The illicit movement of persons across national borders to force them into economically or sexually exploitative situations has plagued the Indian society for decades. At present, it has become a situation warranting immediate reforms. Despite legislations such as the Suppression of Immoral Traffic in Women and Girls Act, 1956, the scale of commercial sexual exploitation and the number of trafficked women and children in India are steadily on the rise. The perilous and saddening reality denotes/states that Trafficking is the third largest form of transnational organized crime after firearms and drugs.

Unfortunately, the Act allowed prosecution of a person only if the people “knowingly” or “willingly” made women engage in prostitution. It neither considers voluntary prostitution nor prostitution behind closed doors as offence, thus giving way to traffickers and brothel owners to hoodwink the law.

Looking into the inadequacy of the Act with respect to its definition, penalty clause and lack of concern for rehabilitation of victims, Maneka Gandhi proposed the Trafficking of Persons (Prevention, Protection and Rehabilitation) Bill, 2016.

The draft Bill is comprehensive in nature and addresses trafficking issues related to investigation, prosecution of trafficking offences and rehabilitation of the victims. The most important development is the increased focus on the victim’s perspective, whereby the needs of the victim are given due precedence over other matters. Several steps have been taken for their medical care, psychological welfare and rehabilitation opportunities. This renewed approach stresses on the humanitarian and pragmatic aspects of dealing with such widespread evil. Furthermore, the Bill aims to create anti-trafficking committees at the district, state and central levels to ensure the proper implementation of its provisions. The creation of a special agency to investigate trafficking offences, in addition to special courts with public prosecutors to expedite the process of punishing offenders is strongly advocated by the Bill.

The Bill also sets forth to distinguish between the offender and victim in trafficking cases to ensure that in situations such as brothel raids, the victims are not unnecessarily harassed. Compassion is the highlighting factor in the Bill which, according to Gandhi, will boost the number of convictions and strengthen prosecutions.

However, despite the laudable step forward, to ensure the benefits of the Bill, the government must expedite the process of conversion of Bill to Act and its strategic implementation. A powerful and far-reaching criminal nexus has developed steadily and the new Act will have to formulate ways and means of cracking into the racket and providing an effective and long-lasting solution.

Mr. Chris Parsons, Head, India Practice, Herbert Smith Freehills, handover Herbert Smith Freehills Community Engagement Award to Dr. Shashikala Gurpur and CLCC student members

The award comprised of a certificate, trophy and prize money of 2000 Euros. Watch the award winning video at https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=_Qes4babD28
Symbiosis Law School, Pune, a constituent of Symbiosis International University organized a Workshop on 'Judging and Judicial Training: Best Practices' on 9th July, 2016 with Hon’ble Judge Kristi Harrington, Judge, Ninth Judicial Circuit, Circuit Court of South Carolina, USA as the resource person for 45 judges of Pune District Court.

Keynote Speaker, Hon’ble Judge Shri Sumant M. Kolhe, Principal District Judge, Pune mentioned that with the busy schedule of judges and the stressful situations they face while administering justice, they rarely get a chance to visit law schools to stop and reflect upon judging, an opportunity which they are privileged to get today.

Chief Guest, Hon’ble Justice Mr. H L Gokhale, Formerly Judge, Supreme Court of India, compared the Indian and American Supreme Courts. He emphasized that the trial court judges are the first ones to review the matter with no judicial material to refer to; they have a greater responsibility towards the society.

Hon’ble Judge Kristi Harrington conducted two training sessions on 'How to Take Care of the Bench' and 'How to Take Care of You'.

Dr. Rajani Gupte, Vice Chancellor, SIU and Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, Fulbright Scholar, Director, SLS, Pune, Dean, Faculty of Law, SIU also addressed the audience.
SLS, P and the Centre for Law and Policy Research, Bangalore (CLPR) jointly organized the Regional Round (Western) of ‘ConQuest: A Quiz on the Indian Constitution, History and Politics’. The quiz was prepared and conducted by Walnut Knowledge Solution.

Out of 44 teams in the western regional round, only 6 teams reached the Regional Rounds.

Dr. Gurpur spoke about the novelty of this quiz that inculcates critical thinking. Hon’ble Justice Chief Guest, Hon’ble Justice Dr. (Mrs.) Shalini Phansalkar Joshi, Judge, Bombay High Court spoke about the importance of imparting constitutional knowledge as it affects not just lawyers and judges, but we the people. Mr. Vineeth Krishna, Associate Editor, Constitutional and Civic Citizenship, Project Centre for Law and Policy Research spoke on civic education intervention and constitutional secular citizenship.

SLS, P won the competition with a cash prize of Rs. 7000/-, VM Salgaonkar College, Goa and SVKM Pravin Gandhi College of Law, Pune came second and third respectively.

Dr. Bindu Ronald, Deputy Director, SLS, Pune and Mr. Raghav Chakravarth, Co-Founder, Walnut Knowledge Solution graced the occasion.

SLS, P organized Induction Programme 2016 for the students of 1st Year BA/BBA/LLB (Hons.), LLB and LLM.

Dr. Gurpur gave an introduction to the college, its curriculum and highlighted the well-rounded education that includes authentic Liberal Arts, Soft Skills and IT courses. Thereafter, the students were introduced to different academic and administrative rules, regulations and processes by Professors and admin staff respectively.
The second day imparted education on Health and Wellness issues, orientation towards career in Civil Services, Company Secretary Course and Waste Management. Our distinguished alumni Mr. Shahshank Ratnoo, Indian Revenue Service, Ms. Henaa Mall Vaidya, Senior Manager, Investment Banking at AK Capital Services Limited, Delhi, Mr. Sherbir Panag, Partner, MZM Legal, Chair, Compliance & Investigations Practice, Mr. Sampat Bulusu, General Manager – Legal, Shell Hazira, Ahmedabad and alumni cell mentor SLS, P also addressed the freshers.

SLS, Pune jointly organized the event with Symbiosis School of International Studies and Symbiosis School for Liberal Arts, constituents of SIU.

Chief Guest, Advocate Ram Jethmalani, Senior Advocate Supreme Court of India, Member of Parliament (Rajya Sabha) and Professor Emeritus, Faculty of Law, SIU spoke about the role of economists, lawyers and politicians in the country. He asked budding lawyers to educate themselves in various disciplines as lawyers who know only law are masons & not architects of the society and our country needs architects.

Padma Bhushan Dr. S.B. Mujumdar, Chancellor, SIU, called freshers the wealth of Symbiosis. Urging students to take care of their health, time and studies, he asked students to spend few minutes of everyday contemplating as ‘imagination is the mother of innovation’ and it is innovation that will make them successful.

Dr. Rajani Gupte, VC, SIU, Dr. Vidya Yeravdekar, Principal Director, Symbiosis, Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, Prof. Shivali Lawale, Director SSIS, Pune, Prof. Anita Patankar, Director SSLA Pune, Dr. Rajesh Shinde, Symbiosis Centre for Health Care (SCHC), Ms. Shweta Sharma, University Sports Board and RWC, Mr. Shrikant Navale,
SLS, Pune and Public Concern for Governance Trust (PCGT) Pune jointly organized the Late Shri B.G. Deshmukh Memorial Lecture, 2016 on “Two Ideas of India”.

This Annual Public Lecture Series has been instituted in the honor of Late Shri B. G. Deshmukh, IAS, Former Cabinet Secretary, Government of India and Principal Secretary to the Prime Minister. Dr. Pratap Bhanu Mehta, President, Centre for Policy Research, in his Key Note Address spoke about the fault lines emerging in contemporary India and highlighted the need to diagnose the conceptual underpinnings of the same. His essential argument about the duality of ideas in India lay between India as a federation of communities and India as a zone of freedom. Dr. Mehta exhorted the audience to dissolve the boundaries between the urban and rural parts of the country and concluded his address by insisting on the need for a new structure of laws that instead of protecting our sentiments, we need to bolster the spirit of freedom and defend equality.

Hon. Justice Mohan Peiris, Former Chief Justice & Attorney General, Sri Lanka, Padma Bhushan Dr. S.B. Mujumdar, Chancellor, SIU, Dr. Rajani Gupte, VC, SIU, Dr. Gurpur, Director, SLS, Pune, Mr. S. C. Nagpal, Chairman, PCGT, Pune Chapter, Mr. Atanu Chatterjee, Member, Advisory Board, PCGT, Pune Chapter, Air Marshal Anil Trikha, Member, PCGT, Pune Chapter and Lt. Gen. Ashok Kapur, (Retd), Member, Advisory Board, PCGT, Pune Chapter also graced the occasion.
SLS, P Student Advisory Board (2016-17) organized Teachers' Day celebration which started with auspicious rendition of Ganesh Vandana followed by a cultural programme wherein students and faculty members participated together.

Dr. Gurpur in her address highlighted the importance of a Guru and his/her vast influence in one's life.

The biggest attraction of the event was the Annual Award Distribution Ceremony for teaching & non-teaching staff of SLS, Pune in the line of Film Fare Awards.

Dvishan Sorake, President, Student Bar Association said that it is only because of the nurturing disposition of our teachers that SLS, Pune will always be home away from home for all of us.
The conference served as an inspiring platform to the budding law scholars and researchers to showcase their research and share ideas.

Prof. Kris Gledhill spoke on “Transnational Collaboration in Research: Significance & Opportunities”.

Papers were presented in four tracks including International Law and Human Rights, Public Law and Governance, Business Laws and IPR, Technology and Innovation Laws.

Chief Guest Prof. (Dr.) Vijender Kumar, Vice-Chancellor, MNLU, Nagpur along with Guests of Honour, Prof. Kris Gledhill, Associate Professor, AUT Law School, Auckland, New Zealand, Prof. Dr. Anjani Kumar Varma, Dean, School of Chemical Sciences and Dean (Research and Academic Affairs) Central University of Haryana, Adv. Vivekananda Paniyala, Paniyala & Associates, Corporate Law Firm, Mangalore, Dr. Anirban Mazumdar, Associate Professor, National University of Juridical Sciences, Kolkata, Adv. Sampat Bulusu, General Manager, Legal, Hazira LNG Pvt. Ltd., Ahmedabad, Dr. Sunder Ram Korivi, Dean, NISM, Mumbai, Dr. Shashikala Gurpur and Dr. Bindu Ronald also graced the occasion.

First and second prizes were won by Hannah Shekinah and Jaisy Varghese respectively. Third prize was shared by Saumay Kapoor and Neethu Alphonsa. Researchers from Central European University, Hungary, South Asian University, NLSIUBangalore, MNLU Mumbai and Christ College Bangalore were among the honourable mentions.
Investiture Ceremony, Student Advisory Board (SAB) - 2016 had Mr. O.P Shukla, Principal, National Defense Academy, Pune as the Chief Guest.

Dr. Gurpur elucidated the key role of the SAB and stated how the revised governance model of the student body was now in a corporate form.

Mr. Shukla congratulated the new SAB and said that the membership to the Board is both, an opportunity as well as a challenge.

Investiture Ceremony came to a close with the release of SAB Logo and formal swearing in of the President and the other members of the new SAB.
SYMPTOMS: 21st - 23rd September, 2016

Symptoms - 2016 had a participation of 250 students in 16 different events including Mono Acting, Mad Ads, Face Painting, Hogathon, Vice Quiz, Debate, Stress Interview, Creative Writing, Graphic Designing, Chess, Carom, Table Tennis, Solo Singing, Word Games, Extempore and Business Idea, Newspaper Dance, Antakshari, Dog and the Bone, Arm Wrestling.

The event came to an end with the prize distribution. Mr. Abhay Thukral and Ms. Anushree Capoor won the Mr. and Ms. Symptoms title and Division ‘E’ was declared the best class, based on the most number of participants and winners.
OUTBOUND TRIP, STUDENT ADVISORY BOARD (SAB) - 2016: 24th September, 2016

SAB, SLS, P along with Professors enjoyed various adventurous activities and team building exercises during their stay at Surya Shibir. The other activities included familiarization session, dance, mimicry, beat boxing etc. Trekking on the morning of second day was enjoyed by all.

The trip structured like a corporate work retreat and strengthened the bonding amongst members of various SAB Committees and Cells of SLS, P.

SYMPOSIUM ON ’NATIONAL SECURITY LAWS: LEVERAGING RULE OF LAW FOR A MORE SECURE INDIA’: 19th & 20th November, 2017

Prof. Dr. James Kraska, Howard S. Levie Professor and Acting Director, Stockton Centre for Study of International Law, U.S. Naval War College was the chief guest for the ceremony with Brig. Rajiv Divekar (Retd.), Director, Symbiosis Institute of Management Studies, SIU gracing as the Guest of Honour. Chief Guest Prof. Dr. Kraska spoke on 'National Security Law'. Prof. (Dr.) T.R. Subramanya, Dr. P. Puneeth, Associate Professor, Jawaharlal Nehru University, Delhi, Lt. Gen. V.M. Patil (Retd.), PVSM, AVSM Vice President, Forum for Integrated National Security, Dr. Shashikala Gurpur and Prof. Sanjeet Ruhal, SLS, P spoke on the various facets of national security laws in India. Adv. Y.G. Shinde, President, Pune Bar Association also graced the occasion.

The aim of the event was to contribute towards knowledge generation, dissemination, faculty capacity building and foster the spirit of national development.
60 student volunteers of Community Legal Care Centre (CLCC), SLS, Pune visited Maher NGO. The student team was accompanied by two professors of SLS P, Prof. Yogesh Dharangutti and Adv. Latika Salgaonkar. The objective behind visit was to provide assistance to destitute women & children there. As a goodwill gesture, the team CLCC, SLS, P gave plants to the NGO.

A team of doctors from SCHC and SCOPE along with faculty members and students of SLS, Pune visited Yerwada Central Prison on 3rd December, 2016 during which the doctors have treated more than 225 under trials for skin diseases such as fungal infections and scabies.

A team of doctors from SCHC and SCOPE along with faculty members and students of SLS, P again visited Yerwada Central Prison on 24th December, 2016 during which the doctors have treated 24 under trials. The Faculty and students of SLS, Pune provided legal opinion to the jail authorities on a land matter and further provided legal aid consultancy to two under trials.

CLCC’s ADR Cell organized a Capsule Course on International Commercial Arbitration on 24th August, 2016. Chief Guest & Resource Person for the Capsule Course was Hon’ble Justice Mr. Mohan Pieris, Former Chief Justice, Supreme Court of Sri Lanka. The Guest of Honour for the event was Mr. Sumant Kolhe, Principal District Judge, Pune District Court.
CORPORATE LAW CELL

CLC sent a 6-student contingent to NLU Jodhpur for the CARTAL Conference on Arbitration “Arbitration at Crossroads” organised in association with Baker & Mckenzie, New York.

CLC also organised an internal symposium for the new cell members.

SYMBIOSIS CENTRE FOR ADVANCED LEGAL STUDIES AND RESEARCH (SCALSAR)

SCALSAR enfolds various academic and research activities for ensuring the continuous contribution of college towards knowledge creation in the field of Law and other interdisciplinary areas. It regularly organizes Faculty Development Programs in the college for enhancing their academic and research skills.

FACULTY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMMES

SLS, Pune in collaboration with Symbiosis School of Liberal Arts (SSLA), Pune organized a Workshop cum Talk on ‘How to Think like Leonardo Da Vinci’ with Ms. Mala Thapar, Educator and Author from Canada as the resource person on 23rd November, 2016.

Two Days Faculty Seminar on Nyaya (Indian Logic and Epistemology) and Purva Mimamsa (Indian Hermeneutics) took place on 13th and 14th December, 2016. Dr. VN Jha and Dr. Ujjwala Jha were the resource persons for the event.

Two Days Faculty Seminar on Learner Centred Assessment was carried with Dr. Madhavi Tandon, Head SSCD, Dr. Gargee Mitra, Associate Professor, MIT School of Education, Prof. Shaji Joseph A/Prof. SCIT, Dr. Sophia Gaikwad, Head STLRC and Prof. Prasanna Hulikavi, Dy. Director, SIMC as the resource persons. The seminar was conducted on 5th and 6th December, 2016.

A faculty seminar on Phenomenological Research was organized with Prof. Dr. Pramod Damle as the resource person on 7th December, 2016.
Dr. Pankaj Mittal, Addl. Secretary, University Grants Commission conducted a faculty seminar in SLS, Pune on 2nd July, 2016. The topic for the Seminar was “Challenging Landscape of Higher Education in India”.

Ass. iur. Claudia Kurkin, Faculty of Law, Institute of European and International Business Law (EIW), Brunswick European Law School (BELS) PhD Student, Faculty of Law, Gottfried Wilhelm Leibniz University of Hanover conducted a faculty seminar on Human Rights Obligations of Non State Actors on 29th September, 2016.

Hon. Mohan Pieris, Former Chief Justice and Attorney General, Sri Lanka conducted a faculty seminar on 22nd August, 2016. The topic for the Seminar was “Salient Features of Sri Lankan Constitution”.

Dr. Sophia Gaikwad, Head, STLRC conducted a faculty seminar on Masters Diploma in Higher Education Andragogy on 14th October, 2016.

Prof. Ian Walden, Queensmary University of London conducted a faculty seminar on Privacy and Security during the War of Terrorism on 9th November, 2016.
Prof. Dr. John Tingle, Reader in Health Law, and Director of the Centre for Health Law, Nottingham Law School, Trent University, Nottingham, England conducted a faculty seminar on Health Care and Human Rights on 10th November, 2016.

Prof. Dr. Clemens Arzt, Director, Research Institute of Public and Private Security, Berlin School of Economics, Berlin, Germany conducted a faculty seminar on Bill of Rights and Police Powers in Namibia on 10th December, 2016.

**FDPs/Workshops organized by other institutes:**

7th Edition Managing IP Conference (MIPCON) organised by APDTC – CII was attended by Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, Dr. Rupal Rautdesai, Prof. Amol Sapatnekar, Mr. Ujwal Nandekar, Ms. Neethu Alphonsa, Dr. Bindu Ronald, Prof. Sujata Arya, Dr. Atmaram Shelke and Mr. Prathamesh Joshi on 8th and 9th September, 2016.

Workshop on Data Analysis Techniques as part of SIMS Annual International Research Conference SIMSARC 16 was attended by Dr. Surya Rashmi Rawat on 17th December, 2016.

**INTERNATIONAL COLLABORATION**

**Hon'ble Justice Kristi Lea Harrington**, Judge, South Carolina State Circuit Court, State of South Carolina, USA visited SLS, Pune, India from 20th June, 2016 to 24th July, 2016 as a *Fulbright Scholar* for guest lectures, faculty seminars and conducted a Workshop on 'Judging and Judicial Training: Best Practices' on 9th July, 2016 as the resource person for 45 judges of Pune District Court.
Mr. Dawid Stanczak, PhD candidate - School of Criminology, Politics and Social Policy, Jordans town, New town abbey, County Antrim Ulster University, UK visited SLS, Pune from 5th August, 2016 to 5th October, 2016. During his visit, he undertook lectures for UG students at SLS, Pune. Further, he undertook writing joint research paper with Director, Dr. Shashikala Gurpur.

Hon'ble Justice Mohan Pieris, Former Chief Justice of Sri Lanka, visited SLS, Pune from 20th August to 28th August, 2016. During his stay, he conducted multiple lectures for under graduate and post graduate students. Further, he conducted a faculty seminar and a capsule course on arbitration.

Prof. Kris Gledhill, AUT Law School, New Zealand visited SLS, Pune as the plenary speaker for the Annual Research National Conference held at SLS, Pune on 10th and 11th September, 2016.

Prof. Renate Kock from Cologne University, Germany visited SLS, Pune on 26th and 27th September, 2016 in furtherance of her research on Right to Education in Maharashtra schools: A comparative critique with reference to Germany along with Director, Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, SLS, Pune.

Ms. Claudia Kurkin, Faculty of Law-Brunswick European Law School (BELS), Germany visited SLS, Pune from 22nd to 30th September, 2016. During her stay, she conducted multiple lectures for under graduate students and also conducted a faculty seminar for SLS, Pune faculty.
**Prof. Sandeep Gopalan**, Dean, Deakin University Australia visited SLS, P on 4th October, 2016 where he addressed LLM & BA/BBALLB III Year (Hons.) students in the area of corporate laws.

**Prof. Ian Walden**, Professor of Information and Communications Law and Head of the Institute of Computer and Mr. Patrick Power, Deputy Director, Marketing and Communications at Queen Mary, University of London visited SLS, Pune on 9th November, 2016 for discussing further collaborations between both the institutes. Prof. Ian engaged a lecture for the faculty members of SLS, P on Privacy and Security during the War on terrorism on 9th November, 2016.

**Prof. Dr. John Tingle**, Nottingham Trent University, UK visited SLS, P from 8th to 12th November, 2016. He undertook discussion regarding participation in Symhealth Conference in May 2017, Joint Summer School programme in the area of Public Health, Patient Safety and Ethics & participation of students of SLS, Pune in the Summer School Programme being offered by NTU.
Dr. Nicolas Kang-Riou, Lecturer, Salford Law, Salford Business School, Salford, Manchester UK visited SLS, P on 5th December, 2016 and met Dr. Bindu Ronald and other faculty members for discussing collaborations and exploring areas of joint research and funding.

Prof. Stephen Barnes, Assistant Dean for Graduate and International Programs visited SLS, Pune on 22nd September, 2016. MOU between SLS, P and Penn State Law was exchanged.

Prof. Chris Guthrie, Dean, Vanderbilt Law School, Prof. Yesha Yadav, Vanderbilt Law School and Ms. Cynthia Coleman met Dr. Gurpur on 12th December, 2016 for exploring possibilities of exchange and prospects of doing LL.M at Vanderbilt.

Dr. Clemens Arzt, Berlin School of Economics and Law visited SLS, P on 10th December, 2016 and conducted a faculty seminar on “Bill of Rights and Police Powers in Namibia.”


Ms. Sugandha Chowdhry, BBA LLB IV Year (Batch 2013-18), Ms. Abhilasha Kanda, BBA LLB V Year (Batch 2012-17) & Ms. Mounica Kasturi, BBA LLB V Year (Batch 2012-17) went to Gottfried Wilhelm Leibniz University, Hannover, Germany for a period of 4 months from April-July 2016 under Erasmus Exchange Program.
STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS

PUBLICATIONS AND CONFERENCES

Varuna Agrawal, BBA LLB & Riddhish Rajvanshi, BA LLB, IV Year (Batch 2013-18) presented a paper titled ‘Preferential Shift towards LDCs: Trends and Developments in Trade and Services’ at the International Conference on Services, Investment and Global Value Chains on 28th July, 2016.


Tanya Kukade, BA LLB (Hons), I Year (Batch 2016-21) presented a paper titled 'India Burdened by its WASTE-Needs A Change' at the one day UGC sponsored National Seminar on Right to Pollution Free Environment held at A.K.K. New Law Academy. The paper was published in the conference proceedings.

Sabyasachi De, LLM presented a paper on 'Strengths and Weaknesses of Indian Environment Laws: A Critical Analysis' at the UGC sponsored National Seminar organised by Hidayatullah National University, Raipur.

Abha Patel, LLB, II Year published a research paper on 'Enforcement of EU competition law against cartel participants' in the International Journal of Legal Development and Allied Issues [Vol 2 Issue 6]

She also published another research paper on 'Employment Law: Employee protection, equality and industrial relations' in the Journal of Legal Studies [Vol 2 Issue 6].

Sankalp Srivastava, BA LLB (Hons), III Year (Batch 2014-19) presented a research paper titled 'An Analysis of the Framework for Control of Air Pollution within Local Limits' at the one-day UGC sponsored Seminar on 'Right to Pollution Free Environment- Need for Implementation' hosted by A.K.K. New Law Academy. The paper was published in the conference proceedings.

Hriday Chawla and Sanya Bimal, BBA LLB (Hons.), III Year (Batch 2014-19) presented a paper on ‘Mask of Co-existence: The battle between civilization and fauna’ in the National Seminar on “Legal Aspects of Animal Welfare” at WBNUJS on 9th-10th September, 2016.

Sarika Soumya and Nimrat Kaur, II Year (Batch 2015-20) presented a paper titled ‘The paradox of animals: To worship or kill?’ in the National Seminar on “Legal Aspects of Animal Welfare” at WBNUJS on 9th-10th September, 2016.

Shambhavi Padhye, BALLB (Hons), II Year (Batch 2015-20) and Prof. Sujata Arya presented a paper titled ‘The Vermin Tag: How Justified’ in the National Seminar on “Legal Aspects of Animal Welfare” at WBNUJS on 9th-10th September, 2016.

Soumya Mukherjee, LLB, II Year and Prof. Ritambara Das presented a paper titled ‘All Creatures Great and Small, the Lord God Made Them All’ in the National Seminar on “Legal Aspects of Animal Welfare” at WBNUJS on 9th-10th September, 2016.

Anushka Chakraborty and Ankur Das, BBA LLB (Hons), III Year (Batch 2014-19) presented a paper titled ‘Man and Animal Conflict (lack of prey, animal corridor, land enclosures etc.)’ in the National Seminar on “Legal Aspects of Animal Welfare” at WBNUJS on 9th-10th September, 2016.

Karan Kamath presented a paper titled ‘Human-Animal conflict: Why we must define what is “vermin”? in the National Seminar on “Legal Aspects of Animal Welfare” at WBNUJS on 9th-10th September, 2016.

Kshitij Singh and Abhinav Bharti, II Year (Batch 2015-20) presented a paper titled ‘Religions & Customs: A Barrier to Animal Welfare’ in the National Seminar on “Legal Aspects of Animal Welfare” at WBNUJS on 9th-10th September, 2016.

Devina Srivastava and Mrudula Sarampally, II Year (Batch 2015-20) presented a paper titled ‘Sustainable Tourism and Animal Welfare’ in the National Seminar on “Legal Aspects of Animal Welfare” at WBNUJS on 9th-10th September, 2016.

Samiksha Gupta, II Year (Batch 2015-20) presented a paper titled ‘Position of Animals in Families: A Study Conducted in Karnal, Haryana’ in the National Seminar on “Legal Aspects of Animal Welfare” at WBNUJS on 9th-10th September, 2016.


Shivani Sathe, Harsh Gupta & Aindrani Sarkar

Simran Chandok and Laksh Manocha, BBA LLB (Hons), III Year (Batch 2014-19) presented a paper titled ‘Animals in Drug and Cosmetic Testing’ in the National Seminar on “Legal Aspects of Animal Welfare” at WBNUJS on 9th-10th September, 2016.

Ms. Harshita Kapoor, Ms. Apoorva Jain and Ms. Aarushi Sahu presented a research paper titled, "Start-up India, Stand-up India: an Outstanding drive for employment generation and wealth creation!" at SIMSARC-16, SIMS Annual Research Conference held on 15th and 16th December 2016 at SIMS Khirkee. The paper has been accepted for publication in the Indexed Journal. The paper was co-authored by Dr. Surya Rashmi Rawat.

Abhinav Bharti, BA LLB (Hons) and Kshitij Singh, BBA LLB (Hons), I Year (Batch 2016-21) presented a paper titled ‘Competition Law: Lifeline to Market Equilibrium’ in the Fourth National Conference on Law and Justice 2016 at Auro University on 10th and 11th September, 2016.

Aman Guru & Devansh Saraswat, BA LLB (Hons), I Year (Batch 2016-21 presented a paper titled ‘Drugs and Cosmetic Testing on Animals - Humanity and Strict Laws Advancement Needs’ in the IAARHIES International Conference on Social Science and Humanities 2016, Delhi on 14th-15th September, 2016.

Shruti Sharma published a research paper on 'Effect of Globalization on the lives of SC's and ST's in India' in Lex-Warrier [ISSN: 2319-8338]

Ira Gupta, BA LLB (Hons), II Year (Batch 2015-20) presented a paper in the International Conference on Liberalization and Globalization titled 'Globalisation Strategy for Environment with the Expansion of Industries' held at National Law School of India University, Bangalore.

Trichnopoly Ravi Kanth Shivani, BBA LLB (Hons.) II Year, (Batch 2015-20) presented a paper on 'Corporate Social Responsibility-Significance of Implementation at Grass Root Level' in the 1st National Conference on Emerging Trends of Corporate Law 2016, NLUO on 21st-22nd October, 2016.

Ahalya Chalasani presented and published a paper titled 'Stumbling Blocks to the Execution of Environment Law in India' in one day UGC sponsored National Seminar on Right to Pollution Free Environment- Need of Implementation at the A.K.K New Law Academy. The paper was published in the conference proceedings.

Shama Mahajan and Rasika Gupta, BBA LLB (Hons.) I Year, (Batch 2016-21) presented a research paper on 'Biomedical Waste Management Rules- Facing the Real Challenge of Implementation' in one day UGC sponsored National Seminar on Right to Pollution Free Environment-Need of Implementation at the A.K.K. New Law Academy which was subsequently published in the seminar souvenir.[ISBN 978-81-930233-4-1]
Akshata Timmapur, Soumya Jais, Sumit Raut, Ujjwal Sharma, Uttkarsha Sawai presented a paper titled, “Corporate Glass Ceiling: A Reality” based on live project in the MCCIA Inter-Institute, Industrial Projects Competition for Management Students 2016-17 under the guidance of Dr. Surya Rashmi Rawat on 25th & 26th September organized by Mahratta Chamber of Commerce, Industries and Agriculture.

Asthata Satapathy, Shirley Mody, Neha Raj Singh, Anushka Kalantri, Sruthi Dinesh presented a paper titled, “Understanding human rights of woman at work place: Indian Corporates a case study” based on live project in the MCCIA Inter-Institute, Industrial Projects Competition for Management Students 2016-17 under the guidance of Dr. Surya Rashmi Rawat on 25th & 26th September organized by Mahratta Chamber of Commerce, Industries and Agriculture.

Simran Chandok, Siddhant Pillai, Aditya Kaithal, Shishira Prakash, Manasvini Chowdhary, Akhil Dehlan presented a paper titled, “Grievance handling in India, Corporate houses – A case study” based on live project in the MCCIA Inter-Institute, Industrial Projects Competition for Management Students 2016-17 under the guidance of Dr. Surya Rashmi Rawat on 25th & 26th September organized by Mahratta Chamber of Commerce, Industries and Agriculture.

B. M. Amarnath, Samiksha Gupta & Tushar Katheria presented a paper on “Impact of Age over Marketing through Cartoons” in International Conference on Media and Communication: Prospects and Challenges organized by SIMC, Pune on 6th & 7th October, 2016. It was co-authored by Dr. Surya Rashmi Rawat.


Mahak Paliwal & Bindu Shravya presented a paper titled “Marketing of Entertainment Events” in International Conference on Media and Communication: Prospects and Challenges organized by SIMC, Pune on 6th & 7th October 2016. It was co-authored by Dr. Rawat.

Devina Srivastava and Divya Jakhar, BBA LLB (Hons), II Year (Batch 2015-20) presented a paper titled ‘Impact of Product Marketing through Youtube’ in the International Conference on Media and Communication: Prospects and Challenges organized by SIMC, Pune on 6th & 7th October, 2016.

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<td>Ananya Bose (III Year), Ankur Kumar (II Year) and Aayushi Khurana (II Year)</td>
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<td>23rd M.C Chagla Memorial Government Law College National Moot Court Competition, 2016.</td>
<td>September 23 - 25, 2016</td>
<td>Harshit Rai (III year), Madangi Ramakrishnan (III year), Sukriti Devendra (II year)</td>
<td>Semi Finalists</td>
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<td>1st Edition of Amity National Hindi Moot Court Competition, 2016.</td>
<td>October 04 - 06, 2016</td>
<td>Apoorva Mishra (II Year), Anushka Singh (II Year) and Vidisha Kumar (II Year)</td>
<td>Winners</td>
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<td>10th Edition of the NALSAR Justice B. R. Sawhny Memorial Moot Court Competition, 2016.</td>
<td>September 30 - October 02, 2016</td>
<td>Preeta Panthaki (III Year), Arushi Chandak (II Year) and Mrudula Sarampally (II Year)</td>
<td>Semi-Finalists &amp; 3rd Best Speaker</td>
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<td>4th Late Shree Hashu Advani memorial State Level Moot 2016.</td>
<td>October 15, 2016</td>
<td>Shama Mahajan (I year), Isha Srivastav (I year) and Nanditha Pillai (I year)</td>
<td>Winners</td>
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<td>1st Youth Vibe National Moot Court Competition, 2016.</td>
<td>October 20 - 22, 2016.</td>
<td>Malay Srivastava (III year), Priyanka Sharma (III year) and Ankur Das (III year)</td>
<td>Winners</td>
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<td>5th UPES National Client Counselling Competition, 2016</td>
<td>November 18 - 20, 2016.</td>
<td>DishaVerma (II year) and Aayush Kakodkar (III year)</td>
<td>Winners</td>
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<td>5th UPES National Client Counselling Competition, 2016</td>
<td>November 18 - 20, 2016.</td>
<td>Vaijayanti Sharma (II year) and Saumya Srivastava (II year)</td>
<td>Semi- Finalists</td>
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<td>14</td>
<td>5th NLIU INADR International Mediation Tournament, 2016.</td>
<td>November 25 - 27, 2016.</td>
<td>Anushree Raizada (III year), Aneesh Sadhwani (IV year) and Shruthi Dinesh (III year)</td>
<td>3rd Runner Up and also 8th Best Client-Advocate Pair</td>
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<td>15</td>
<td>2nd Prof. N. R. Madhava Menon SAARC Mooting Competition, 2016 – 17.</td>
<td>December 03 - 04, 2016.</td>
<td>Vadeendra Joshi (V Year), Ekakshara Mahajan (V Year) and Mounica Kasturi (V Year)</td>
<td>4th Best Team and Best Memo. The team has qualified for SAARC FINAL ROUNDS</td>
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Rahul Gupta, V G Sreeram, Abhishek Dubey, Aravind Vishnubhotla, Shwetank Singh, Arjun D'Souza, Srilatha Jayaraman and Shreya Shenolikar were adjudged as finalists & best adjudicators in PES Parliamentary Debate competition.


K Sanjana Chana won High Commendation at Incontro Mun’16.

Priyal Sepaha Won the 'High Commendation Award' in the Indian International Model United Nations Indore.

Parv Kumar participated and secured 1st position in the group western music performance and 2nd position in instrumental music performance in NH65 of NLU Jodhpur fest which was held from 6th October to 9th October, 2016.

Nikita Jaitly secured 2nd position in ‘Group Dance’ competition & won 'Best Outstation Contingent' in NH-65, NLU Jodhpur fest which was held from 6th October to 9th October, 2016.

Anusha Rao, II Year (Batch 2015-2020) won First place in the Enthusia Dance Fest (MIT).

Anusha Rao, II Year (Batch 2015-2020) won Second place in the Troika Dance Fest (BMCC).

Yashwardhan Singh won 1st prize in photography in Symptoms-2016.

Shethin Chacko won fifth position in Careers360's 1st edition “The Legal Apprentice Challenge”.

Kavya Jain, BA LLB, II Year (Batch 2015-2020) was a Runner Up at the Indian Women’s Debating Championship (IIT Bombay).

Uttkarsh Singh, Deep Bhattacharya, Rohit Bhatachaarya, Harsh Gupta and Mreganka Kukreja, Year II were declared Best Delegates at SIMS National MUN.
Rishabh Bhojwani and Swatilekha Chakraborty, BBA LLB, V Year (Batch 2012-17) published an essay on “The Need for an International Court of Environment” through the First National Essay Writing Competition on “Impact of Global Environmentalism on Judicial Verdicts, 2016” organized by SLS, Hyderabad.

Kshitij Asthana, II Year, BBA LLB (Hons) won first prize for Western Duet Singing and was declared Runner Up for both Hindi Solo Singing and Instrumental at NLU Jodhpur Fest (NH65).

Aayushi Khurana, II Year, BBA LLB (Hons.) (Batch 2015-20) secured the second position at National Essay Writing Competition on “Exploitation of Labor: Socio-Legal Aspects” organized by the Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law in collaboration with International Justice Mission. The essay was titled “Child Labor: A Socio-Legal Hurdle to Growth.”

**SPORTS ACHIEVEMENTS**

In the Inter Institute Chess Tournament organized by University Sports Board on August 2nd and 3rd 2016, the chess team of SLS, Pune won the Runner-ups position. The team members were Karan Jhingon, Rohit Hebbale, Param Gupta, Virendra Singh Bhati and Priyanka Ghajabhiye.

In the Freedom for Fitness Run, 2016 organized by University Sports Board on August 15th 2016, Dr. Shashikala Gurpur marked the 3rd Position in Veteran Category Marathon.

Spiritus’16 was organized by National Law School of India University, Bangalore from August 24th-26th, 2016. Our Basketball Men’s Team and Lawn Tennis Women’s Team both bagged second position. Urvi Tembey won silver and bronze in 400M and 200M Athletics respectively. The Men’s Relay 200 M Swimming Team won third place. Aakansha Rana and Yashir Tamang won two silver medals each for 50M and 100M Swimming.

In the Inter – Institute Football Championship organized by SSE from 7th-12th September, 2016, the boys and girls teams from SLS-Pune put up a stupendous performance securing first and second positions respectively.

The Symbiosis Inter-Institute Swimming Championship was organized by SSCA on 17th September, 2016. Our teams won Gold in the 4*25m Medley Relay and Silver in the 4*25m Freestyle Relay. Yashir Tamang won Silver for both 50m Butterfly Stroke and 25m Butterfly Stroke. Ehsaas Bhadoria won Bronze 100m Freestyle and 50m Butterfly Stroke. Tanmay Sanjay Giri won Bronze in 50m Breast Stroke.

The Symbiosis Inter-Institute Basketball Championship was conducted by Symbiosis Institute of Technology (SIT) from 21st-23rd September, 2016. Our men’s team secured third position in the tournament.
A guest lecture was conducted on Case Analysis: IRAC Method (part of course of legal method) by Hon’ble Justice Kristi Lea Harrington on July 8, 2016 for LLM Students.

Adv Murtuza Cherawala delivered a Lecture on Drafting of Finance Agreement for BA LLB IVth Year Students on 27th July, 2016.

A guest lecture was arranged on 28th July, 2016 for LLB students on "NATO's New Strategic Concept, US Policy to NATO and Implications for India's Security". It was delivered by Mr. Sameer Patil.

Hon. Mohan Pieris, Former Chief Justice & Attorney General, Sri LankaA guest lecture was conducted by Hon. Mohan Pieris, Former Chief Justice & Attorney General, Sri Lanka on 22nd August, 2016 on Constitution and Constitutionalism for the students of LL.M and LLB.

A guest lecture was conducted by Hon. Mohan Pieris, Former Chief Justice & Attorney General, Sri Lanka on 23rd August, 2016 on Legal History and Systems for the students of LL.M and LLB.

Father Dr. Nishant Alphonse Irudayadason, Animator, Papal Seminary, Pune delivered a lecture on Religion and Ethics: Stages of Moral Development for First Year BA/BBA LL.B on 3rd September, 2016.

Dr. Pratap Salunke delivered a guest lecture on 7th September, 2016 for LLM Students on Transnational Crimes and Challenges before Criminal Justice Administration.

Dr. Sunder Ram Korivi, Dean, NISM, Mumbai delivered a guest lecture on 'Investment Law' on 9th September for V Year BA/BBA LL.B students.

A guest lecture was conducted by Prof. Yogesh Pai, Assistant Professor, National Law University, Delhi on 9th September, 2016 on Intellectual Property and Competition Law for IV Year BA/BBA LLB students.

Dr. Anirban Mazumdar, Associate Professor, National University for Juridical Sciences, Kolkata delivered a guest lecture on 9th September, 2016 on “Changing Concept of Originality” for IV Year BA/BBA LLB students.

Dr. Vijender Kumar, Vice Chancellor, MNLU, Nagpur conducted a guest lecture on the 'Law of Marriage' on 9th September, 2016 for BA/BBA LLB II Year (Hons.) students.
Dr. Vijender Kumar, Vice Chancellor, MNLU, Nagpur conducted a guest lecture on the 'Law of Succession' on 9th September, 2016 for II Year LLB students.


Prof. Asawari Abyankar, Assistant Professor, SLS, Pune delivered a lecture on Law of Contracts on 17th September, 2016 for the batch of IV and V Year BA/BBA LLB and II and III year of 3 Year LLB course.

On 20th September, 2016 a guest lecture was conducted by Adv. Murtaza Chherawala, Murtaza and Associates, CNS Juris for BA&BBA LLB IX Semester students on the topic of "Expert Evidence in Criminal Trial procedure: comparative aspect".

A guest lecture on "Practical and transnational dimensions of surrogacy law" was conducted by Adv. Ranjit Malhotra, Malhotra & Malhotra Associates for II Year (III Sem) LL.B students on 23rd September, 2016.

Mr. Nilanjan Sinha, Head, Legal compliances and Public Affair of Marsh and McLennan conducted a guest lecture on Banking Law on 24th September, 2016 for the batch of IV and V Year BA/BBA LLB and II and III year of 3 Year LLB course.

Advocate Shahbaaz Hussain, Practicing lawyer in Mumbai and Mr. Shubham Arora, Associate at JSW, alumni SLS, Pune, conducted a guest lecture on 26th September, 2016 for the batch of IV and V Year BA/BBA LLB and III year of LLB course on “Energy and Corporate Law”.

A guest lecture was delivered by Advocate Anand Venkataramani, Senior Associate, Shardul Amarchand Mangaldas, for IV Year BA/BBA LLB students & II Year LLB students on “Competition Law” on 1st October, 2016.

A seminar was conducted by Edwise organization on Overseas Education on 29th September, 2016 for LLM and V Year BA/BBA LLB students. The panel consisted of Mr. Subash Pol, Business Development Manager at Edwise International, Mr. Tanmay Singh, Marketing Executive at Edwise International and Ms. Rajni Deokar, Branch Manager at Edwise International – F.C. Road branch.

Advocate Rohit Kalmakar, Associate, Legalsis conducted a guest lecture on 29th September, 2016 for IV Year BA/BBA LLB and III year of 3 Year LLB course on “The journey from Campus to Corporate world".
Dr. Rajiv Yeravdekar, Dean, Faculty of Health and Biomedical Sciences, Symbiosis International University, addressed the students on 6th October, 2016 in connection with ‘Symhealth’, an international interdisciplinary conference focused on health care to be held on 4th, 5th & 6th May, 2017. Dr. Abhay Saraf, Head, SCOPE and Academics, the Organizing Secretary of Symhealth was also present.

On 30th September, 2016, a guest lecture on "Defamation: A Sheild or a Sword" was delivered by Adv. Sanjay Pinto, Lawyer, Columnist, former President Editor of NDTV for the students of I Year LLB.

A Guest Lecture was delivered by Dr R. Balasubramaniam, Founder & President of Swami Vivekananda Youth Movement, Director of the Alumni board, Harvard Government School & alumnus of John F Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University on “Introduction to Policy Making” for the students of II, III, IV & V Year students of BA/BBA LLB and II & III Year of LLB and LLM students was organized on 30th September, 2016.

Advocate Sampat Bulusu, General Manager – Legal, Shell Hazira, Ahmedabad conducted a guest lecture on 1st October, 2016 for the batch of IV Year BA/BBA LLB and III year of 3 Year LLB course on his professional journey from the college to the corporate world.

A guest lecture on 'Alternate Dispute Resolution' was held on 1st October, 2016 by Advocate Dhananjay Joshi, Managing Partner, Dhananjay Joshi Associates, for IV Year BA/BBA LLB students, III Year LLB students & LLM students.

Advocate Nilemma Badbade, Advocate, Pune District Court conducted a 3 day workshop on Indian Contract Act on 3rd, 8th & 10th October, 2016 for IV & V Year BA/BBA LLB & II & III year of 3 Year LLB & LLM students.

Prof. Jaisy George, Assistant Professor, SLS, Pune conducted a lecture on Global Compliance on 7th October, 2016 for the batch of IV and V Year BA/BBA LLB and III year of 3 Year LLB course.

Advocate Sumeet Singh, Principle Associate, Shardul Amarchand Mangaldas, Ms. Dinoo Muttappa, Associate, Competition Commission of India and Mr. Ayush Jyotswi, Associate, PLR Chambers conducted a guest lecture on 8th October, 2016 for the batch of IV Year BA/BBA LLB and II and III year of 3 Year LLB course on the Mergers and Acquisitions and also on the basics and intricacies of Competition Law in India and about policy review.
FACULTY HIGHLIGHTS

Congratulations! Dr. Shashikala Gurpur has been appointed as the Member of Academic Council of the Himachal Pradesh National Law University, Shimla.

Dr. Gurpur was a Resource Person at the Training to IDAS Officers on "Child Rights and Sexual Harassment at Workplace" at the National Academy of Defense Financial Management, Pune on 1st July, 2016.

Dr. Gurpur was invited as a Chief Guest in the Inaugural Function of a Workshop on 'Research Methodology and Statistical Analysis' conducted from 28th June to 19th July, 2016, organised by Karnataka State Women's University, Vijayapura.

Dr. Gurpur was a Speaker at the CII Q School Excellence Conclave, Apte Road on 5th August, 2016.

Dr. Gurpur was a Resource Person at the National Legal Conference at Faculty of Law, Savitribai Phule, Pune University on 17th September, 2016. She spoke on Jurimetrics & Sociometrics in Transnational Legal Research.

Dr. Gurpur was a Resource Person at the Doctrinal Legal Research Workshop, NLU Delhi on 10th August, 2016.

Dr. Gurpur & Prof. Sonam Dixit presented a paper on “A Co-Regulation Model for Television Broadcasting in India” at the 'International Conference on Media and Communication: Prospects and Challenges' organized by SIMC, Pune on 6th & 7th October 2016.

Dr. Gurpur was the Session Chair at the 'International Conference on Media and Communication: Prospects and Challenges' in the track 'Freedom Information & Governance' organized by SIMC, Pune from 6th to 7th October, 2016.

Dr. Gurpur acted as member and facilitator for Vision 2021 held at Karnataka State Women's University, Vijayapura on 13th and 14th October, 2016.
Dr. Gurpur was a panelist at a seminar on ‘The Long Road to Surrogacy: Legal Challenges and the Way Ahead’, dedicated to Ambassador J.C. Sharma held at India International Centre, New Delhi on 4th November, 2016 with Advocate Soli J. Sorabjee, Hon'ble Dr. Justice A.K. Sikri, Advocate Ranjeet Malhotra, Advocate Anil Malhotra.

Dr. Gurpur published a paper titled, “The Medical Model- a Curtain Call for Reasonable Accommodation” in the Social and Legal Dimensions of Disability Laws and Policies in India Journal bearing ISSN 09726349. The paper was co-authored by Mr. Viswesh Sekhar.

Dr. Gurpur and Ms. Pratima Puri published a Chapter titled ‘Nuclear Energy in India' in a book on Energy Laws in India edited by Dr. Sairam Bhat P (ed), National Law School of India University, Bangalore.

Dr. Gurpur was a panelist at a seminar on ‘The Long Road to Surrogacy: Legal Challenges and the Way Ahead’

Dr. Bindu Ronald delivered a faculty seminar on “Bankruptcy & Insolvency Act 2016” at Deakin Law School, Deakin University, Melbourne Australia on 19th July, 2016.

During her visit, Dr. Ronald also visited the University of Queensland, St Lucia Campus on 14th July, 2016.

Dr. Bindu Ronald was the Chief Guest and Resource Person at the Seminar on “Ethics Values and Gender Sensitization” at the National Academy of Direct Taxes, Nagpur on 13th October, 2016.

Dr. Bindu Ronald, Dr. Atmaram Shelke, Dr. Shashikant Hajare and Dr. Rupal Rautdesai were Panelists at the 5th Annual National Conference on Contemporary Legal Scholarship at SLS, Pune on 10th September, 2016.

Dr. Bindu Ronald, Dr. Rupal Rautdesai and Prof. Sujata Arya attended the conference on IGIDR's Emerging Market Conference co-hosted by Vanderbilt in association with Indira Gandhi Institute of Development Research, Finance Research Group.

Dr. Rawat presented a research paper titled, “Marketing of Entertainment Events” in the ‘International Conference on Media and Communication: Prospects and Challenges’ at SIMC, Lavale on 6th & 7th October, 2016. The paper was co-authored by Ms. Bindu Sravya and Ms. Mahak Paliwal.

Dr. Rawat presented a research paper titled, “Impact of Age over Marketing through Cartoons” in the ‘International Conference on Media and Communication: Prospects and Challenges’ at SIMC, Lavale on 6th & 7th October, 2016. The paper was co-authored by Ms. Samiksha Gupta, Mr. B M Amarnath and Mr. Tushar Katheria.

Dr. Rawat presented a research paper titled, “Demographic Dividend –a Myth or a Reality!” in the SIMSARC-16, SIMS Annual Research Conference held on 15th & 16th December, 2016 at SIMS Khirkee.

Dr. Rawat presented a research paper titled, “Startup India, Standup India’: an Outstanding Drive for Employment Generation and Wealth Creation!” at SIMSARC-16, SIMS Annual Research Conference held on 15th & 16th December, 2016 at SIMS Khirkee. The paper was co-authored by Ms. Harshita Kapoor, Ms. Aarushi Sahu and Ms. Apoorva Jain.

Dr. Rupal Rautdesai and Mr. Ujwal Nandekar presented a paper on “Use of Photographs Available Online in News Media: A Copyright Perspective” in 'International Conference on Media and Communication organized' by SIMC, Pune on 6th & 7th October, 2016.


Prof. Vanishree Ramanathan and Dr. Swapnil Bangali published a paper titled, “Big and High Dimensional Data in the Digital World: Statistical, Computational and Privacy Challenges” in the International Journal of Automation and Logistics, Vol 2, No.4 pp. 369–387 Print ISSN: 2049-6745, Online ISSN: 2049-6753, Inderscience Publishers Ltd.


Dr. Ashish Deshpande presented a paper on “Role of Prosecutor in Victim Support: Issues and Challenges” in International Seminar on Victimization and Justice Administration in Criminal Law at VVM's Govind Ramnath Kare College of Law.

Dr. Ashish Deshpande delivered a lecture on “Adversarial and Inquisitorial Justice System” and “English: Need of Hour” to newly recruited JMFCs' and CCCDs' and another session on “Prosecutors in India- Need of Reform and Victim Protection through Effective Prosecution” for Prosecutors and Government Pleaders at Maharashtra Judicial Academy, Uttan, Mumbai on 24th December, 2016.

Prof. Ritambara Das presented a paper on “Sexual Harassment at Workplace: Are All Men Equal?” in International Seminar on Victimization and Justice Administration in Criminal Law, VVM's Govind Ramnath Kare College of Law.

Prof. Das & Ms. Soumya Mukherjee presented a paper on “All Creatures Great and Small, the Lord God Made Them” in the Animal Rights Seminar at West Bengal National University of Juridical Sciences.

Prof. Garima Pal presented a paper titled, “Unemployment a Social Menace (A study conducted in Nainital, Uttarakhand, India)” at the Third ISA Forum of Sociology in Vienna, Austria from 10th to 14th July, 2016.

Prof. Sujata Arya & Ms. Shambhavi Padhye presented a paper on ‘The Vermin Tag – How Justified” in Animal Rights Seminar at West Bengal National University of Juridical Sciences.

Prof. Sujata Arya & Mr. Ameya Foujdar presented a paper on 'The Jewellery Law: An Affront to the Dignity of Refugees' in 45th Annual Conference of The Indian Society of International Law, New Delhi.

Prof. Sujata Arya and Prof. Sanjeet Ruhal participated in a meeting hosted by a Delegation from Glasgow University, UK at Royal Bombay Yacht Club, Mumbai, on 7th November, 2016. Various points were discussed in the meeting such as Student and Faculty Exchange, Research and Joint Publication, Joint Summer School in the field of IPR, participation in the two International Moot Courts, participation in the Annual Research Conference and Sharing of MOU.

Prof. Garima Pal at Third ISA Forum of Sociology

Prof. Sanjeet Ruhal

Dr. Vanishree Ramanathan

SLS, Pune proudly announces the conferring of PhD to Prof. Vanishree Ramanathan on 7th July, 2016 from Faculty of Political Science, Savithribai Phule University of Pune. The topic of her research was ‘Impact of Public Policy on Women in India’. 

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Teachers' Day Celebration-2016
Upcoming Events........

- SYMBHAV 2017.
- Symbiosis Law School, Pune - International Criminal Trial Advocacy, 2017 (SICTA) Competition

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