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I am extremely happy to present to you the Bi-annual Newsletter, NLC-LAWSOME, that remains the mirror of our institute reflecting the academic graph, research quotient, students' progression and overall growth of our College. Bharati Vidyapeeth (deemed to be university) New Law College, Pune is one of the premier institutes of law that imparts the quality education and is shredding the shades of excellence on the canvass of legal academics of the country.

The first session of the academic year 2019-20 was full of serious academic adventures and extravagant activities taking the institute to the greater heights to reach the pinnacle of success. From inviting the Judges from supreme Court & High Courts to carrying out social outreach activities, the institute has left no stone unturned.

The mega-academic events primarily focusing to enhance the legal acumen of the students, the various training programmes organized both for the faculty members and the students, industry interface, quality legal research, social justice initiatives, outstanding placement and internships, alumni connect, students' laurels in various academic and extra-curricular activities were among several prominent highlights of this semester. The present Newsletter seeks to highlight some of these events so as to reflect the quality of teaching and learning process which makes the institute a special place to be.

Taking solace from the best practices around the globe, with a dash of innovations, discoveries & ideas, Bharati Vidyapeeth (Deemed to be University) New Law College, Pune has always not only strived to reach the stars in order to seek the paramount standards of quality legal education and but has also undertaken a pledge to abide by the same.

“The way of success is the way of continuous pursuit of knowledge”. - Napoleon Hill
DR. PATANGRAO KADAM MEMORIAL LECTURE SERIES ON “MEDIA & LAW” - (17/08/2019)

Hon’ble Ms. Sagarika Ghose - Consulting Editor, Times of India

In order to make our students understand the complicated issues of media with law, the College had invited none other than Ms. Sagarika Ghose herself, who is a well known face in the Media World and known for her liberal interpretations of Media and Law those present, issues. Presently working as the Consulting Editor from the Times of India, Ms. Ghose warily scanned all the problems that revolve around media and highlighted how law could be helpful to the media personnel in covering news on day to day basis. A book authored by her named “Why I am a Liberal” was also circulated among those present during the function.

“The pursuit of excellence is less profitable than the pursuit of bigness, but it can be more satisfying”. - David Ogilvy
SEMINAR ON: “ART OF TALKING- ARBITRATION, MEDIATION AND NEGOTIATION”
(21/08/2019)

Hon’ble Shri. Jayant Bhatt- Advocate, Supreme Court of India

The ‘Madhyastha’ one of the robust Cell of the institute which specializes in organizing the ADR related literacy programmes, had organized one day Seminar on “the Art of Talking– Arbitration, mediation & Negotiation” wherein the cell invited the renowned lawyer Shri Jayant Bhatt, Advocate, Supreme Court of India. Mr. Bhatt meticulously dealt with the concerned issues pertaining to the art of talking and explained as to how these skills could be useful in any of the arbitration, mediation of negotiation matters.

LEGAL DISCOURSE ON “BAIL JURISPRUDENCE & LAW ON SEDITION”
(24/08/2019)

Hon’ble Sr. Adv. Sidharth Luthra- Former Additional Solicitor General of India

The celebrated lawyer, Hon’ble Shri Sidharth Luthra, Senior Advocate, Supreme Court of India, & Former Additional Solicitor General of India was invited to the institute to deliver a legal discourse on “Bail Jurisprudence and the Law on Sedition”. The theme of the discourse was quite something that warranted specialized experts’ opinion. Adv. Luthra successfully dealt with the issue in depth and encouraged the students to apply logic before approaching the court of law for the matters pertaining to bail.

“You don’t learn to walk by following rules. You learn by doing and falling over”.
- Richard Branson
PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT TRAINING PROGRAMME ON “CYBER CRIME INVESTIGATION”
(03/09/2019)

In association with the Bar Council of India & AIR Law Academy & Research Centre, the college had organized the Professional Development Programme on “Cyber Crime Investigation” wherein nearly 180 participants registered themselves only to see the magnificent gathering of legal experts like Hon’ble Dr. Harold D’ Costa, CEO, Intelligent Quotient Security System, Senior Trainer (Judges and Public Prosecutors), Hon’ble Dr. Aruna Namballa, Vice President, ALARC, Hon’ble Dr. A. Lakshminath, Former Vice Chancellor, CNLU Patna, Hon’ble Ms. Ashlesha Barke, Subject Matter Expert, Digital Evidence, Cyber Security Corporation, Hon’ble Mr. D Silva Legal head, Fleoalex Cable Ltd., and Hon’ble Dr. Mohit Agrawal Chairman, MD Interlink Capital, President, PSAC & Associates.

LEGAL DISCOURSE ON: “INDIA’S TRYST WITH TERRORISM: REVISITING MUMBAI TERROR ATTACKS” -
(14/09/2019)

In order to provide our students the first hand experience of the Kasab Trial and also to present the story from the prosecution side, Padma Shri. Hon’ble Ujjwal Nikam, Special Public Prosecutor had graced the institute.

“There is no virtue so truly great and godlike as justice”.
- Joseph Addison
Bharati Vidyapeeth-Surana & Surana National trial Advocacy Moot Court & Judgment Writing Competition is one of the much awaited event in the legal academia. The standards of the competition remain paramount and for the purpose of its conduction the institute has signed an MoU with the Surana & Surana International Attorneys, Chennai. This year’s competition was inaugurated by Hon’ble Mr. Justice B.R. Gavai, Judge, Supreme Court of India in the august presence of Hon’ble Mr. Justice Prakash Deu Naik, Judge, Bombay High Court, Hon’ble Prof. Dr. Shivajirao Kadam, Chancellor, Hon’ble Prof. Dr. M.M. Salunkhe, Vice Chancellor, Shri. G. Jayakumar, Registrar and other legal luminaries.

“Truth never damages a Cause that is just”.
- Mahatma Gandhi
The Final round of the Competition was adjudged by Hon’ble Mr. Justice S.M. Modak, Judge, Bombay High Court, Hon’ble Mr. Justice P.B. Suresh Kumar, Judge, Kerala High Court, Hon’ble Mr. Justice Talwant Singh, Judge, Delhi High Court, Hon’ble Mr. Justice Anil Kumar Sinha, Judge, Patna High Court, and Hon’ble Mr. Justice Anjani Kumar Sharan, Judge, Patna High Court.

The valedictory & prize distribution function was presided over none other than by Hon’ble Mr. Justice M.R. Shah, Judge, Supreme Court of India. The Team from NLU, Odisha was declared as the winning team.

“The moral arc of the Universe is long, but it bends toward justice”.
- Martin Luther King Jr.
In association with the SAHYOG Trust, the College had organized a National Seminar on “The Water nexus: bringing the World Together” which was graced by Hon’ble Dr. Rajendra Singh, the water-Man of India & renowned Environmentalist as well as Hon’ble Shri. Nana Patekar, the famous Cine Super-Star and Co-founder, NAAM Foundation.

“If we have no peace, it is because we have forgotten that we belong to each other”.

- Mother Theresa
“The gifts that come from justice are superior to those that originate in charity”.
- Khalil Gibran
“One thing is not just because it is law. It must be law because it is just”.

- Montesquieu
He who does not want to live but among the just, lives in the desert.

- Seneca
“More than civilization, justice is the need of the people”.
- Pietro Colletta
GUEST LECTURE ON “CURRENT STATE OF BANKING SYSTEM IN INDIA AND DIGITALIZATION OF BANKS” - (02/08/2019)

Shri Sudhakar Kulkarni- Managing Partner, Astute Securities

3 DAY WORKSHOP ON “MOOT COURT PREPARATIONS” IN ASSOCIATION WITH MEMO-PANDITS (06-07/08/2019)

Mr. Rachendra Tripathi/ Mr. Anant Gupta-- Memo Pandits

ALUMNI MEET-2019 - (10/08/2019)

“If you have the strength, we have the right”. - Victor Hugo
“Formal education will make you a living; self-education will make you a fortune”.
- Jim Rohn
“You must keep your mind on objective, not the obstacle”.
- William Randolph Hearst
AWARENESS ON “ADDICTION OF MOBILES IN SOCIETY” -(03/07/2019)

AWARENESS PROGRAMME FOR TEENAGERS ON ‘CYBER CRIMES & ITS EFFECT’ WAS CONDUCTED AT RAMBHAI MALGI SCHOOL, KATRAJ (27/07/2019)

“Success is nothing more than a few disciplines, practiced everyday”. 
- Jim Rohn
“Nothing great was ever achieved without enthusiasm”.  
- Ralph Waldo Emerson
“You may be disappointed if you fail, but you are doomed if you don’t try”.
- Beverly Sills
VISIT TO ATKARWADI FOR AWARENESS DRIVE - (29/08/2019)

OBSERVATION OF “FIT INDIA MOVEMENT” - (29/08/2019)

‘NUKKAD KE SHAITAN’ STREET-PLAY PERFORMED IN ANTARGANI-COLLEGE FEST OF IIT, KANPUR (29/08/2019)

“Don’t be afraid to give up the good to go for the great”.  
- John D. Rockefeller
“Strategy without tactics is the slowest route to victory. Tactics without strategy is the noise before defeat”. — Sun Tzu
“Good, better, best. Never let it rest till your good is better and your better is best”. —St. Jerome
Ms. Ujjwala Sakhalkar, Assistant Professor in Law has attended the International High-Level Conference on “Educating for the Rule of Law” held at Vienna, Austria during 7-8 October, 2019 which was supported and fully funded by the United Nations.

DR. UJWALA BENDALE PROMOTED AS THE DEAN, FACULTY OF LAW -

It is a matter of great pride that Dr. Ujwala Bendale, senior faculty member has recently been promoted as the Dean, Faculty of Law. We extend our heartiest congratulations.

“True merit, like a river, the deeper it is, the less noise it makes”.

—E.F.L. Wood, 1st Earl of Halifax
“Charm strikes the sight, but merit wins the soul”. —Alexander Pope
LAURELS BROUGHT HOME
— AT MOOT COURT COMPETITIONS

Manipal-Ranka Moot Court Competition at Manipal University, Jaipur [September 28-30, 2019]

PRIZES WON

PARTICIPANTS

WINNER

Aman Kumar Saini / Sayanti Chakrabarti / Devesh Agrawal

JUS LEX Trial Advocacy Competition at Saveetha School of Law, SIMATS, Chennai [August 16-18]

PRIZES WON

PARTICIPANTS

WINNER

Simarjeet Sethia / Deepali Mahawar / Kumar Ankit

“Law too gentle are seldom obeyed; to severe, seldom executed”.

— Benjamin Franklin
“Laws are a dead letter without courts to expound and define their true meaning and operation”. —Alexander Hamilton
FORTHCOMING EVENTS

⇒ International Model United Nations Conference, February, 2020
⇒ Justice P.N. Bhagwati International Moot Court Competition on Human Rights, March 21-22, 2020
⇒ Dr. Patangrao Kadam Lecture Series, January, 2020
⇒ Judicial Colloquia, January, 2020

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