting. (10mins)
- Activity 1: Group activity to brainstorm ideas, set measurable objectives, and develop implementation plans. (along with Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, carry out the activity) (20min)
- Activity 2: Hands-on exercises to practice CSR proposal writing: integrating SDGs and ESG criteria (45 min)

We further request you to kindly provide some training material for your session which can be shared with the participants. We would acknowledge your contribution in the JM Chair Executive workshop in our periodic reports to the European Commission. Your expertise would immensely enrich the participants and they will greatly benefit from your vast knowledge and experience.

We will be happy to provide some honorarium as per the SIU Rules. Further, we will also arrange for the conveyance to the SLS Pune Viman Nagar Campus.

We humbly request you to share the invitation cum brochure attached to this email with your contacts (including faculty/students/employees) who would benefit from the executive workshop. They may register for the programme at the link given below. Please note there is no registration fee for the executive workshop.

<https://forms.gle/gWfkp8KuYfQkBNey6>

**The last date for registration is 12<sup>th</sup> July 2024. Certificate of Participation upon successful completion will be provided.**

We eagerly look forward to your confirmation of conducting the training session.

Thanking you,

Regards,

Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, PhD, Fulbright Scholar  
Director | SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL PUNE  
Dean | Faculty of Law, Symbiosis International (Deemed University)  
Jean Monnet Chair Professor (EUC-LAMP co-funded by EU)

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 **Invitation Card cum Brochure Executive workshop.pdf**  
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## e) Sample invitation sent to trainees/Stakeholders



### Invitation to participate in Executive Workshop on 'Climate Justice: Advancing SDG and ESG through impactful CSR Proposal' under the JM Chair EUC-LAMP (15th July 2024)

Director SLS <[REDACTED]> Fri, Jul 5, 2024 at 4:38 PM  
To: [REDACTED]@mahaforest.gov.in, A K Misra <[REDACTED]>  
Cc: Dr Rupal Rautdesai <[REDACTED]>, A mohanty <[REDACTED]>, Vojjala Sahiti <[REDACTED]>

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In this regard, I am writing to encourage you and members of your organization to participate and take advantage of this workshop. Please find attached invitation card for more information regarding the workshop.

Kindly register for the executive workshop at the link below:

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We look forward to enthusiastic participation from the members of your organisation

Thanking you

Regards,

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#### f) List of participants (Anonymized)

The names of the participants have been anonymized in keeping with the data protection and privacy norms.

<b>Sr. No.</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Organization / Institution</b>
1	Participant 1	Mahatma Phule Samaj Seva Mandal
2	Participant 2	Adar Poonawalla Clean City Initiative
3	Participant 3	Splendid vision
4	Participant 4	Symbiosis Centre for Management Studies, Pune Constituent Department of Symbiosis International (Deemed University)
5	Participant 5	Integrite ISLA Pvt Ltd
6	Participant 6	Poona College of Arts Science and Commerce Camp Pune
7	Participant 7	Deccan College Post-Graduate and Research Institute (Deemed to be University) Pune
8	Participant 8	Poona College of Arts Science and Commerce Camp Pune
9	Participant 9	Team Swachh Kalyani Nagar (TSKN)
10	Participant 10	JANWANI
11	Participant 11	The Climate Project Foundation
12	Participant 12	SCOPE
13	Participant 13	Dr. Vishwanath Karad MIT World Peace University's School of Business
14	Participant 14	Bhujal Abhiyan Trust
15	Participant 15	Ind-Tech Consultants
16	Participant 16	Dr Vishwanath Karad MIT World Peace University
17	Participant 17	Cybage Software Pvt Ltd
18	Participant 18	ECONET
19	Participant 19	Centre for Sustainable Development, GIPE, Pune
20	Participant 20	Cybage
21	Participant 21	Harshdeep Foundation
22	Participant 22	AKI's Poona College of Arts, Science and Commerce
23	Participant 23	Ajeenkya DY Patil University, Pune
24	Participant 24	The Green Thumb
25	Participant 25	Swap (volunteer group) for pre owned household items
26	Participant 26	Climate collective Pune Environmental Foundation
27	Participant 27	Janwani
28	Participant 28	Y4D Foundation
29	Participant 29	Y4D Foundation
30	Participant 30	Harshdeep Foundation, Pune
31	Participant 31	Harshdeep Foundation Pune.
32	Participant 32	Maps Industries (I) Pvt. Ltd.

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33	Participant 33	Nisargasutra
34	Participant 34	Sevavardhini Pune
35	Participant 35	Sevavardhini Pune
36	Participant 36	Poornam Ecovision
37	Participant 37	Ecologist
38	Participant 38	Peepal Foundation
39	Participant 39	Poornam Ecovision
40	Participant 40	Poornam Ecovision
41	Participant 41	JT CON
42	Participant 42	Mechatronica Cluster
43	Participant 43	Eaton India Foundation
44	Participant 44	Symbiosis Law School Pune
45	Participant 45	Symbiosis Law School, Pune
46	Participant 46	Fergusson College (Autonomous), Pune
47	Participant 47	Fergusson College
48	Participant 48	Fergusson college pune
49	Participant 49	Fergusson college
50	Participant 50	Fergusson College (Autonomous), Pune.
51	Participant 51	Fergusson College
52	Participant 52	Symbiosis Law School Pune
53	Participant 53	Fergusson College
54	Participant 54	Fergusson college
55	Participant 55	Fergusson college
56	Participant 56	Fergusson College Pune
57	Participant 57	Symbiosis Centre for Waste Resource Management
58	Participant 58	Symbiosis Law School, Pune
59	Participant 59	Symbiosis Law School, Pune
60	Participant 60	SLS Pune
61	Participant 61	Symbiosis school for Liberal Arts
62	Participant 62	Symbiosis Law School, Pune
63	Participant 63	Symbiosis Law School, Pune
64	Participant 64	MNLU Mumbai
65	Participant 65	Symbiosis Law School, Pune
66	Participant 66	Fergusson College
67	Participant 67	Fergusson College
68	Participant 68	Symbiosis Law School, Pune
69	Participant 69	Symbiosis Law School, Pune
70	Participant 70	Azim Premji University
71	Participant 71	SCMS
72	Participant 72	SSIS
73	Participant 73	Symbiosis Law School, Pune
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85	Participant 85	Climate Troopers Foundation
86	Participant 86	Symbiosis Law School, Pune
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## g) Pre-press release



### **PRE-PRESS INFORMATION NOTE**

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The Executive Workshop will take place at Symbiosis Law School, Pune (Venue: PDCLE, First Floor)

The Executive workshop themes focus majorly on capacity building with youth, management executives, government and non-government professionals on values, ethics, knowledge, skills on law, policy and management related to climate justice and include:

- Primer on Climate Justice: Advancing SDG and ESG through impactful CSR
- Case Studies on Corporate Social Responsibility in the Context of SDGs and ESG
- Practicum on Writing Effective CSR Proposals with focus on ESG
- Field Visit: Immersion in Impact for CSR Intervention
- Interaction on guidelines for submission of draft proposals by participants

#### h) Press release after the event and press media coverage

The Press report of the executive workshop was published on the institute website at the following webpage maintained for the Jean Monnet Chair activities:

[https://www.symlaw.ac.in/assets/images/jm\\_chair/Report\\_Workshop.pdf](https://www.symlaw.ac.in/assets/images/jm_chair/Report_Workshop.pdf)

Further the press report was also sent for publication in the leading online news media and published on the social media handles of the law school.

One of the leading news channels published the report of the workshop at the below given link:

<https://news.abplive.com/brand-wire/symbiosis-law-school-pune-hosts-workshop-on-climate-justice-for-management-and-leadership-1704726>

#### i) Training Material

The trainees were provided with all the presentations used by the trainers during the executive workshop and a template for writing a Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) project proposal with focus on ESG (Environmental and Social Governance) and SDG (Sustainable Development Goal).

The trainees were given a take home assignment to write the CSR project with focus on ESG and SDGs as per the given template and submit the same within 15 days from the event. The trainees were allowed to work in groups. More than 8 such CSR project proposals with focus on ESG and SDG were received from the trainees as a result of this take-home assignment.

#### j) Certificate Sample given to Trainers as well as Trainees of the Executive Workshop

Following is the sample of the certificate that was given to the trainers:



Following is the design of the certificate that was given to the participants:



k) Photos of the Programme



***(Left) Dignitaries watering the Bilva Sampling at Executive Workshop on 'Climate Justice: Advancing SDG and ESG through Impactful CSR Proposal'. Dr. Gurpur delivering the welcome address (Right)***



***Field Visit: Immersion in Impact for CSR Intervention: Guided tour to a local site with potential for CSR intervention, emphasizing SDG alignment and ESG integration led by 'TeamSwachhKalyaniNagar'***

## 1) Impact of the Executive Workshop

The Executive Workshop was a success and made a meaningful impact on the participants. A total of 108 participants from diverse backgrounds received the training. The diversity of participants is evident from the fact that a total of 39 different organizations participated in the workshop. Out of the 39 organizations, 14 were educational institutions, 16 were Non-Governmental Organizations (NGOs) and Foundations (including Public Service Organizations), and 9 corporate and private sector entities. The impact of the executive workshop can be measured from the fact that more than eight CSR proposals with focus of ESG and SDG were submitted by groups of participants.

Another measurable impact has been on the students of the ECOCON Cell of the Symbiosis Law School, Pune. In the words of the Student Head Ramakrishna Muntha of the ECOCON Cell “JM chair executive workshop was a transformative experience for many students, mentioned below is one such enlightening experience”.

*“The ECOCON Cell of SLS Pune, through years, has strived to create a holistic environmental consciousness among students. In furtherance of our efforts the cell had planned on conducting a ‘Seed Bomb’ activity to introduce students to indigenous seed dispersal mechanisms and their relevance in today’s time. To facilitate the same, we were in lookout for the right guiding force which could help us understand the nuances and the procedure of conducting the activity. Dr. Erach Bharucha Sir’s session on identifying indigenous species and conducting data analysis for afforestation, had become our first significant step towards organizing the event. Sir had specifically emphasized on the need to identify the right kind of plant species for afforestation and taught us the various methods through which such surveys could be conducted. Sir had also mentioned how dispersal of any plant species, without prior survey could possibly ruin the ecosystem of the place and could possibly cause more damage. Sir’s inputs and wisdom helped us research and conduct a detailed survey of the area and choose the right kind of plant species for the activity.*

*The next step in our activity was to conduct an awareness session on the significance and need of such an activity. During the executive workshop, after a brief interaction, Mr. Satya Natarajan Sir had kindly agreed to conduct a guest lecture regarding the same. The lecture was an enlightening exercise consisting of previous year data analysis and practical examples from sir’s life, that helped us in preparing and instilling a sense of responsibility in the students before actually indulging in the exercise. We are ever grateful to both the eminent environmentalists, Dr. Bharucha and Mr. Natarajan for their guidance and to our director Dr. Shashikala Gupur ma’am for providing us with the opportunity to interact with stalwarts from the field through the JM Chair Executive workshop”*

The students of ECOCON Cell carried out the seed bomb and afforestation activity on the 21<sup>st</sup> July 2025, wherein approximately 80 students participated in the activity. This was indeed one of the key measurable impacts of the executive workshop.

## IV. Research Publications and Books

Major achievements, having both short term and long-term impact, for the visibility and outreach of the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP, have been made through constant efforts and research activities carried out by the Jean Monnet Chair Professor Dr. Shashikala Gurpur in the multidisciplinary research areas of Climate Change. One of the objectives of JM Chair EUC-LAMP was to map the research output generated out of the side activities that seek to enhance conceptual perspectives in the field, fill research gaps and act as a base for law reform in the field so that best practices are incorporated within the system.

Several Publications have been made by the Jean Monnet Chair (EUC-LAMP) Professor Dr. Shashikala Gurpur as a result of the various teaching and research activities that were carried out under the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP project term from 2022 to 2025. She has also encouraged the students who have taken the teaching courses under the Jean Monnet Chair to research and publish in this very important and niche interdisciplinary field.

One of the important accomplishments was publication of a book chapter titled “Climate Litigation for Quality of Life: Exploring Innovative Legal Avenues to Hold Polluters Accountable” which was published in a book published by the internationally renowned publisher IGI Global. The details of the same are provided at point (A) of this section of the report.

Further, among the various side activities that were carried out under the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP, following important research related activities were organized:

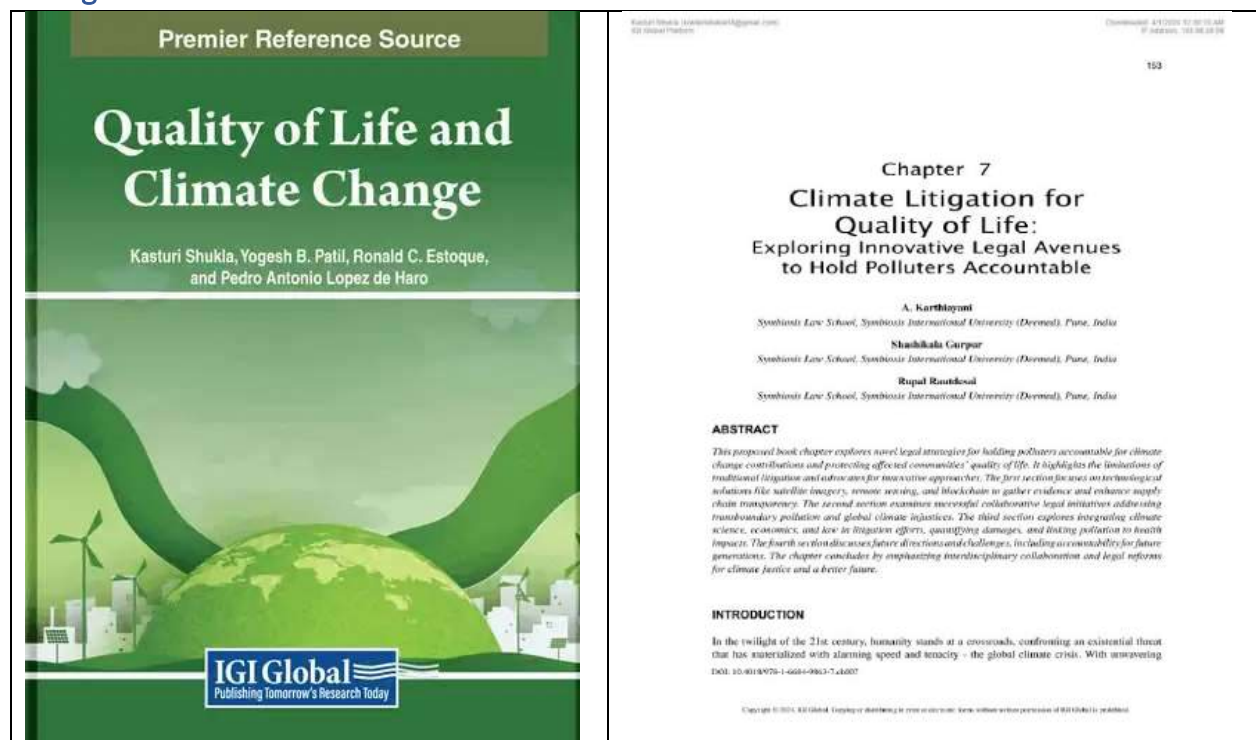
1) Research conferences “SYMROLIC 2023” and “SYMROLIC 2024” special track under the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP (cofounded by EU), Track 4- EU Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy.

2) JM Transnational Climate Change Justice Project (Based on the pedagogy of COIL)

In the research conference SYMROLIC 2023, 8 research paper presentations were made in the Track 4 pertaining to the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP and two research papers out of the same have been successfully published in the form of two book chapters published in a book published with the internationally renowned publisher Routledge Taylor and Francis. The details of the SYMROLIC 2023 conference and the two research publications in the form of book chapters (SCOPUS indexed) that are outcome of the JM Chair Project EUC-LAMP (cofounded by the EU) are provided at point (B) of this section of the report.

Further, the research papers presented in the research conference track 4 of the SYMROLIC 2024 and the research papers developed under the JM Transnational Climate Change Justice Project (Based on the pedagogy of COIL) have been considered for the purpose of publication of the proposed book titled “Climate Change Initiatives: Europe-India legal and policy paradigms”. This would be one of the long-term effect or impact of the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP. The research papers proposed in this planned book are ready and have gone through two reviews from international and national experts. The Jean Monnet Chair (EUC-LAMP) Professor Dr. Shashikala Gurpur has submitted the abstracts of all these research papers in the form of a book proposal to a renowned publisher, Taylor and Francis. Currently the proposal of book publication is under the process of review with Taylor & Francis Company. The chapter titles and author names are provided at point (C) of the report.

(A) Publication of book chapter (SCOPUS Indexed) – Quality of Life and Climate Change – IGI Global



Professor Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, the Jean Monnet Chair Professor (EUC-LAMP), co-authored a book chapter titled “Climate Litigation for Quality of Life: Exploring Innovative Legal Avenues to Hold Polluters Accountable” with A Karthiayani and Rupal Rautdesai in a book published by IGI Global. The said chapter is SCOPUS Indexed.

The IGI Global Book, in which the book chapter is published, is titled as “Quality of Life and Climate Change: Impacts, Sustainable Adaptation, and Social-Ecological Resilience”, and is edited by Kasturi Shukla, Yogesh B. Patil, Ronald C. Estoque, Pedro Antonio López de Haro. The ISBN numbers of the book are: ISBN13: 9781668498637| ISBN10: 1668498634| ISBN13 Softcover: 9798369347515| EISBN13: 9781668498644. The details of the book can be found at <https://www.igi-global.com/book/quality-life-climate-change/320511>.

The book chapter is published as Chapter 7 from pages 153 to 177 of the Book. The details of the book chapter such as the abstract and the chapter preview can be found at <https://www.igi-global.com/chapter/climate-litigation-for-quality-of-life/341614>.

### Abstract of the book chapter

This book chapter explores novel legal strategies for holding polluters accountable for climate change contributions and protecting affected communities' quality of life. It highlights the limitations of traditional litigation and advocates for innovative approaches. The first section focuses on technological solutions like satellite imagery, remote sensing, and blockchain to gather evidence and enhance supply chain transparency. The second section examines successful collaborative legal initiatives addressing transboundary pollution and global climate injustices. The third section explores integrating climate science, economics, and law in litigation efforts, quantifying damages, and linking pollution to health impacts. The fourth

section discusses future directions and challenges, including accountability for future generations. The chapter concludes by emphasizing interdisciplinary collaboration and legal reforms for climate justice and a better future.

### (B) Publication from the Research Conference SYMROLIC 2023

In the year 2023, Symbiosis Law School, Pune presented its 11th Annual International Research Conference-Rule of Law in Context: Globalisation and Indian Resonances to Sustainable Development Goals (SYMROLIC 2023). It was an inter-disciplinary conference which emphasized Law & Life Interface in the spheres of Innovation, Science, Technology, Human Behaviour, Global Policy and Governance. The conference over the years has endowed a strong platform to discuss, collaborate and explore diverse issues in the field of legal studies. It invited some of the great minds from within and outside India to share and discuss their ideas on contemporary research.

An important feature of the conference besides the plenary session were the tracks on Management, Humanities, Science, Trade and Economics. The conference was focused on Sustainable Development Goals. The confluence of crises, dominated by COVID-19, climate change, and conflicts, are creating spin-off impacts on food and nutrition, health, education, the environment, and peace and security, and affecting Healthcare Development and Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).

**The Track 4 of the Research Conference was focused on the theme of the Jean Monnet Chair (EUC-LAMP) which is “EU Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy”.** The focal areas for research presentations were Climate Change, Clean Water and Sanitation, Climate Action, Cascading to Community, Corporate Compliances, SDG Lawyering and reforms. Total of 8 research papers were presented under the Track 4 and two out of the same were published after a thorough review process followed by the conference organizers.



The research outcome of the SYMROLIC 2023 was a book titled “Rule of Law in Context: Globalisation and Indian Resonances to Sustainable Development”, that was published in collaboration with Routledge Taylor and Francis. The published book bears the ISBN 9781032917122 and is **SCOPUS Indexed**.

The details of the book can be found on the following link:

<https://www.taylorfrancis.com/books/edit/10.1201/9781003564522/rule-law-context-globalisation-indian-resonances-sustainable-development-shashikala-gurpur-bindu-samuel-ronald-aparajita-mohanty-atmaram-shelke>

Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, Jean Monnet Chair Professor is the Editor along with three other editors. The book was successfully published on 27<sup>th</sup> January 2025. Two research papers from the JM Chair Track 4 of the research conference were selected and published as Chapter 6 and Chapter 8 in the Book.

**The title, authors names and the published abstract are reproduced below from the Book publication:**

**Chapter 6. Pillars of accountability: dissecting the EU new product liability directive and the subsisting regime**

*By Sridattha Charan, Yash Vikas, Aparajita Mohanty, and Sujata Arya*

**Abstract**

Product liability as a legal postulation provides for the accountability of any and all parties involved in the chain of manufacturing for placing a defective product into the hands of a consumer. The product liability regime is not just a necessary policy instrument in light of domestic socio-economic goals and objectives but also derives international importance through targeting a host of the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals adopted under the 2030 Agenda, ensuring Good Health and Wellbeing (SDG 3), growth of Industry, Innovation and Infrastructure (SDG 9), Responsible Consumption and Production (SDG 12), and Partnership for the Goals (SDG 17). In the European Union, such claims are governed by the Product Liability Directive 85/374/EEC which pioneered a strict liability regime, without being subject to any major amendments since its inception. The authors therefore seek to analyse the same in a two-pronged manner. Firstly, the Directive lays down only substantive laws and rules. The procedural aspect of any claim is at the discretion of the individual States. Consequently, the cross-border claims are subject to different legislations, specifically the Rome II Regulation (EC) 864/2007 and the Brussels I-bis Regulation (EU) 1215/2012. The coherency of these legislations with the Directive will therefore be analysed. Secondly, the definition of "product" in the directive does not explicitly mention digital products or software. The applicability of the Directive on these intangible products will be examined with respect to the different aspects of the Directive such as liability, defences available and damages recoverable. Thousands of kilometres away, the introduction of the Consumer Protection Act, 2019 sees India embarking on a venture to develop its product liability regime which is still in its nascent stage. A comparative analysis between the two regimes illustrates that the Indian regime lacks specificity to deal with complex consumer transactions and products. The authors will dwell extensively into these issues and would provide specific recommendations to improve the existing regime in Europe, and chart out a template for the Indian regime.

**Chapter 8. Climate change policy: EU and ASEAN perspective—road ahead**

*By Varun Pathak, Shashikala Gurpur, and Aparajita Mohanty*

## Abstract

The ASEAN region's vulnerability to climate change is amplified by its tropical climate and erratic weather patterns. This makes it more susceptible to the adverse effects of environmental shifts, requiring a proactive approach to address these challenges. In December 2020, the EU and ASEAN formed a partnership to prioritise climate change policies as a crucial focus area of their collaboration. This article aims to comprehend and analyse the challenges confronted by ASEAN nations in addressing climate change, while examining the support provided by the EU in identifying these issues. As the primary advocate for the ASEAN region, the EU actively supports various programs dedicated to climate change management. The researchers elucidate the primary reasons and obstacles hindering the implementation of climate change policies in the region. The synergy between ASEAN countries and the European Union plays a crucial role in advancing climate change initiatives within the region.

## (C) Publication of Book 'Climate Change Initiatives: Europe-India legal and policy paradigms'

One of the long-term objectives of the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP Project co-funded by the EU is to publish a book titled "Climate Change Initiatives: Europe-India legal and policy paradigms". For the purpose of accomplishing this objective, some of the select research papers that were presented in the research conference SYMROLIC 2024 [Track 4 (special track for JM Chair)] and all the research papers developed under the JM Transnational Climate Change Justice Project (Based on the pedagogy of COIL) have been considered. Thus, a total of 12 research papers are ready and have gone through two reviews from international and national experts. The Jean Monnet Chair (EUC-LAMP) Professor Dr. Shashikala Gurpur has submitted the abstracts of all these research papers in the form of a book proposal to a renowned publisher, Taylor and Francis.

Currently the proposal of book publication is being considered by the team of relevant reviewers from the Taylor & Francis. Following sub-sections provide the details of the proposal that are submitted to the publisher. The book is intended to be published within the academic year 2025-2026.

### Proposed Title of the Book

Climate Change Initiatives: Europe-India legal and policy paradigms

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3. Dr. Emmanuel Ugirashebuja, Minister of Justice and Attorney General of Rwanda.
4. Prof. Dr. Prakash Rao, Head, Symbiosis Climate Change and Sustainability Centre, SIU.

### Profile of the Editors/Reviewers

#### 1. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur

Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, a distinguished academic and legal scholar, currently serves as the **Professor and Director** of Symbiosis Law School, Pune, and as the **Dean of the Faculty of Law** at Symbiosis International (Deemed University) (SIU). She holds the prestigious **Jean Monnet Chair on EU Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy (EUC-LAMP)**, co-funded by the European Union (2022-2025). A **Fulbright Scholar**, she has consistently contributed to the advancement of legal education and research in India and internationally. Dr. Gurpur holds a **Ph.D. in International Law** from Mysore University, where she also earned her **LL.M. (Gold Medalist)**. She is also the Principal Investigator in Indian Government funded SPARC project and 4 Erasmus+ Capacity Building Higher Education Projects funded by the European Union. Her scholarly pursuits and leadership roles reflect her unwavering commitment to excellence in legal education and research.

Dr. Shashikala Gurpur is an active member of several eminent bodies, including the Curriculum Development Committee of the Bar Council of India, the Academic Council of the National Judicial Academy, Bhopal, the International Association of Law Schools (IALS), Global Law Deans' Forum, and the International Consortium of Law Schools. She has also served as a member of the MCCIA Corporate Legislation Committee (2020-2022), contributing her expertise to the development of corporate legislation.

Recognized among the '**100 Legal Luminaries of India**' by Lexis Nexis and featured among the illustrious 100 women personalities in the book 'The Phenomenal She' launched by the Indian National Bar Association, Dr. Gurpur, has more than **32 years in teaching, research and industry**. She has held academic positions at premier institutions such as the National Law School of India University (NLSIU), Bangalore, SDM Law College, Mangalore, Manipal Institute of Communication, MAHE, and University College Cork, Ireland. Her extensive scholarly contributions include **85 articles and research papers (20 SCOPUS/WoS)**, **two co-authored books**, and **16 book chapters**. She is a Distinguished Visiting Professor at the WBNUJS, member of the Academic Council at MNLU, Aurangabad, resource person at National Judicial Academy, Bhopal and PhD referee to many NLUs, JNU Delhi, Mumbai and many state universities. She has presented more than 330 invited lectures, workshops on Gender literacy, human rights, media literacy, climate change and other contemporary areas across India, Italy, Thailand, US, UK, Ireland, Germany, Australia, Canada and UAE. She is a pioneer of EU Legal Studies in India. She is team member of global evaluation and accreditation IALS, USA.

Dr. Gurpur has served as an advisor to a research project and publication for the **Asian Network of Women in Communication** (sponsored by WACC, UK, 1999-2004). She is a distinguished member of editorial boards, including LexisNexis Butterworths, the **Journal of IPR (CSIR)**, the **Law and Policy Journal (Dublin, Ireland)**, and the **Polish Law Review**.

#### 2. Dr. Nicola Gullo

Dr. Gullo is a highly esteemed academic and a prominent figure in the field of law, currently holding the position of **Full Professor of Administrative Law** at the University of Palermo. Renowned for his expertise in environmental and administrative law, Dr. Gullo plays a pivotal role in fostering academic excellence and interdisciplinary research. He is specialized in the

protection of natural ecosystems and natural resources and teaches environmental law in the departments of law, natural sciences, and environmental engineering. He also gives lectures in numerous other Universities on environmental law and has received, over the years, several consultancy assignments by public bodies at both national and regional level.

He serves as the **Scientific Coordinator** of the prestigious **European Project Climate Justice Living Lab** under the Erasmus+ Programme, where he oversees innovative approaches to addressing climate justice challenges. In addition, he is an active member of the Scientific Council of the **Centre for Sustainability and Ecological Transition**, contributing significantly to initiatives that aim to advance sustainable development and ecological policies.

Dr. Gullo is also the coordinator of the **Master in Law and Technique of Ecological Transition**, a program designed to prepare future leaders in navigating the complexities of environmental regulations and ecological transition strategies. His teaching portfolio includes extensive experience in subjects such as **Environmental Law**, which he has delivered across multiple academic years, reflecting his commitment to cultivating environmental awareness and legal expertise among his students.

With a **PhD in Community and Domestic Law** from the University of Palermo, Dr. Gullo has built an impressive academic and research career. He has been actively involved in numerous research projects focusing on **public administration, cultural heritage law, and European competition law**, areas where his contributions have significantly influenced policy and academic discourse. Dr. Gullo's multidisciplinary approach and dedication to integrating environmental concerns into legal frameworks have established him as a leading scholar and an influential voice in the ongoing dialogue on sustainability and governance.

### **3. Dr. Emmanuel Ugirashebuja**

Dr. Emmanuel Ugirashebuja is the **Minister of Justice and Attorney General of Rwanda**, appointed in 2021 by President Paul Kagame. He brings with him a wealth of experience, having served as the **President of the East African Court of Justice (EACJ)**, a position he held from 2014 until his appointment to the ministerial role. Prior to this, he was a judge in the court's Appellate Division. Dr. Ugirashebuja has an extensive academic background, holding a **PhD and LL.M from the University of Edinburgh and an LL.B. from the University of Rwanda**.

A distinguished academic and legal scholar, Dr. Ugirashebuja has lectured in constitutional law, human rights, and environmental law at various prestigious universities globally. His expertise spans both common law and civil law traditions, and he has advised numerous regional and international legal bodies. He was a legal advisor to the **Rwandan Constitution Commission** and **Rwanda Environment Management Authority (REMA)**, showcasing his commitment to both legal reform and environmental sustainability.

Dr. Ugirashebuja has also served on several important international boards. He is a member of the **Governing Board of the International Association of Law Schools** and has been involved with the Global Judicial Institute on the Environment, supported by the UNEP and IUCN. In recognition of his exemplary contribution to law, he was awarded a **Lifetime Distinguished Fellowship at Jindal Global Law School in India**. In 2019, he was named the **Bright International Jurist-in-Residence at the University of Hawai'i School of Law**.

As an experienced arbitrator and mediator, Dr. Ugirashebuja's expertise has extended to East African integration and international law. He is also deeply committed to environmental law,

working with organizations like **ClientEarth**, a global environmental legal movement. His work has transcended borders, earning him recognition as an international jurist and contributing to the development of legal frameworks that uphold justice and sustainable development across regions.

#### **4. Dr. Prakash Rao**

Dr. Prakash Rao is a distinguished expert in the fields of energy, environmental management, and sustainability, with over 40 years of experience. Holding a **Ph.D. from the University of Bombay**, India, Dr. Rao has led pivotal projects focusing on climate change, energy, and natural resource management. He has headed WWF-India's Climate Change and Energy Programme, driving global research and policy initiatives. A prolific author with more than 85 research papers, book chapters, and four books, including on the environmental impacts of tourism, Dr. Rao is also the **Deputy Director of the Energy and Environment Programme at Symbiosis Institute of International Business, Pune**.

In his academic career, he teaches courses on ESG, climate change, corporate sustainability, and environmental frameworks. Dr. Rao is also the **Head of the Symbiosis Centre for Climate Change and Sustainability (SCCCS)**, coordinating sustainability projects for the university, including a campus-driven sustainability certification with the 2000 Watt Smart Cities label from Switzerland. His expertise is frequently sought by the corporate sector for advisory roles on environmental sustainability. Passionate about advancing sustainability in education, he also emphasizes climate education in higher education institutions.

Dr. Rao's contributions extend beyond academia to global sustainability dialogues, as he serves as the Deputy Editor of the *International Journal of Agricultural Resources, Governance, and Ecology* and is involved in various consultancies focused on environmental resource management.

#### **Proposed Chapters / Papers: Titles and Authors**

A total of 12 research papers/book chapters are proposed

#### **Chapter / Paper 1: Two Shades of the Green Deal: A Comparative Study of Nature Restoration Frameworks in the European Union and India**

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Chapter / Paper 3: Harmonising Solar Ambitions: India's Path to Sustainability through E.U. Policy Synergies

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Chapter / Paper 5: EU's Renewable Energy Communities and India's Community Energy Initiatives: A Comparative Analysis

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Chapter / Paper 6: Integrating Traditional Ecological Knowledge (TEK) in Legal Frameworks for Sustainable Management of the Commons

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Chapter / Paper 7: Sustainable Urban Development and Green Infrastructure: Policy Approaches and Case Studies

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Chapter / Paper 8: Electric Vehicles and the Sustainability Paradox: Addressing the Environmental Toll of Lithium-Ion Batteries

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Chapter / Paper 9: A Bibliometric Analysis of European GreenDeal and National Action Plan on Climate Change

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Chapter / Paper 10: Viability of criminalizing ecocide: A case study of European Union

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Chapter / Paper 11: Catalyzing Global Climate Action: Exploring the role of Corporate Social Responsibility in Mitigating Climate Change

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Chapter / Paper 12: Critical analysis of Indian Taxation Regime vis-à-vis European Union Green Tax Policies

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## V. MOOC

One of the major objectives in terms of the teaching activities was to plan, organize and deliver a MOOC (Massive open online course), which is an e-learning course, for the benefit of large number of beneficiaries and for the long-term and sustainable impact of the Jean Monnet Chair project funding by the European Union.

The MOOC course is developed using 21st Century Teaching pedagogies having participatory content like reflection points, online polls, quiz, mind maps among other for all stakeholders for raising awareness regarding the subject and build capacity.

The MOOC course is titled as “EU Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy”. It is designed and created under the Jean Monnet Chair Project EUC-LAMP by Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur. Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur and some of the European and Indian experts have contributed to the contents of the MOOC and recorded their sessions.

The editing of the recorded sessions and adaptation for the MOOC platform was done with the help of in-house team of faculty and students and also by taking assistance of the service provider such as SRV Media, India for which the co-funding of Symbiosis Law School, Pune, SIU (SLS Pune-SIU) was used.

The MOOC was pilot tested and also reviewed by a climate change law and policy expert Prof. Dr. T R Subramanya. The feedback received from the students and the external expert review were successfully incorporated before fine tuning the contents to be made available on the MOOC portal.

The MOOC is in the process of being published and will be fully accessible soon (July 2025) at <https://microvet-vle.eu/> MicroVET Virtual Learning Platform with whom the SLS Pune-SIU has signed a Memorandum of Understanding and Code of conduct. The MOOC will be made available to the students of SLS Pune, SIU and to the general community at large. Students from European and Asian Countries as well as from any part of the world can access this course for free that is developed under the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP.

One of the greatest medium-term and long-term benefits of the MOOC or the e-learning course developed under the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP is that it is free and open to national as well as international students. The differently abled students such as access disabled, or those with learning disability, economically disadvantaged, or any other vulnerable participants due to gender, age, disease, location and affordability can take benefit of this course. The MOOC provides self-paced learning opportunity to one and all without any discrimination of bias.

The MOOC will be available for years to come even after the completion of the Jean Monnet Project EUC-LAMP and will be updated continuously so as to reflect the state of the art in the field.

### a) Designing of the MOOC

The designing of the MOOC was started in the 24<sup>th</sup> month of the project, that is in February 2024. Professor Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, the Jean Monnet Chair Professor EUC-LAMP, undertook several key steps in the designing of the MOOC.

First of all, the title of the course, credits, its goal and audience of the MOOC was determined. To ensure a long-term impact and in alignment with the Jean Monnet Chair it was decided that

a two-credit course with multidisciplinary content must be developed. Thus, a course with the title “EU Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy” was decided by the faculty experts in a meeting chaired by the Jean Monnet Chair Professor.

The objective was that the course must be beneficial to the community at large including the undergraduate and post graduate students, and various professionals. During the meeting the learning objectives of the 2-credit course were also drawn up.

This curriculum of MOOC was adapted from the curriculum of the two courses: 1) A 2 credit course on Environmental Law, that is mandatory course as per the Bar Council of India for the UG students; 2) Certificate programme on “EU Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy” that was initially designed and accredited for the third teaching activity carried out under the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP. The two curricula had undergone extensive review by external experts and the Board of Studies process that is followed for adoption of any new curricula at SIU. Both these courses are conducted in a blended learning format where traditional face-to-face as well as online medium is used. For MOOC purposes a simpler version of the curriculum was created to fit the learning outcomes of MOOC and to cater to a larger and diverse learners.

Over a few weeks after intense discussion and consideration, and based on the learning objectives the curriculum outline was designed for the MOOC. Further, the manner in which the course contents will be developed and delivered was discussed and finalized. It was emphasized that 21<sup>st</sup> Century teaching and learning pedagogies must be used. The MOOC would provide asynchronous learning opportunity where the participants would be free to learn at their own pace, without real-time interaction. Further, it was decided that skill building activities must be ensured through activities and assessments.

It was further planned that MOOC would involve teaching videos, activities and guided independent study in the ratio of 1:1.5:2.5 respectively. Thus, for 2 credits the teaching videos will be of 6 hours, activities of 9 hours and guided independent learning of 15 hours, thus total would be 30 hours delivery for 2 credits course.

It was planned that the teaching videos should be created in such a way that it would keep the learners engaged during the delivery of conceptual and foundational understanding of the subject. The teaching videos should be short and must range between 5 mins to 20 mins duration only. This decision was taken because short, focused learning videos are more effective in an online learning environment. They capture the attention for the said duration, enhance engagement, improve knowledge retention and offer flexibility for learners.

The plan for activities was that the learners would be given reflection points, online quiz and games, and these would be used as formative assessments, that is to guide learning and provide feedback during the learning process. While there would be other kinds of activities designed such as quizzes, problem-solving assignments, essay, project or case analysis which will be graded and form a part of the summative assessments to evaluate the learning outcomes at the end of a learning period.

Guided independent study would be the essential reading material and other types of contents. Optional readings and content would also be made available for more advanced learners.

The MOOC course ultimately designed and developed would be able to develop a range of 21<sup>st</sup> century skills, including critical thinking, creativity, problem-solving, adaptability, self-direction, information literacy, initiative, flexibility, and written communication among others. The course description and the curriculum outline designed are provided in detail in the fourth deliverable report submitted to the EU Portal.

#### b) Preparing contents and recording of the MOOC

The activity of preparation of the contents was soon taken up in the month of May 2024 after the designing was completed in April 2024.

The content preparation involved preparing power point presentations after thorough topic related research. Simultaneously also the reading material was being prepared and folders with essential reading list and open access copies of the material were used. This step of content development was carried out by the Jean Monnet Chair Professor with the help of teaching and research assistants. The process of content development was carried out in the month of May and June 2024.

A few external experts who delivered sessions during the certificate programme that was carried out as a teaching activity under the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP, gave permission to record their sessions for the MOOC purposes. These experts were mainly from the climate change management and EU Climate Change Law and Policy field.

The recording of the video sessions for the MOOC purposes began in July and was completed by the month of December 2024. The recording was carried out using inhouse tools such as the MS power point and smartboards. A limited number of sessions were recorded by an external videographer.

Once all the sessions recording was completed an external media company “SRV Media” was contracted to do the editing of the videos. This media company was outsourced 50% of video content development. The expenses of the outsourcing / sub-contracting to the media company were borne by the Symbiosis Law School, Pune, SIU under the co-funding expenses. The remaining 50% of video content was edited in-house with the assistance of four teaching assistants and four undergraduate students of Symbiosis Law School, Pune. Editing of the videos by the external and the in-house team was carried out from January to June 2025. As the number of videos were small and large, the editing of the videos took 6 months’ time. There are approximately 60 to 70 videos (each ranging between 5 minutes to 25 minutes) that are being vetted for final publication for MOOC purposes.

For the purpose of editing the recorded video sessions it was decided to create artboard frames which will be used uniformly to display all the video contents that are used for the MOOC purposes.

Thus, three artboard frames were planned and designed:

- 1) Artboard 1 Frame would display the MOOC name “EU Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy”, the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP logo, the Jean Monnet Chair Project Number, information related to the co-funding by EU, and a disclaimer that the contents and opinions were those of the authors and not that of EU or EACEA.

- 2) Artboard 2 Frame would display the above information in Frame 1 with further information related to the topic of discussion, name of the instructor, and photo of the instructor.
- 3) Artboard 3 Frame would guide the participant to the next steps of the MOOC that is to read the essential readings and answer the fun quiz.

All the aforementioned artboard frames designed for the purposes of the MOOC are displayed in the next two pages.

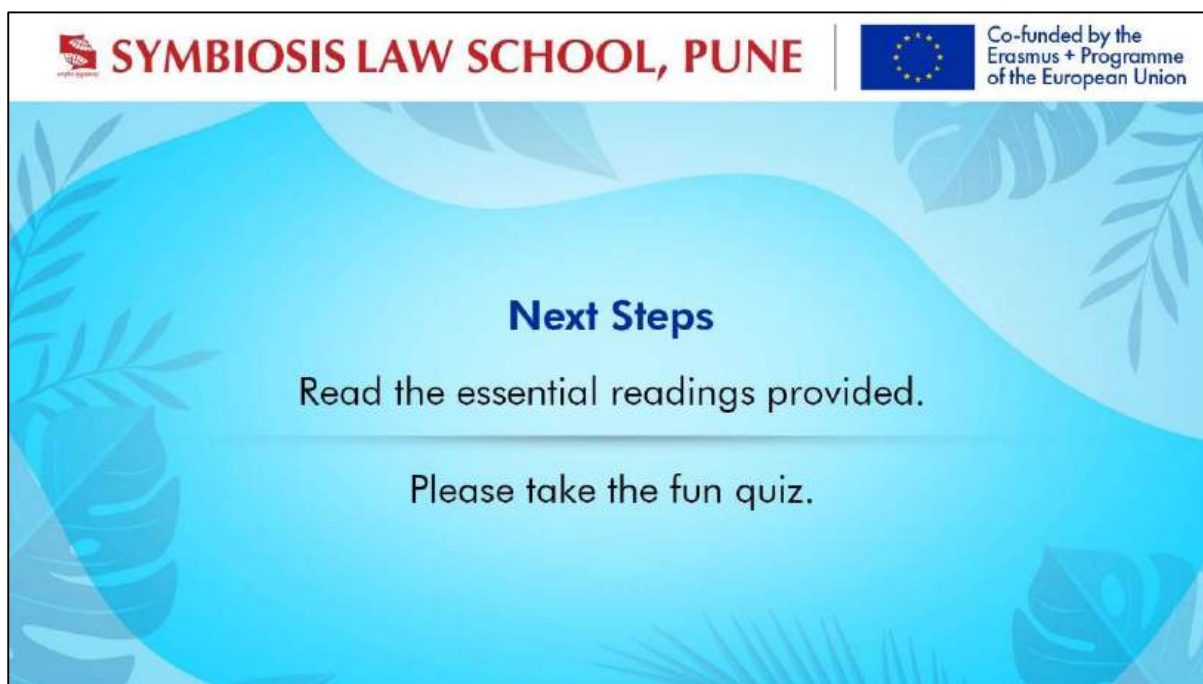
### Artboard Frame 1 created for MOOC

<p><b>EU Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management &amp; Policy</b></p>  <p><b>Massive Open Online Course (MOOC)</b></p> <p><small>Co-Funded by Erasmus+ Programme of the European Union. Views and opinions expressed are however those of the author(s) only and may not reflect those of the European Union (EU) or the European Education and Culture Executive Agency (EACEA). The EU or the EACEA cannot be held responsible for them.</small></p> <p><b>SYMBIOSIS INTERNATIONAL (DEEMED UNIVERSITY)</b></p>	<p><b>SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL, PUNE</b></p> <p><b>JEAN MONNET CHAIR EUC-LAMP</b></p> <p>EU Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management &amp; Policy</p>  <p>Co-funded by the European Union</p> <p><b>Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP (Project No. 101048047)</b></p>
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### Artboard Frame 2 created for MOOC

<p><b>EU Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management &amp; Policy</b></p> <p>TOPIC</p> <p><b>Introduction to the EU Internal Market</b></p> <p>INSTRUCTOR</p> <p><b>Dr. habil. Przemyslaw Tacik</b></p>  <p><small>Co-Funded by Erasmus+ Programme of the European Union. Views and opinions expressed are however those of the author(s) only and may not reflect those of the European Union (EU) or the European Education and Culture Executive Agency (EACEA). The EU or the EACEA cannot be held responsible for them.</small></p> <p><b>SYMBIOSIS INTERNATIONAL (DEEMED UNIVERSITY)</b></p>	<p><b>SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL, PUNE</b></p> <p><b>JEAN MONNET CHAIR EUC-LAMP</b></p> <p>EU Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management &amp; Policy</p>  <p>Co-funded by the European Union</p>  <p><b>Dr. habil. Przemyslaw Tacik</b></p>
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### Artboard Frame 3 created for MOOC purposes



#### c) Pilot test and review by external expert

The content that was developed in the form of power points, reading material and activities was pilot tested during the conduct of the teaching activity of the certificate programme offered during the 3<sup>rd</sup> cycle of the academic year of implementation of the Jean Monnet Chair project.

#### Student numbers and Student's Profile

There were 18 students who registered for the 3<sup>rd</sup> cycle of certificate programme that was offered under the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP teaching activity. Among the students 3 were PhD Scholars, 3 were postgraduate students, and 13 were undergraduate students. Out of the 2 PhD Scholars, one is a Founder and CEO of Techdivine Creative Services, who has guided Fortune 500 firms, academic institutions and NGOs across APAC, Europe, North America and the Middle East. This PhD scholar is a marketing strategist and sustainability expert with 22 years of global experience, author of two books and published several reviewed research pieces including in the Harvard Business Review. The second PhD scholar is pursuing his PhD in the area of Solar Distributed Renewable Energy (DRE) system adoption and Energy consumer behaviour in Indian Rural households. The 3 postgraduate students were pursuing their Masters in Law at the Symbiosis Law School, Pune, SIU. From the remaining undergraduate students, it is important to note that the students came from diverse backgrounds and different parts of India.

#### Feedback

A google form for collecting the feedback from the students was circulated. The students provided valuable feedback regarding the contents, activities and the speakers. One of the PhD Scholars while giving overall feedback of the course stated that “The course had exceptional

faculty, case studies, practical examples, discussions, quiz and assignments. Fantastic support from the entire team and insightfully refreshing learning through the program. Thank You.”

Another under graduate Student from a different university stated “The certificate programme was a valuable learning experience. The course content was well-structured, comprehensive, and relevant to real-world applications. The teachers were knowledgeable, approachable, and supportive throughout the journey. Overall, it was a well-organized programme. Thank you for the opportunity!”

One of the other course students stated “The quality of the content, the expertise of the teachers, the range of activities, and the structure of the assessments in the certificate programme were highly satisfactory. The sessions and assessments provided valuable learning opportunities, and the overall experience was enriching and beneficial.”

A master degree student pursuing law stated “During the lectures made available to us, I was able to gather a lot of information that otherwise may have been difficult to come across. It really helped that there were participants from different backgrounds leading to questions that would not have come to me or to the class had it been restricted to only one stream of education/profession. Kudos to the faculty who answered all my queries with great patience, especially Dr. Parashu.”

### **Selection of recordings for MOOC**

Based on the feedback received regarding the speakers and their contents, only few of the recordings of the external experts who took some sessions during the certificate programme were selected and only those were further processed for the purposes of editing and making them ready for the MOOC purposes.

Following were the criteria for selection of the recorded sessions for the purpose of editing –

- clarity of speech,
- relevance of content,
- excellence in communication and
- capability to engage and hold the attention of the online non-interacting audience.

### **Review by external expert**

An external expert from the field of Environmental and Climate Change Law and Policy, Prof. Dr. T R Subramanya, Dean, School of Legal Studies, CMR University, Bangalore, India was requested to review the curriculum and contents developed for the MOOC and provide his valuable suggestions. Prof. Subramanya is the author of the book titled ‘Hazardous Substances in India and the World: Legislations, Frameworks and Management’ published by Routledge, United Kingdom, released in UK in May 2021 and in India in August of the same year. His full profile can be accessed here at this URL <https://ls.cmr.ac.in/faculty/dr-t-r-subramanya/>.

### **d) MOOC Published and available**

For the publication of MOOC, a lot of research was done for choosing the best platform that will provide good quality standards for course creator as well as that will not charge any participant and make the MOOC available for free.

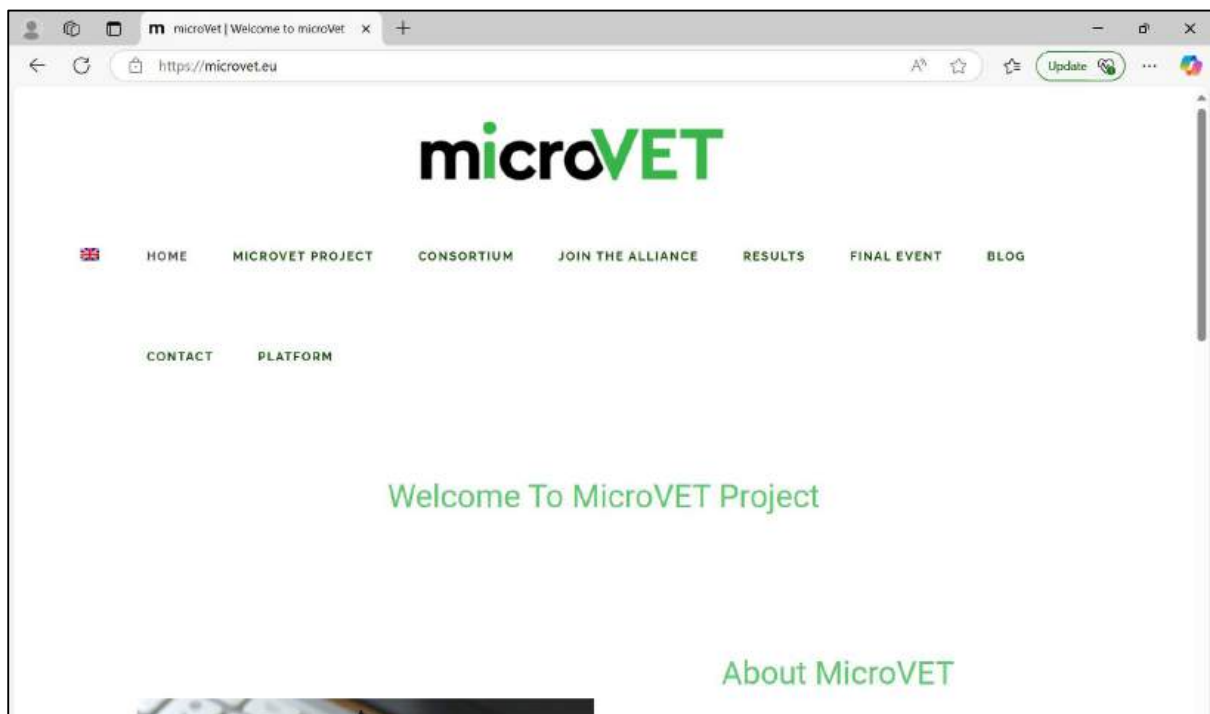
The connect with NOVEL Group, an IT Consulting company based out of Lithuania Europe, that was established under the Erasmus+ CBHE Project called the “21stTeachSkills” in the earlier years, provided us the opportunity to host the MOOC on the MICROVET platform that was specifically developed under another European Project called “MicroVET Project”.

We approached the Novel Group in February 2025 with our request of hosting the MOOC on the MicroVET Platform and they at the earliest provided the code of conduct and the Memorandum of Understanding to be signed by our university (SIU) and the European School Heads Association (ESHA). ESHA is a European non-profit organisation with its registered address at Herenstraat 35, 3512 KB Utrecht, the Netherlands, and it had the signing authority on behalf of the members of the MicroVET consortium, the founders of the European Alliance for Microcredentials.

The signed copies of the code of conduct and the Memorandum of Understanding were delivered to ESHA on 11<sup>th</sup> March 2025 for the purpose of hosting the contents on the MicroVET.eu platform.

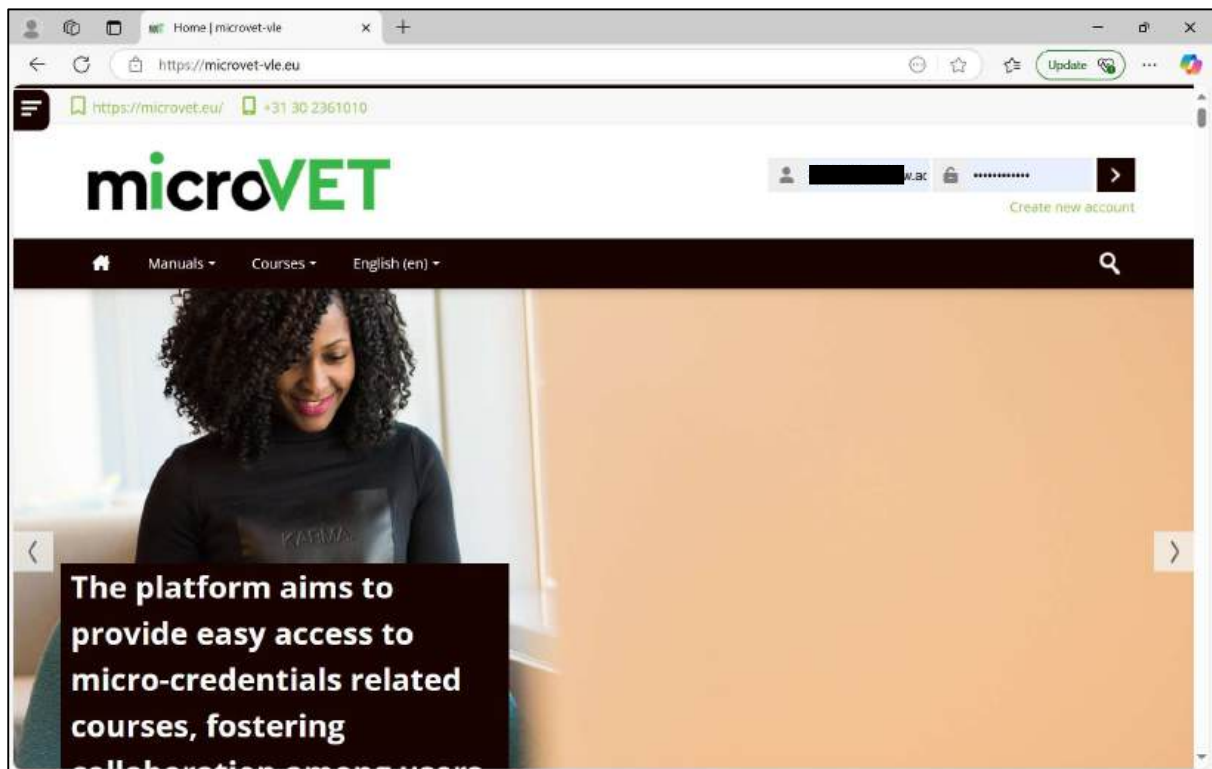
The microVET Project foresees to offer quality training opportunities that will address targeted needs and preferences, identified via multi-sectoral needs analysis, hence provide highly relevant and applicable training. The same applies for both trainers that will improve their capacity in developing and delivering courses linked to micro-credentials, as well as trainees/learners who will attend the courses and validate the learning outcomes.

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From the above microvet project’s platform, the microvet’s virtual learning environment (VLE) can be accessed.

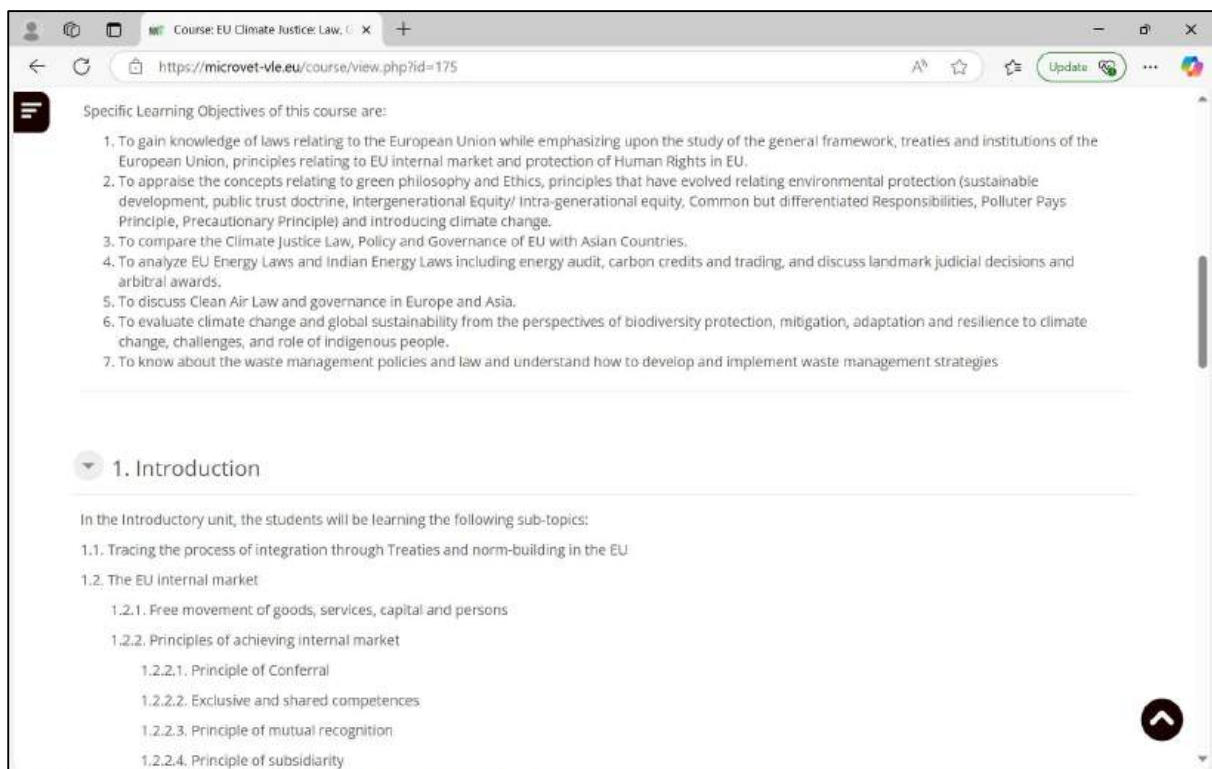
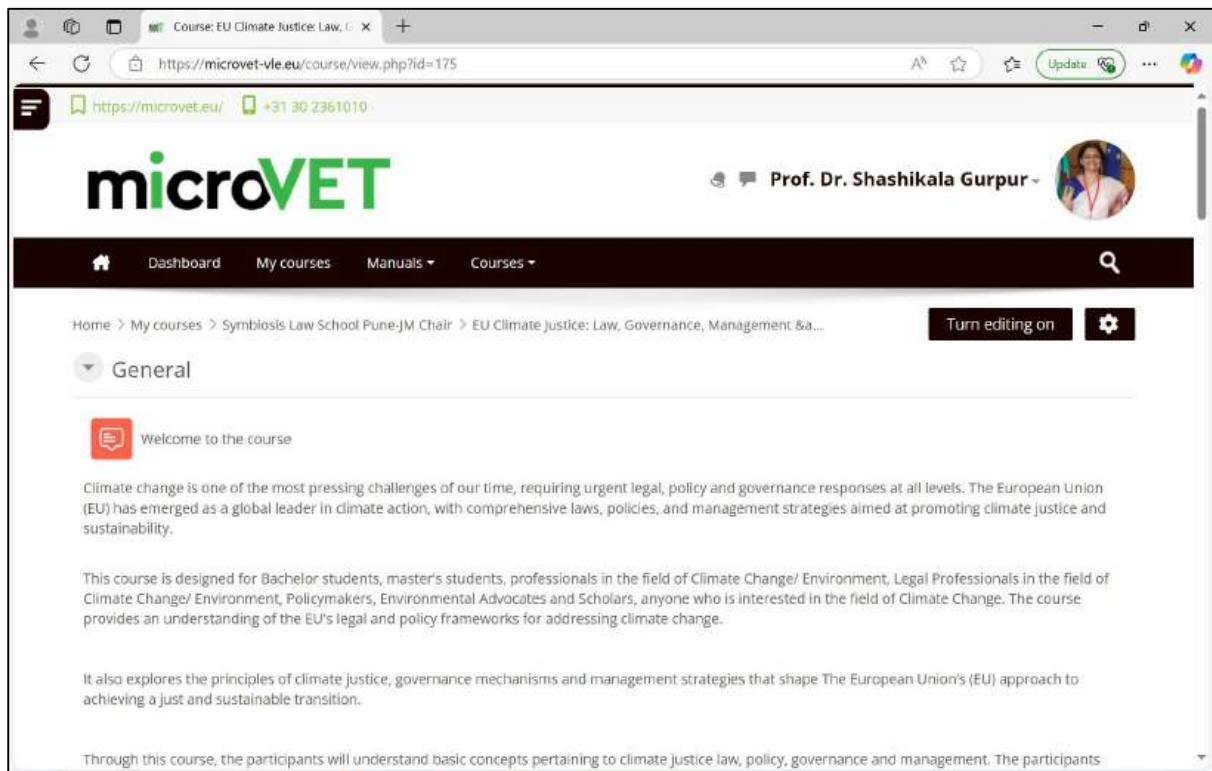
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**Below is the screenshot of the availability and accessibility of the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP MOOC course at the Microvet-vle.eu platform**



**Following are some of the screenshots of the MOOC course made available and accessible by the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP Professor Dr. Shashikala Gurpur at the microvet-vle.eu platform**



Currently the Jean Monnet Chair team is in the process of publishing the entire course with the videos, reading material, reflection points, activities and assessments on the microvet-vle.eu

platform. The MOOC will be fully made available and accessible on the microvet-vle.eu platform maximum by the first week of July 2025.

**e) Communication and outreach to stakeholders regarding MOOC free access**

The information regarding the MOOC's availability and accessibility will be disseminated across different faculty and departments to approximately of SIU which is home to approximately 40,000 national and international students. The information will be also emailed to all the national and international educational institutions in connect with Symbiosis Law School, Pune. Symbiosis Law School, Pune is a member of the International Association of the Law Schools (IALS), International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN) and Global Alliance for Justice Education (GAJE). Thus, the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP Professor Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, through its membership in these global networks via SLS Pune will announce the availability of the MOOC to ensure maximum publicity of this MOOC. This information will also be shared on website, social media platforms and email groups.

## VI. Side Activities & Events (including research, dissemination and awareness programmes)

A number of side events and activities were planned and successfully carried out by the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP Professor Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, besides carrying out the teaching activities, training programmes, publications and MOOC that are reported in the earlier sections of this final activity report.

The aim of the side events was to create awareness on climate change related issues, reach out to the diverse stakeholders, disseminate information about courses and programmes under the Jena Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP and create visibility and impact.

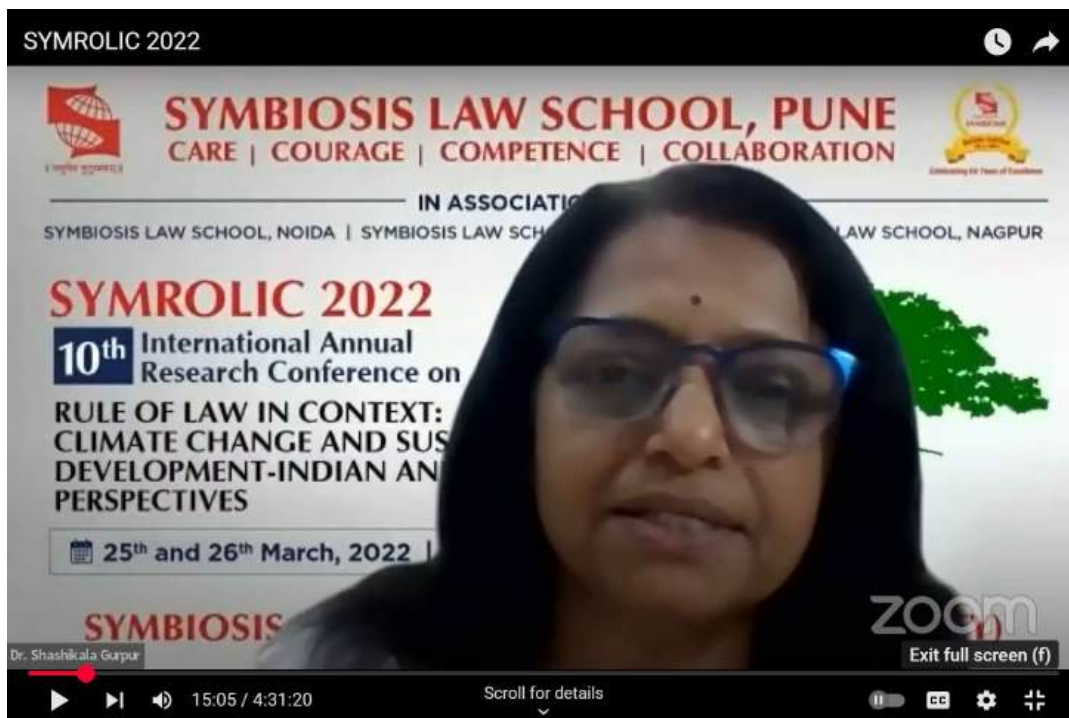
This section of the report provides the report and evidence of the following side events carried out over the three years of the JM Chair

- 1) SYMROLIC 2022 – 25<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup> March 2022 – Formal Announcement of start of Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP
- 2) JM Distinguished Speaker Programme – 22<sup>nd</sup> Aug 2022
- 3) JM Research Conference – SYMROLIC – 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> May 2023
- 4) International Mother Earth Day – Tree Plantation Drive – 21<sup>st</sup> April 2023
- 5) World Environmental Day – Awareness programme in rural school – 5<sup>th</sup> June 2023
- 6) JM Distinguished Speaker Programme – 23<sup>rd</sup> Sep 2023
- 7) Juristas International Essay Writing Competition – 31<sup>st</sup> Mar 2024
- 8) JM Research Conference – SYMROLIC – 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> May 2024
- 9) JM Distinguished Speaker Programme – 29<sup>th</sup> July 2024
- 10) JM Transnational Climate Justice Project (Based on pedagogy of COIL) – 2024-25
- 11) JM Conclave – 6<sup>th</sup> April 2024
- 12) Poster Making Competition and Social Media Campaign on the occasion of International Mountain Day – 11<sup>th</sup> December 2024
- 13) JM Distinguished Speaker Programme – 25<sup>th</sup> Feb 2025

### 1) SYMROLIC 2022 – 25<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup> March 2022 – Formal Announcement of start of Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP

Symbiosis Law School (SLS), Pune, a constituent of Symbiosis International (Deemed University), organized the 10th International Annual Research Conference on Rule of Law in Context: Climate Change and Sustainable Development-Indian and Global Perspectives' (SYMROLIC 2022) on 25th and 26th March, 2022. The event was conducted in association with SLS NOIDA, SLS Hyderabad and SLS Nagpur on the virtual platform, Zoom.

The objective of this interdisciplinary conference was to provide interface between law, climate change and life. Prof. (Dr.) Shashikala Gurpur *Fulbright Scholar*, Jean Monnet Chair Professor (EUC-LAMP), Director, Symbiosis Law School, Pune, Dean, Faculty of Law, SI(DU), extended a warm welcome to all dignitaries and audience. **She remarked upon the recently granted Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP funded by the EU** and called it a trajectory towards development in the next few years to come.



**Screenshot of Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, Jean Monnet Chair Professor addressing virtually the conference audience and making a formal announcement of award of the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP co-funded by the EU**

Mr. Manjeev Singh Puri, Former Indian Ambassador and Secretary to the Government of India, delivered the Chief Guest's address. Mr. Puri congratulated SLS Pune on the milestones achieved through the conference and appreciated the institution for being a perfect example of a new India. Mr. Puri also congratulated Dr. Shashikala Gurpur on her Glasgow Address and the Jean Monnet Chair Professor while also elaborating upon the importance of international collaborations in the present age. He said, "The EU could act as an exemplary model for India to emulate and reach greater heights considering the way we are going".

Dr. Kirsten H. Engel, Charles E. Ares Professor of Law, James E. Rogers College of Law University of Arizona, and the Guest of Honour delivered her address on the topic, Climate Change, and Sustainable Development- Recent developments in Climate Change Regulation in the United States with focus on the climate change and its consideration in the legal framework. Justice Mohan Pieris, Permanent Representative of Sri Lanka to the United Nations in New York, USA, and Guest of Honour spoke on the topic of the Role of the UN in combating Climate Change. Mr. Pieris remarked that the IPCC had warned of the consequences of climate change. Mr. Manjeev Singh Puri, Former Indian Ambassador and Secretary to the Government of India, and the Chief Guest proceeded to discuss on the topic, India, and Climate Change Negotiations. Mr. Puri remarked that "India as a country, has had a national and civilizational ethos, which is pro-environment and goes in our DNA."

After the plenary session, six tracks were conducted. Each day included three parallel tracks. In total 54 papers were presented along with 4 international papers. SYMROLIC 2022

embraced 18 intellectual resource persons for different tracks & Workshop which included 5 international and 13 national ones. Approximately total of 200 participants overall.

Track 1 was on the topic - **Law and Human Behaviour (Focal Area - Legal System & Stakeholder Behaviour with Respect to Law and Human Behaviour, Environmental Protection)**. This track included panelists **Dr. Y.S.R. Murthy, Vice Chancellor, RV University, Dr. Parul Rishi, Professor, Indian Institute of Forest Management and Dr. Gurudas Nulkar, Head- Symbiosis Centre for Climate Change and Sustainability**. The track included eight research paper presentations. The Paper “Law and Human Behavior (Focal Area – Legal System & Stakeholder Behaviour with Respect to Law and Human Behaviour, Environmental Protection)” authored by Varsha Bhagat-Ganguly (Professor, Institute of Law, Nirma University) and Karen Pineiro (Research Associate, MARAG) was adjudged as the best paper in Track 1.

Track 2 was on the topic **International Law, Policy and Governance (Focal Area - Climate Change, International Migration, Global Inequalities)**. The panelists included **Dr. Daniella Irrera, Associate, Professor of Political Science and International Relations, University of Catania, Italy; Dr. S. G. Sreejith, Professor and Executive Dean, Jindal Global Law School, O.P. Jindal Global University; and Dang Cong Cuong, Tran Thi Dieu Ha, Lecturer, Hue University, Vietnam. Dr. Przemslaw Tacik, Assistant Professor at the Institute of European Studies of the Jagiellonian University of Krakow, Poland**. The Paper “International Law, Policy and Governance (Focal Area - Climate Change, International Migration, Global Inequalities)” authored by Ms. Sunaina Sharma (Student SLSP), Prof. Lasya Vyakaranam (Assistant Professor SLSP) was declared as the best paper in Track 2. This track included eleven papers.

Track 3 was on the topic: **EU Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy (focal area- Climate Change, Cascading to Community, Corporate Compliances)**. The panelists included **Dr. Atanas Georgiev, Dean, Faculty of Economics & Business Administration, Sofia University; Dr. T R Subramanya, Dean, School of Legal Studies CMR University**. The track also included paper presentations on the broad theme of the track. The Paper “EU Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy (focal area- Climate Change, Cascading to Community, Corporate Compliances)” authored by Roshni Shinde, Student SLSP, Prof. Shubham Shandilya (Faculty SLS P) was announced as the best paper in Track 3. This track included six papers.

Track 4 was on the topic: **Public Law, Society and Governance with focus on Role of State, Business, Trade, Commerce, Management and Law**. It included panelists **Dr. Indrajit Dube, Professor, Rajiv Gandhi School of Intellectual Property Law, Indian Institute of Technology Kharagpur; and Adv. Hussian Nalwala, Co-founder and Partner CNS Juris**. After the panellist’s observations the papers were presented on the broad theme of this track. The Paper “Business, Trade, Commerce, Management and Law (focal area – Business, Global Climate change and Sustainable development, E-Commerce)” authored by Somya Dwivedi Student SLSP was announced as the best paper in Track 4. This track included thirteen papers.

Track 5 was held on the topic of **Innovation, Science, Technology and Law (focal area- AI, Data Science, Law Tech, 21st Teach Skills, Green Technology, Alternative Energy)**. The track included panelists **Dr. Manveen Singh, Associate Prof. Jindal Global Law School, Dr. Pavan Duggal and Adv. Supreme Court of India, Founder & Chairman of International**

Commission on Cyber Security Law, **Prof. Ankur Sharma**, Asst. Prof., SLS, NOIDA followed by the paper presentations. The Paper “Innovation, Science, Technology and Law (focal area- AI, Data Science, Law Tech, 21st Teach Skills, Green Technology, Alternative Energy)” authored by Fatima Lunawadawala, Student SLSP was announced as the best paper in Track 5. This track included five papers.

Track 6 was held on the topic of **Public Law, Society and Governance with focus on Role of State, Constitutionalism, Governance and Environment**. The panelists included **Advocate Sanjay Upadhyay**, Supreme Court Advocate, Founder and managing partner of the India’s first environmental law firm, Enviro Legal Defence Firm, **Prof. Yugank Goyal**, Associate Professor of Public Policy at FLAME University and **Prof. Henrico Radley**, Associate Professor, University of Western Cape, South Africa. The Paper “Public Law, Society and Governance (focal area- Role of State, Constitutionalism, Governance and Environment)” authored by Arpan Simer Swarup, Kriti Bhatia Student SLSP was announced as the best paper in Track 6. This track included eleven papers.

**Total Number of Paper Presentations: 54**

**Full Conference Proceedings available on YouTube on the following Link:**

<https://www.youtube.com/live/ozbrQFUcetc?feature=shared>

**Report Available on Website:** <https://www.symrolic.com/tenth-press-report>

**Coverage by Press Release:** <https://www.shiksha.com/news/law-symbiosis-law-school-organises-10th-international-annual-research-conference-blogId-87467>



**Screenshot of News Publication of SYMROLIC 2022 – and formal announcement of receiving the Jean Monnet Chair award and grant**

## 2) JM Distinguished Speaker Programme – 22<sup>nd</sup> Aug 2022

**Topic:** Strategic Nature of Climate Change Negotiation-A Manifestation of Power Play

**Resource Person:** Ambassador Manjeev Singh Puri, Former Deputy Permanent Representative of India to the UN PMI, Former Ambassador of India to the EU, Belgium, Luxembourg and Nepal.

**Date, Time and Venue:** 22nd August, 2022 - 11 AM to 12 PM IST - PDCLE Hall, SLS Pune

**Brochure/E-banner:**

**Brief report of the event:** Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, Jean Monnet Chair Professor (EUC-LAMP), Co-funded by EU, delivered the welcome address. Dr. Gurpur briefed the audience on the objective of Jean Monnet Distinguished Speaker Program, welcomed all and felicitated the Guest Speaker.

Ambassador Manjeev Singh Puri commenced his address by sharing his past experiences as an Indian Diplomat and Ambassador. He mentioned how the 2004 Kyoto Protocol changed the dynamics of climate change where the “the haves felt challenged by the have nots.” Mr. Puri cited examples of climate negotiations taking a front seat and is now being given the recognition of a magnum that it deserves. In addition to this, he also focused on the emission of Carbon Dioxide becoming an “intergenerational crisis”. Explaining the genesis of Climate Negotiations, Mr. Puri pointed the 1988 Resolution of the United Nations General Assembly setting things in motion for IPCC and Rio De Janeiro Protocol and giving rise to the idea of “common but differentiated liability”. Many other dynamics of climate change were discussed by the resource person. In his concluding remarks, Mr. Puri urged the audience to “act on climate change, on both adaptation and mitigation”.

The event concluded by a Q&A session between the attendees and Mr. Puri. The Vote of Thanks was delivered by Dr. Aparajita Mohanty, Deputy Director (Academics), SLS-P.

**Number of Participants: 270**

**Photos:**



Dr. Gurpur giving welcome address



Ambassador Manjeev Singh Puri giving the JM Distinguished Speaker Programme Address



Students engaging in Question & Answer Session

Detailed report available on website at

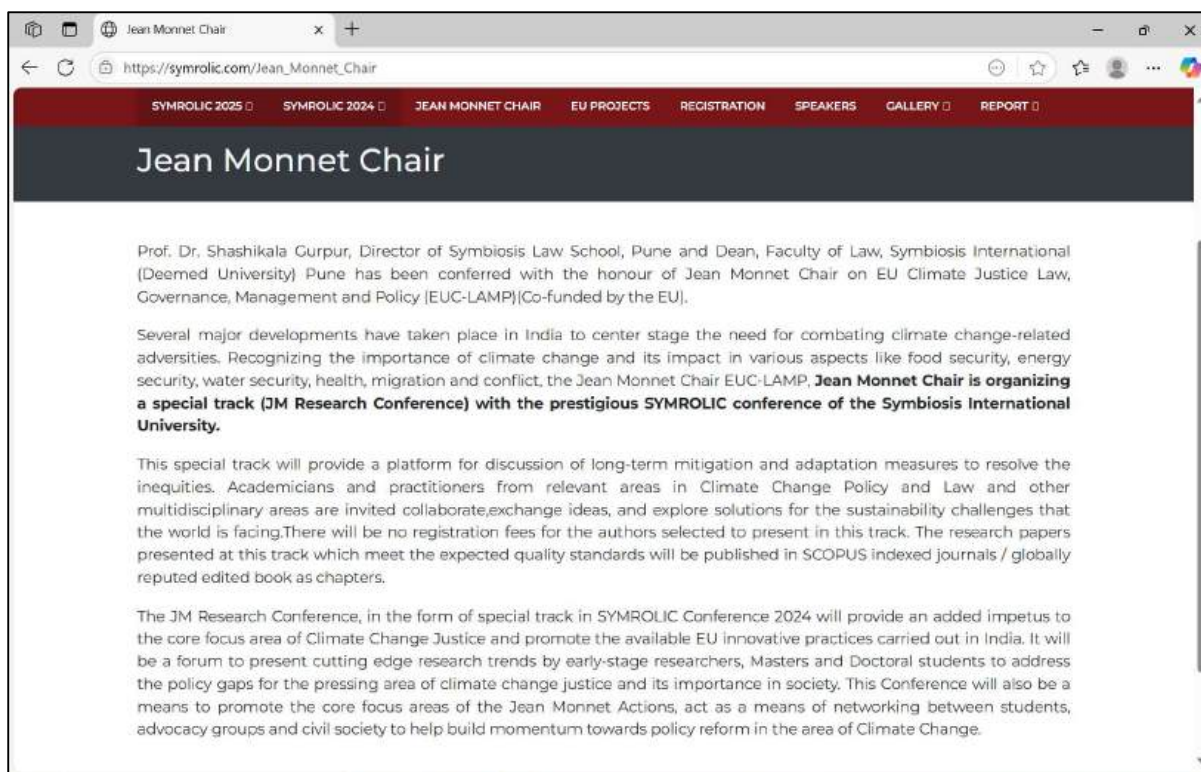
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### 3) JM Research Conference – SYMROLIC – 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> May 2023

The Annual National Conference organized by Symbiosis Law School, Pune, SIU began as a national conference showcasing in-house research, building on research excellence within and as an avenue for developing new ideas as well as updating research ideas with skills in 2012. In the later years as the popularity of the annual research conference grew it became an international and a multidisciplinary conference and was coined as Symbiosis International Conference on Rule of Law in Context (SYMROLIC).

The JM Chair Professor EUC-LAMP, Dr. Shashikala Gurpur decided to organize the JM Chair research conference as a special track (4) in SYMROLIC conference for strategic reasons being the existing popularity of the SYMROLIC Research Conference, established best practices of organizing the international conference and for maximum outreach by using and enhancing the contacts in the database of SYMROLIC conference.

The 11<sup>th</sup> edition of SYMROLIC conference, titled “11th Annual International Research Conference-Rule of Law in Context: Globalisation and Indian Resonances to Sustainable Development Goals” was organized on 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> May 2023. And the JM Research Conference as a special track 4 titled “EU Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy” was an integral part of it. The focal areas of the Track 4 were - Climate Change, Clean Water and Sanitation, Climate Action, Cascading to Community, Corporate Compliances, SDGs Lawyering, and reforms.



**Screenshot of SYMROLIC Conference Website – [www.symrolic.com](http://www.symrolic.com) with information on Jean Monnet Chair and it hosting a special track**

The JM Research Conference provided a platform for discussion of long-term mitigation and adaptation measures to resolve the inequities. Faced with the sustainability challenges, academicians and practitioners from relevant areas in Climate Change Policy and Law collaborated, exchanged ideas, and explored solutions. The conference highlighted how we can work together to ensure the well-being of all people while caring for our shared home through seminars, and presentation sessions. The JM Research Conference provided an added impetus to the core focus area of Climate Change Justice and promoted the EU innovative practices carried out by Indian Universities. It was a forum to present cutting edge research trends by early-stage researchers, Masters and Doctoral students to address the policy gaps for the pressing area of climate justice and its importance in society. This Conference also promoted the core focus areas of the Jean Monnet Actions, acted as a means of networking between students, advocacy groups and civil society to help build momentum towards policy reform in the area of Climate Change. JM Research Conference invited various stakeholders to discuss and deliberate on the challenges in achieving the SDG of Climate Action and included a networking event. The SYMROLIC research conference saw a participation from 200 – 300 delegates over a period of 2 days.

The research papers submitted under the JM Research conference were published as book chapters in an edited book titled “Rule of Law in Context: Globalisation and Indian Resonances to Sustainable Development,” published by Taylor and Francis, and were SCOPUS indexed.

**Number of Papers Presented in Track 4 – 8**

**Number of Paper Presenters (co-authors) – 16**

## Table Programme – depicting Inaugural of SYMROLIC 2023 by Jean Monnet Chair

 <p><b>Symbiosis Law School, Pune</b> Care   Courage   Competence   Collaboration <b>Symbiosis Centre for Advanced Legal Studies and Research (SCALSAR)</b> Symbiosis Law School, NOIDA   Symbiosis Law School, Hyderabad   Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur</p>		
<p><b>11th Annual International Research Conference-Rule of Law in Context: Globalisation and Indian Resonances to Sustainable Development Goals</b></p>		
<p>Date: 5<sup>th</sup> May &amp; 6<sup>th</sup> May, 2023 Venue (Hybrid Mode): SLS, Pune.</p>		
<p><b>INAUGURAL –10.30 AM TO 11.15 AM (IST)</b> (Venue: SLS, P and Zoom Platform) Compere: Prof. Lasya Vyakaranam, Assistant Professor, SLS, P</p>		
10.30 am – 10.35 am	Arrival of Dignitaries and Introduction	Compere – Prof. Lasya Vyakaranam, Assistant Professor, SLS, P
10.35 am –10.45 am	Welcome Address	Prof. (Dr.) Shashikala Gurpur <i>Fulbright Scholar</i> , <i>Jean Monnet Chair Professor (EUC-LAMP Co-funded by EU)</i> Director, Symbiosis Law School, Pune Dean, Faculty of Law, Symbiosis International (Deemed University).

## Table Programme – Track 4 – JM Research Conference on Day 2

<p><b>Track 4: EU Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy</b> (Focal area- Climate Change, Clean Water and Sanitation, Climate Action, Cascading to Community, Corporate Compliances, SDGs Lawyering, and reforms)</p>		
<p>Venue- PDCLE, SLS, Pune.</p>		
10.30 am – 10.37 am	Address to the Audience	Prof. (Dr.) T.R. Subramanya, Dean of CMR University School of Legal Studies, Bengaluru
10.37 am – 10.45 am	Address to the Audience	Przemyslaw Tacik, Poland
10.45 am – 12.50 am	<b>Paper Presentations</b>	
	<b>Presenters Name</b>	<b>Topic</b>
10.45 am-10.52 am	Goutam Puri & Karnika Shrivastava	Greening the Skies Strategies for Achieving Sustainable Aviation and Airport Operation
10.53 am-11.00 am	Manassvi Kesarwani, Sanjana Ray	Examination of Role of Wetlands in Reduction of Carbons and Legal Framework in Protecting Wetlands in India
11.01 am -11.07 am	Kanishk Bhavesh Gala, Arnika Dwiwedi	International River Pollution Panacea: Scope of Right to Water and Sustainable Development
11.08 am -11.14 am	Vindhya Gupta	Barriers to Green technology transfer in BRICS
11.15 am -11.21 am	Susmita Vadhavkar	Environmental Sustainability Vs. Economic Development
11.22 am - 11.29 am	Varun Pathak, Dr.Shashikala Gurpur, Dr. Aparajita Mohanty	Climate Change Policy: EU and ASEAN Perspective – Road Ahead
11.30 am - 11.37 am	Sridattha Charan, Dr. Aparajita Mohanty, Dr. Sujata Arya and Yash	Dissection of the Product Liability Regime: A Comparative Analysis of the European and the Indian Regime
11.38 am- 11.45 am	PS Ramamoorthy & PS Swarnalatha	Climate Change - From A South-Asian Perspective and Context
	Q & A	

**Photos from SYMROLIC 2023 and Track 4 JM Research Conference**



Dr. Shashikala Gurpur,  
Jean Monnet Chair  
Professor EUC-LAMP  
giving the welcome  
address during  
SYMROLIC 2023



Przemyslaw Tacik,  
Asst. Prof. of Law,  
Jagiellonian University,  
Poland

Dr. Prakash Rao, Head,  
Symbiosis Centre for  
Climate Change and  
Sustainability

Connecting online to  
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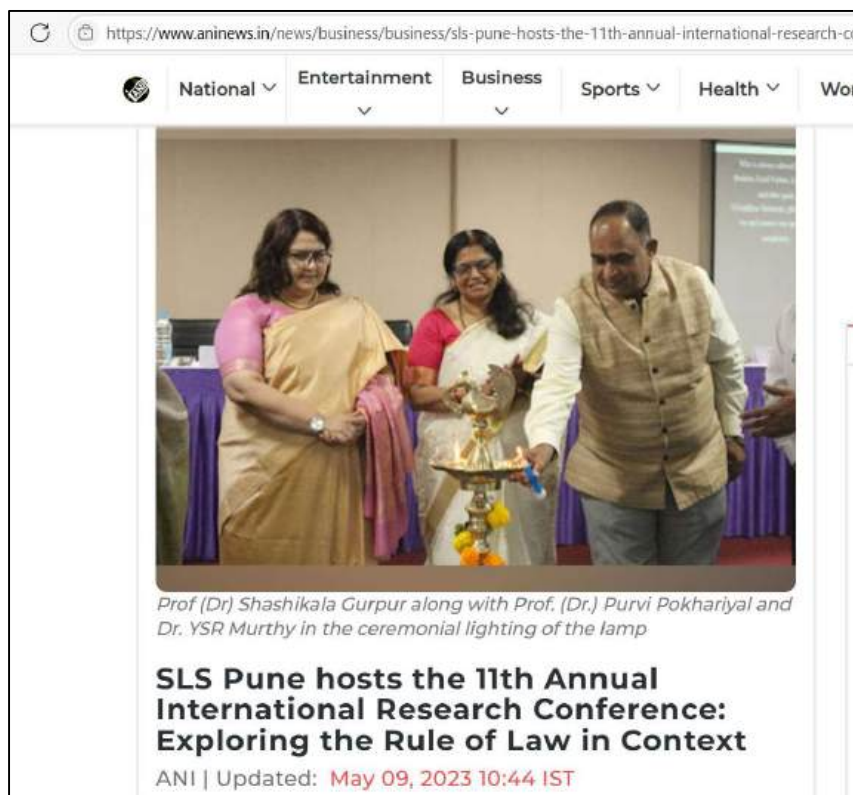
## Press Coverage of the SYMROLIC Conference 2023:

1. The Print – National News Agency – also mentioning the Track 4 winners  
<https://theprint.in/ani-press-releases/11th-annual-international-research-conference-rule-of-law-in-context-globalisation-and-indian-resonances-to-sustainable-development-goals/1591875/>



Screenshot of relevant part of the news of JM Research Conference from the above link

2. ANI NEWS – International News Media  
<https://www.aninews.in/news/business/business/sls-pune-hosts-the-11th-annual-international-research-conference-exploring-the-rule-of-law-in-context20230509104430>

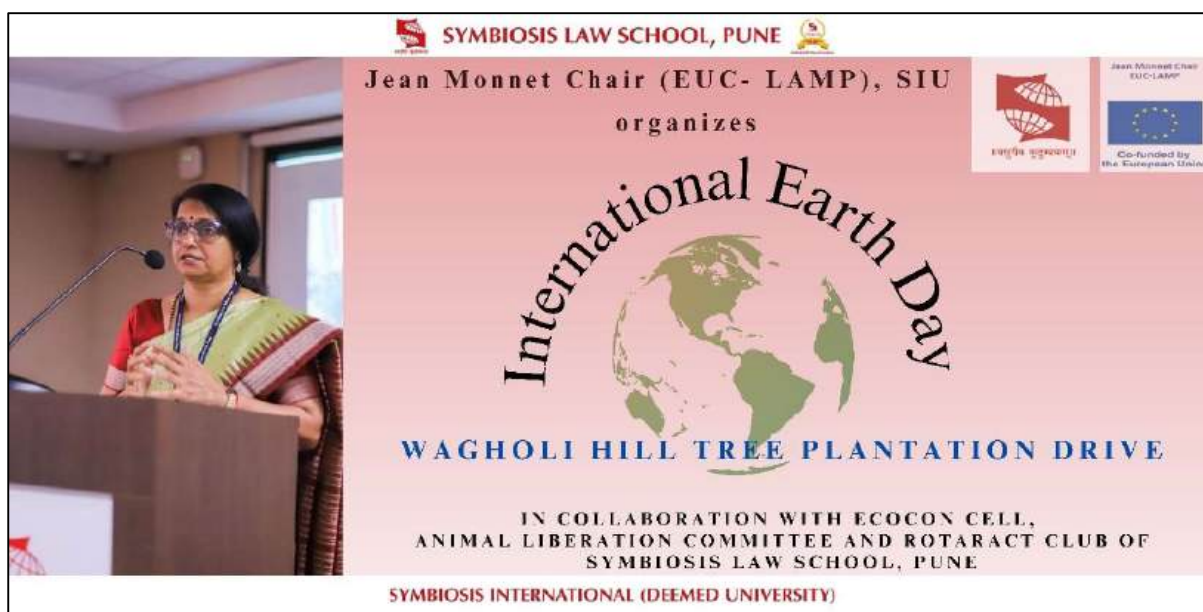


Screenshot of news reported in ANI News of the inaugural ceremony of SYMROLIC Conference 2023

#### 4) International Mother Earth Day – Tree Plantation Drive – 21<sup>st</sup> April 2023

On the occasion of the International-Earth-day, globally celebrated on 22nd April, a tree plantation drive was organized by the JM Chair EUC-LAMP on 21<sup>st</sup> April 2023 at Wagholi Hills area. The field visit was designed as an initiative to advocate awareness and training program for student groups to march ahead in the propagation of climate change, justice and law.

This activity was carried out in collaboration with a local NGO from Pune called Vruskhmitra Eco Warriors. The Student Cells of the Symbiosis Law School Pune, such as ECOCON Cell (Environmental Conservation Cell), Animal Liberation Committee and Rotaract Cell also collaborated in the tree plantation drive.



Banner designed and carried for the event of International Mother Earth Day – Tree Plantation Drive on 21<sup>st</sup> April 2023

The objective of the drive included harnessing best possible results from confederation of likeminded student initiatives alongside setting an example of student initiatives and resultant positive synergy for the posterity. Various initiatives in EU such as EU4Climate also advocates on partnership mechanisms for combating climate change. With reference to the background study, much before the conduct of the plantation drive, the relevant modules on the climate resilience were covered to make the students understand the exigent desideratum for such initiatives alongside the need to advocate for stricter enforcement of Environmental Protection legislations for climate justice and combat mechanism. Further, with reference to the plantation drive, notice was provided via bulk mail, intimating the students on the proposed plantation drive.

Specific objectives of the plantation drive were:

1. Increase the tree cover in the area.
2. Raise awareness about the environmental benefits of trees among the surrounding areas.
3. Encourage community participation in tree planting and conservation efforts.

4. Create a sense of ownership and responsibility for the planted trees.
5. Educate the community about the importance of taking care of trees and the environment.
6. Build a network of volunteers and stakeholders committed to long-term environmental sustainability.
7. Promote the use of sustainable resources and practices.

**Number of student Participants:** Approximately 120

**Photos:**



Group photo of some of the participants during the event



Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, JM Chair EUC-LAMP leading the tree plantation drive



Oath taken by all the participants to protect mother earth on the occasion of International Mother Earth Day during the tree plantation drive

### Learning from the event by the students:

1. Irrigation channels, pipeline mechanism and various techniques of water conservation such as rain water harvesting and storage of water in the tanks.
2. Community efforts as an aspect towards climate resilience, the need for the upcoming generations to take onus on the leadership towards climate change
3. Various kinds of plants / trees and identifying the right kind of plant based on the soil or ground and rain patterns
4. Weeds, their disadvantages and the need to eradicate weeds
5. Maintaining and increasing green cover responsibility.
6. Importance of waste management
7. The chain impact starting from deforestation – climate rise – Global warming and the correction mechanism via more vegetation

The event served as an enriching experience for various students for whom such field trip in hill and plantation was a first-time experience engaging with the soil and initiative towards nature connect.

The local NGO demonstrated how they manage to keep the entire hill clean and maintained it through frequent inspections.

**Detailed Report of the event:** available on <https://www.symlaw.ac.in/jmchair.php> under Activities of JM Chair sub-tab

Direct link on the website for detailed report is <https://www.symlaw.ac.in/assets/pdf/mother-earth.pdf>

## 5) World Environmental Day – Awareness programme in rural school – 5<sup>th</sup> June 2023

Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP SIU in collaboration with the ECOCON cell and Community Legal Care and Literacy Cell of Symbiosis Law School, Pune (SLS-P) SIU, celebrated the World Environment Day by conducting an awareness programme at the Venkateshwara School, Taluka: Haveli, Pune on 5<sup>th</sup> June 2023.

The objective was to raise environmental consciousness amongst the rural school students. After the welcome address, Mrs. Madhura Thombare, Principal, Venkateshwara School felicitated Prof. (Dr.) Shashikala Gurpur, Fulbright Scholar, Director, Symbiosis Law School, Pune, Dean, Faculty of Law, SIU, Jean Monnet Chair Professor (EUC – LAMP co-funded by EU).



Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, JM Chair Professor presenting appreciation certificate to the Venkateshwara School Principal Ms. Madhura Thombare

Prof. (Dr) Gurpur delivered the thematic presentation on the topic of “Impact of Climate Change: Green Philosophy and Lifestyle” in vernacular language Hindi to ensure that the rural school students would be able to understand easily. Prof. (Dr.) Gurpur spoke of the significance behind celebrating World Environment Day, starting from United Nation’s resolution till its theme for 2023. She further elaborated on the causes of climate change. In respect of the UN theme of World Environment Day, 2023, ‘Beat Plastic Pollution’ Prof. (Dr.) Gurpur engaged in an interactive discussion with the students of Venkateshwara School. She asked them questions related to the daily life activities and pointed out some simple mistakes that can be easily avoided to stop waste.



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## **World Environment Day 2023 Celebrations**

**Impact of Climate Change; Green  
Philosophy and Lifestyle**

**5<sup>th</sup> June 2023 | 10:00 AM - 12:30 PM**  
**Venue: Venkateshwara School, Haveli, Pune**



**Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, Fulbright Scholar**

Jean Monnet Chair Professor  
(EUC-LAMP co-funded by EU)  
Director, Symbiosis Law School, Pune  
Dean, Faculty of Law, Symbiosis  
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Presented By:  
Prof. (Dr.) Shashikala Gurpur, Fulbright Scholar,  
Jean Monnet Chair Professor  
Director, Symbiosis Law School, Pune  
Dean, Faculty of Law, Symbiosis International (deemed University)  
Former Member, Law Commission of India

Title slide of the power point presented in vernacular language Hindi delivered by Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur



Students of keenly Venkateshwara School listening to the awareness programme delivered by Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur



Students of Venkateshwara School seen across the entire hall. More than 200 school students listening to the awareness programme delivered by Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur

The session received a lively response from the students. Several videos in vernacular language of Hindi were shown as a part of the thematic presentation. The videos highlighted various practices that one, even children, can implement in their everyday lives to protect the environment a sustainable living. Prof. (Dr.) Gurpur further explained the idea of Green Philosophy which is a way of thought that prioritizes the environment and keeps its needs at the center of decision-making. Finally, she administered a pledge for the students present, “We won’t use plastic. We’ll eradicate it. We’ll use Green Philosophy and protect the planet and environment for the future generations.” The thematic presentation was followed by poetry, dance performances and story-telling sessions by the students of SLS-P, all of which focused on the environment protection. Sustainable pens made out of bamboo that can be sown after the use in the soil were gifted to school students. The vote of thanks was delivered by Dr. Trupti Rathi.

**Number of Participants:** 200 school students and SLS Pune 20 including faculty and students

**Detailed Report of the event:** available on <https://www.symbiosis.ac.in/jmchair.php> under Activities of JM Chair sub-tab

Direct link on the website for detailed report is <https://www.symbiosis.ac.in/assets/pdf/word-env.pdf>

### **Press Coverage**

[Symbiosis Law School, Pune, Takes a Stand for Environmental Awareness on World Environment Day - Punekar News](https://www.punekarnews.in/symbiosis-law-school-pune-takes-a-stand-for-environmental-awareness-on-world-environment-day/)

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## 6) JM Distinguished Speaker Programme – 23<sup>rd</sup> Sep 2023

**Topic:** The role of LULUCF (Land Use, Land Use Change, and Forestry) activities in the EU plans for accounting of GHG (Greenhouse Gas) emissions.

**Resource Person:** Dr. Justine Bendel, a Marie -Curie Research Fellow from the University of Copenhagen

**Date, Time and Venue:** 23<sup>rd</sup> September 2023 from 2:00 PM to 4:00 PM, Zoom Platform

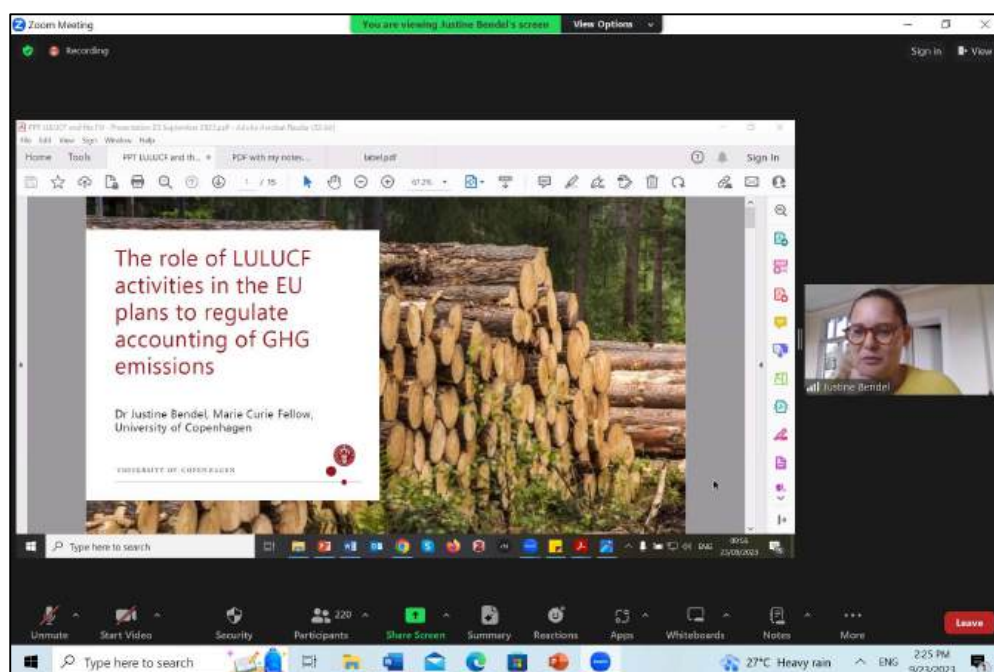
**Brief report of the event:** Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, Jean Monnet Chair Professor (EUC-LAMP), Co-funded by EU, delivered the welcome address. She emphasized SLS's commitment to sustainability and its engagement with various NGOs for capacity building. She discussed the initiatives undertaken under the Jean Monnet Chair and how it offers its faculty/ researchers/ students the opportunity to develop skills and philosophy through a 10-credit certificate programme. She went on to discuss the activities planned like the sustainability initiatives, round table conference, etc for capacity building.

Dr. Justine Bendel started her speech by telling the importance of forests from the climate change perspective. Since 2021, the regulations were passed for EU member states for achieving carbon neutrality. She went to discuss the meaning of forest and LULUCF, it includes five different land categories. She emphasized on the problems associated with forest and how many years it takes for a crop land to become a forest land. The emissions from agricultural land are not accounted in climate change while those from crop land are (politically sensitive issue; outside this regulation).

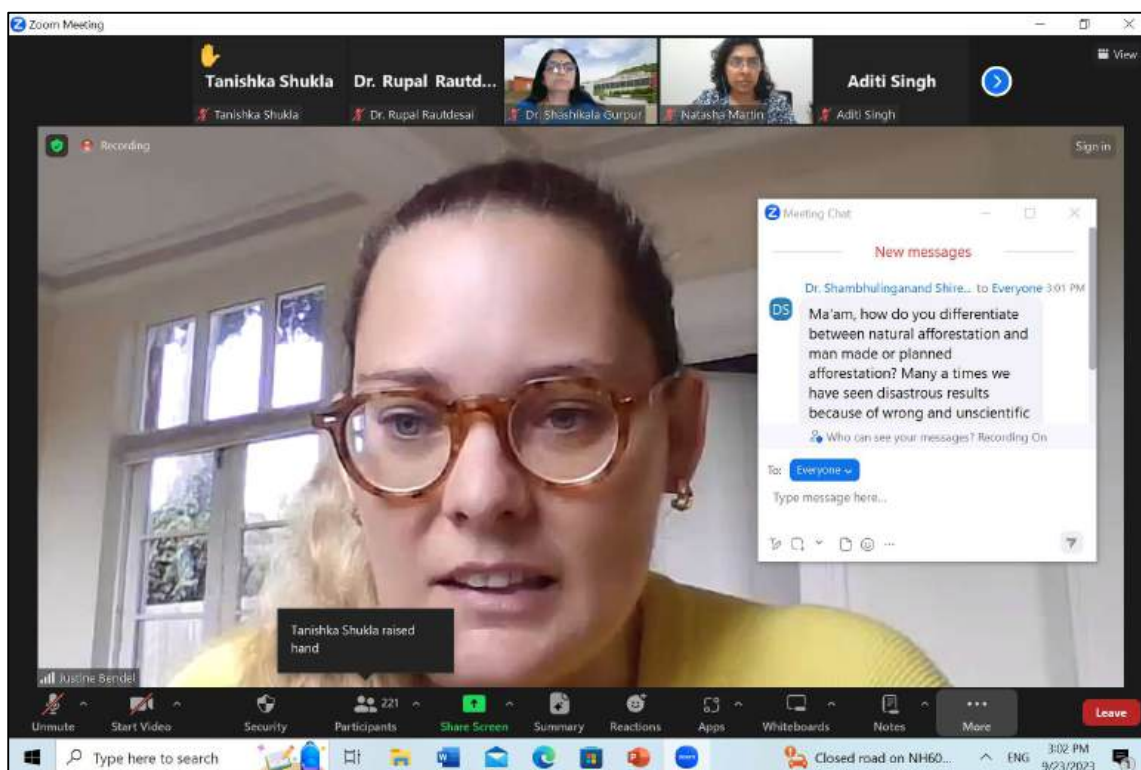
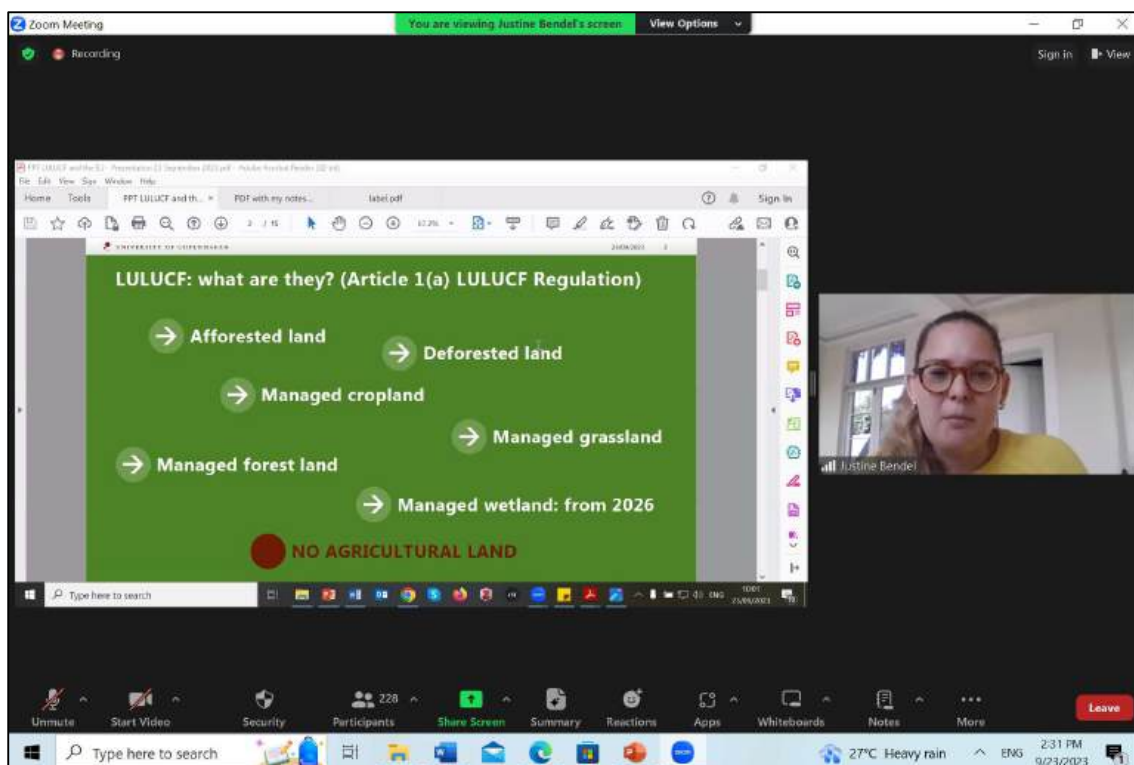
The event concluded by a Q&A session between the attendees and Dr. Justine Bendel. Vote of Thanks was delivered by Natasha Martin, Asst. Prof. SLS-P.

**Number of Participants:** 250

### **Photos:**



Dr. Justine Bendel  
giving the JM  
Distinguished  
Speaker Programme  
Address



Student asking online question on zoom platform after the session to Dr. Justine Bendel during JM Distinguished Speaker Programme Event

Report is published at the institution website under the JM Chair webpage under sub-tab of JM Chair Activities. The direct link to the report on website is at <https://www.symlaw.ac.in/assets/pdf/1-2.pdf>.

## 7) JURISTAS International Essay Writing Competition – 31<sup>st</sup> Mar 2024

JURISTAS 2024 aimed to foster critical thinking and engagement among students on pressing issues related to climate change. The competition sought to explore topics related to the role and responsibilities of youth in shaping climate change policy and activism, the accountability of businesses and industries in reducing carbon emissions and promoting sustainable practices, and the impact of climate change on indigenous communities. It emphasized the importance of inclusive policy-making, addressing the specific vulnerabilities of marginalized groups, and the responsibilities of various stakeholders in addressing the climate crisis. By facilitating intellectual discourse, the competition encouraged participants to propose actionable, innovative solutions that contribute to sustainable climate governance.

Following is the JURISTAS 2024 Brochure that were circulated/communicated among various colleges through email



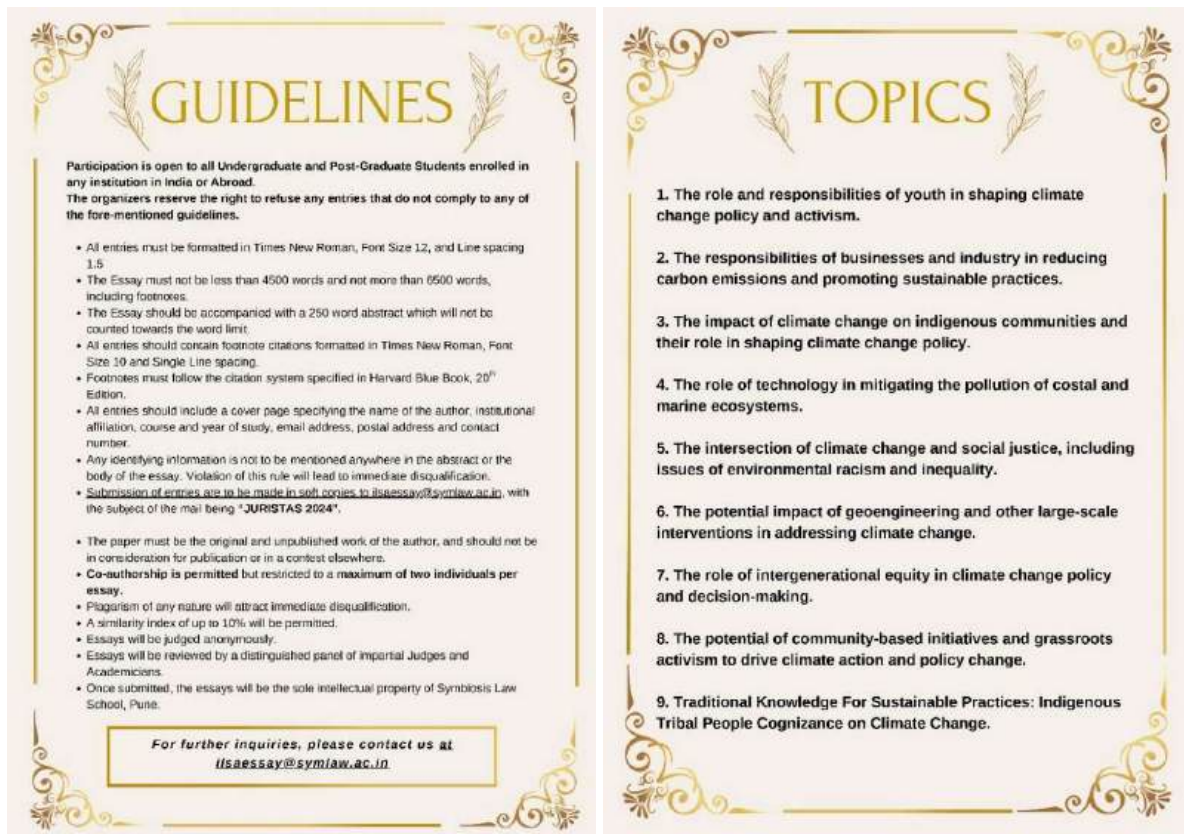
The brochure is a rectangular document with a white background and a decorative gold border. At the top left is the Symbiosis Law School, Pune logo, featuring a red globe and the motto 'प्रत्युपैय वदुस्वयम्' in Devanagari. To the right of the logo, the text reads 'SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL, PUNE' in bold red, followed by 'Constituent of Symbiosis International (Deemed University)' in black. Below this, smaller text states 'Established under Section 3 of the UGC Act, 1956 | Re-Accredited by NAAC with 'A++' grade | Awarded Category - I by UGC'. To the right of the main text is a blue logo for the 'JEAN MONNET CHAIR EUCLAMP' with the European Union flag below it.

The central text, enclosed in a gold decorative frame, reads: 'Jean Monnet Chair' in green, 'EU Climate Justice Law, Governance Management and Policy (EUC - LAMP)' in green, 'PRESENTS' in black, and '“JURISTAS 2024”' in large gold letters. Below this, it says 'INTERNATIONAL ESSAY COMPETITION' in black.

A gold-bordered box contains the prize information: 'PRIZES\*' in bold, 'First place - Rs. 15,000 /-' in bold, 'Second place - Rs. 10,000 /-' in bold, and 'Third place - Rs 5,000 /-' in bold. Below the prizes, it states 'All participating students will be issued participation certificates.' and '\*Prize money is subject to TDS.' in smaller text.

At the bottom, the text 'Deadline for submission: 9<sup>th</sup> June, 2024' is written in red.

Page 1 of JURISTAS  
2024 Brochure



Page 2 and 3 of JURISTAS 2024 Brochure

**Dissemination of Event:** Information about the event was also posted on various portals. The links of its publication on various portals are given below:

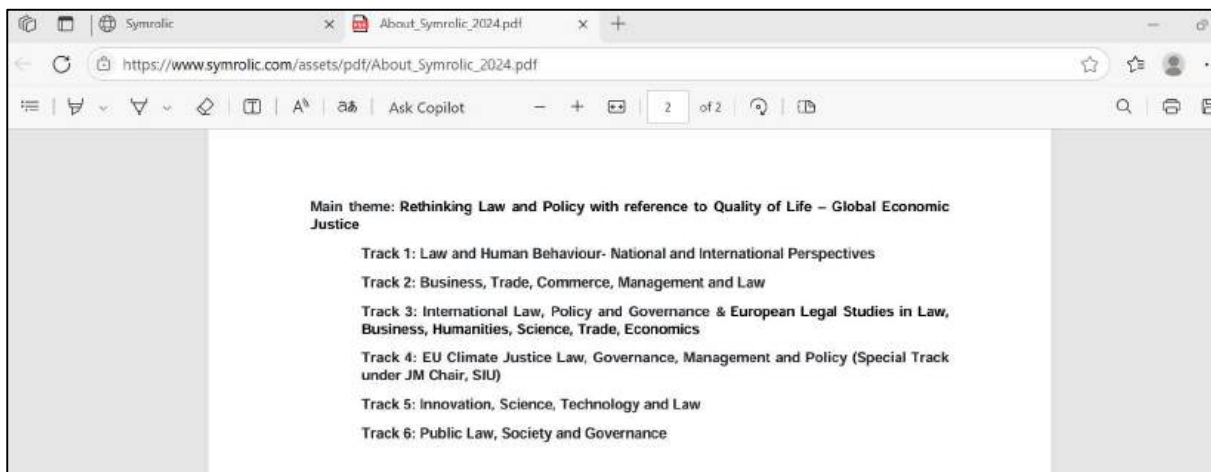
- On Lawctopus: <https://www.lawctopus.com/international-essay-competition-symbiosis-law-school-pune/>
- On Legally Flawless - <https://legallyflawless.in/jurista-2024-international-essay-competition-symbiosis-law-school-pune/>
- On Knowledgesteez - <https://knowledgesteez.com/2024/05/submissions-are-invited-for-juristas-2024-international-essay-competition-by-symbiosis-law-school-pune/>

**Number of Participants:** A total of 100 essays were submitted by participants from over 80 different institutes across the country, reflecting a diverse representation of students and young professionals committed to addressing climate justice.

**Diversity of Participants:** Participants hailed from various prestigious institutions across India, representing a broad range of academic backgrounds, states, and regions. This diversity enriched the competition, ensuring a wide array of perspectives on climate justice, policy making, and activism.

## 8) JM Research Conference – SYMROLIC 2024 – 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> May 2024

The 12<sup>th</sup> edition of SYMROLIC conference, titled “12th International Annual Research Conference on Rule of Law in Context: Rethinking Law and Policy with reference to Quality of Life as Global Economic Justice” was organized on 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> May 2024. And the JM Research Conference as a special track 4 titled “EU Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy” was an integral part of it. The focal areas of the Track 4 were - Rule of law and environmental justice; social justice and climate change; carbon footprints and climate responsibility; waste resource management and policy; EU courts and Climate justice; indigenous peoples’ rights; ESG and climate change; climate justice and child rights; climate diplomacy.



Screenshot of SYMROLIC Conference Website [www.symrolic.com](http://www.symrolic.com) under the tab SYMROLIC 2024—with information on Jean Monnet Chair being hosted as a special track



Above is a screenshot from the page 8 of SYMROLIC 2024 brochure displaying the themes of Track 4, from SYMROLIC Conference Website [www.symrolic.com](http://www.symrolic.com) under the tab SYMROLIC 2024

The full brochure of the SYMROLIC 2024 along with information on special track 4 based on Jean Monnet Chair being is available at [https://www.symrolic.com/assets/pdf/SYMROLIC\\_Brochure\\_2024\\_\\_.pdf](https://www.symrolic.com/assets/pdf/SYMROLIC_Brochure_2024__.pdf)

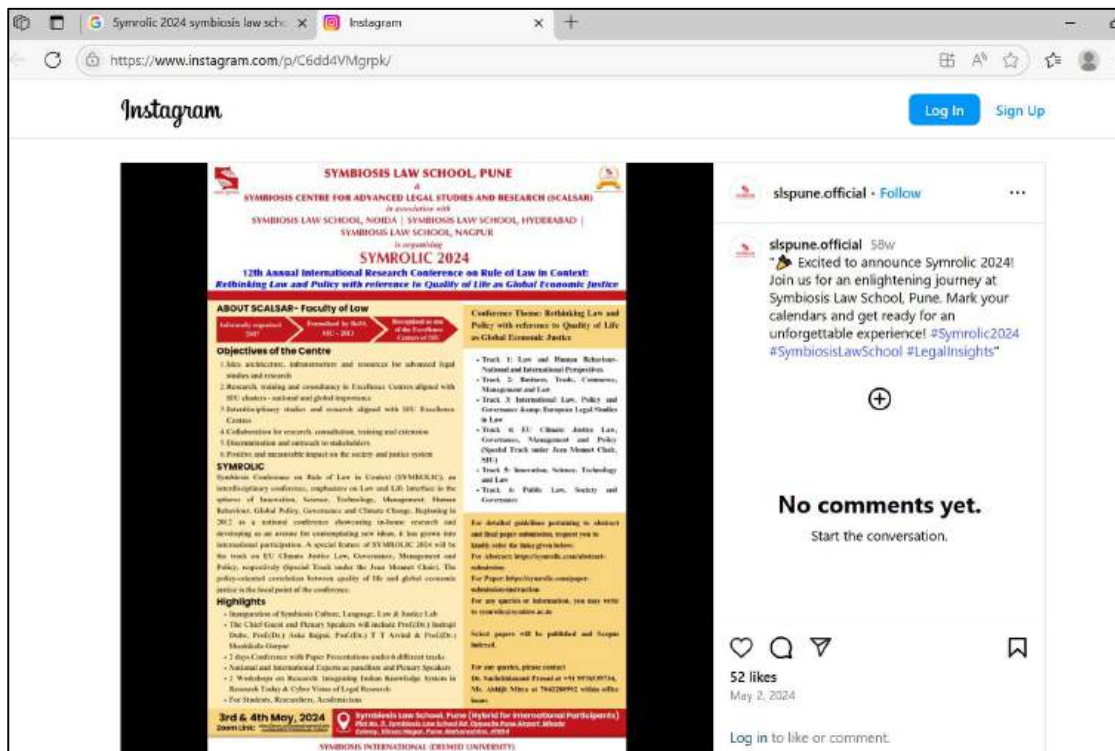
### ABOUT THE CONFERENCE

Symbiosis Conference on Rule of Law in Context (SYMROLIC) is an interdisciplinary conference which emphasizes Law & Life Interface in the spheres of Innovation, Science, Technology, Management, Human Behavior, Global Policy, Governance and Climate Change. The SYMROLIC's journey began as a national conference showcasing in-house research, building on research excellence within and as an avenue for developing new ideas as well as updating research ideas with skills in 2012. It grew into international participation by 2015. This has been drawing on Symbiosis International (Deemed University)'s new impetus to thrust areas, excellence centers and innovation. The conference held over the span of two days is specially designed to discuss and deliberate on various interdisciplinary areas and core issues and suggest the way forward to uphold the Rule of Law. A special feature of the conference will be the Plenary Session and Track 4. The Plenary session will focus on "Vulnerability – Equity, Equality, Gender Disability in Developed and Developing countries", "Role of AI in contributing or impeding quality of life – what role it can play?" and "Climate Justice and Child rights" and Track 4 which will focus on EU Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy respectively (Special Track under the Jean Monnet Chair). Besides this the conference along with other tracks will also have a track on European Legal Studies which is part of our ongoing projects where we welcome papers relating to European Studies in Law, Business, Humanities, Science, Trade, Economics and Climate Change.



Pg 5 of the SYMROLIC Conference Brochure regarding special track 4 relating to JM Chair EUCLAMP

Dissemination regarding SYMROLIC Conference through emails and social media such as Instagram, Facebook, EUCLAMP



## Table Programme – depicting Inaugural of SYMROLIC 2024 by Jean Monnet Chair

<p><b>Symbiosis Law School Pune</b> &amp; <b>Symbiosis Centre for Advanced Legal Studies &amp; Research (SCALSAR)</b> <i>in association with</i></p> <p><b>Symbiosis Law School NOIDA, Symbiosis Law School Hyderabad, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur</b> organise</p> <p><b><u>SYMROLIC 2024</u></b> <b>12th Annual International Research Conference on Rule of Law in Context: Rethinking Law and Policy with reference to Quality of Life as Global Economic Justice</b> [3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup>, May 2024]</p> <p><b>Day 1: 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2024 - Friday</b></p> <p><b>INAUGURAL –10.30 AM TO 11.20 AM INDIAN STANDARD TIME</b> (Venue: PDCLE, SLS, P and Zoom Platform: <a href="https://zoom.us/join/zoom/register/tJlkfumgrDMvGNDLKTQGj0lal5cAk-5z5Mv6">https://zoom.us/meeting/register/tJlkfumgrDMvGNDLKTQGj0lal5cAk-5z5Mv6</a>) Comperre: Prof. Lasya Vyakaranam, Assistant Professor, SLS, P</p>		
10.30 am – 10.35 am	Arrival of Dignitaries and Introduction	Comperre
10.35 am – 10.40 am	Watering the Bilwa Sapling	Dignitaries on Dais
10.40 am –10.45 am	Welcome Address	Dr. Shashikala Gurpur <i>Fulbright Scholar, Jean Monnet Chair</i> Director, Symbiosis Law School, Pune, Dean, Faculty of Law,SIU

## Table Programme – Track 4 – JM Research Conference on Day 1 from 3 pm to 5.30 pm

<p><b>Track 4: EU Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy - 03:00 pm-5:30 PM</b> <b>Venue: PDCLE</b></p>		
3.00 pm - 3.07 pm	Prof. Dr. Subramanya, Director, CMRU, Bengaluru (Online)	Chair
3.08 pm - 3.15 pm	Dr. Sairam Bhat Professor of Law NLSIU, Bengaluru	Co-Chair
3.16 pm - 3.23 pm (IST) [10.45 am – 10.52 am (Local Time Durham)]	Dr. Irene Wiczorek Associate Professor Durham Law School Durham University	Co-Chair
3:30-5:30	Paper Presentations	
<b>Time</b>	<b>Presenters Name</b>	<b>Title</b>
03:30 pm – 03:37 pm	Jyotsana Singh	Safeguarding Sacred Groves: A Critical Analysis of the Legal Framework
03:37 pm – 03:44 pm	Parth Sharma and Vaidehi Pareek	Promoting Equity and Fairness: Rule of Law Perspectives on

		Energy Transition and Climate Change
03:44 pm – 03:51 pm	Dr. Ahmar Afaq and Palak Otwani	Revisiting the Draft EIA Notification 2020: Pretense with The Aid of Office Memorandums and The Way Forward
03:51 pm – 03:58 pm	Saahithi Kristipati,	Need for Implementation of Broken Windows Theory with Doctrine of Locus Poenitentiae To in Turn Foster A Clean and Safe Environment
03:58 pm – 04:05 pm	Yash Purohit and Manjari Theodora Bhengra	Navigating the Legal Landscape of Carbon Markets: An Examination of India, USA and EU
04:05 pm- 04:12 pm	Malhaar Dhavale, and Advik Singh	Assessing the European Green Deal and CBAM As Carbon Emission Inhibition Measures: Enviro-Legal and Economic Implications in The Pursuit of Climate Justice
04:12 pm- 04:19 pm	Shivi Dhyani	Exploring the Story: Convergence of European Union Climate Laws to Advance Social Justice
04:19 pm- 04:26 pm	Kanishk Bhavesh Gala and Gunjan Deshpande	Viability and Urgency of Criminalising Ecocide Globally: A Case Study of the EU
05:13 pm- 05:30 pm	Q & A	

Prof. (Dr.) Shashikala Gurpur, Jean Monnet Chair (EUC LAMP co-funded by EU) extended a gracious welcome address. In the plenary session there was a address on ‘Climate Justice and Child Rights’ delivered online by Prof. Dr. Asha Bajpai, Visiting Faculty, SLS, P from Kansas, USA.

**Number of Papers Presented in Track 4 – 9**

**Number of Paper Presenters (co-authors) – 14**

**Winner of Track 4:** Saahithi Kristipati, Student, SLS-P, emerged as the winner from Track 4 for her paper ‘The need for implementation of Broken Windows Theory coupled with Doctrine of Locus Poenitentiae to in turn foster a clean and safe environment’.

**Photos from SYMROLIC 2024 and Track 4 JM Research Conference**



In the middle, Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, Jean Monnet Chair Professor EUC-LAMP is seen inaugurating the SYMROLIC Conference with watering the Bilwa Plant, an initiative to go green for inaugurals in events, instead of lighting traditional lamp.

On the left Dr. Indrajeet Dubey, Chief Guest of SYMROLIC 2024 and on the right Dr. Bindu Ronald is seen during the inaugural SYMROLIC 2024



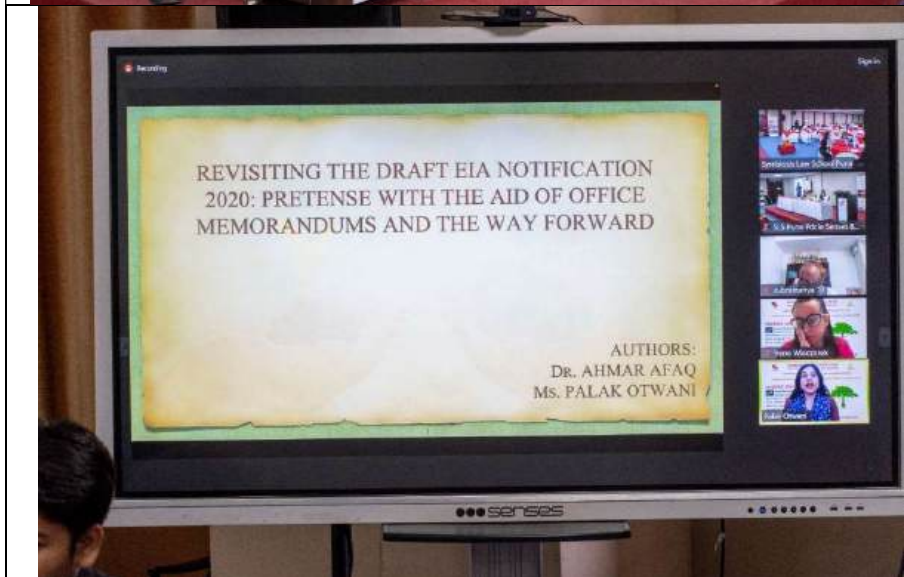
This photo of multimedia display in the conference venue shows Track 4:  
Top left: Audience in the hall  
Top Right: Physical presentation by a student and faculty judging sitting on the dias

Bottom left: Panelist Dr. T R Subramanya  
Bottom Right: Dr. Irene Wiczorek, Durham University



Paper Presenters physically presenting at the venue seen at the Podium.

Dr. Sairam Bhat, Professor, National Law School India University (NLSIU), Bangalore and Dr. Sujata Arya, Asst. Prof. SLS Pune, seen at the dais judging the presentation as panelist.



This photo displays the manner in which the presentations were made on zoom and evaluated by online as well as offline panelist.

### Press Coverage of the SYMROLIC Conference 2024:

Punekar News – National News Agency

<https://www.punekarnews.in/symrolic-2024-12th-annual-international-research-conference-rule-of-law-in-context-rethinking-law-and-policy-with-reference-to-quality-of-life-as-global-economic-justice/>

### Report available at multiple important websites:

SYMROLIC Conference Website - [https://www.symrolic.com/assets/pdf/Press-Report-Symrolic-2024\\_.pdf](https://www.symrolic.com/assets/pdf/Press-Report-Symrolic-2024_.pdf)

Institute Website JM Chair Webpage under activities sub-tab - <https://www.symlaw.ac.in/assets/pdf/symrolic.pdf>

## 9) JM Distinguished Speaker Programme – 29h July 2024

**Topic:** ‘Climate Justice in India and the EU’

**Resource Person:** Ambassador Kalarickal Pranchu Fabian, Professor, Indian Society of International Law

**Date, Time and Venue:** 29<sup>th</sup> July, 2024 - 2:00 PM to 3:30 PM – Hybrid – PDCLE Hall and Zoom Platform

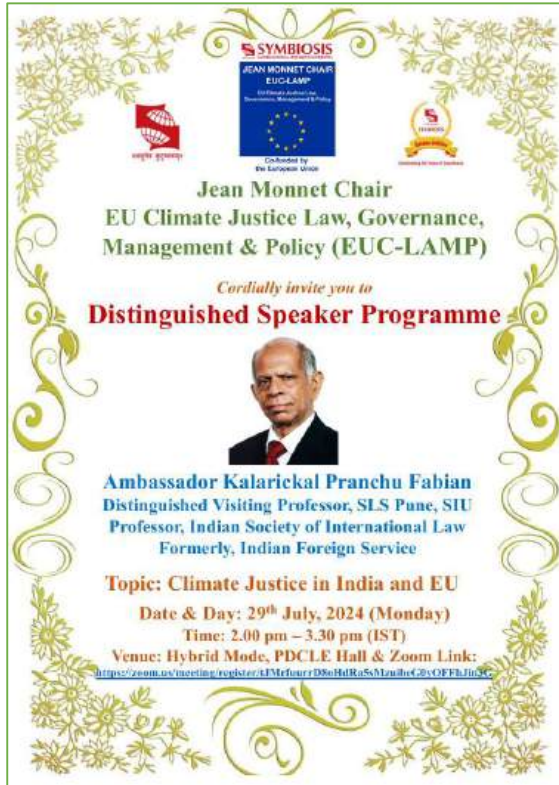
**Brief report of the event:** Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, Jean Monnet Chair Professor (EUC-LAMP), Co-funded by EU, delivered the welcome address. Dr. Gurpur briefed the audience on the objective of Jean Monnet Distinguished Speaker Program, welcomed all and felicitated the Guest Speaker. She stated that the Jean Monet Chair posits a unique opportunity for developing countries like India and its institutions like SLS, Pune to come forward and emerge as thought leaders in core areas of climate change policy and aim at aligning India’s knowledge with the European Union. She also spoke about the broader notions of justice and climate justice in a globalized world with a different world order and this domain being an attempt to bring equilibrium between the two.

Ambassador Fabian began his address by talking about how the idea of justice has evolved differently through the ages from St. Justinian to Bentham to Montesquieu but a single thread ties them all, the need to render people their due. The Ambassador then spoke about climate justice through the lens of corrective and distributive justice. He spoke about various agreements concluded in the last decade and even recently like COP 28 that extensively talk about a “damages fund” which outlines financial commitments of these nations, that unfortunately have remained largely unmet. This raises larger questions of not only accountability but intent of collaboration without much action. Sir then spoke about the various climate tragedies that have taken place just recently like the Canada Forest Fires, Odisha and Assam floods which are indicative of the horrendous effects of climate change and they only seem to be moving in a worse direction.

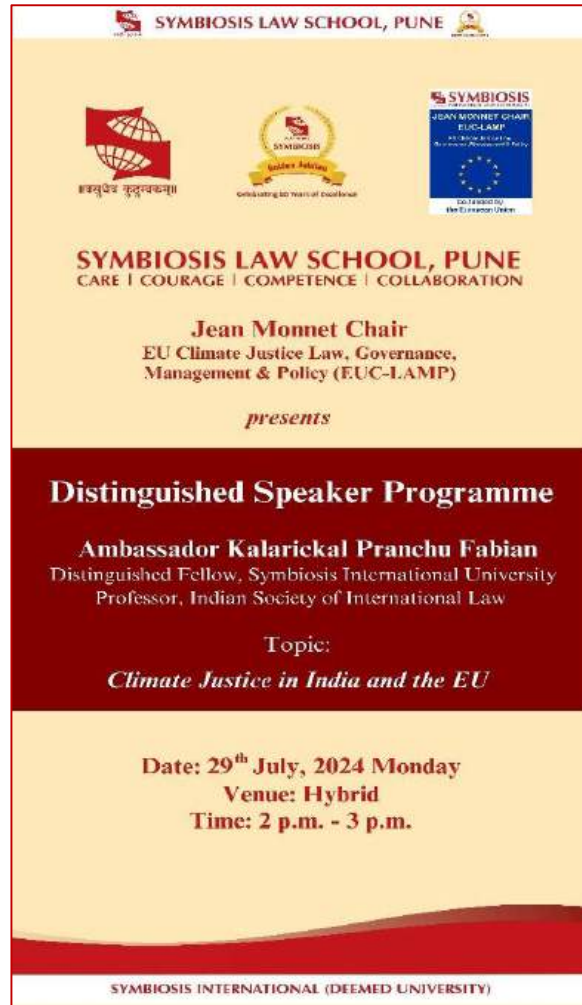
Coming to India and EU, the Ambassador suggested that the two nations have so much potential and scope for collaboration with India’s rich ecological knowledge and EU’s forward thinking, there can be great research projects not only conducted but implemented successfully. While the two stand on fairly low on consumption in the world average, they posit the advantage of leading the world towards a better outlook at climate justice.

The event was concluded by a Q&A session between the attendees and Mr. Puri and the Vote of Thanks was delivered by Dr. Aparajita Mohanty, Deputy Director (Academics), SLS-P.

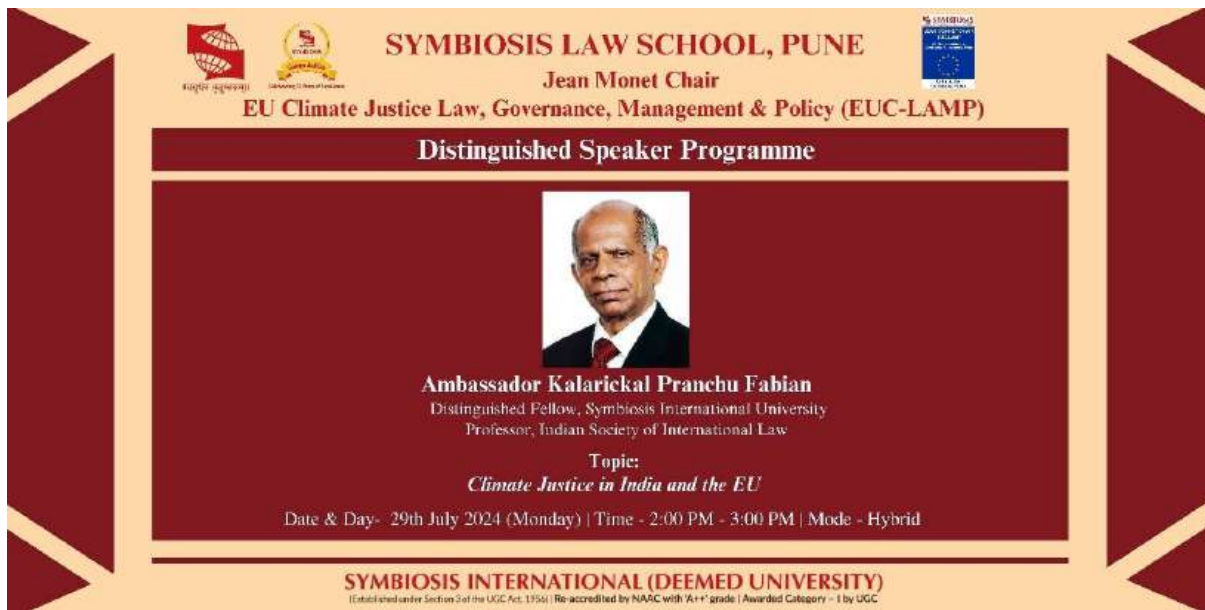
**Number of Participants:** 435



Invitation Card for the event



Standee for the event



E-banner for the event

**Photos:**



Dr. Gurpur giving the welcome address



Ambassador Fabian lighting the lamp



Students engaging in Q & A during the event

Detailed Report of the event is available on the website at:  
<https://www.symlaw.ac.in/assets/pdf/1-3.pdf>

## 10) JM Transnational Climate Change Justice Project (Based on pedagogy of COIL) – 2024 – 2025

One of the unique, prestigious and long-term impact activity that was carried out under the JM Chair project was the JM Transnational Climate Change Justice Project (Based on the pedagogy of COIL). COIL stands for Collaborative Online Integrated Learning.

The aim of this activity was to promote the core subject area of climate change justice and developing a research culture among students, wherein the main participants were students from Indian and European Universities. This activity provided students with the opportunity to research and draft an original research paper on an important and timely topic of climate change law and policy having regulatory perspectives of the EU and incorporating best practices from Europe and India. The original research papers will serve as guideposts for future law reform and they were also intended for students to experience teamwork practices that will foster collaboration and problem-solving skills. In this modern and ever-changing world, these skills will become critically important for all stakeholders.

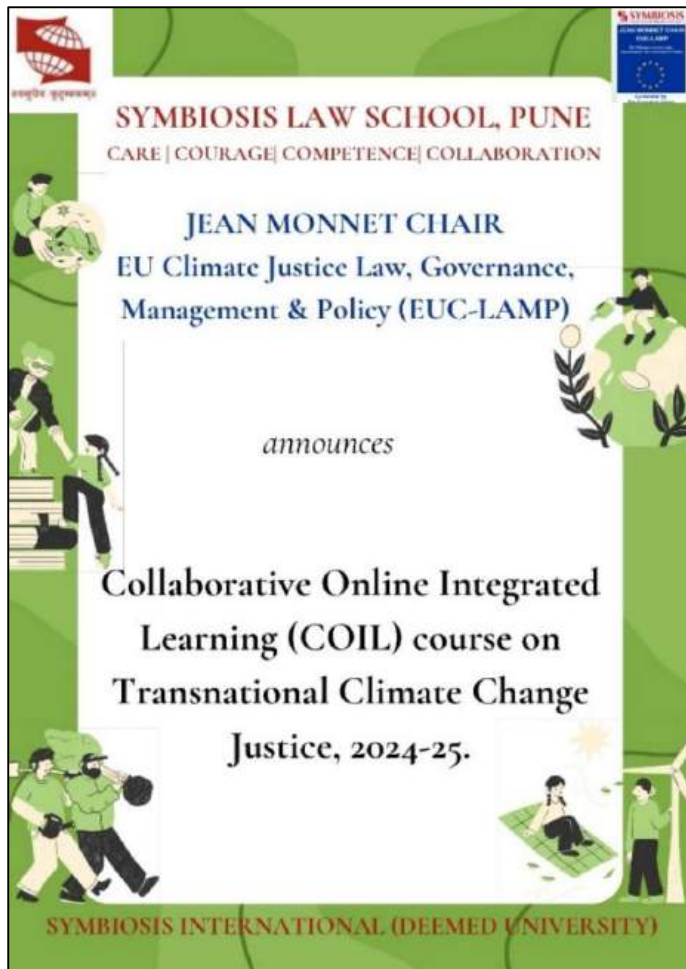
The dissemination of the information, brochure and the process of this project was communicated via emails to updated international and national contacts databases, and through international announcement platforms.

### **Project Structure:**

1. **Lecture Series:** The project commenced with an exceptional series of lectures delivered by renowned scholars from participating institutions. These lectures provided a robust foundation in climate change justice, stimulating intellectual engagement and inspiring innovative research.
2. **Research Competition:** Four to five students were nominated/selected across from by the participating institutions. Subsequently, students from participating institutions were organized into diverse international teams, each comprising members from different partner institutions. These teams collaborated online to conduct research and develop original papers on selected themes.
3. **Online Collaboration:** All components of the project, including lectures, coordination meetings, and student mentoring, research meetings and presentations of research papers were conducted online. This format ensured broad participation and fostered a dynamic, cross-cultural learning environment.

The themes that were provided for the students encompassed a wide range related to climate change justice, such as:

- Green Philosophy and Ethics
- Climate Justice, Law, Policy, and Governance
- Energy Law and Climate Change
- Clean Air and Climate Change
- Global Sustainability and Green Compliance
- Science, Technology, Innovation, and Business Practices
- Food and Energy Security
- Climate Justice and Traditional Ecological Knowledge
- Health Equity and Climate Justice Litigation



First page out of the 8 pages of the brochure that explained the project, timelines and process



Orientation Session of Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gulpur with faculty mentors and students

**Lecture Series conducted under the JM Transnational Climate Change Justice Project  
(Based on the pedagogy of COIL):**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Speaker</b>	<b>Topic</b>
4 November 2024.	3:15 - 4:15 PM	<p><b>Prof. (Dr.) Shashikala Gurpur</b> <i>Fulbright Scholar</i> Director, Symbiosis Law School Pune, Dean, Faculty of Law, SIU JM Chair, EUC- LAMP.</p> <p><b>Tamanna Chachlani</b> JM Transnational Climate Change Justice (pedagogy COIL), Project Assistant, Symbiosis Law School, Pune, SIU</p>	Orientation Session.
4 November 2024.	4:30 - 6:30 PM	<p><b>Dr. Marica Di Pierri,</b> Research Scholar, <b>University of Palermo, Italy</b></p>	Environmental Justice.
5 November 2024.	3:00 - 5:00 PM	<p><b>Dr. Albert Ruda,</b> Associate Professor, <b>University of Girona, Spain</b></p>	Green Philosophy and Ethics.
6 November 2024.	2:00- 4:00 PM	<p><b>Dr. Prakash Rao</b> Deputy Director, SIIB, SIU, Head, Symbiosis Centre for Climate Change and Sustainability (SCCCS) at Symbiosis International (Deemed University).</p>	Climate change and ecosystem impacts - vulnerability assessments, methodologies
7 November 2024.	11 AM- 12 PM	<p><b>Dr. Prakash Rao</b> Deputy Director, SIIB, SIU, Head, Symbiosis Centre for Climate Change and Sustainability (SCCCS) at Symbiosis International (Deemed University).</p>	Climate Change Mitigation and Adaptation Strategies.
7 November 2024.	2:30- 4:30 PM	<p><b>Melita Carević</b> Associate Professor at the Jean Monnet Centre for Excellence, <b>University of Zagreb, Croatia</b></p>	Climate Change and Global Sustainability
7 November, 2024.	5:30- 7:30 PM	<p><b>Prof. (Dr.) Shashikala Gurpur</b> <i>Fulbright Scholar</i> Director, Symbiosis Law School Pune, Dean, Faculty of Law, SIU JM Chair, EUC- LAMP</p>	Climate Change Litigation and Armed Conflict.

8 November 2024.	10- 11 AM	<b>Dr. Prakash Rao</b> Deputy Director, SIIB, SIU, Head, Symbiosis Centre for Climate Change and Sustainability (SCCCS) at Symbiosis International (Deemed University).	Climate Change Mitigation and Adaptation Strategies.
8 November 2024.	11:00 AM - 1:00 PM	<b>Prof. (Dr.) Shashikala Gurpur</b> <i>Fulbright Scholar</i> Director, Symbiosis Law School Pune, Dean, Faculty of Law, SIU JM Chair, EUC- LAMP	Environmental Policy and Technological Innovation, Concepts and Policies of Waste Management.
8 November 2024.	4:30 - 6:30 PM	<b>Dr. Dimitrios Parashu,</b> Associate Professor, Faculty of Law, Gottfried Wilhelm <b>Leibniz Universität Hannover</b> Distinguished Visiting Professor, SLS, Pune, SIU	Elements of EU Climate Change Law.
9 November, 2024.	2:30- 4:30 PM	<b>Dr. Sujata Arya</b> Assistant Professor, Symbiosis Law School, Pune  <b>Dr. Sanu Paul</b> Symbiosis Law School, Hyderabad	Climate Change and Children's Rights.

**Research Meetings:** Regular research meetings were conducted internally among the student groups. However, formal research meetings were aligned with specific research deliverables. The first meeting was for group formation and topic selection. Second meeting was conducted to confirm the selected research topics and submission of abstract. Third research meeting was to receive the first drafts of the research papers and facilitate the faculty mentor reviews and feedback. The fourth and the last formal research meeting was for facilitating the presentation of research paper after incorporating the feedback was given by faculty mentors.

**Outcome:**

Number of Participants: 31

Number of Groups: 9

Number of Faculty Mentors: 10

Number of Research Papers as a result of Project: 9

Publication Status: In process – edited book publication of Taylor and Francis

**Collaborating European Universities in the JM Transnational Climate Change Justice Project (Based on the pedagogy of COIL):**

1. University of Palermo, Italy
2. University of Zagreb, Croatia
3. University of Girona, Spain
4. Leibniz University, Germany

## More Photos from the Project Meetings



## User generated Social Media Post by one of the participants from the project

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Mr. Ananthanarayanan Venkateswaran of Symbiosis International (Deemed University) has actively participated in the JM Transnational Climate Change Justice Project based on pedagogy of COIL (Collaborative Online International Learning) from 4<sup>th</sup> November 2024 till 29<sup>th</sup> January 2025. This certificate is awarded in recognition of his/her engagement in international online lecture series and research collaboration that has led to submission of research reports.

**Prof. (Dr.) Shashikala Gurpur, Fulbright Scholar**  
Director, Symbiosis Law School Pune  
Dean, Faculty of Law, Symbiosis International (Deemed University)  
Jean Monnet Chair Professor (EUC-LAMP Co-funded by the EU)

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Many other user generated posts are available on LinkedIn and Instagram posts.

## 11) JM Conclave (JM Roundtable) – 6<sup>th</sup> April 2024

Conclave is a flagship event at the popular student driven cultural extravaganza called “SYMBHAV”. In 2024, under the leadership and guidance of the Jean Monnet Chair Professor Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, the student body (Student Advisory Board) of Symbiosis Law School, Pune organized the Jean Monnet Chair Conclave “A Legal Panel Discussion, on Enhancing Legal Frameworks for Sustainable Business: Prioritizing ESG and Climate Action” on 6<sup>th</sup> April 2024, Ishanya Auditorium, Viman Nagar, Pune.

Objective of the event was to stir a dialogue on the theme of the event and to facilitate an interactive session featuring prominent legal doyens, including notable academicians, practitioners, judges, senior partners, advocates, and distinguished personalities having environmental expertise. The conclave aimed to encourage a culture of deliberation and discourse, whereby the audience can inculcate acumen for legal analysis and supplement their academic learning with legal awareness. The platform not only allowed the audience to witness an engaging dialogue but also to express their opinions by way of a succeeding Question and Answer session.

Speakers at the JM Conclave:

1. Prof. (Dr.) Shashikala Gurpur, Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP
2. Justice Sanjay A. Deshmukh, Sitting Judge, Hon'ble High Court of Bombay
3. Sr. Advocate Mr. Sanjay Upadhyay, Environmental Lawyer
4. Nawneet Vibhaw, Partner, Shardul Amarchand Mangaldas (Law Firm)
5. Mr. Purusharth Singh, Partner, Kochhar and Co. (Law Firm)
6. Mr. Narendra Kumar Jain, Vice President and Head of Environment, Corporate, Jubilant Ingrevia
7. Adv. Dhanya Mallar (Dual-Qualified Lawyer (England & Wales/India))



Dr. Shashikala Gurpur Jean Monnet Chair Prof. EUC-LAMP with Justice Sanjay A. Deshmukh, Sitting Judge, Hon'ble High Court of Bombay during the inaugural of event



Left to right (half circle): Mr. Narendra Kumar Jain, Mr. Purusharth Singh, Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, Sr. Adv. Sanjay Upadhyay, Nawneet Vibhav and Adv. Dhanya Mallar

### **Proceedings Brief:**

Prof (Dr.) Shashikala Gurpur underscored the inclusivity of the conclave, as it brings together all stakeholders in legal justice which is a fortuitous opportunity to enrich transnational programs, particularly in climate justice across multiple nations in the global south.

Hon'ble Justice Sanjay A. Deshmukh emphasized the importance of methodical problem-solving, wherein he noted that adherence to established legal framework supersedes reliance on personal logic. He stressed on the significance of rigorous comprehension of statutory definitions for effective problem solving and legal interpretation in the legal profession.

The Conclave Committee unveiled a captivating theme-reveal video, setting the stage for an insightful Panel Discussion. Prof. (Dr.) Shashikala Gurpur, felicitated the esteemed panelists and began the discussion and delved into each sub-theme, intertwining them with thought-provoking questions drawn from a survey meticulously conducted by the Conclave Committee.

Mr. Sanjay Upadhyay Senior Advocate, Supreme Court, highlighted that the genesis of ESG lies in the country systems approach wherein global principles of multinational companies had to be adhered to, and integrated into the national regulatory frameworks. He expounded upon the tangible business advantages stemming from environmental compliance, cautioning against the substantial costs incurred by noncompliance, including adverse mental and societal repercussions.

Mr. Narendra Kumar Jain, Vice President and Head of Environment (Corporate), Jubilant Ingrevia, noted that there exists a gap in understanding the regulatory framework and implementing solutions to environmental issues emanating from the industry itself. He highlighted that even if the above gap was addressed, the problem of economic viability of

environmental compliance would arise. He expressed concern on ESG guidelines stating that while they may benefit big business houses capable of absorbing compliance costs, smaller players may struggle to comply, potentially exacerbating financial disparities.

Mr. Purusharth Singh, Partner, Kochhar & Co., discussed concepts such as the Green Premium, risk-adjusted returns, and government initiatives like Green Bonds aimed at promoting sustainable governance. He noted that while India possesses the requisite technology to bridge the existing gaps, it lacks the capital to access it at the same time. Despite acknowledging the slow pace of change, Mr. Singh expressed optimism about the significant shift in decision-making psyche towards sustainable practices, affirming a more responsible future.

Mr. Nawneet Vibhaw, Partner, Shardul Amarchand Mangaldas, noted that integrating various stakeholders into the decision-making process can ensure that diverse perspectives are considered, fostering a sense of shared responsibility. He warned about the looming threat of greenwashing, wherein companies may misrepresent their environmental efforts for profit. Hence by adhering to ethical practices, businesses can thrive in the long run.

Ms. Dhanya Mallar, Dual Qualified Lawyer - England & Wales/ India, suggested leveraging technologies like AI to improve accuracy in risk assessment and decrease expenditure, proposing government incentives for their adoption. Further, she discussed the issue of greenwashing and how government regulations, such as those prohibiting misleading claims about product organicity, help maintain fairness. Ms. Dhanya advocated for decentralization of implementation, enabling businesses to adopt sustainable practices more effectively.

The panel then engaged in a question-and-answer session with the audience, facilitating an interactive exchange of ideas and insights. Prof. Aparajita Mohanty, Deputy Director, SLS-P delivered a warm vote of thanks, concluding the event.

**Number of Participants: 450**

**Full report of the conclave available on the website at the link:**

<https://www.symlaw.ac.in/assets/pdf/conclave.pdf>

**Full proceedings of the JM Conclave available on YouTube: (401 views)**

<https://www.youtube.com/live/gzAFT9MwKIs?feature=shared>

## 12) Poster Making Competition and Social Media Campaign on the occasion of International Mountain Day – 11<sup>th</sup> December 2024

The Jean Monnet Chair on EU Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management & Policy (EUC-LAMP) at Symbiosis Law School, Pune, successfully concluded its Social Media Campaign through a Poster Making Competition carried out on the occasion of International Mountain Day, celebrated worldwide on the December 11, 2024.

The competition drew talented participants from across institutions who created compelling visual narratives around mountain ecosystems and climate change. The competition addressed crucial themes including mountain ecosystems and climate change, sustainable farming in mountain regions, impacts of commercial mining, biodiversity loss, challenges faced by mountain communities, and legal frameworks for climate justice.

The steps carried out for successful organization of the competition unfolded as given below:

- Announcement of the Poster Making competition and campaign, including the theme, via Invitation Emails and Brochure communicated. The communication was made to the national and international database of email contact from 13<sup>th</sup> September 2024 onwards and on event platforms
- Reminder Mails for the Competition sent
- Deadline for submission of Entries
- Announcement of Results
- Social Media Campaign on 11<sup>th</sup> December 2024.

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Deadline for Submission of Poster: 15<sup>th</sup> November 2024

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**Social Media Campaign on 11<sup>th</sup> December 2024**

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**About Symbiosis Law School, Pune**  
Symbiosis Law School, Pune is a constituent of Symbiosis International (Deemed University) and has been consistently ranked in the top 10 law schools of the country by National Ranking Agency NIRE of Government of India. It is the top most private law school in India. Bar Council has conferred SLS Pune with the gold star award in 2013. It is also conferred with the honour of being a core partner in the global network of legal institutes, the Erasmus Mundus, DAAD (German Academic Exchange Service) a grant for bilateral Faculty student exchange with Leibniz University of Hannover, Brunswick European Law School of Ostfalia, University of Applied Sciences, Germany. SLS Pune is a member of International Association of Law Schools (IALS), USA and Asian Law Institute, Singapore.

Established in 1977, SLS Pune in a journey of 47 years has achieved various milestones in teaching, learning and research. SLS Pune imparts high quality education through its various programmes such as B.A.LL.B (Honours), B.B.A.LL.B (Honours), Three years LL.B, Master of Laws (LL.M), different diploma and certificate programmes. Symbiosis Law School, Pune has been able to create an impact in society through our research and various community extension activities. We also have national and international collaborations with various organisations which aid in sharing knowledge, values and best practices.

**About Jean Monnet Chair**  
In the year 2022, Symbiosis International (Deemed University) Pune was awarded with Jean Monnet Chair on European Union Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy (EUC-LAMP) (Co-funded by the EU) and Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur Fulbright Scholar, Director, Symbiosis Law School, Pune, Dean, Faculty of Law, SIU is conferred with the honour to hold the Chair as its Chair Professor.

The chair promotes EU's efforts and policies in climate change mitigation as a model for other countries that seek to develop a sustainable lifestyle and eco-system thereby creating an impact in society through its contribution. In furthering this objective, the Chair has carried out teaching activities for UG and PG students, training and capacity building programmes for various stakeholders and various side events for research and awareness on climate change.

**Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur**  
Fulbright Scholar  
Professor & Director, Symbiosis Law School, Pune.  
Dean, Faculty of Law, SIU  
JM Chair (EUC-LAMP) (Co-funded by EU)

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### About Social Media Campaign through Poster Making Competition

Several major developments have taken place in India to centre stage the need for combating climate change-related adversities. Mountains cover about 27% of the Earth's land surface and host about half of the world's biodiversity hotspots. They provide essential ecosystems, including water resources. However, mountain regions are particularly vulnerable to climate change impacts, threatening both ecosystems and communities. As climate change accelerates, there is an urgent need to raise awareness about these issues, especially among youth who will inherit these challenges. International Mountain Day, observed annually on 11 December, provides an ideal platform to focus attention on these critical matters.

Recognising the importance of climate change and its impact in various aspects and as one of the activities under the Jean Monnet Chair (EUC-LAMP) Project SIU, the JM Chair is organizing a Social Media Campaign through a Making Competition on the Occasion of International Mountain Day on 11th December 2024.

The Campaign unfolds as follows:

The event is a social media campaign Organized on International Mountain Day (11th December 2024). It will feature poster-making competitions centred around six key themes:

1. Mountain Ecosystems and Climate Change
2. Climate Change and Sustainable Farming in Mountain Regions
3. Climate Change and Commercial Mining: Impact on Mountains
4. Biodiversity Loss in Mountain Habitats
5. Mountain Communities: Facing the Brunt of Climate Change
6. Law and Policy Frameworks and Climate Justice in Mountain Regions

### Competition Guidelines

1. This Poster Making Competition is organized on the Occasion of International Mountain Day.
2. The Competition will be online on the topic "Mountain Ecosystem"
3. Entries for the competition will be accepted online only through Google Forms. <https://forms.gle/1YDaCpKaTiddoXY18>
4. Participants must send a clear photo of the Poster they created.
5. The poster must be half imperial in size (22 inches in length and 15 inches in width).
6. Entries will be accepted only in JPG or PNG format along with a short video clip (minimum of 1 minute and a maximum of 2 minutes) of the participant making the Poster.
7. The use of creative mediums such as digital posters, infographics, etc. to address the themes is encouraged.
8. Drawing, sketching or painting can also be on any paper, drawing paper, or canvas.
9. Digital arts will also be accepted.
10. Only Original Entries will be accepted. Any entry found to be copied or plagiarised by any means will not be considered.
11. Only one entry is permitted per person.
12. The Poster shall be prepared in English Language Only
13. Participants should not include their names and college/institution name on the poster
14. Each participant shall give their consent to the recording, duplication, and distribution of their submitted entries through follow-up social media campaign.
15. The Poster shall be evaluated on the theme, creativity, Efforts, Scientific Content and Presentation.
16. A jury with internal panellists chooses the winners, and the decision of the jury is final.
17. All participants must accept the decision of the jury.
18. E-certificates will also be issued to all the participants.
19. At its sole discretion, The organiser reserves the right to cancel, terminate, modify, or suspend the competition at any time.
20. For registration and more information contact to the coordinators

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#### Who are Eligible

- Indian and foreign students pursuing Undergraduate or post-graduation studies.
- Youth up to the age of 30 years.

Important Dates	
Announcement and Invitation of the Competition:	2 <sup>nd</sup> September 2024
The deadline for submission of Entries	15 <sup>th</sup> November 2024
Announcement of Results	2 <sup>nd</sup> December 2024
Social Media Campaign	11 <sup>th</sup> December 2024

#### How to Register?

The Poster shall be submitted through <https://forms.gle/1YDaCpKaTiddoXY18>

For full guidelines and registration details, please visit: <https://www.syamlaw.ac.in/JMchair-EUC-LAMP>

#### Prizes

First place - Rs. 15,000 /-  
 Second place - Rs. 10,000 /-  
 Third place - Rs 5,000 /-

#### Contact

For further information you may reach out to us at the following:  
 Mr. Vinod Walimbe: (020 26551182)  
 Or you may write to [jmchaireuclamp.cert@symlaw.ac.in](mailto:jmchaireuclamp.cert@symlaw.ac.in)

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Screenshot of announcement of event on a national level event platform Lawctopus

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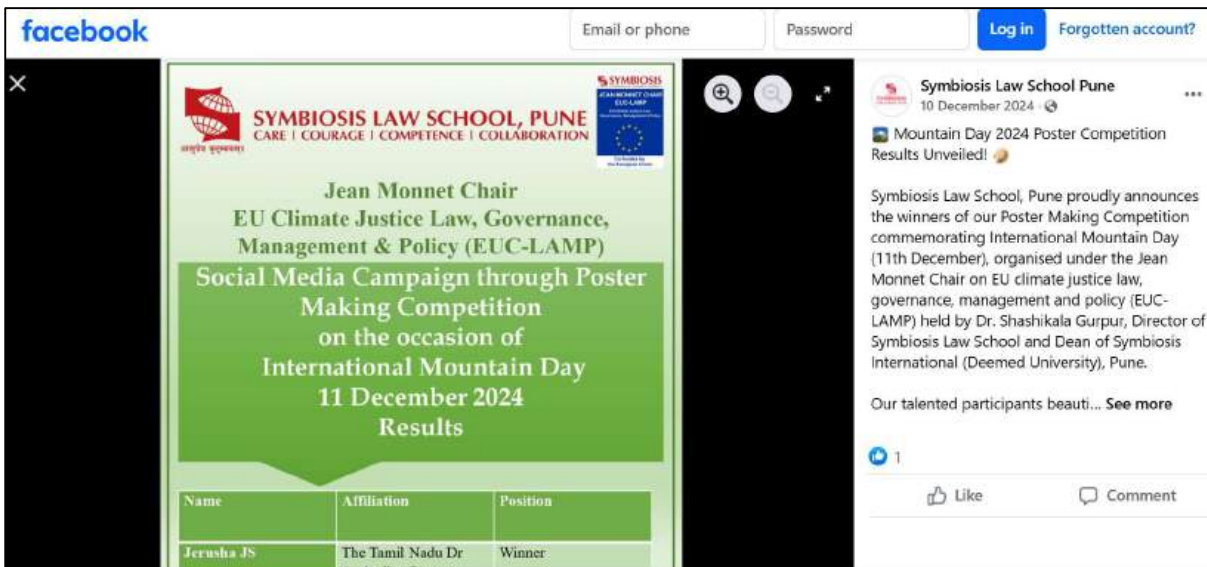


The graphic features the Symbiosis Law School, Pune logo and the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP logo. The text reads: "Jean Monnet Chair EU Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management & Policy (EUC-LAMP) Social Media Campaign through Poster Making Competition on the occasion of International Mountain Day 11 December 2024 Results". Below this is a table of winners.

Name	Affiliation	Position
Jerusha JS	The Tamil Nadu Dr Ambedkar Law University	Winner
Vartika Sahu	Allahabad University	1 <sup>st</sup> Runner Up
Nupur Wadhwa	Fergusson College	2 <sup>nd</sup> Runner Up


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The screenshot shows a Facebook post from Symbiosis Law School Pune. The post content is identical to the graphic above, including the table of winners. The post text reads: "Mountain Day 2024 Poster Competition Results Unveiled! 🎉 Symbiosis Law School, Pune proudly announces the winners of our Poster Making Competition commemorating International Mountain Day (11th December), organised under the Jean Monnet Chair on EU climate justice law, governance, management and policy (EUC-LAMP) held by Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, Director of Symbiosis Law School and Dean of Symbiosis International (Deemed University), Pune. Our talented participants beauti... See more". The post has 1 like and a comment button.

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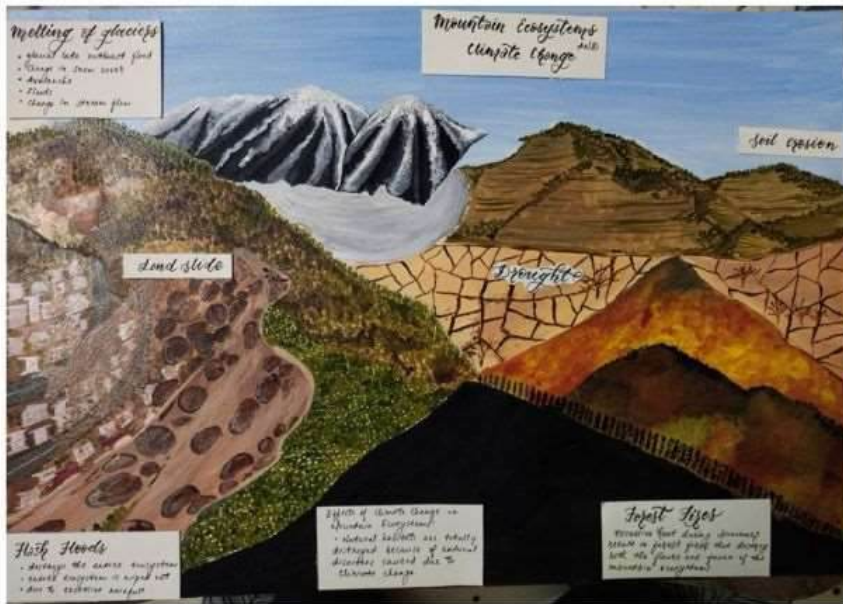
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Our talented participants beautifully captured the essence of mountain conservation and cultural significance through their exceptional artistic vision.

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 The Tamil Nadu  
 Dr. Ambedkar Law  
 University



**1<sup>st</sup> Runner Up**

Vartika Sahu

Allahabad University



**2<sup>nd</sup> Runner Up**

Nupur Wadhwa

Fergusson College

### Social media campaign Performance

Particulars	Numbers on Instagram	Numbers on Facebook	Numbers on LinkedIn
Views	3,877	318	569
Reach	2,619	207	19
Interactions	110	1	1

### Outcomes and Impact

- Increased awareness about climate change impacts on mountain ecosystems and communities through a social media campaign.
- Enhanced understanding of climate justice issues related to mountain ecosystems
- Generation of creative, youth-driven ideas for addressing climate change and mountain ecosystem conservation.

### 13) JM Distinguished Speaker Programme – 25<sup>th</sup> Feb 2025

**Topic:** Climate-related Migration in the EU

**Resource Person:** Dr. Przemyslaw Tacik, Assistant Professor, Institute of European Studies, Jagiellonian University, Krakow, Poland

**Date, Time and Venue:** 25<sup>th</sup> February 2025 – 3 PM to 4.30 PM IST - PDCLE Hall, SLS Pune

**Brief report of the event:** Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, Jean Monnet Chair Professor (EUC-LAMP), Co-funded by EU, delivered the welcome address. Dr. Gurpur welcomed all and felicitated the Guest Speaker. In her welcome address, she spoke about various dissemination activities that were carried out under the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP.

Dr. Tacik discussed Climate Migration, Climate Refugees, Climate Asylum and the current struggles around migration/refugee law in Europe. He highlighted that the climate-related migration is a growing global issue, with estimates predicting up to 1 billion displaced individuals by 2050. He also covered Human rights law and European Climate Litigation. He shared that the current legal frameworks, including the Geneva Convention and EU regulations, do not explicitly recognize climate refugees, creating legal and humanitarian gaps. Further, he highlighted that the European migration policies are legally advanced yet they are restrictive in dealing with climate migrants leading to lack of proper protection under existing asylum laws. In his closing remarks, he highlighted that the intersection of climate change and migration presents a pressing challenge for global legal and policy framework, including EU. Some of the examples of grant of protection can be seen through common law. However, the comprehensive legal approach is missing and addressing this issue requires urgent action and legal recognition to safeguard climate migrant'' rights.

The event was concluded by a Q&A session between the attendees and Mr. Puri and the Vote of Thanks was delivered by Dr. Aparajita Mohanty, Deputy Director (Academics), SLS-P.

**Number of Participants:** 185

The banner is for the JM Distinguished Speaker Programme at Symbiosis Law School, Pune. It features the school's logo and motto 'CARE | COURAGE | COMPETENCE | COLLABORATION'. The event is part of the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP, which is co-funded by the European Union. The speaker is Dr. Przemyslaw Tacik, an Assistant Professor at Jagiellonian University, Krakow, Poland, and an International Visiting Scholar at SLS Pune, SIU. The topic is 'Climate-related Migration in the EU'. The event is scheduled for 25th February 2025, from 03:00 P.M. to 04:30 P.M. at PDCLE Hall, SLS Pune. The banner also mentions Symbiosis International (Deemed University) and its accreditation by NAAC with an 'A++' grade and its status as a Category-1 institution by UGC.

**E-banner for the event**

**Photos:**



(Left Photo): Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur with the JM Distinguished Speaker Dr. Przemyslaw Tacik seen on the Dias  
(Right Photo): Dr. Przemyslaw Tacik addressing the students

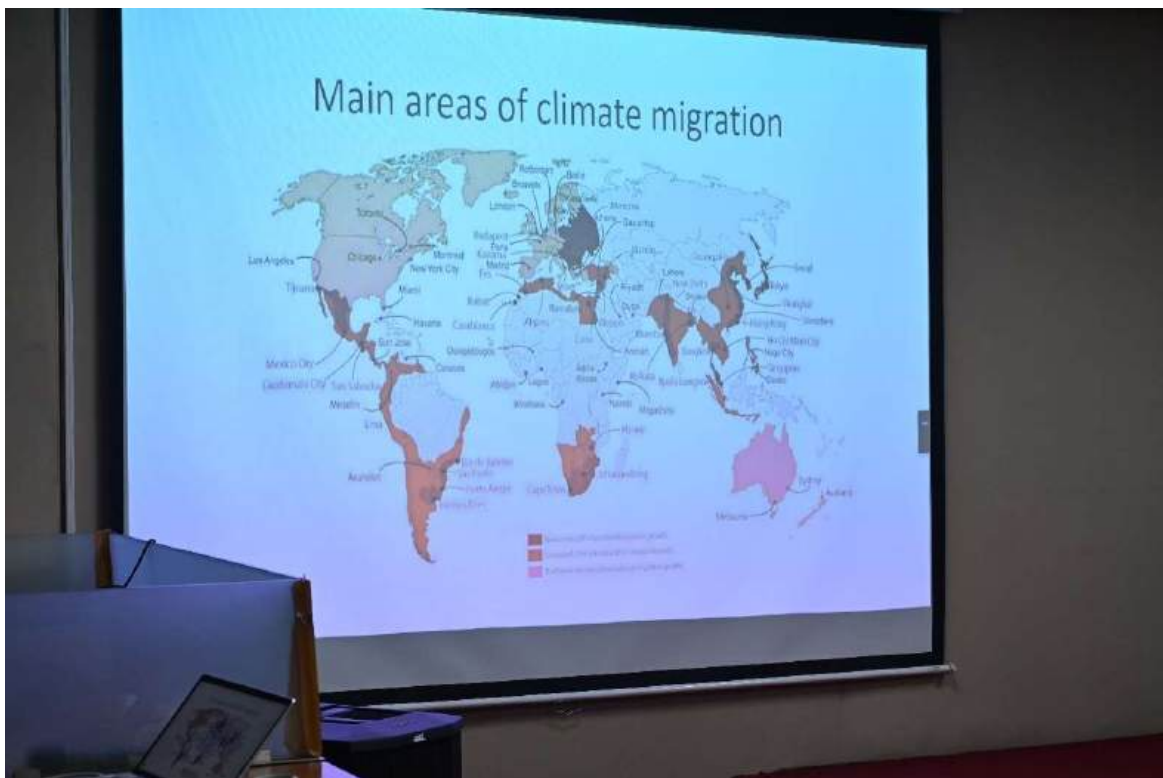


Photo of one of the slides presented by Dr. Tacik during the event

Detailed report available on website at <https://www.symbiolaw.ac.in/assets/pdf/dsp-tacik.pdf>

## VII. Dissemination in Press – National and International Media

### 1. Education World (National News Media)



#### **Dr. Gurpur as Chair Professor, Symbiosis Law School awarded Jean Monnet Chair by EU**

April 6, 2022

Symbiosis Law School, Pune under the aegis of Symbiosis International (Deemed University) (SIU) has been bestowed with the honour of the prestigious Jean Monnet Chair on EU Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy (EUC-LAMP) under the Erasmus+ Programme of the European Union with a total grant of Euro 50000 from 2022-2025.

On behalf of SIU, Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, Fulbright Scholar, Director, Symbiosis Law School, Pune, Dean, Faculty of Law, Symbiosis International (Deemed University) will be the Jean Monnet Chair Professor funded by the European Union.



<https://www.educationworld.in/dr-gurpur-as-chair-professor-symbiosis-law-school-awarded-jean-monnet-chair-by-eu/>

Screen shot of the news published in the national online news media “Education World” on 6<sup>th</sup> April 2022

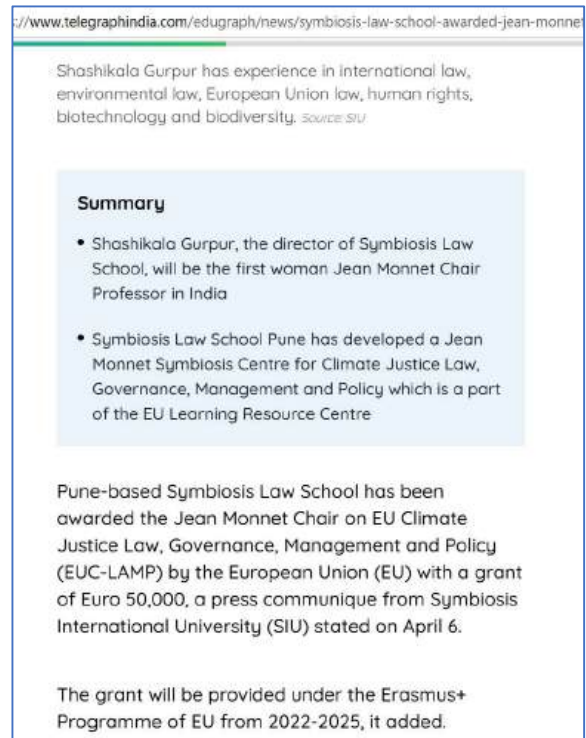
Link of the online news media: <https://www.educationworld.in/dr-gurpur-as-chair-professor-symbiosis-law-school-awarded-jean-monnet-chair-by-eu/>



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## 2. Telegraph India (National News Media) (More than 5 Lakh readership)



Screen shots of the news published in the national news media "Telegraph India" on 6<sup>th</sup> April 2022

Link: <https://www.telegraphindia.com/edugraph/news/symbiosis-law-school-awarded-jean-monnet-chair-on-climate-justice-by-european-union/cid/1859354>

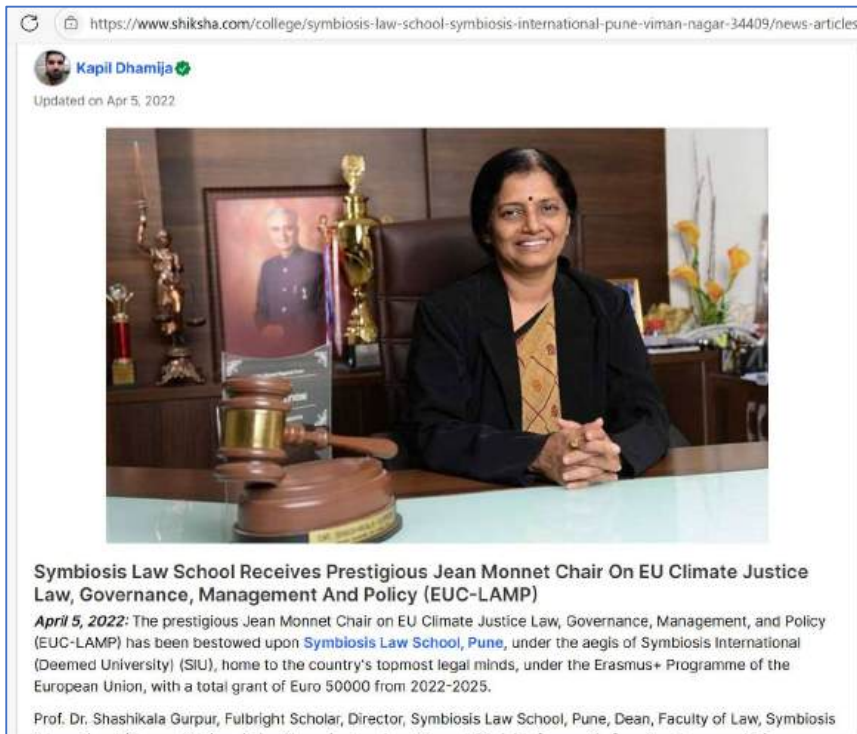
## 3. Punekar News (National News Media)



Screen shot of the news published in the national news media "Punekar News" on 8<sup>th</sup> April 2022

<https://www.punekarnews.in/symbiosis-law-school-pune-awarded-prestigious-jean-monnet-chair-in-eu-climate-justice-law-governance-management-and-policy-by-european-union/>

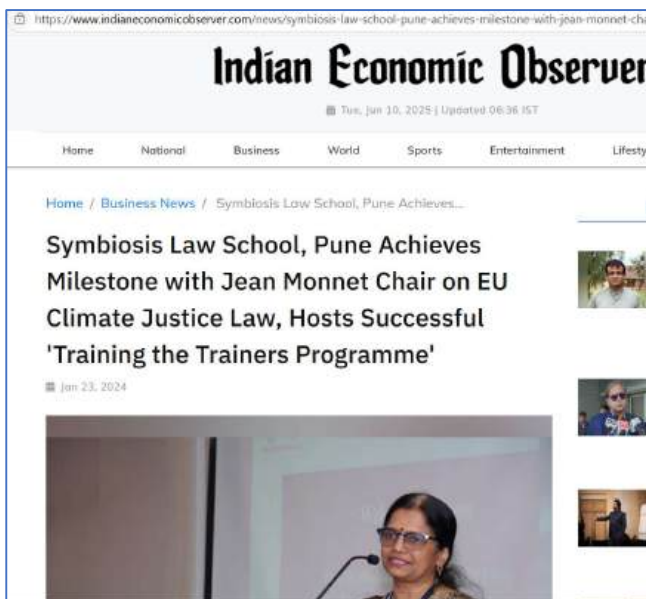
#### 4. Shiksha (National News Media)



Screen shot of the news published in national news media “Shiksha” on 5<sup>th</sup> April 2022

<https://www.shiksha.com/college/symbiosis-law-school-symbiosis-international-pune-viman-nagar-34409/news-articles>

#### 5. Indian Economic Observer (National News Media)




Screen shot of the news published in the national news media “Indian Economic Observer” on 23<sup>rd</sup> Jan 2024 about the Training the Trainers Programme

<https://www.indianeconomicobserver.com/news/symbiosis-law-school-pune-achieves-milestone-with-jean-monnet-chair-on-eu-climate-justice-law-hosts-successful-training-the-trainers-programme20240123175918/>

## 6. ANI (International News Agency – Leading in South Asia)

<https://www.aninews.in/news/business/business/symbiosis-law-school-pune-achieves-milestone-with->

National Entertainment Business Sports Health



*Dr Shashikala Gurpur, Director of SLS Pune, Dean of the Faculty of Law at SIU and the Jean Monnet Chair Professor (EUC-LAMP co-funded by the EU)*

### Symbiosis Law School, Pune Achieves Milestone with Jean Monnet Chair on EU Climate Justice Law, Hosts Successful 'Training the Trainers Programme'

ANI | Updated: Jan 23, 2024 17:59 IST

Screen shot of the news published in international news media “ANI” on 23 Jan 2024

### Additional Press Reports can be found at following links:

7. Careers360 (National News Media) <https://news.careers360.com/symbiosis-law-school-awarded-jean-monnet-chair-european-union-for-climate-change-research-courses> (Published on 5th April 2022)
8. Shiksha (National News Media) <https://www.shiksha.com/news/law-symbiosis-law-school-organises-10th-international-annual-research-conference-blogId-87467> (Published on 6th April 2022)
9. Pune Pulse (Local News Media) [https://www.mypunepulse.com/dr-shashikala-gurpur-bags-prestigious-jean-monnet-chair-of-eu/#google\\_vignette](https://www.mypunepulse.com/dr-shashikala-gurpur-bags-prestigious-jean-monnet-chair-of-eu/#google_vignette) (Published on 7th April 2022)
10. Punekar News (Local News Media) <https://www.punekarnews.in/symbiosis-law-school-pune-takes-a-stand-for-environmental-awareness-on-world-environment-day/> (Published on 9th September 2023)

11. Hello Entrepreneurs (National News Media) - <https://helloentrepreneurs.com/brand-saga/symbiosis-law-school-pune-organizes-11th-international-annual-research-conference-symrolic-2023-20009/> (Published on 9th May 2023)
12. The Print (National News Media) - <https://theprint.in/ani-press-releases/symbiosis-law-school-pune-achieves-milestone-with-jean-monnet-chair-on-eu-climate-justice-law-hosts-successful-training-the-trainers-programme/1935754/> (Published on 23rd Jan 2024)
13. Latestly (National News Media) - <https://www.latestly.com/agency-news/business-news-symbiosis-law-school-pune-achieves-milestone-with-jean-monnet-chair-on-eu-climate-justice-law-hosts-successful-training-the-trainers-programme-5713516.html> (Published on 23rd Jan 2024)
14. ABP Live (National News Media) - <https://news.abplive.com/brand-wire/symbiosis-law-school-pune-hosts-workshop-on-climate-justice-for-management-and-leadership-1704726> (Published on 22nd July 2024)
15. The Print (National News Media) - <https://theprint.in/ani-press-releases/11th-annual-international-research-conference-rule-of-law-in-context-globalisation-and-indian-resonances-to-sustainable-development-goals/1591875/> (Published on 24<sup>th</sup> May 2023)
16. Punekar News (Local News Media) - <https://www.punekarnews.in/symrolic-2024-12th-annual-international-research-conference-rule-of-law-in-context-rethinking-law-and-policy-with-reference-to-quality-of-life-as-global-economic-justice/> (Published on 8th May 2024)

## VIII. Dissemination through Websites (<https://www.syamlaw.ac.in/> and [www.symrolic.com](http://www.symrolic.com))

A. Landing Page: <https://www.syamlaw.ac.in/>



Below this scrolling image on the landing page there is a section of important links. There one can clearly find a tab in which **JM Chair EUC-LAMP** link is given that **leads to the JM Chair EUC-LAMP webpage** where all the data and information is communicated regularly



Once you click on the important link of JM Chair EUC-LAMP the following page opens at <https://www.syamlaw.ac.in/jmchair.php>



One can alternatively reach the JM Chair EUC-LAMP webpage by going in to the main Menu drop down list on the landing page itself under the Head “International” as shown below:



The Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP at <https://www.symlaw.ac.in/jmchair.php> is divided into four sub-tabs as seen below in the screenshot of the webpage of JM Chair EUC-LAMP:



The first sub-tab “About the Jean Monnet Chair” provides information about the Jean Monnet Chair Professor Dr. Shashikala Gurpur and addresses the relevance of the Chair

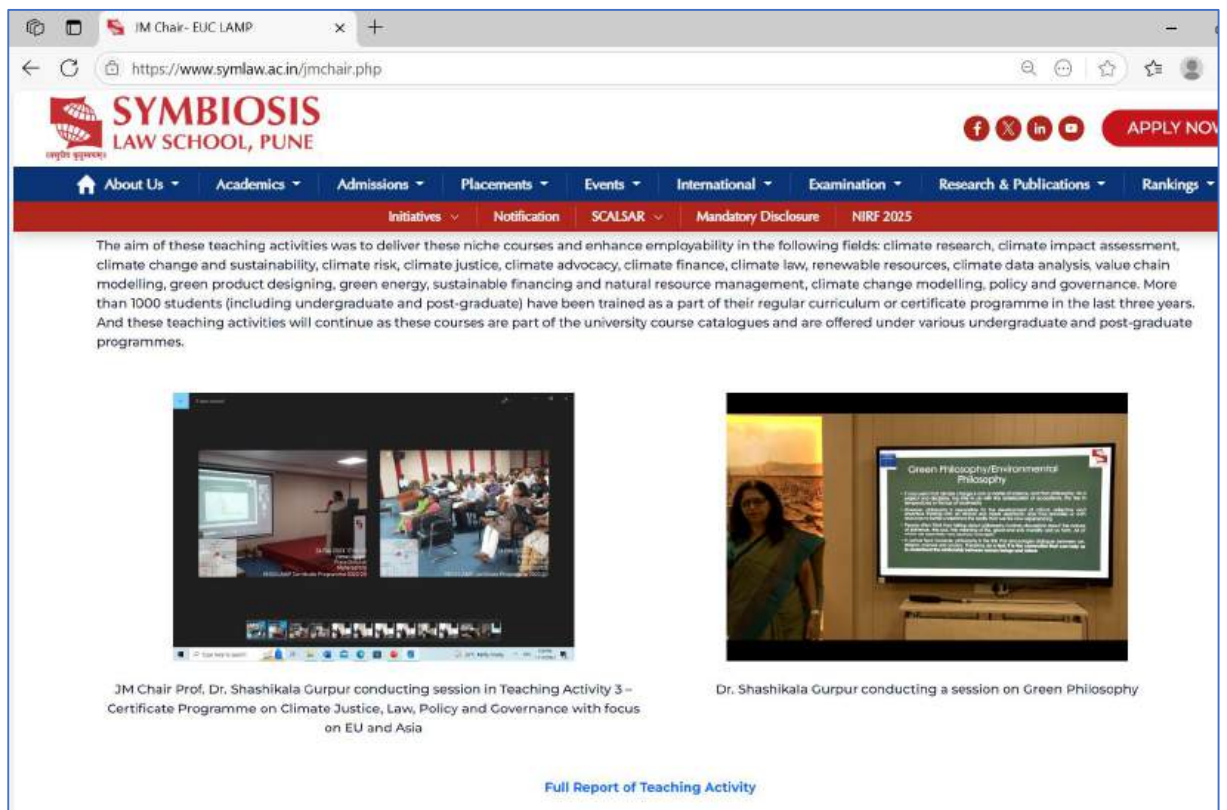


The second sub-tab “About the Project” provides important information about the Jean Monnet Chair including its background, relevance, objectives and impact.



The third sub-tab **“Activities under the JM Chair”** provides descriptions, photos, videos and detailed reports of all activities carried out under the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP. The activities include teaching activities, training programmes, research publications, MOOC and dissemination related side activities.

### 1. Teaching Activities reported on the website



## 2. Training Programmes made available for free and reported on the website

**2. Training Programmes**

**A. TRAINING THE TRAINER PROGRAMME ON CLIMATE JUSTICE LAW, GOVERNANCE, MANAGEMENT AND POLICY :**

Training the Trainers Programme on Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy was organized on 20th January 2024 at Symbiosis Law School, Pune (Hybrid Training – Physical presence of participants plus online participation) under the Jean Monnet Chair on EU Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy (EUC LAMP) (Co-funded by the EU) for the purpose of building capacity among teachers, NGOs, advocacy groups mainly youth, industry and government officials, with the objective to cascade the learning to different target groups to ensure multiplier effect and create a sustainable impact at the National and International Level.

Training the Trainer Programme

Training Session 1

Training Session 2

Training Session 3

**B. Workshop on Climate Justice: Advancing SDG and ESG through Impactful CSR Proposal :**

This executive workshop on 'Climate Justice: Advancing SDG and ESG through Impactful CSR Proposal' was organised on 15th July 2024 at SLS Pune, SIU by the Jean Monnet Chair on EU Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy (EUC LAMP) (Co-funded by the EU), Symbiosis Law School, Pune, SIU in collaboration with Shivam Singh, Founder and CEO of ExploreIT, National Coordinator for Youth, Climate Reality Project India & South Asia.

This one-day intensive workshop delved into the intersection of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR), Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), and Environmental, Social, and Governance (ESG) criteria. Through immersive sessions, expert guidance in workshops, and a stimulating field visit, participants learnt to draft compelling CSR proposals that align with global sustainability objectives and priorities.

[Full report of Training Programmes can be accessed here](#)

### 3. Research Publications and research conferences communicated on website

The screenshot shows the website for the Jean Monnet Chair (EUC-LAMP) at Symbiosis Law School, Pune. The page is titled "3. Research Publications" and contains the following text:

Several Publications have been made by the Jean Monnet Chair (EUC-LAMP) Professor Dr. Shashikala Gurpur as a result of the various teaching and research activities that were carried out under the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP project term from 2022 to 2025. She has also encouraged the students who have taken the teaching courses under the Jean Monnet Chair to research and publish in this very important and niche interdisciplinary field.

**A. Book Chapter Publication (SCOPUS Indexed)**

One of the important accomplishments was publication of a book chapter titled "Climate Litigation for Quality of Life: Exploring Innovative Legal Avenues to Hold Polluters Accountable" which was published in a book published by the internationally renowned publisher IGI Global. The book chapter was co-authored by Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, with two other faculty members A. Kartiayani and Rupai Rautdesal of Symbiosis Law School, Pune, SIU. This book chapter is indexed in SCOPUS.

**B. Research conferences "SYMROLIC 2023" and "SYMROLIC 2024" special track of the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP (cofounded by EU), Track 4- EU Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy.**

In the research conference SYMROLIC 2023, 8 research paper presentations were made in the Track 4 pertaining to the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP and two research papers out of the same have been successfully published in the form of two book chapters published in a book titled "Rule of Law in Context: Globalisation and Indian Resonances to Sustainable Development", published with the internationally renowned publisher Routledge Taylor and Francis. The published book bears the ISBN 9781032917122 and the book chapters are SCOPUS indexed.

Below the text, there are two images: on the left, the cover of the book "Rule of Law in Context: Globalisation and Indian Resonances to Sustainable Development"; on the right, a group of students presenting papers at a conference. A caption below the right image reads: "Students Presenting Papers in Track 4 pertaining to the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP at SYMROLIC 2023".

The website header includes the Symbiosis Law School, Pune logo and navigation menu with options like About Us, Academics, Admissions, Placements, Events, International, Examination, Research & Publications, and Rankings. A vertical button on the right says "Visit SIU Website".

The screenshot shows the website for the Jean Monnet Chair (EUC-LAMP) at Symbiosis Law School, Pune. The page is titled "3. Research Publications" and contains the following text:

In SYMROLIC 2024, track 4 titled EU Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy was dedicated to JM Conference. 9 participants presented in track 4 focusing their research in relevant areas in Climate Change Policy and Law collaborated, exchange ideas, and explore solutions. This Conference also promoted the core focus areas of the Jean Monnet Actions, act as a means of networking between students, advocacy groups and civil society to help build momentum towards policy reform in the area of Climate Change.

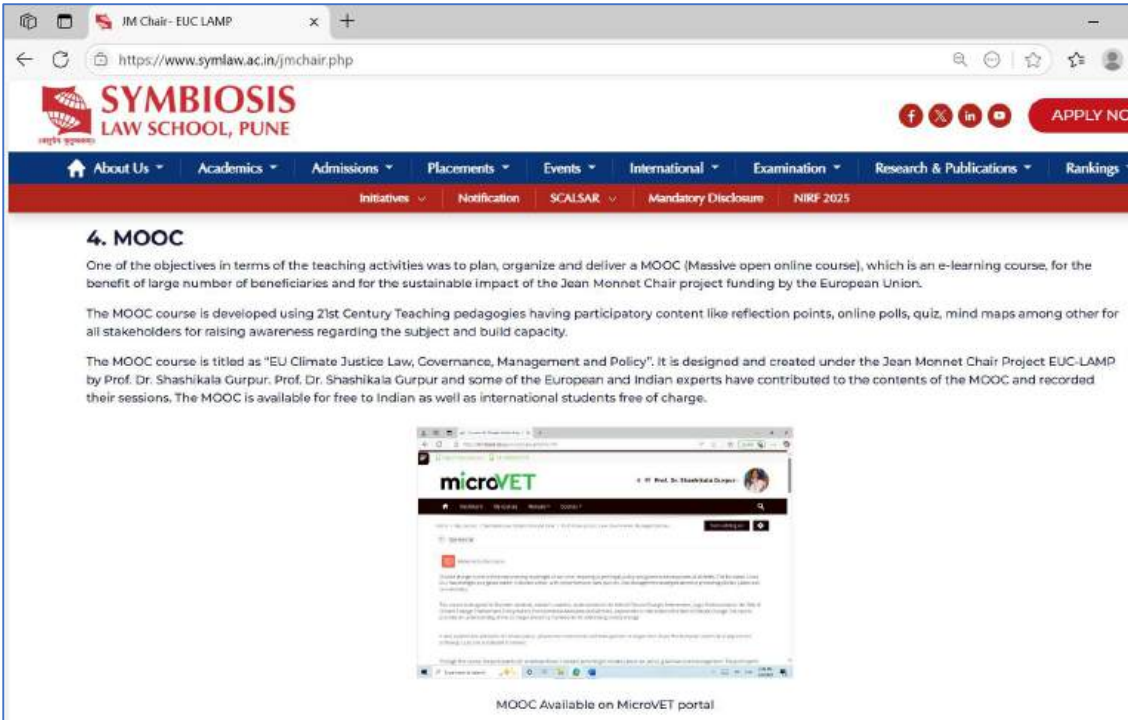
**C. Book Publication with Taylor and Francis (in process)**

The research papers presented in the conference SYMROLIC 2024 under the special track of JM Chair and the research papers developed under the JM Transnational Climate Change Justice Project (Based on the pedagogy of COIL) have been considered for the purpose of publication of the proposed book titled "Climate Change Initiatives: Europe-India legal and policy paradigms". The publication of the book would be one of the long-term effects of the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP. The research papers proposed in this planned book are ready and have gone through two reviews from international and national experts. The Jean Monnet Chair (EUC-LAMP) Professor Dr. Shashikala Gurpur has submitted the abstracts of all these research papers in the form of a book proposal to a renowned publisher, Taylor and Francis. Currently the proposal of book publication is being considered by the team of relevant reviewers from the Taylor & Francis.

At the bottom of the page, there is a link: [Full Report of Research Activities can be accessed here](#)

The website header includes the Symbiosis Law School, Pune logo and navigation menu with options like About Us, Academics, Admissions, Placements, Events, International, Examination, Research & Publications, and Rankings. A vertical button on the right says "APPLY NOW".

#### 4. MOOC – free availability publicized on website



The screenshot shows the website for the JM Chair - EUC LAMP project. The page is titled "4. MOOC" and contains the following text:

One of the objectives in terms of the teaching activities was to plan, organize and deliver a MOOC (Massive open online course), which is an e-learning course, for the benefit of large number of beneficiaries and for the sustainable impact of the Jean Monnet Chair project funding by the European Union.

The MOOC course is developed using 21st Century Teaching pedagogies having participatory content like reflection points, online polls, quiz, mind maps among other for all stakeholders for raising awareness regarding the subject and build capacity.

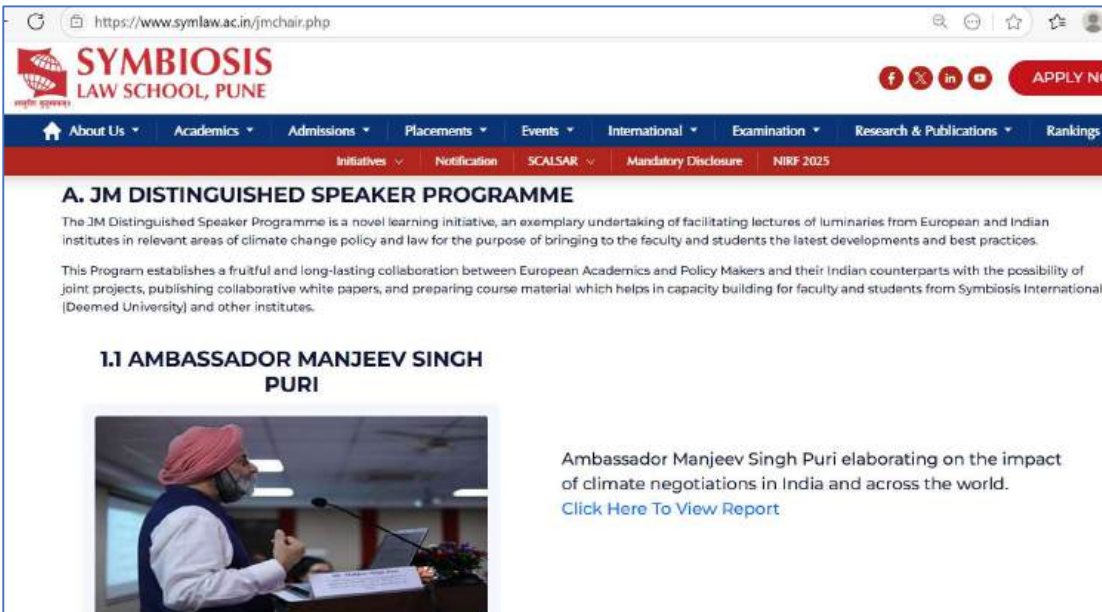
The MOOC course is titled as "EU Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy". It is designed and created under the Jean Monnet Chair Project EUC-LAMP by Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur. Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur and some of the European and Indian experts have contributed to the contents of the MOOC and recorded their sessions. The MOOC is available for free to Indian as well as international students free of charge.

Below the text is an inset image of a MicroVET portal showing the MOOC content. The caption below the inset image reads: "MOOC Available on MicroVET portal".

#### 5. Dissemination Activities – with brief description, photos and reports are communicated on the website

The side activities are reported on the website as dissemination activities. The details of these side activities which are provided on the website include:

- A. **JM Distinguished speaker programme:** Four expert speakers - two Indian and two European invited over the three-year period of the project to deliver on important Global, European and Indian concerns relating to climate change




The screenshot shows the website for the JM Chair - EUC LAMP project. The page is titled "A. JM DISTINGUISHED SPEAKER PROGRAMME" and contains the following text:

The JM Distinguished Speaker Programme is a novel learning initiative, an exemplary undertaking of facilitating lectures of luminaries from European and Indian institutes in relevant areas of climate change policy and law for the purpose of bringing to the faculty and students the latest developments and best practices.

This Program establishes a fruitful and long-lasting collaboration between European Academics and Policy Makers and their Indian counterparts with the possibility of joint projects, publishing collaborative white papers, and preparing course material which helps in capacity building for faculty and students from Symbiosis International (Deemed University) and other institutes.

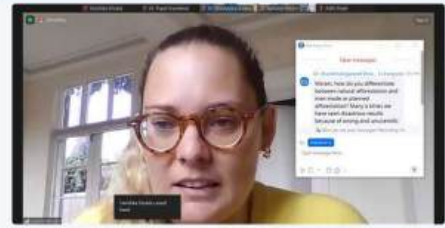
**1.1 AMBASSADOR MANJEEV SINGH PURI**



Ambassador Manjeev Singh Puri elaborating on the impact of climate negotiations in India and across the world.  
[Click Here To View Report](#)

### 1.2 DR. JUSTINE BENDEL

Dr. Justine Bendel addressing on 'The role of LULUCF activities in the EU plans to regulate the accounting of GHG emissions'  
[Click Here To View Report](#)



### 1.3 Amb KP Fabian:



Dr. Shashikala Gurpur and Ambassador KP Fabian, lighting the auspicious lamp  
[Click Here To View Report](#)

### 1.4 Dr. Przemyslaw Tacik

Dr. Przemyslaw Tacik addressing on 'Climate-related Migration in the EU'  
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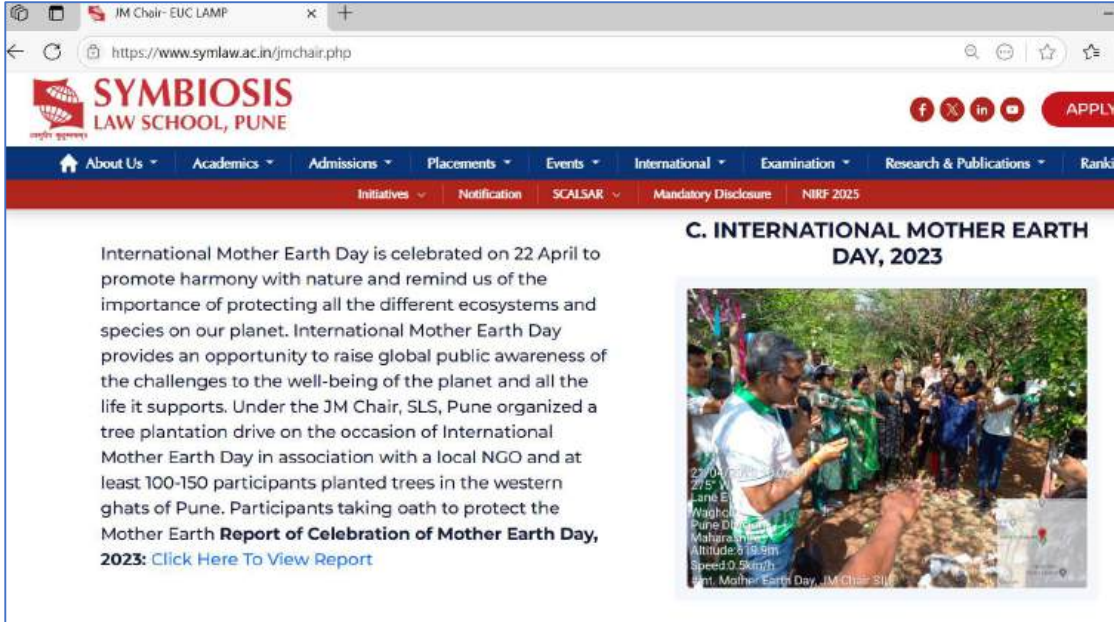


## B. World Environment Day Celebration – by conducting awareness programme in school

**B. WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY, 2023**

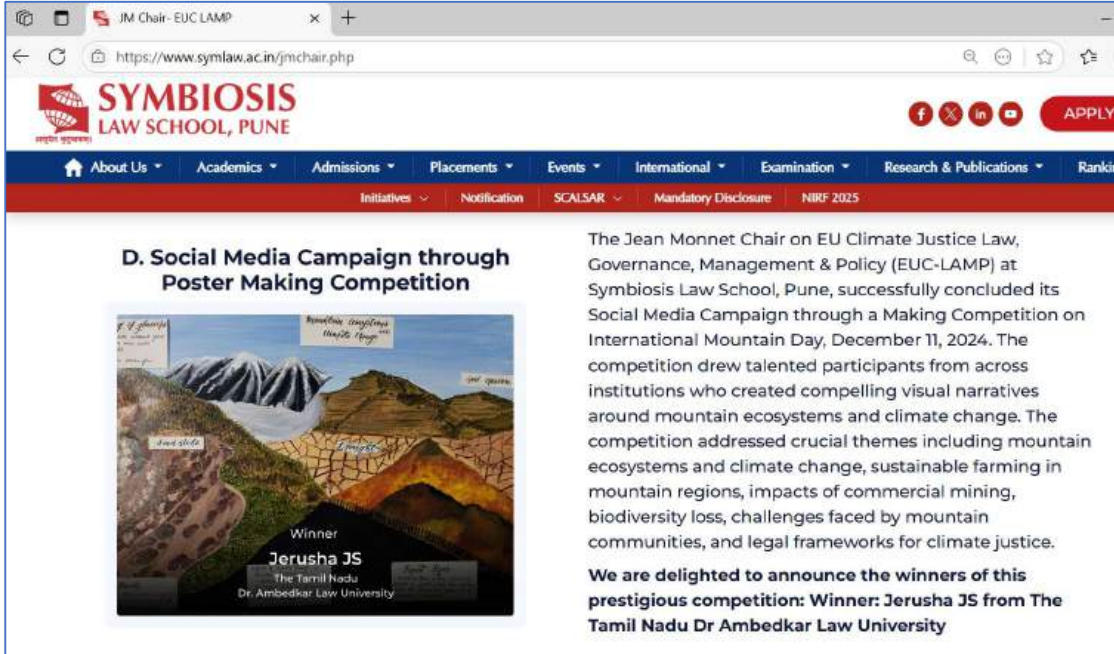
World Environment Day puts a global spotlight on the pressing environmental challenges of our times. This UN International Day has become the largest global platform for environmental outreach, with millions of people from across the world engaging to protect the planet. Under the JM Chair, World Environment Day was celebrated to create an awareness programme for the benefit of 200-300 rural school children and youth. Prof. (Dr.) Shashikala Gurpur, Fulbright Scholar, Director, Symbiosis Law School, Pune, Dean, Faculty of Law, SIU, felicitated by Mrs. Madhura Thombare, Principal, Venkateshwara School, Taluka: Haveli, Pune on World Environment Day, 2023. [Click Here To View Report](#)

### C. International Mother Earth Day – tree plantation and oath to protect mother earth



The screenshot shows the website for the JM Chair - EUC LAMP at Symbiosis Law School, Pune. The page is titled "C. INTERNATIONAL MOTHER EARTH DAY, 2023". The main text describes the celebration on April 22, 2023, where a tree plantation drive was organized in association with a local NGO, with at least 100-150 participants planting trees in the western ghats of Pune. A link is provided to view the report: "Report of Celebration of Mother Earth Day, 2023: [Click Here To View Report](#)". To the right of the text is a photograph of a group of people participating in a tree plantation drive, with some individuals wearing green scarves. A small text overlay on the photo reads: "22nd April 2023, Western Ghats, Pune District, Maharashtra, Altitude: 1000m, Speed: 0.5km/h, Int: Mother Earth Day, JM Chair SLP".

### D. Social Media Campaign through Poster Making competition on the occasion of International Mountain Day



The screenshot shows the website for the JM Chair - EUC LAMP at Symbiosis Law School, Pune. The page is titled "D. Social Media Campaign through Poster Making Competition". The main text describes the competition held on International Mountain Day, December 11, 2024. It mentions that the competition drew talented participants from across institutions who created compelling visual narratives around mountain ecosystems and climate change. The text lists crucial themes including mountain ecosystems and climate change, sustainable farming in mountain regions, impacts of commercial mining, biodiversity loss, challenges faced by mountain communities, and legal frameworks for climate justice. The winner is announced as Jerusha JS from The Tamil Nadu Dr Ambedkar Law University. To the left of the text is a photograph of a hand-drawn poster depicting a mountain landscape with a river and a person. The poster includes the text: "Winner Jerusha JS The Tamil Nadu Dr Ambedkar Law University".

## E. Juristas Essay Writing Competition



**E. Juristas International Essay Writing Competition**

JURISTAS 2024 aimed to foster critical thinking and engagement among students on pressing issues related to climate change. The competition sought to explore topics related to the role and responsibilities of youth in shaping climate change policy and activism, the accountability of businesses and industries in reducing carbon emissions and promoting sustainable practices, and the impact of climate change on indigenous communities. It emphasized the importance of inclusive policy-making, addressing the specific vulnerabilities of marginalized groups, and the responsibilities of various stakeholders in addressing the climate crisis. By facilitating intellectual discourse, the competition encouraged participants to propose actionable, innovative solutions that contribute to sustainable climate governance. A total of 100 essays were submitted by participants from over 80 different institutes across the country, reflecting a diverse representation of students and young professionals committed to addressing climate justice.

**JURISTAS 2024**  
INTERNATIONAL ESSAY COMPETITION

**PRIZES\***  
First place - Rs. 25,000/-  
Second place - Rs. 10,000/-  
Third place - Rs. 5,000/-  
\*All participating students will be issued participation certificates.

## F. JM Research Conference – a special Track SYMROLIC 2023 and 2024



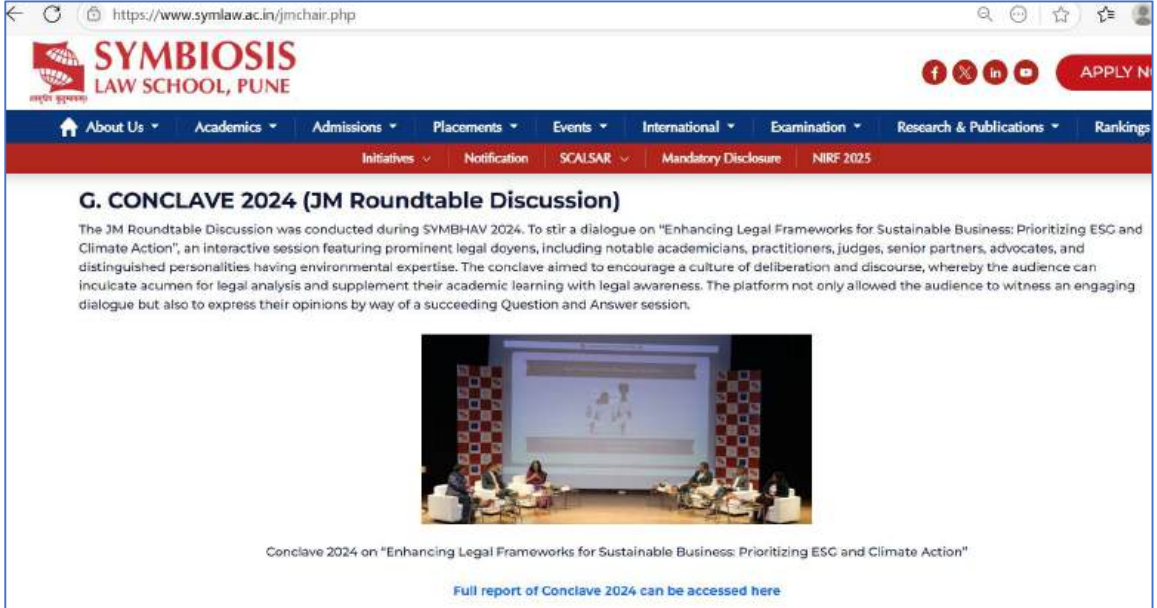
**F. JM Research Conference- a special track 4 in SYMROLIC 2023 and 2024**

The JM Research Conferences were organized as a special track 4 on "EU Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy" within the broader well established conference Platform SYMROLIC of Symbiosis Law School, Pune SIU. The JM Research conference in the track 4 of SYMROLIC provided a platform for discussion of long-term mitigation and adaptation measures to resolve the inequalities faced with the sustainability challenges. Academicians and practitioners from relevant areas in Climate Change Policy and Law collaborated, exchanged ideas, and explored solutions. The Conferences were at SYMROLIC 2023 and 2024 with the Focal area being Climate Change, Clean Water and Sanitation, Climate Action, Cascading to Community, Corporate Compliances, SDGs Lawyering, and reforms. The JM Research Conference provided an added impetus to the core focus area of Climate Change Justice and promoted the available EU innovative practices in the practices carried out by Indian Universities. It was a forum to present cutting edge research trends by early stage researchers, Masters and Doctoral students to address the policy gaps for the pressing area of climate change justice and its importance in society. This Conference also promoted the core focus areas of the Jean Monnet Actions, act as a means of networking between students, advocacy groups and civil society to help build momentum towards policy reform in the area of Climate Change. JM Research Conference invited various stakeholders to discuss and deliberate on the challenges in achieving the SDG of Climate Action and include a networking event.

Track 4 Presentations at SYMROLIC 2023

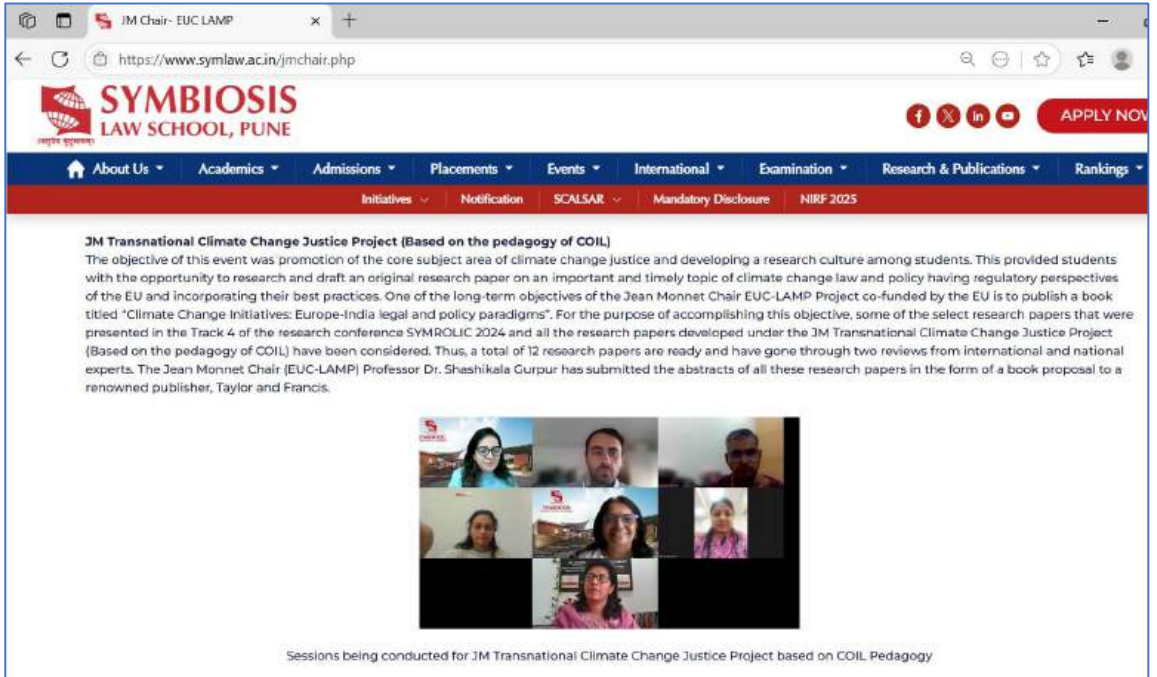
[Full Report for SYMROLIC 2024 can be accessed here](#)

## G. JM Chair Roundtable / Conclave 2024



The screenshot shows the website for the JM Chair Roundtable / Conclave 2024. The page features the Symbiosis Law School, Pune logo at the top left and a navigation menu with options like 'About Us', 'Academics', 'Admissions', 'Placements', 'Events', 'International', 'Examination', 'Research & Publications', and 'Rankings'. Below the navigation, there is a section titled 'G. CONCLAVE 2024 (JM Roundtable Discussion)'. The text describes the event as an interactive session during SYMBHAV 2024, focusing on 'Enhancing Legal Frameworks for Sustainable Business: Prioritizing ESG and Climate Action'. It mentions that the conclave aimed to encourage a culture of deliberation and discourse, and that the platform allowed the audience to witness an engaging dialogue and express their opinions through a Q&A session. A photograph of the conclave is shown, with several people seated on a stage in front of a large screen. Below the photo, there is a caption: 'Conclave 2024 on "Enhancing Legal Frameworks for Sustainable Business: Prioritizing ESG and Climate Action"'. At the bottom of the section, there is a link: 'Full report of Conclave 2024 can be accessed here'.

## H. JM Transnational Climate Change Justice Project (based on pedagogy of COIL)

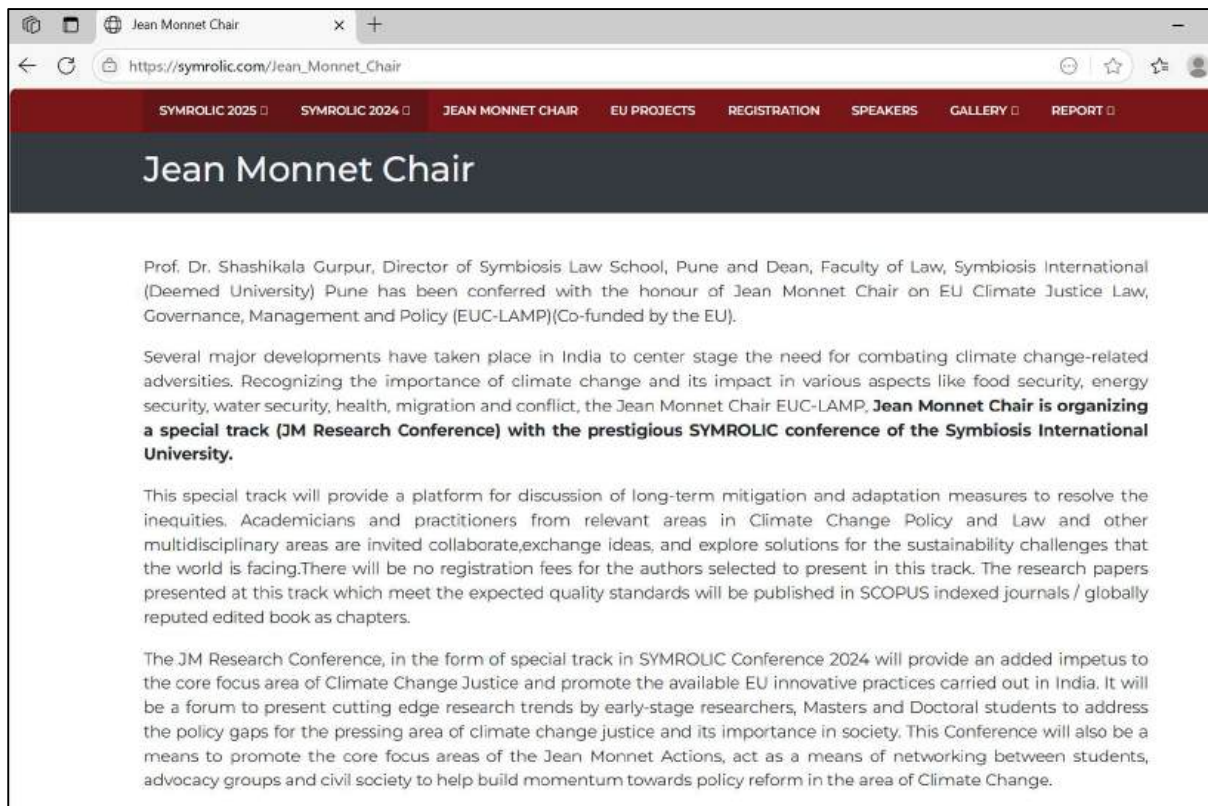


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The fourth sub-tab “News / Updates” on the JM Chair EUC-LAMP webpage provides descriptions, photos/flyers of recently completed activities / dissemination / upcoming activities under the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP.

## B. Landing Page: <https://www.symrolic.com/>

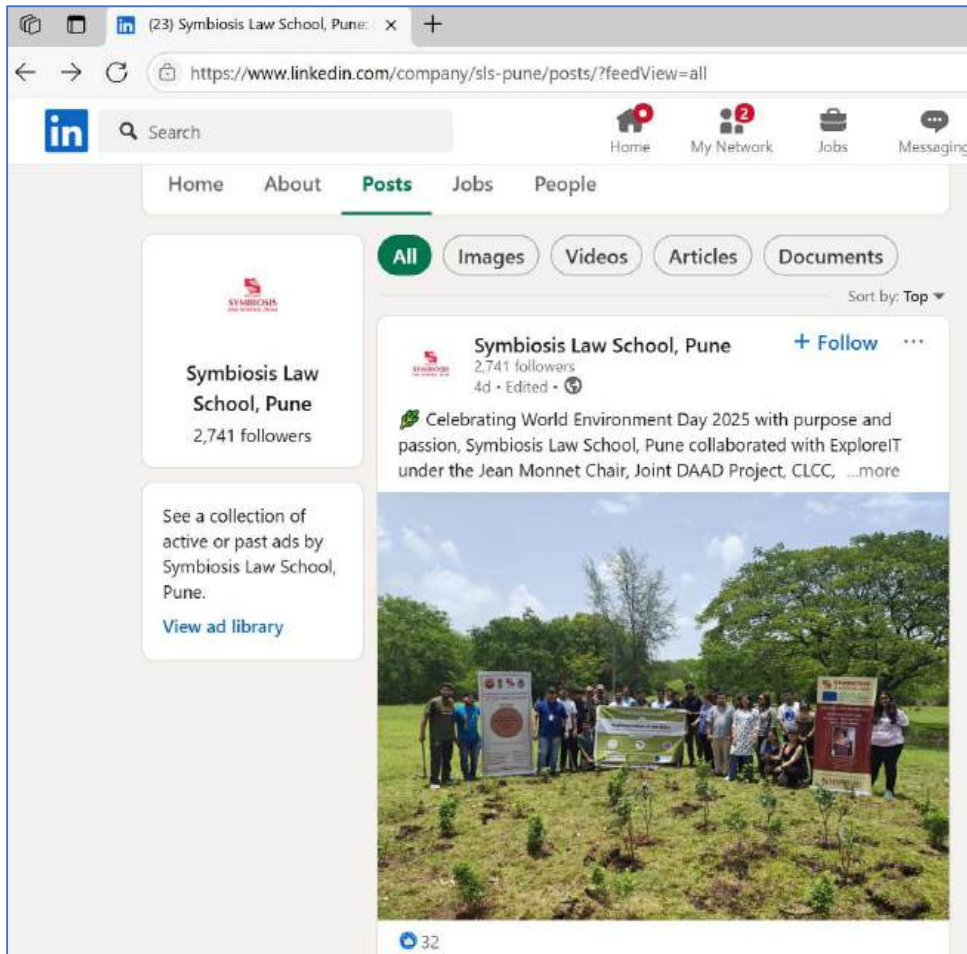
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### a) LinkedIn Posts (Some of the glimpses)





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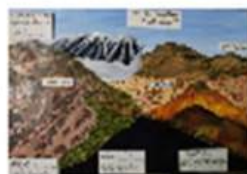
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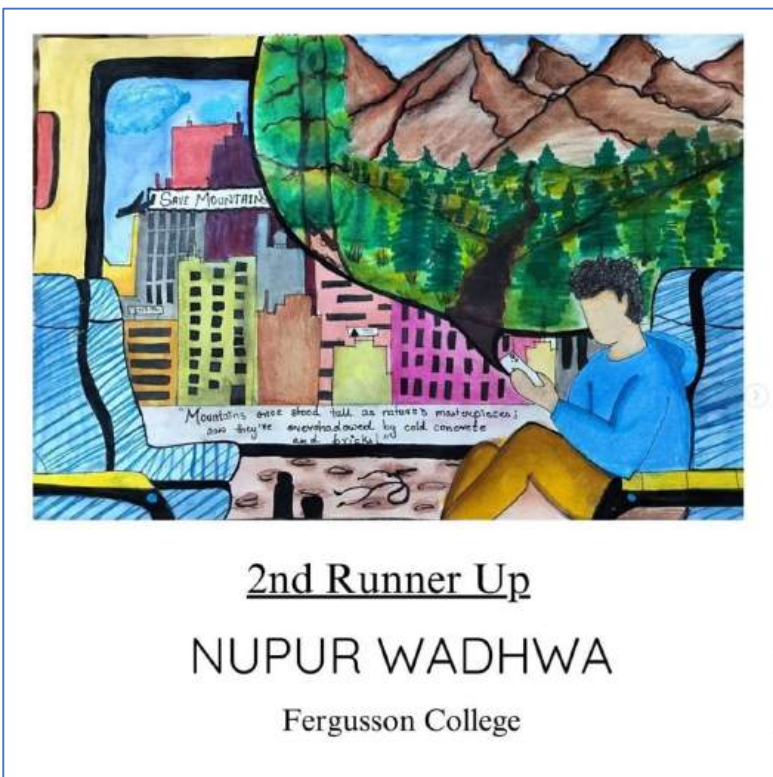
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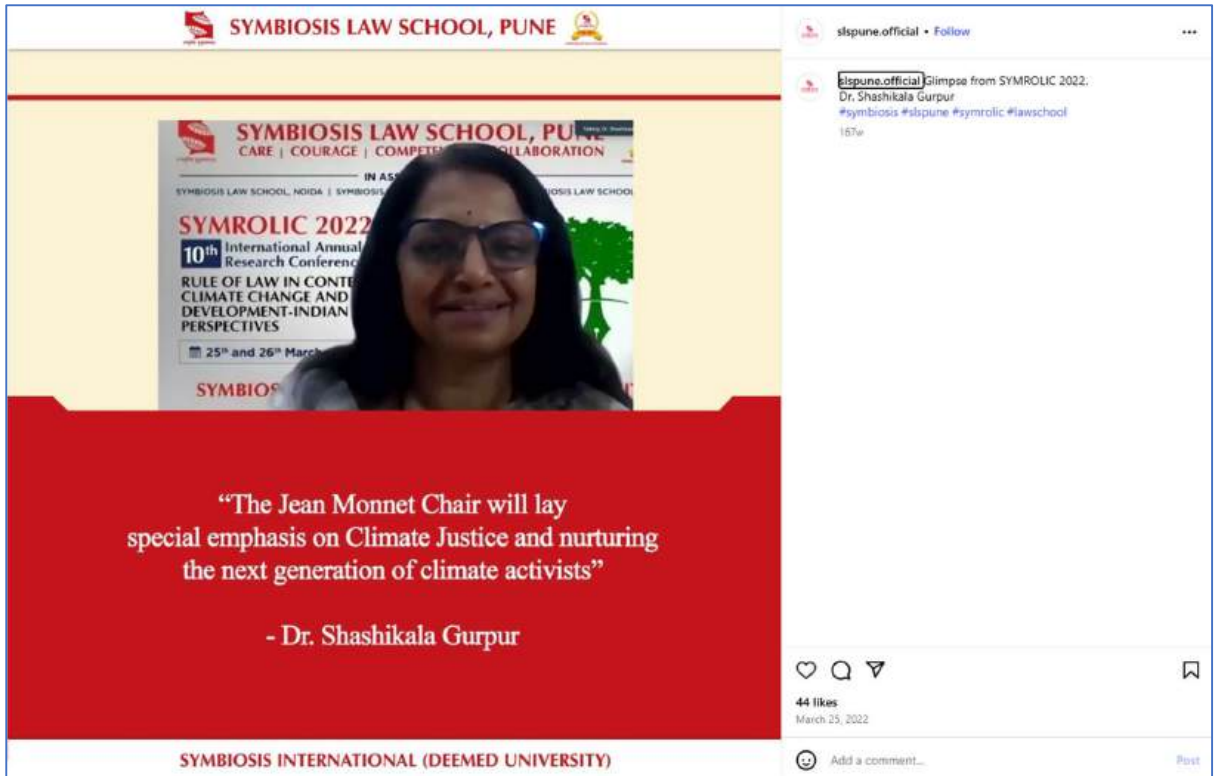
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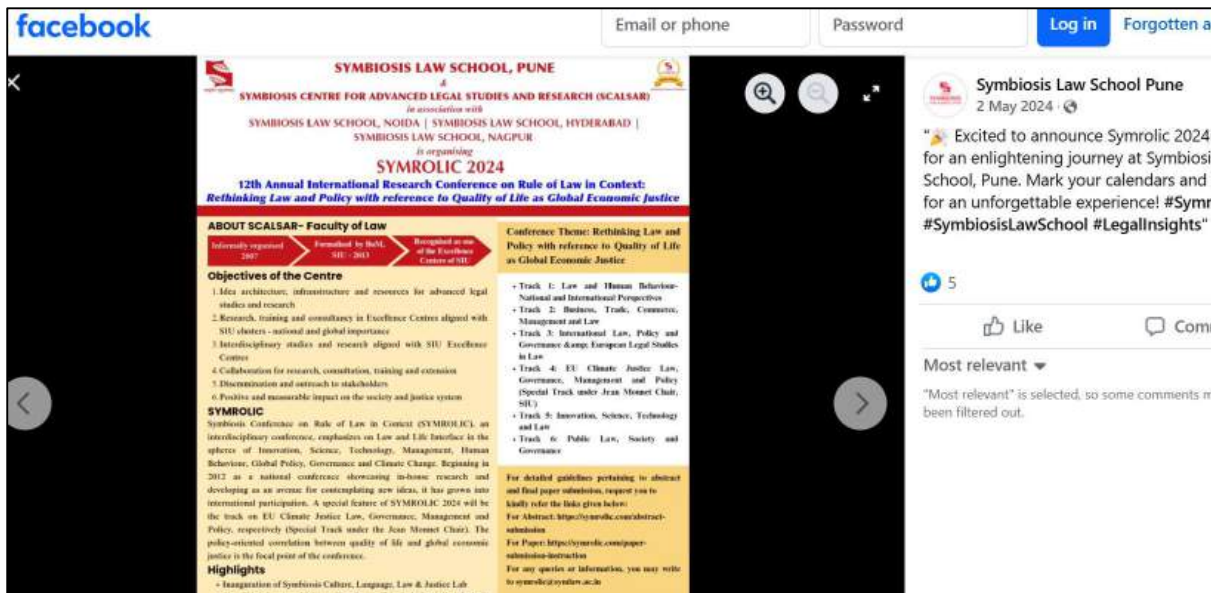
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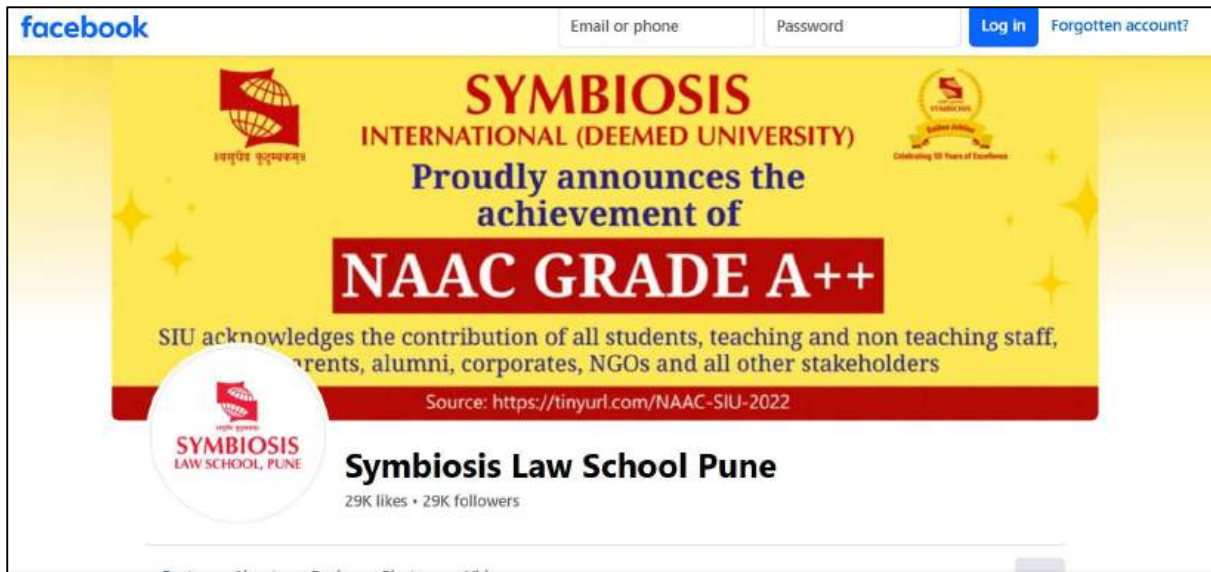


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d) YouTube screenshots and links (Glimpses)



**MOOC Videos uploaded on YouTube and provided on the MOOC Portal**

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**Training the Trainers Programme – Total 6 videos made available on YouTube:**

[Session 1 Training the Trainer Programme Climate Justice, JM Chair EUC-LAMP, SLS Pune: 20 Jan 2024 - YouTube](#)

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[Session 6 Training the Trainer Programme Climate Justice, JM Chair EUC-LAMP, SLS Pune: 20 Jan 2024 - YouTube](#)

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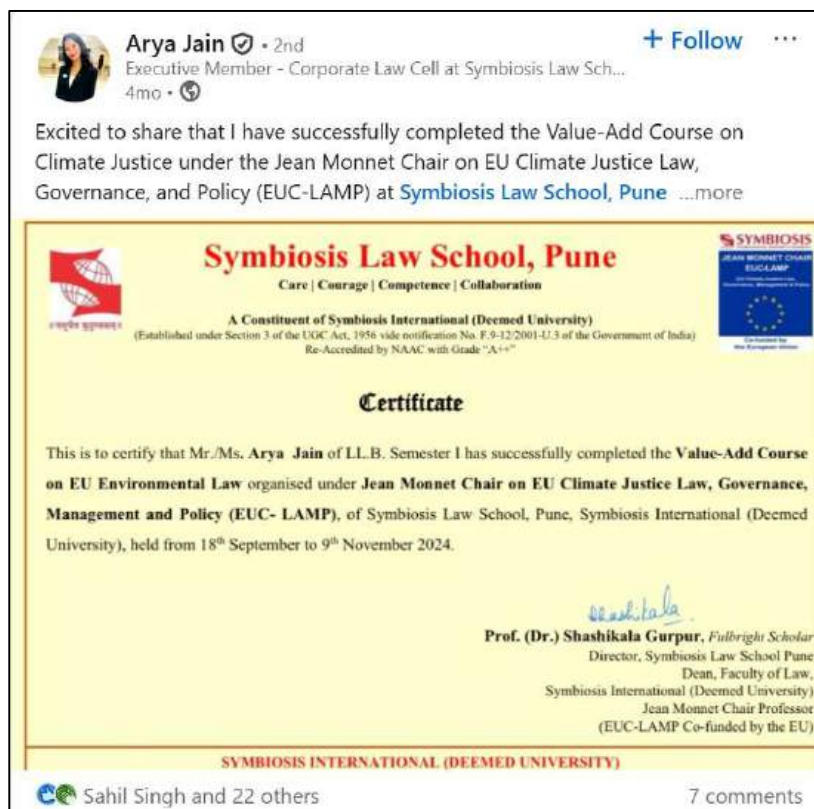
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e) User Generated Posts on various social media platforms (Glimpses)



“This course provided valuable insights into the legal and policy frameworks shaping climate justice, with a special focus on the European Union and its global implications.

Grateful for the opportunity to deepen my understanding of climate governance and sustainability! Looking forward to exploring more in this space.”

 **Alina Pandey**  · 2nd  
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**Prof. (Dr.) Shashikala Gurpur**, *Fulbright Scholar*  
Director, Symbiosis Law School Pune  
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 **Vanshika Sahay**  · 2nd  
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I am grateful for this opportunity, which has strengthened my commitment to contributing meaningfully to environmental policy and governance.



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“I chose to explore "The Intersection of Climate Change and Social Justice," delving into critical issues such as environmental racism and inequality. Although I did not secure a winning position, this experience deepened my understanding of how climate change disproportionately affects marginalized communities and the urgent need for equitable solutions.”

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## X. Publicity through Institute’s Newsletter

It is one of the best practices of Symbiosis Law School, Pune, SIU to publish a bi-annual newsletter named “LEX ET” capturing most of the activities that are carried out in the institute. The digital copies of the newsletter are published on the institute website at <https://www.symlaw.ac.in/lexet-newsletter.php>. The digital copies of Lex Et the newsletter are also widely circulated among the contacts and especially the Alumni.

Dr. Shashikala Gurpur is the Editor-in-Chief of the biannual newsletter LEX ET.

Most of the activities carried out under the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP have been captured in this biannual newsletter since the year 2022.

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Following is the cover page of the Newsletter LEX ET Vol. 24 Issue 2

**EDITORIAL**  
**HUMOUR AND FREE SPEECH IN INDIA**

Germany is fast emerging as one of the controversial domains, impacting the debate on growing contradictions between morality and sense of humour, therefore raising some pertinent questions: How free shall humans be in their freedom of speech and expression? How far should there be laws to restrict, protect, or regulate human emotions and sentiments? Who is going to decide the line between humour and vulgarity? While hearing the noise of a recent controversy around a YouTube show, India's Got Latent, in the Supreme Court of India, Justice Surya Kant stated that 'humour is an element of creative art. It is something that entire family should enjoy without being embarrassed from use of filthy language. Let us think of a limited regulatory measure that does not lead to censorship but must have some elements of control'. Why is Humour Important? What is the power of humour? Within a range of emotions that humans possess, display, and value as important, laughter is one of them. Laughter as bodily sounds of merriment is either involuntary act, which is neurobiological, or a voluntary act, that is more social, narrative, and communicative in nature. Humour, on the other hand, is the human ability to evoke laughter or to understand what is funny, comical, satirical, ludicrous, or absurd. This social laughter produced through humour in the form of a joke, story, play, skit, movie or book has potential to become controversial as it can be based on irony, satire, parody, or ridicule. Nonetheless, humour can be oppressive and cruel too, particularly when it is used to ridicule ethnicity, caste, class, gender, or religion. The cultural history of South Asia, particularly India, offers the very satirical and most serious tradition of lampoon and humour as a part of philosophy, cosmology, spirituality, and everyday life. Shanta Murti's masterly treatise, *India's Shastri*, written between 200 (SCJ-SCJ), deals with the theory of irony, or the taste of aesthetic sensibilities or emotions, the treatise discusses irony (laughter and humour) as one of the most integral to the human world. In addition to the aesthetic characteristics and dimensions, humour has also been a subject of thorough study in the dominant Western Philosophy. While the Scepticism theory, propounded by Thomas Hobbes, focuses on the laughter being generated out of the glory, sense of humour, while sense of superiority, or mocking, the latest theory by Sigmund Freud explains that laughter expresses our complex, psychoanalytical desire, freedom, release, anxiety, nervousness, sense of hostile feelings. The theory of irony, originated from the ideas of Friedrich Schlegel and propagated by Henry Bergson, talks about the conflict and contradictions of ideas as funny. Merton of American sociologist has written of public of humour by arguing that it can be supportive, corrective, naive, absurd, and provocative, each related to the power and resistance and its totality in different ways. It carries profound messages and therefore needs to be seriously analysed for its contribution to socio-political change. Article 19(1)(a) and 19(2) of the Indian Constitution that guarantees freedom of speech with certain reasonable restrictions like decency or morality, became very crucial in understanding the role of constitutional liberties, morality of the Indian society and the evolution of such guarantees and restrictions with the time. The rapid growth of digital platforms, that has markedly enhanced the capacity of individuals and groups to express freely, has also opened difficult gateways for legislating the new domains of free speech. Justice Surya Kant, in the same hearing, also suggested the Union Government "propose a balanced draft of regulatory measures to be open for comments from public and stakeholders so that it will be clear and kind of humour is Indian society ready for". With closely intertwined to the information technology, Act 2020, through the Jan Vishwas (Amendment of Provisions) Act, 2023, and the progress in completely replace it with the Digital India Act 2023, it would be interesting to see how the new law-making process interacts with content about ethnicity, Indian morality, and the socio-political and cultural diversity of the Indian sense of humour.

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Focused Group Discussion on SPARC Project 2023: Legal and Ethical Framework for the Use of Artificial Intelligence in Healthcare with special reference to Patient Safety, conducted in hybrid mode at Symbiosis Law School, Pune. (1 to 2) Dr. Mohanty, Dr. Gurpur, Dr. Chawla, Dr. Aniruddh Verbagse, Dr. Ravindra Ghosh, Dr. Rupat, and Dr. Shalke.

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Some of the relevant pages which report the Jean Monnet Chair Activities in the newsletter Lex et (July – Dec 2024) are showcased

## JEAN MONNET CHAIR WORKSHOP

The Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP, in collaboration with ExploreiT and The Climate Reality Project India & South Asia, hosted an engaging Executive Workshop on Climate Justice on July 15, 2024 at Symbiosis Law School, Pune. The event featured insightful discussions and hand-on activities on CSR interventions and ESG corporate strategies led by Dr. Erach Bharucha, Rajashree Joshi, and Mr. Shivam Singh, CEO and Founder, ExploreiT. More than 100 participants attended the workshop.



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## CONFERENCES & WORKSHOP

1. Under the Jean Monnet Chair (EUC LAMP) an Executive Workshop was conducted on "Climate Justice: Advancing SDG and ESG through impactful CSR Proposal" on the 15th of July 2024 at Symbiosis Law School, Pune.



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**Last page of the newsletter that portrays forthcoming events such as JM Distinguished Speaker Programme under the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP**



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Following are the relevant pages regarding the JM Chair EUC-LAMP, published in the Lex Et newsletter Vol. 23 Issue 2

### SWACHHTA ABHIYAN



*The ECOCON cell organized the Swachhata Hi Seva (SHS) 2023;*

The 'Swachhata Hi Seva' campaign, a part of the Swachh Bharat Mission by the Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs, encourages the nation to dedicate one hour on October 1, 2023, from 10 am to 11 am ("Ek Tareekh, Ek Ghanta"), to clean their surroundings. In alignment with this, the Jean Monnet Chair of EU Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management & Policy (EUC-LAMP), led by Prof. (Dr.) Shashikala Gurpur, Director and Dean SIU, the Climate Change Policy and Law (CCP-Law) Centre, in collaboration with the various cells of SLS-P organized a cleanliness drive at Symbiosis Law School, Pune on 1st October 2023 from 10 am to 11 am.

The event witnessed the active participation of around 100 volunteers, including students and faculty, who covered an extensive area of approximately 3 km around the SLS-P campus. Guided by Dr. Manikprabhu Dhanorkar, Head of Symbiosis Centre for Waste Resource Management (SCWRM), the volunteers, equipped with protective gear such as gloves, masks, brooms, and garbage bags, were divided into teams to clean designated areas.

The campaign kicked off with a photography session involving Adar Poonawala Clean City Initiative (APCCI) employees and SLS & SCWRM staff. Colourful posters with slogans like 'Swachh Bharat' and 'Swachhata hi Seva' were prominently displayed. The teams, each covering different areas around the SLS campus, diligently collected and separated waste into biodegradable and non-biodegradable categories.

Enthusiastic involvement from SLS-P students inspired street vendors to join the effort. Volunteers engaged with vendors, addressing concerns, and promoting awareness about maintaining cleanliness in their surroundings. The collected waste was efficiently disposed of using the Glutton Electric Waste disposal machine provided by APCCI.

This campaign made the community more sensitive towards their surroundings and aware of the various hardships faced by safai karamcharis. The Government's initiative was the right step forward towards building a cleaner and greener nation

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*Dr. Shashikala Gurpur addressing the students of Venkateshwara School during the World Environment Day 2023 celebration, organised by Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP SIU*

On 31st August, 2023, the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP SIU organised World Environment Day 2023 in collaboration with the ECOCON cell and Community Legal Care and Literacy Cell of Symbiosis Law School, Pune. The event was celebrated at the Venkateshwara School, Haveli, Pune. On 26th October 2023, the Community Legal Care and Literacy Cell and Pro Bono Club of Symbiosis Law School, Pune, in collaboration with the District Legal Services Authority, conducted an anti-ragging session at Pirangut English Medium School.

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- Dr Shashikala Gurpur presented a paper at UCD Law School, Ireland for a session on 'Legal Protection of Carbon sinks and case studies of the role of mangroves from India' based on a paper co-authored with Dr Sujata Arya, SLSP and Prof Dr M.P. Chengappa, WBNUJS Kolkata. The research paper is titled 'Examining Legal Regimes and Policy Changes to Enhance the Role of Mangroves as Carbon Sinks: A Case Study of India's Compliance with Global Commitments and Human Rights Implications'

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**The Distinguished Speaker Programme under the aegis of the Jean Monnet Chair for EU Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy (EUC-LAMP), Co-funded by EU on Strategic Nature of Climate Change Negotiations: A Manifestation of Power Play by Ambassador Manjeev Singh Puri.**



*Ambassador Manjeev Singh Puri explaining the impact of 1988 Resolution of the United Nations General Assembly on IPCC and Rio De Janeiro Protocol*

SLS, Pune held a Distinguished Speaker Programme under the aegis of the Jean Monnet Chair for EU Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy (EUC-LAMP), co-funded by the EU on 22nd August 2022. The lecture was delivered by Ambassador Manjeev Singh Puri on the topic 'Strategic Nature of Climate Change Negotiation: A Manifestation of Power Play'. Explaining the genesis of Climate Negotiations, Mr. Puri pointed out how the 1988 Resolution of the United Nations General Assembly set things in motion for IPCC and Rio De Janeiro Protocol, giving rise to the idea of 'common but differentiated liability'. Concluding his address, Mr. Puri urged the audience to 'act on climate change, on both adaptation and mitigation.'

**TEACHERS' DAY**

SLS-P Student Advisory Board (2022-23) organized Teachers' Day programme with the theme 'Celebrating Great Teachers of our History'. Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurbur, Fulbright Scholar, Director, SLS-P, Dean Faculty of Law, SIU, Jean Monnet Chair Professor (EUC-LAMP co-funded by EU), began her address by highlighting

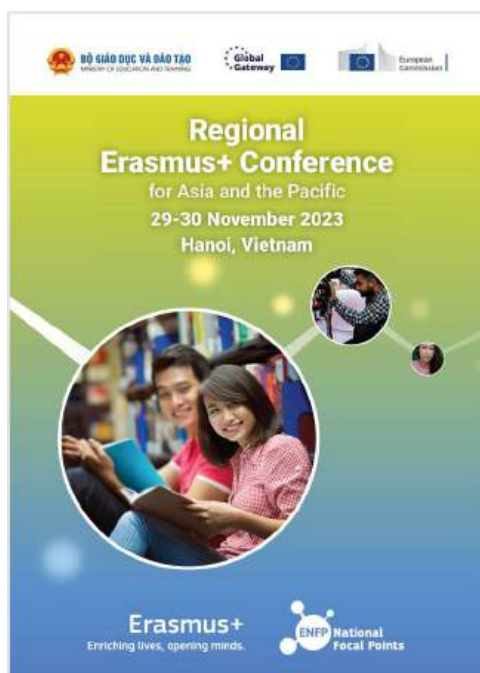
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## XI. Dissemination of achievements and outreach at Events

### a) Presentation at Regional Erasmus+ Week for Asia and Pacific event - Hanoi Vietnam - 28 to 30 November 2023

Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP, presented the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP Project at the Erasmus+ Regional Seminar during the session “How Erasmus+ supports Green Deal” that took place on 30<sup>th</sup> November 2023 between 11.30 am to 1 pm Vietnam time. Since Dr. Gurpur was travelling to Ireland, she asked Dr. Rupal Rautdesai to be on standby for the presentation on the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP at the Regional Erasmus+ Conference.



THE REGIONAL ERASMUS+ WEEK FOR ASIA AND THE PACIFIC 29-30 NOVEMBER 2023	
11:30 - 13:00	<p><b>How Erasmus+ supports Green Deal</b>  <b>Alba Prieto Gonzalez</b>, Project Adviser, European Education and Culture Executive Agency (EACEA)</p> <p><b>Testimonies / examples from existing projects</b>            • Training professionals for governance  <b>Dung Thi Xuan Do</b> (DAI HOE HUE, Vietnam) Curricula development on Climate Change Policy and Law (CBHE)  <b>Paulo Canelas de Castro</b> (Universidade de Macau) EU Environmental Law in times of Transitions (Jean Monnet)</p> <p><b>Rupal Raut Desai</b> (in-situ) with <b>Shashikala Gurpur</b> (remote) (Symbiosis International University, India) EU Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy (Jean Monnet)</p> <p>• Training skilled professionals for green economy  <b>Evika Karamagioli</b> (Ethniko kai Kapodistriako Panepistimio, Greece) Improving disaster health and climate resilience at the expanded environmental crisis in Nepal and Bangladesh (CBHE)  <b>Ochir Altansukh</b> (National University of Mongolia) Urban Resilience and Adaptation for India and Mongolia: curricula, capacity, ICT and stakeholder collaboration to support green &amp; blue infrastructure and nature-based solutions (CBHE)  <b>Nor Aiza Mohd Zamil</b> (Universiti Teknologi Malaysia) ASEAN Network for Green Entrepreneurship and Leadership (CBHE)</p> <p>• Greener higher education institutions (Alumni)  <b>Ashiqur Rahman</b>, President, Erasmus Mundus Association (EMA)</p> <p>- Q&amp;A</p>

Table Programme of the event: Pg 1 on the left and the relevant part of Pg 7 where the name of Shashikala Gurpur appears for presenting on Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP



Title Slide of Presentation

# Outcomes / Expected Outcomes



## 1. Organization of the set of teaching units

Activity	Beneficiary Type	Numbers (Potential / Actual)		Location and beyond	Outcome
EU Environmental Law (Elective Course) Climate Justice, Law, Policy and Governance with focus on EU and Asia (India, China and ASEAN) (Elective Course)	LLB, BALLB (Hons.), BALLB (Hons.) LLM (across all 8 specializations)	120	350 (UG) + 10 (PG)	Symbiosis Law School Pune, India	Training Law graduates in EU Environmental Law and Climate Change Law – for research & publication, policy making, consulting, litigation and community service,
Online & Offline Cert. Prog. on European Union Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy	Students from 7 faculties of SIU with 30+ institutes & Graduates from any field across India	150	39 (in 1 year)	Symbiosis Law School Pune, India	Training professionals from various disciplines in multi-disciplinary aspects of Climate Change for greener society

Slide No. 4 on Teaching Activities of Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP presented at Erasmus+ Regional Conference

**'The role of LULUCF activities in the EU plans to regulate accounting of GHG Emissions'** by Prof. Dr. Justine Bendel (Marie Skłodowska-Curie Fellow at University of Copenhagen) held on 23<sup>rd</sup> September, 2023, on Zoom Platform – 250 participants

**World Environment Day 5<sup>th</sup> June 2023 Venkateshwara School**  
– 200 school students participated

**'International Mother Earth Day**  
– 21<sup>st</sup> April 2023 – 45 participants

Slide No. 8 on Dissemination / Side Activities of Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP presented at Erasmus+ Regional Conference

b) Invited as Jean Monnet Professor for Summer School at University of Palermo - Italy Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gupur, Jean Monnet Chair Professor – EUC-LAMP, was invited to University of Palermo to deliver session and engage in the one-week Summer School “on Democracy and Climate Justice” organized by the Project Coordinator of the Erasmus+ KA2 project “Climate Justice Living Lab” Prof. Dr. Nicola Gullo, from 1<sup>st</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> July 2024.



Project number 2023-1-IT02-KA220-HED-000161993

Project type: Erasmus KA 2 – strategic partnerships for higher education

Dr. Shashikala Gupur  
Symbiosis Law School Pune  
Dean Faculty of Law

*“Invitation of Dr. Gupur to the Summer School on Democracy and Climate Justice,  
1 – 6 July 2024 Palermo”*

As Scientific Director of the Erasmus KA 2 project “Climate Justice Living Lab” and Master in “Law and Technology of the Ecological Transition” of the University of Palermo, I invite Dr. Shashikala Gupur, born on 11/12/1964 in Mangalore, Karnataka, Director of Symbiosis Law School Pune, Dean Faculty of Law and Jean Monnet Chair Professor, to present the report on “*Indian Case law on Climate Change*”, within the context of the Summer School on “*Democracy and Climate Justice*”, which will take place from 1 to 6 July 2024 at University of Palermo.

The presentation of your report is scheduled for July 4.

To allow your participation in the presence, the Law Department of Palermo offers a flight contribution of 1,000.00 euros and the coverage of the costs of accommodation and food for the week of the conference.

If your presence in Palermo is not possible, you can carry out your report online.

As for the participation of your students online, there is no maximum number, but they must answer the call that will be issued at the beginning of June.

Best regards

Palermo, 24 May 2024

Nicola Gullo - Director of the Erasmus KA 2 Programme  
Professor of Administrative Law

Invitation Letter received by Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gupur to participate and deliver session in the Summer School organized by Prof. Nicola Gullo, University of Palermo

“PROGRAM”

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DEMOCRACY AND CLIMATE JUSTICE

Palermo, 1° luglio – 6 luglio 2024

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Giovedì 4 luglio 2024

Orto Botanico, Sala Lanza, - Palermo

<b>VII Sessione</b> Ore 10.00 – 12.00	<b>Ecological transition and climate justice.</b> <i>Prof. Fabrizio Fracchia</i> –Università Bocconi di Milano.
	<b>Indian case law on climate change</b> <i>Prof.ssa Shashikala Gurpur</i> – Symbiosis Law School Pune
<b>VIII Sessione</b> Ore 14.30 – 16.30	<b>Conflicts of rights in environmental context</b> <i>Prof. Mauricio Maldonado</i> – Università San Francisco de Quito.
	<b>Climate change and tax policy</b> <i>Prof. Francesco Montanari</i> – Università Gabriele D’Annunzio Chieti-Pescara

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## Comparative Analysis

**Global Precedents:** The Indian Supreme Court's recognition of the climate right aligns with similar legal developments in other countries, such as:

- The Netherlands, where courts have recognized the government's duty to protect citizens from climate change.
- The International Tribunal on the Law of the Sea's recent Advisory opinion stressed "Stringent Due Diligence" in relation to Marine Environmental Pollution from Anthropogenic GHG Emissions.
- The State of Hawai'i recently settled a constitutional climate case bringing systemic decarbonization of a state transport system.
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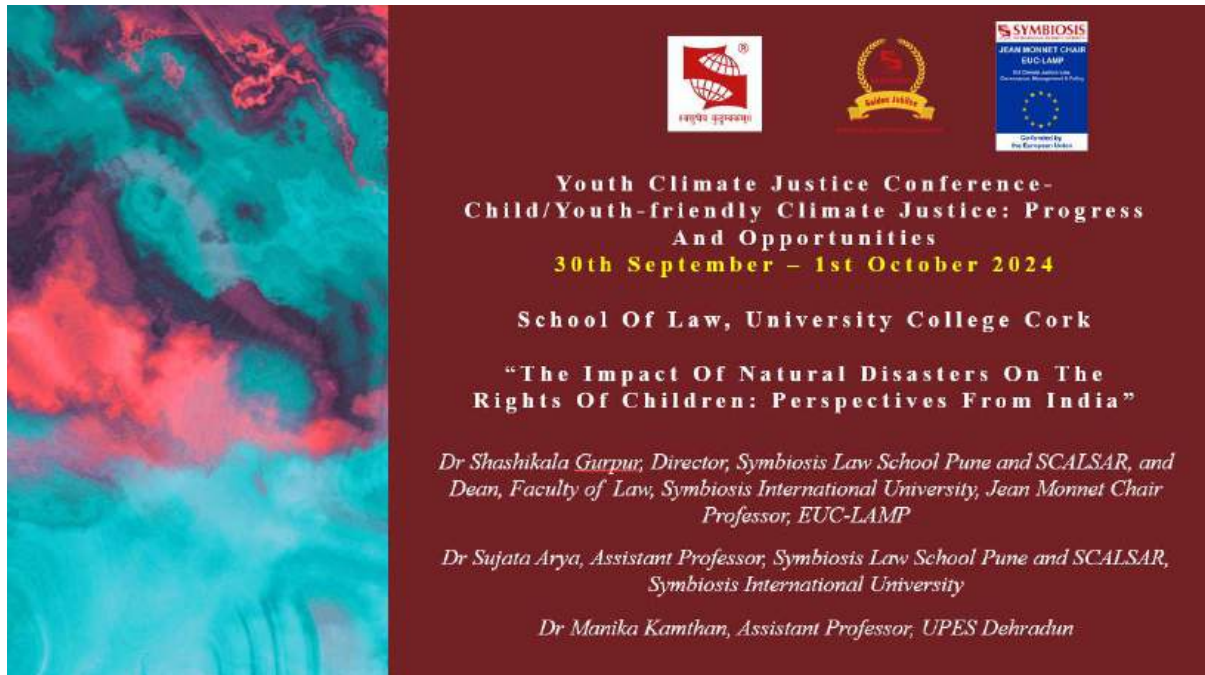
- The European Court of Human Rights (Strasbourg) issued rulings in various cases that alleged governmental shortcomings to address climate change, as violative of fundamental human rights to life, privacy, family life, and freedom from discrimination. in *Klimaseniorinnen v. Switzerland*, *Portuguese Youth v. 32 European Countries*, and *Carême v France*

This global trend towards recognizing climate change as a human rights issue is putting pressure on governments worldwide to take more ambitious climate action.

Slide No. 33 of presentation of Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP at the Summer School of University of Palermo

c) Presentation in Youth Climate Justice Conference - 30<sup>th</sup> Sep – 1<sup>st</sup> Oct 2024 at School of Law, University College Cork, Ireland

Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, Jean Monnet Chair Professor EUC-LAMP, along with two other faculty members Dr. Sujata Arya and Dr. Manika Kamthan of Symbiosis Law School, Pune made a presentation on “The Impact of Natural Disasters on the Rights of Children: Perspectives from India” at the Youth Climate Justice Conference – Child/Youth Friendly Climate Justice: Progress And Opportunities” held on 30<sup>th</sup> September and 1<sup>st</sup> October 2024.



Slide No. 1 of presentation of Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP at the Youth Climate Justice Conference

d) Presentation at International Conference on Forests at the Crossroads of International Law, University of Copenhagen, Denmark – 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Sep 2023

Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, Jean Monnet Chair Professor EUC-LAMP, along with two other faculty members Dr. Sujata Arya and Ujal Mukherjee presented a Research Paper on “Decoding the Tensions between the International and Domestic Regimes for Forest Governance A Study of the Forest Rights and Sacred Groves in India” at the International Conference on ‘Forests at the Crossroads of International Law’ organized by University of Copenhagen, Denmark, held on the 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> of September 2023.



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## Forests at the crossroads of international law

### Programme

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4-5 September 2023, Copenhagen, Denmark

Day 1 (Monday 4 September)

Location

Meeting room: Flexroom (ground floor) 8A-0-57

Faculty of Law, University of Copenhagen

Njalsgade 76, 2300 Copenhagen

Time	Programme
8.30-9.00	Arrival and registration Pastry, fruit and beverages will be served
9.00-9.15	<b>Welcome</b> <i>Beatriz Martinez Romera</i> , Associate Professor, University of Copenhagen <i>Justine Bendel</i> , Marie Curie Fellow, University of Copenhagen

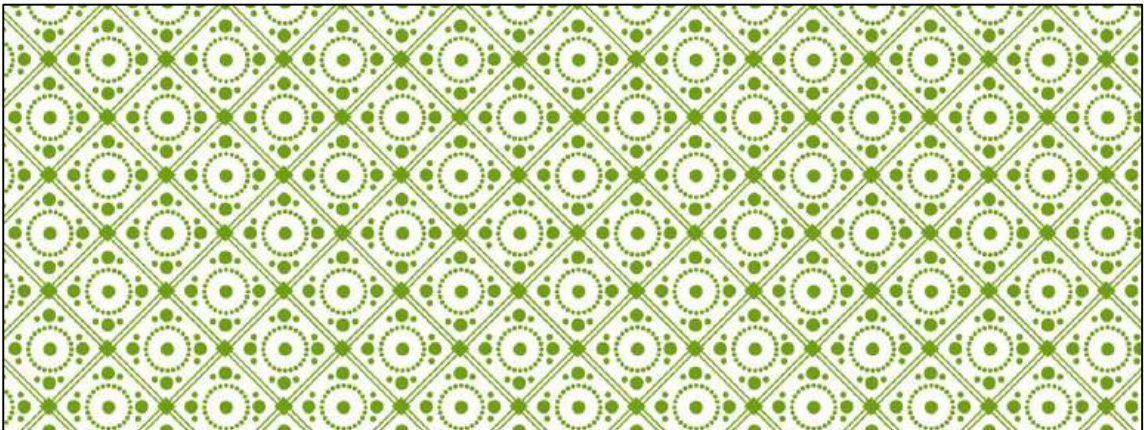
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13.00-14.30	<p><b>Second panel: Forests and the EU</b></p> <p><u>Chair:</u> <i>Elena Cima</i>, Lecturer, ISE-GEDT, University of Geneva</p> <p><i>Bruno Garcia da Silva</i>, Teaching Assistant, University Saint-Louis Bruxelles, Lawyer registered at the Brussels Bar; <i>Pierre-Noé Milcamps</i>, Lawyer registered at the Brussels Bar</p> <p>“The deforestation-free products regulation: when the EU takes on deforestation’s corrupted roots”</p> <p><i>Clement Kojo Akapame</i>, Senior Lecturer in Law, Faculty of Law, Ghana Institute of Management and Public Administration</p> <p>“Green deal or red card: analysis of EU policies on the commercial trade in forest risk commodities and its impact on developing producer economies”</p> <p><i>Yilly Vanessa Pacheco Restrepo</i>, Postdoctoral Researcher, Institute of International and European Law, University of Gottingen</p> <p>“Regime interaction between the forest-related secondary law in MEAs and the recent developments in the EU Sustainability-Trade policy to address global deforestation”</p>
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	<p><i>Shashikala Gurpur</i>, Director, Symbiosis Law School, Pune; <i>Ujal Kumar Mookherjee</i>, Assistant Professor, Symbiosis Law School, Pune; <i>Sujata Arya</i>, Assistant Professor, Symbiosis Law School, Pune</p> <p>“Understanding the tension between the international and domestic regimes for forest governance: a study of the forest rights and sacred groves in India”</p>
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Page 2 & 3 (part) of the Schedule of International Conference on Forests at the Crossroads of International Law, University of Copenhagen, Denmark – which shows that in second Panel Forests and EU – Dr. Shashikala Gurpur presented along with two faculty members



**DECODING THE TENSION BETWEEN THE INTERNATIONAL AND NATIONAL FOREST GOVERNANCE REGIMES: A STUDY OF THE FOREST RIGHTS AND SACRED GROVES IN INDIA**

Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, Director and Dean Faculty of Law, SIU Jean Monnet Chair Professor EU Climate Justice, Law, Governance Mgt and Policy  
 Ujal Kumar Mookherjee & Dr. Sujata Arya

Slide No. 1 of presentation of Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, Dr. Sujata Arya and Ujal Mookherjee

**e) Presentation at InterAct Conference International Law-Making: Actors in Shipping and Climate Change – 27<sup>th</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup> May 2024**

Ms. Lasya Vyakaranam D’Cruz and Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, Jean Monnet Chair Professor EUC-LAMP, presented a Paper on “The need for a revised legal strategy for energy transition in the Asian Shipping Industry” at the InterAct Conference on International Law-Making: Actors in Shipping and Climate Change organized by University of Copenhagen, Denmark, held on the 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> of September 2023.



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**International Law-Making:  
Actors in Shipping and Climate Change**  
*InterAct Conference*  
Copenhagen, 27<sup>th</sup> – 28<sup>th</sup> May 2024

<b>11:20 – 12:30</b>	<p><b>Session 6: Domestic and Other Regional Approaches</b></p> <p><b>Chair – <u>Bernardo Busel Niedmann</u></b>, Chief Advisor, Danish Energy Agency</p> <p><b>Holomui ki mu’a: Pacific Catalytic Action at IMO Proves the Power of Small</b> <b>John Kautoke</b>, Advisor, Micronesian Centre for Sustainable Transport</p> <p><b>The Decarbonization of Shipping from the Danish Perspective</b> <b>Jakob Haugaard</b>, Director for Climate and Green Transition, Danish Maritime Authority</p> <p><b>The Need for a Revised Legal Strategy for Energy Transition in the Asian Shipping Industry</b> <b>Lasya Vyakaranam DCruz</b>, Assistant Professor, Symbiosis Law School and <b>Shashikala Gurpur</b>, Director, Symbiosis Law School</p> <p><b>Maritime Decarbonization in Singapore</b> <b>Kevin Chan</b>, Legal Director, Clyde and Co. Singapore</p> <p><b>An Analysis of the Peruvian Maritime Regulatory Law and its significance towards achieving Sustainable Development Goal 14</b> <b>Jesus Menacho</b>, Consultant and Independent Maritime Expert, Ibero-American Institute of Maritime Law</p>
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Pg 9 of the published booklet of the InterAct Conference Displaying the schedule of the conference – Session 6 in which Ms. Lasya Vyakaranam DCruz & Dr. Shashikala Gurpur made the presentation

f) Presentation at Research Workshop at University College Dublin Sutherland School of Law - 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> December 2023

Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, Jean Monnet Chair Professor EUC-LAMP, presented at a research workshop on the topic of “Examining legal regimes and policy changes to enhance the role of mangroves as carbon sinks: a case Study of India’s compliance with global commitments and human rights implications”. This Research Conference on “Legal protection of carbon sinks in the fight against climate change: interactions between ecosystem protection and human rights” was organized by University College Dublin (UCD) Sutherland School of Law and Environmental Regulation Research Group on 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> of December 2023. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur was assisted by Dr. Sujata Arya and Dr.



Pg 1 of the research workshop programme

**LEGAL AND POLICY REGIME ON THE ROLE OF MANGROVES AS CARBON SINKS: A CASE STUDY OF INDIA'S COMPLIANCE WITH GLOBAL COMMITMENTS AND HUMAN RIGHTS IMPLICATIONS**

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Slide 1 of the presentation made at the research workshop

g) International Association of Law School (IALS) Event – 12<sup>th</sup> to 14<sup>th</sup> September 2024



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Online Law & Policy Expert sessions



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Flyer used by JM Chair Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur for dissemination at the International Association of Law Schools 2024 Global Law Deans' Forum & Annual Meeting

#### h) Erasmus+ CBHE KA2 CCP\_Law Project Meetings

Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, Jean Monnet Chair Professor is also the Project Manager for Symbiosis International (Deemed University) which is a Partner Institution in the Erasmus+ CBHE KA2 Project on “Curricula development on Climate Change Policy and Law” (hereinafter will be stated as CCP\_Law Project). As the Project Coordinator she has been attending all the physical as well as online project meetings. At the project meetings there is exchange of ideas, dissemination of activities carried out and sharing of best practices. The Jean Monnet Chair experience has influenced and shaped the discussions at the project meetings in CCP\_Law and vice versa.

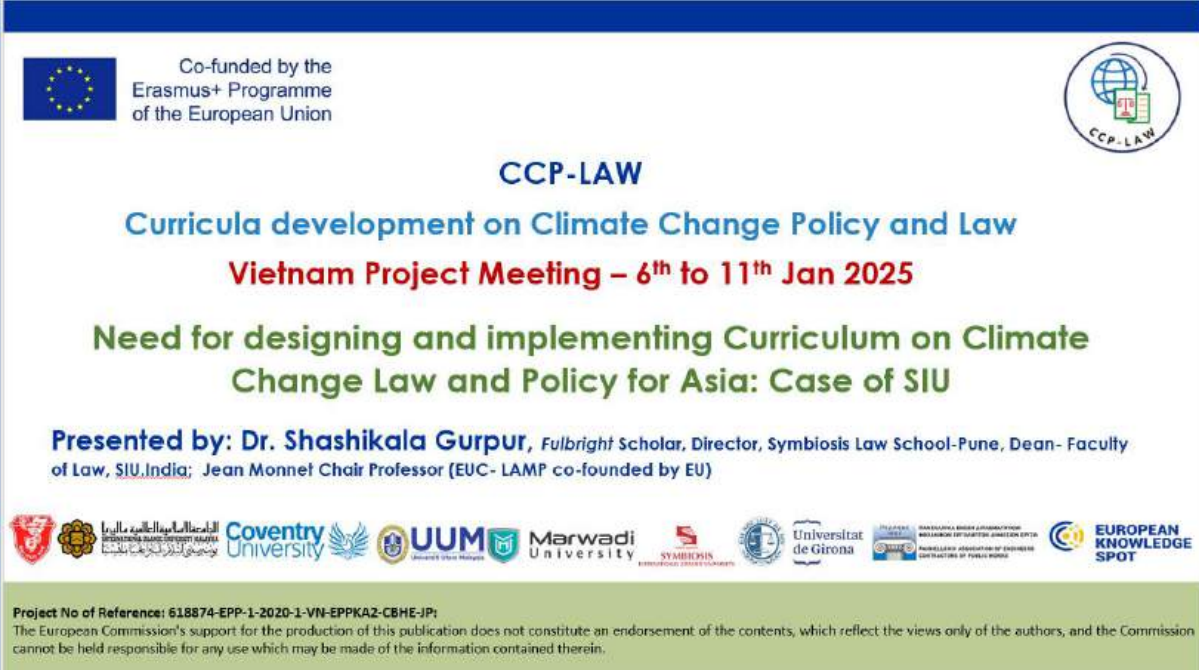
**The physical project meetings of the CCP\_Law attended/organised by Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur since 2022 are:**

- First face to face meeting was held at Girona Spain at University of Girona from 30<sup>th</sup> May to June 4<sup>th</sup> 2022 (The 3<sup>rd</sup> newsletter published at the project website at <https://ccp-law.eu/wp-content/uploads/2024/01/CCP-LAW-3rd-Newsletter-2.pdf> on page 2 - first photo shows Dr. Shashikala Gurpur with Do Thi Xuan Dung who is the overall Project Manager from Hue University)
- The Project’s 3rd Transnational Meeting at Marwadi University, Rajkot from 30<sup>th</sup> January, 2023 till 5<sup>th</sup> February, 2023 (The 4<sup>th</sup> newsletter published at the project website at <https://ccp-law.eu/wp-content/uploads/2024/04/CCP-LAW-4th-Newsletter.pdf> on page 2 - several photos show participation of Dr. Shashikala Gurpur)
- The 4<sup>th</sup> Transnational Meeting was organized by Symbiosis Law School, Pune, SIU under the guidance of Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur Jean Monnet Chair Professor EUC-LAMP from 11<sup>th</sup> to 16<sup>th</sup> September 2023 during which several milestones for the benefit of Climate Justice were achieved:
  - Symbiosis Law School, Pune inaugurated the Symbiosis Centre for Climate Change Law & Policy
  - On 11<sup>th</sup> September 2023 Regional Roundtable on Importance and Promotion of Climate Change Law & Policy Curriculum was organized with the objective of raising awareness on the importance of delivery of the Educational Course on Climate Change Law & Policy and to interact with high level and key stakeholders.
  - On 13<sup>th</sup> September 2023 Regional Seminar on Emerging Perspectives on Climate Change Policy and Law convened experts in various plenary sessions to address environmental challenges and propose solutions.

A brief report of the 4<sup>th</sup> Transnational Meeting and all the aforesaid events organized by Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur as Project Manager for SLS Pune, SIU for CCP\_Law Project can be found in the 5<sup>th</sup> Newsletter on the project website at <https://ccp-law.eu/wp-content/uploads/2024/04/CCP-LAW-5th-Newsletter.pdf>

- University Utara Malaysia (UUM) hosted the fifth Transnational Meeting of the Erasmus+ Project on Curriculum Development for Climate Change Policy and Law (CCP-LAW) from April 23<sup>rd</sup> to 25<sup>th</sup>, 2024. (The 6<sup>th</sup> newsletter published at the project website at [https://ccp-law.eu/wp-content/uploads/2024/09/CCP-LAW-6th-Newsletter\\_EN.pdf](https://ccp-law.eu/wp-content/uploads/2024/09/CCP-LAW-6th-Newsletter_EN.pdf) shows the participation of Dr. Gurpur in photos)

- The final conference of the Climate Change Law and Policy (CCP-Law) Project took place in Hue City, Vietnam from 6<sup>th</sup> to 11<sup>th</sup> January 2025. Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur from Symbiosis International University presented on the topic of “Need for designing and implementing Curriculum on Climate Change Law and Policy for Asia: Case of SIU” and the emphasized the importance of integrating Climate Change Law and Policy into academic curricula, showcasing how education can drive meaningful change. (The 9<sup>th</sup> newsletter published at the project website at <https://ccp-law.eu/wp-content/uploads/2025/03/CCP-LAW-9th-Newsletter-FINAL.pdf> shows the participation of Dr. Gurpur in photos also mentions about the presentation made during the final conference)



Slide 1 of the presentation made by Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP, at the Final Conference of CCP\_Law Project at Vietnam on 7<sup>th</sup> Jan 2025

i) Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP collaborated for a workshop with SCUS and SSE of SIU and NIUA, UK – 6<sup>th</sup> March 2024

Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, Jean Monnet Chair supported and collaborated in terms of funding of some amount and facilitating the participation of faculty members from the Jean Monnet Chair Team of SLS Pune for the Workshop on “Local Action for Climate Change in Pune City” 6th March, 2024, organised by the Symbiosis Centre for Urban Studies, Symbiosis School of Economics, National Institute of Urban Affairs (NIUA) India, University of Sheffield, UK.



**Photo of the Workshop on “Local Action for Climate Change in Pune City”**

**j) Resource Person at the Tech Camp on “Redesigning Sustainable Urban Waste Management” – 26<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup> September 2024**

Dr. Shashikala Gurpur was invited as one of the resource Person at the Tech Camp on “Redesigning Sustainable Urban Waste Management” organized by the US Consulate, Mumbai in partnership with Symbiosis Waste Resource Management (SCWRM), SIU, ExploreiT and Climate Projects Foundation – 26<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup> September 2024.

**k) Participation in International Youth Sustainability Festival – 8<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup> March 2024**

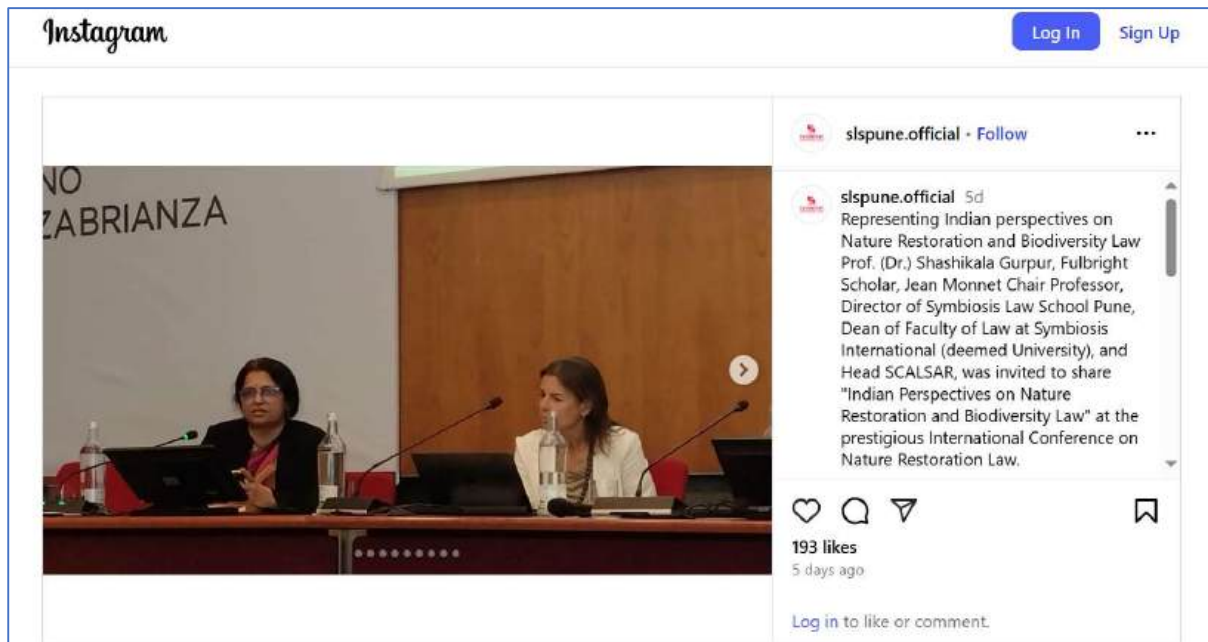
The Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP partnered and supported the team of ExploreiT & Climate Reality Project, other research Centers and NGOs for organizing and participating in the International Youth Sustainability Festival 2024 on 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> March 2024. The theme of the event was “Climate Justice & ESG: Inclusive & Integrated Sustainable Development”. Dr. Gurpur and other faculty made presentations on important topics and the LLM Students and Faculty of SLS Pune attended the event too.



Photo of the Event International Youth Sustainability – Dr. Gurpur is seen 2<sup>nd</sup> from the right

### l) Presentation at International Conference on Nature Restoration Law in Milan Italy – 4<sup>th</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> June 2025

Dr. Shashikala Guppur, Jean Monnet Chair Professor EUC-LAMP recently participated in the International Conference on Nature Restoration Law in Milan Italy from 4<sup>th</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> June 2025. The international conference was organized by Bicocca University. Dr. Guppur was invited to this conference to make a presentation in the session “Experiences from not EU Member States” scheduled on 6<sup>th</sup> June 2025. Prof. Dr. Guppur shared the Indian perspectives on Nature Restoration Law and Biodiversity and also disseminated the information on the activities and research carried out under Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP.



The Brochure of the conference which shows the talk by Prof. Dr. Shashikala Guppur is published at [https://giurisprudenza.unimib.it/sites/st04/files/Allegati/2025-05/Locandina\\_BicoccaBiodiversity\\_DEF%20%283%29.pdf](https://giurisprudenza.unimib.it/sites/st04/files/Allegati/2025-05/Locandina_BicoccaBiodiversity_DEF%20%283%29.pdf)

## XII. New Connections built and Collaborations

The Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP activities have provided an impetus to forge new connections and collaborations with EU / Europe.

### a) Collaboration with University of Palermo and Erasmus+ KA2 “Climate Justice Living Lab”

It was when we extensively published and sent out emails to a lot of international databases regarding the Certificate Programme being organized under the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP, we were happily surprised to receive an appreciation to our programme from Dr. Clelia Bartoli of University of Palermo, Italy. Dr. Clelia and Morena Rizzo of UNIPA put us in touch with Dr. Nicola Gullo who is the Project Coordinator of the Erasmus+ KA2 project “Climate Justice Living Lab”. And from there our association, collaboration and a journey of mutual respect and support began. Prof. Nicola Cullo in his email dated March 5, 2024 said “we are pleased to be able to collaborate on joint projects, because it will be an opportunity to combine our skills to study issues relating to climate justice and environmental protection.”

We invited Prof. Dr. Nicola Gullo and his team to take a session about the “Climate Justice Living Lab” for our certificate programme students. He along with his team consisting of Dr. Giulia Torta and Dr. Morena Rizzo made a presentation during one of the sessions of the certificate programme.

This collaboration got fortified with the invitation extended by the University of Palermo to Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, Jean Monnet Chair Professor EUC-LAMP to participate in the one-week Summer School on “Democracy and Climate Justice” organized by the Project Coordinator of the Erasmus+ KA2 project “Climate Justice Living Lab” Prof. Dr. Nicola Gullo, from 1<sup>st</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> July 2024 at University of Palermo, Italy. Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur visited University of Palermo for the summer school and delivered a session and participated in other activities.

The Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP of Symbiosis Law School, Pune, SIU and the Climate Justice Living Lab of University of Palermo further collaborated in the activity of JM Transnational Climate Justice Project (Based on pedagogy of COIL) – 2024-25, carried out by JM Chair EUC-LAMP. This Project consisted of lecture series in which Dr. Marica Di Pierri, Research Scholar of University of Palermo, Italy delivered a session on Environmental Justice. Further researchers from the University of Palermo such as Dr. Martina Ferrara, Dr. Luca Favalaro, Dr. Luca Salvatore Cellura, Dr. Valeria Rossi, Dr. Letizia Maranto led the student teams and participated in research group activities and produced research papers that are in process of publication. Dr. Guilia Torta and Prof. Dr. Nicola Gullo of University of Palermo, Italy participated as reviewers in this project.

Thus, it is just the beginning of a long-term collaboration between the two universities and especially in the field of Climate Justice.

### b) Collaboration with University of Zagreb

It was the efforts of two of our faculty members, Dr. Sujata Arya and Dr. Rupal Rautdesai, actively involved in the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP, who identified quite a few contacts from the GreenDeal-NET a Jean Monnet Network co-funded through the EU’s Erasmus+

programme. Out of the six contacts that were identified and approached for collaboration in the JM Transnational Climate Justice Project (Based on pedagogy of COIL) – 2024-25, we received one positive response from Dr. Melita Carević, Associate Professor at the Jean Monnet Centre for Excellence, University of Zagreb, Croatia. Dr. Melita was very much appreciated by the students and JM Chair EUC-LAMP for the session she conducted on “Climate Change and Global Sustainability” in the lecture series of the project. She also consented to be a reviewer for one of the research papers developed under this project.

### c) Collaboration with MicorVET.eu

From the Erasmus+ CBHE Project 21<sup>st</sup> Teach Skills, where we were one of the collaborating partners from India, we found a very good friend and a professionally excellent person, Marios Paraskevopoulos from the Novel Group Sarl Luxembourg (an IT Consulting company). Novel Group Sarl was also one of the partner organizations in the 21<sup>st</sup> Teach Skills Project. Marios Paraskevopoulos in May 2024 introduced us to the MicroVET project funded by the EU which is a project on European Alliance for micro credentials.

The MicroVET project funded by the EU aimed to offer quality training opportunities that would address targeted needs and preferences, identified via multi-sectoral needs analysis, hence provide highly relevant and applicable training. The MicorVET platform had 150 difference courses developed by the consortium members. They had invited many institutions to join the alliance.

As we were in the process of developing the MOOC for the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP, and as we were exploring a suitable platform to offer the MOOC course of 2 Credits (ECTS), after through research and looking at the most suitable option, it was found that MicroVET.eu would be a great platform to provide the MOOC due to its outreach and accessibility.

Thus, we got in touch with Marios Paraskevopoulos from Novel Group Sarl which facilitated the Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) and the Code of Conduct with European School Heads Association (ESHA), authorized signatory on behalf of the MicroVET consortium. The MicroVET consortium are the founders of the European Alliance for Microcredentials. Thus, the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP of SLS Pune, SIU collaborated with the MicroVET.eu platform for hosting the MOOC developed under the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP.

### XIII. Conclusion - Outreach and Impact

Outreach and impact in terms of **teaching activities** has been that a **total of 1073 students have benefitted from the teaching activity 1, 2 and 3 over a period of three years of the project.** The break up of these numbers is provided below in three tables.

**Table 1: Teaching activity 1 for undergraduates under JM Chair EUC-LAMP**

<b>Teaching Activity 1 for Undergraduates</b>	<b>No. of Students Year 1</b>	<b>No. of Students Year 2</b>	<b>No. of Students Year 3</b>
EU Environmental Law	376	349	69
Climate Justice, Law, Policy and Governance with focus on EU and Asia (Comparative Climate Justice)	15	49	69
Totals	391	398	138
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>927</b>		

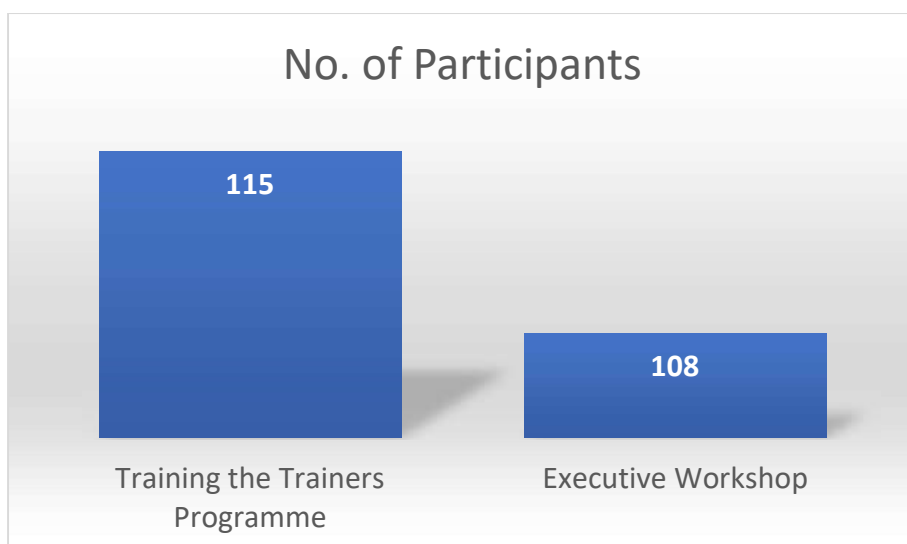
**Table 2: Teaching activity 2 for postgraduates under JM Chair EUC-LAMP**

<b>Teaching Activity 2 for postgraduates</b>	<b>No. of Students Year 1</b>	<b>No. of Students Year 2</b>	<b>No. of Students Year 3</b>
EU Environmental Law	17	8	9
Climate Justice, Law, Policy and Governance with focus on EU and Asia (Comparative Climate Justice)	17	18	9
Totals	34	26	18
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>78</b>		

**Table 3: Teaching activity 3 – Online and Offline Certificate Programme**

<b>Teaching Activity 3 - Online and Offline Certificate Programme</b>	<b>No. of Students Year 1</b>	<b>No. of Students Year 2</b>	<b>No. of Students Year 3</b>
European Union Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy	39	11	18
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>68</b>		

**Training activities** including Training the Trainer programme and a skill- based training in the form of Executive Workshop have made an impact by training, that was evident from the feedback of the participants formally as well as their postings in the social media. The social media postings have been discussed in the user generated social media post section above, which captures only limited user generated content on LinkedIn. The total number of **participants in both the training programmes reached 223.**



**Graph/Chart 1: Number of Participants in the Training Activities**

**Table 4: Diversity of participant category in the training programmes**

Training Activities	No. of Educational Institutions	No. of NGOs	Law Firms	Corporates
Training the Trainers Programme	19	4	2	3
Executive Workshop	14	16	2	7

Since the **training the trainer programme** was hybrid online as well as offline the participants joined across India. **Participants were from 7 states and 12 districts of India.**

**Table 5: Diversity in terms of region / place of the participant in training the Training the Trainer Programme**

Name of the State in India	Name of the District
Maharashtra	Amravati Nagpur Pune Nashik Mumbai
Karnataka	Bangalore
West Bengal	Nadia Kandi, Murshidabad
Uttarakhand	Dehradun
Telangana	Hyderabad
Dadra & Nagar Haveli	Silvassa
Punjab	Phagwara

The **three research publications**, indexed in **SCOPUS**, are of high quality and outcome of the teaching activities, research conferences and other side activities such as JM Transnational Climate Change Justice Project (pedagogy of COIL). There are 12 more research papers that are in process of being published in the form of a book in collaboration with Taylor and Francis.

**MOOC** is specially designed and being delivered to reach out at the International Level and cater to those who do not have access to such content and or may not be able to afford to take such niche courses.

**Side Activities** (that have been discussed in detail in the Section VI of this report) have witnessed the participation of large numbers that is **2,776 participants** across a broad variety of engaging events leaving a long-lasting impact on the participants.

**Table 6: Number of Participants across all side activities under JM Chair EUC-LAMP**

<b>Side Activities &amp; Events</b>	<b>Participants</b>
SYMROLIC 2022 – 25th & 26th March 2022	200
JM Distinguished Speaker Programme – 22nd Aug 2022	270
JM Research Conference – SYMROLIC – 5th and 6th May 2023	250
International Mother Earth Day – Tree Plantation Drive – 21st April 2023	120
World Environmental Day – Awareness programme in rural school – 5th June 2023	200
JM Distinguished Speaker Programme – 23rd Sep 2023	250
JURISTAS International Essay Writing Competition – 31st Mar 2024	100
JM Research Conference – SYMROLIC 2024 – 3rd and 4th May 2024	250
JM Distinguished Speaker Programme – 29h July 2024	435
JM Transnational Climate Change Justice Project (Based on pedagogy of COIL)	41
JM Conclave (JM Roundtable) – 6th April 2024	450
Poster Making Competition and Social Media Campaign on the occasion of International Mountain Day – 11th December 2024	25
JM Distinguished Speaker Programme – 25th Feb 2025	185
<b>Total</b>	<b>2776</b>

Now speaking of **dissemination and reach** through the **indirect means including the press media coverage, website presence, social media such as the LinkedIn, Facebook, Instagram and YouTube**, it can be said that a remarkable feat has been achieved, that is evident from the following numbers indicated in the table below.

**Thus, the total number of direct beneficiaries from teaching, training and side activities reaches 4,072 participants, which is a huge achievement of the three years of the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP.**

**Table 7: Dissemination Indirect through Press, website, social media and newsletter**

<b>Dissemination (indirect)</b>	<b>Numbers</b>	<b>Any additional information</b>	<b>Comment on Calculation or any other</b>
Press Media Coverage - Int & National (Total 16)	8000	16 news media coverage	Considering an average of 500 digital readers on the each of the digital news media which have more than 1 million readership each (=16x500)
Website (Two websites)	230,989		The website vendor SRV has provided the direct visitor count of <a href="http://www.syamlaw.ac.in">www.syamlaw.ac.in</a> for the time 2022 until now.
Social Media - LinkedIn	2741	6 Posts, 135 likes shown in this report	2741 are followers to the Institute handle where the JM chair posts have been made
Social Media - Facebook	29000	6 Posts, 23 likes shown in this report	29000 are followers to the Institute handle where the JM chair posts have been made
Social Media - Instagram	5166	8 Posts, 1199 likes shown in this report	5166 are followers to the Institute handle where the JM chair posts have been made
Social Media - YouTube	45300	13 Videos and 55 likes	45300 are subscribers to the institute
Social Media - User Generated	195		Only the ones from LinkedIn that are indicated in the report are counted
NewsLetter - Lex et	150		

**Table 8: Dissemination & outreach at events other than organized under the JM Chair EUC-LAMP Project**

<b>Dissemination by Outreach at Events participation</b>	
Regional Erasmus+ Week for Asia and Pacific event	200
Summer School at University of Palermo - Italy	100
Youth Climate Justice Conference	50
International Conference on Forests at the Crossroads of International Law	50
Research Workshop at University College Dublin Sutherland School of Law	30
International Association of Law School (IALS) Event	53
Erasmus+ CBHE KA2 CCP Law Project Meetings	40
Workshop with SCUS and SSE of SIU and NIUA, UK	45
Tech Camp on “Redesigning Sustainable Urban Waste Management”	40
International Youth Sustainability Festival	150
International Conference on Nature Restoration Law	30
	<b>788</b>

The **total direct reach** including the teaching activities, training activities, side events organized under the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP and through presentation at various international events **reaches to 4,860**. This number **excludes the various national events** in which the Prof. Dr. Shashikala Gurpur has participated and, on several occasions, addressed students and faculty of different institutions in invited guest lectures, workshops and seminars and programmes and disseminated the information about Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP.

The total **indirect reach** from the table number 7 and 8 summates to **321,541**. There are quite some numbers that remain unaccounted in this report due to lack of validated information such as the publishing of events done on platforms such as Lawtopus, Legally Flawless, Knowledgesteez, Lawbhoomi and the innumerable emails that have been sent to various national and international contacts for many of the activities carried out under the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP.

The long-term impact of the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP is surely going to be achieved due to the below steps:

1. EU Environmental Law course will continue to be offered to Undergraduate and postgraduate students as the course has been added in the course catalogue of the University and is incorporated in the programme structure of the students every academic year.
2. Comparative Climate Justice course will continue to be offered to Undergraduate and postgraduate students as the course has been added in the course catalogue of the University and is incorporated in the programme structure of the students every academic year.
3. Certificate Programme on European Union Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy – will continue to be offered to Undergraduate and postgraduate students across India to multidisciplinary students, as the course has been added in the course catalogue of the University and will be advertised every year as per the best practices followed by Symbiosis Law School, Pune, SIU.
4. The research publications already completed are SCOPUS indexed and those in the process are also aimed to be published with International Publishers such as Taylor and Francis. Thus, they will influence the law and policy makers, researchers, teachers, students, and professionals.
5. International and national collaborations forged under the Jean Monnet Chair will continue to impact and create a ripple effect in terms of many other academic, research and other allied engagements.
6. MOOC on “European Union Climate Justice Law, Governance, Management and Policy” the MicroVET.eu platform will make the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP fill a vacuum of affordability and accessibility in such niche courses.

In conclusion, the team of SLS, Pune SIU would like to thank all the resource persons, experts, teachers, students, staff, participants and collaborators who led the Jean Monnet Chair EUC-LAMP Project funded by the European Union to a grand success by building awareness, knowledge, skills and values among the stakeholders in the field of Climate Justice.