

National Judicial Academy

P-1005: East Zone Regional Conference for Enhancing the Excellence of Judicial Institutions:
Challenges & Opportunities at Patna, Bihar
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No. of Participants : 59
No. of forms received : 44

I. OVERALL				
PROPOSITIONS	To a great extent	To some extent	Not at all	Remarks
a. The objective of the Program was clear to me	90.91	9.09	-	-
b. The subject matter of the program is useful and relevant to my work	84.09	15.91	-	-
c. Overall, I got benefited from attending this program	88.37	11.63	-	-
d. I will use the new learning, skills, ideas and knowledge in my work	92.86	7.14	-	-
e. Adequate time and opportunity was provided to participants to share experiences	74.42	25.58	-	24. Interactive session for at least 1 hr. 34. Participant were given opportunity.
II. KNOWLEDGE				
PROPOSITIONS	To a great extent	To some extent	Not at all	Remarks
The program provided knowledge (or provided links / references to knowledge) which is:				
a. Useful to my work	82.93	17.07	-	-
b. Comprehensive (relevant case laws, national laws, leading text / articles / comments by jurists)	80.95	19.05	-	-
c. Up to date	85.37	14.63	-	-
d. Related to Constitutional Vision of Justice	90.91	9.09	-	-
e. Related to International Legal Norms	51.22	43.90	4.88	-

III. STRUCTURE OF THE PROGRAM				
PROPOSITIONS	Good	Satisfactory	Unsatisfactory	Remarks
a. The structure and sequence of the program was logical	88.37	11.63		-
b. The program was an adequate combination of the following methodologies viz.				
i. Case studies were relevant	90.48	9.52		
ii. Interactive sessions were fruitful	95.12	4.88		-
iii. Audio Visual Aids were beneficial	78.79	18.18	3.03	34. There is need for more.
IV. INDIVIDUAL SESSIONS				
PROPOSITIONS	To a great extent	To some extent	Not at all	Remarks
a. Discussions in individual sessions were effectively organized	88.37	11.63	-	-
b. The session theme was adequately addressed by the Resource Persons	97.67	2.33	-	-
V. PROGRAM MATERIALS				
PROPOSITIONS	To a great extent	To some extent	Not at all	Remarks
a. The Program material is useful and relevant	97.73	2.27	-	37. Easy to understand.
b. The content was updated. It reflected recent case laws/ current thinking/ research/ policy in the discussed area	95.35	4.65	-	24. Programme materials should be circulated even if we don't attend conference. 37. Easy to understand.
c. The content was organized and easy to follow	92.86	7.14	-	37. Easy to understand.

VI. GENERAL SUGGESTIONS

<p>a. Three most important learning achievements of this Programme</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. I also feel that Judicial Service is not a mere job but it is an opportunity to serve people; 2. Judges are responsible for their own work; 3 For excelling we have to improve our selves individually. 2. Participant did not comment 3. Participant did not comment 4. All were important. 5. Made it up to date and created encouragement & motivation. 1. E-justice; 2. Social Context Judging; 3. Impact of media on public perception. 6. How to maintain the integrity and discipline not only in the Court but also outside the court in the whole 24 hours of a day. 7. Practical Knowledge; 2. Judicial discipline; 3. Judgment should be in social context. 8. 1. Social Context Judging; 2. Importance of Ethics and Impact of Medial on Public perception regarding vitality of Justice Delivery; 3. Re-engineering the Judicial Process through effective use of ICT. 9. 1. Work hard, free of fear and serve the poor and give justice to the poor litigants; 2. Justice must be seen on each and every steps of proceeding; 3. Manage our daily work and priority to be given to old cases. 10. 1. Concept of Social Context Judging (SCJ) 2. Given the vision how media affects the public perception regarding vitality of justice delivery; 3. Effective use of ICT in Judicial Process. 11. 1. What are the problems being faced by judicial officers of the other states and how we have to sort it out; 2. In which direction we should think and work; 3. Where we stand at present and where we have to go. 12. It is really mind blowing. I will go with new thinking, new fresh way of working. The quality of Give & Take in this kind of conference is the utmost feature. 13. 1. New ideas as to how to manage Court as Presiding Officer of Court; 2. Direct interaction with such highly knowledgeable legal resource persons; 3. Of course, reading material was provided by NJA, Bhopal to enhance our knowledge. 14. The importance of ethics, integrity and judicial discipline; 2. Dealing with impact of media on public perception while delivering justice; 3. Social context judging while exercising discretion.
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	<p>15. This programme instills upon us ethics, integrity that will ultimately render effective administration of justice. The whole programme regenerates judicial behavior.</p> <p>16. 1. Helpful for administration of justice; 2. Essential for maintenance of integrity and discipline; 3. Exercise of discretion and application of SCJ in wider sense.</p> <p>17. Internal vigilance; Impact of media on justice delivery system; Social context judging.</p> <p>18. 1. It helped enhance core values required for judicial work; 2. It helped develop a better attitude; 3. It updated on latest schemes on use of information technology in administration of justice.</p> <p>19. 1. It enhanced the social responsibility confidence to do judicial work without fear and favour; 2. Importance of integrity, discipline and control of emotions when media trial takes place; 3. Use of technology and E-Justice and e- court.</p> <p>20. 1. It gave practical solutions to the problems; 2. It would enhance the excellence of the judicial system.</p> <p>21. 1. Value of Justice; 2. Value of the Judge; 3. Impact of Justice.</p> <p>22. 1. How to deal with media highlighted cases; 2. Inquiry proceeding; 3. Relationship between High Court and District Courts.</p> <p>23. 1. Session 1: Importance of Ethics, Integrity and Discipline; 2. Session 4: Relationship between High Court and District Judiciary; 3. Session 5: Social Context Judging (SCJ).</p> <p>24. Interactive sessions to the participants to enhance their knowledge as well as to meet their problems.</p> <p>25. <i>Impact of Media on Justice Delivery System;</i> Session 1: Importance of Ethics, Integrity and Discipline; <i>Duty of a judge is imparting social justice.</i></p> <p>26. 1. The disciplinary guideline; 2. Idea regarding E-committee & E-Justice; 3. Relationship of District Judiciary.</p> <p>27. 1. Very much helpful in solving practical problems which I am facing in daily judicial work; 2. Enhancing my knowledge on various topics which are discussed by eminent experienced knowledgeable persons; 3. Useful in enhancing knowledge & its application of IT in Judicial work.</p> <p>28. 1. Creating sensitivity; 2. Education; 3. Self-reflection</p> <p>29. 1. I learn about the importance of ethics in the life of Judge; 2. Impact of media report in judicial functionary; 3. Relationship between High Court & District Judiciary.</p> <p>30. Broadening concept of judicial indiscipline, Importance of e-justice well explained.</p>
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	<p>31. 1.The programme provided comprehensive knowledge; 2. Ethics, Discipline and Integrity are very essential for a judicial officer; 3. Media is only a tool, we can use this tool carefully.</p> <p>32. 1. Role of media on public perception regarding Justice Delivery System; 2.E-Justice, Judicial Process through effective use of SCJ; 3. Ethics and discipline required by each Judicial Officer.</p> <p>33. 1. Legal Knowledge; 2. Practical aspects of justice delivery system; 3. Interactive participation.</p> <p>34. 1. Methods of achieving excellence in our work; 2. Punctuality 3. Delivery of order and judgement in time framed period.</p> <p>35. Importance of Ethics; It is very necessary to know and be aware of this topic.</p> <p>36. Morality, E-court functioning C.I.S. mechanism, application of constitutional & existing law used in our day to day working.</p> <p>37. Session 1: <i>Importance of Ethics, Integrity; Vigilance Mechanism;</i> Session 4: <i>Relationship between High Court and District Judiciary - and e-courts mission mode project.</i></p> <p>38. Session 1: <i>Importance of Ethics, Integrity and Discipline;</i> Session 2: <i>Strengthening Internal Vigilance Mechanism as Response to Rising Judicial Indiscipline</i> Session 3: <i>Impact of Media on Public Perception regarding Vitality of Justice Delivery.</i></p> <p>39. All were most important.</p> <p>40. All were important.</p> <p>41. Was an eye opener on many areas. Has really benefitted for the management of our court.</p> <p>42. Profitable in every respect.</p> <p>43. Learning about importance of Ethics and Discipline; and doing judicial work as a mission.</p> <p>44. How to bring the undisciplined judicial officer into order by guiding him and in harsh situation by taking them to task; How to handle unnecessary intervention by print and electronic media during trial of any case.</p>
<p>b. Which part of the Programme did you find most useful and why</p>	<p>1. I found Session 1: <i>Importance of Ethics, Integrity and Discipline;</i> Session 3 & 4: <i>Impact of Media on Public Perception regarding Vitality of Justice Delivery And Relationship between High Court and District Judiciary;</i> Session 5: <i>Social Context Judging (SCJ) as Principle for Exercise of Discretion and Application of SCJ in given Case Studies.</i></p> <p>2. Participant did not comment</p> <p>3. All parts were useful for me.</p> <p>4. All were important</p> <p>5. All parts were most useful</p>

	<p>6. Relationship between High Court and District Judiciary.</p> <p>7. <i>Session 1: Importance of Ethics, Integrity and Discipline</i></p> <p>8. Topics discussed in all the sessions because somehow or other, it is useful in my judicial work.</p> <p>9. Both sessions of Day 1 & Day 2.</p> <p>10. Topics discussed in <i>Session 2: Strengthening Internal Vigilance Mechanism as Response to Rising Judicial Indiscipline; Session 3: Impact of Media on Public Perception regarding Vitality of Justice Delivery And Relationship between High Court and District Judiciary Session 5: Social Context Judging (SCJ) as Principle for Exercise of Discretion and Application of SCJ in given Case Studies; Session 6 E-Justice: Re-engineering the Judicial Process through Effective use of ICT----</i>because somehow or other, it is useful in my judicial work.</p> <p>11. Discussion</p> <p>12. Day 1 was more interactive & optimistic; Day 2 has given very important ideas.</p> <p>13. E-Justice and strengthening internal vigilance mechanism as responses to judicial indiscipline.</p> <p>14. The entire programme was most useful, as it was a great learning process while hearing experiences of Hon'ble judges and participants.</p> <p>15. Session from <i>Session 1: Importance of Ethics, Integrity and Discipline; Session 2: Strengthening Internal Vigilance Mechanism as Response to Rising Judicial Indiscipline; Session 3 & 4: Impact of Media on Public Perception regarding Vitality of Justice Delivery And Relationship between High Court and District Judiciary;---</i> are very useful to me.</p> <p>16. All sessions of seminar are most useful to me as these are required to be brought into the mind of us while dispensing our duty.</p> <p>17. <i>Session 2: Strengthening internal vigilance mechanism as response to rising judicial indiscipline.</i> Reason – Internal vigilance is most important.</p> <p>18. <i>Session 1: Importance of Ethics, Integrity and Discipline; & Session 5: Social Context Judging (SCJ) as Principle for Exercise of Discretion and Application of SCJ in given Case Studies---</i> was more useful to me, as it was deeply related to the personality of a Judge and provided insights into ways to improve our judicial work, to a great extent.</p> <p>19. <i>Session 4: Relationship between High Court and District Judiciary; & Session 5: Social Context Judging (SCJ) as Principle for Exercise of Discretion and Application of SCJ in given Case Studies—</i>were most useful because it helps to build the confidence in the judicial work and also through social point of view in the work of judicial officer.</p> <p>20. Participant did not comment</p>
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21. **Session 1:** *Importance of Ethics, Integrity and Discipline*; **Session 5:** *Social Context Judging (SCJ) as Principle for Exercise of Discretion and Application of SCJ in given Case Studies.*

22. **Session 3:** *Impact of Media on Public Perception regarding Vitality of Justice Delivery* – as there was discussion on the perception of media in taking judicial decision.

23. **Session 1:** *Importance of Ethics, Integrity and Discipline*- was most useful because *the Ethics, Integrity and Discipline* are the most important things in justice delivery system. Judicial conduct is also a relevant aspect.

24. **Session 3 & Session 4:** *Impact of Media on Public Perception regarding Vitality of Justice Delivery and Relationship between High Court and District Judiciary*-are most useful as it was arranged in such a way to interact directly with the participants.

25. The impact of media on justice delivery system. Every judicial officer is facing this problem. This conference will definitely help the judicial officers is handling the effect of media influence i.e. by shaping oneself in such a manner that as you enter your court, just erase the facts mentioned in the media and decide the case on the record.

26. Interaction session.

27. **Session 3 & Session 4:** *Impact of Media on Public Perception regarding Vitality of Justice Delivery and Relationship between High Court and District Judiciary*; in which topics of *Impact of media on public perception regarding vitality of Justice Delivery & Relationship between High Court & District Judiciary* are discussed, was very much useful for me as it was very much interactive & descriptive to enhance any knowledge and solving problems which I am facing in daily court work.

28. The interactive sessions.

29. **Session 3:** *Impact of Media on Public Perception regarding Vitality of Justice Delivery.*

30. Interactive sessions.

31. **Session 1:** *Importance of Ethics, Integrity and Discipline*; **Session 2:** *Strengthening Internal Vigilance Mechanism as Response to Rising Judicial Indiscipline*; **Session 3 & Session 4:** *Impact of Media on Public Perception regarding Vitality of Justice Delivery and Relationship between High Court and District Judiciary*-because these programmes build up overall excellence.

32. E-Justice. System held by Hon'ble Mr. Justice Sunil Ambwani and Hon'ble Mr. Justice Navin Sinha as resource person is very beneficial for me. Regarding administration of Justice. It is useful for admission of evidence which is sometime adduced in court and also importance, updating data grading regarding interim ordered judgement.

33. **Session 1:** *Importance of Ethics, Integrity and Discipline*; because it constitutes the core value of judiciary.

	<p>34. Session 2: <i>Strengthening Internal Vigilance Mechanism as Response to Rising Judicial Indiscipline.</i> It has given wide knowledge as to how control the ministerial staff of the court.</p> <p>35. Session 3: <i>Impact of Media on Public Perception regarding Vitality of Justice Delivery.</i> It aware from the specific cases.</p> <p>36. Impact of Public Perception, Media on courts day to day working.</p> <p>37. Session 3: <i>Impact of Media on Public Perception regarding Vitality of Justice Delivery</i> – because today media along with Social Media are more popular in public.</p> <p>38. Session 3 & Session 4: <i>Impact of Media on Public Perception regarding Vitality of Justice Delivery and Relationship between High Court and District Judiciary-To concentrate and fridge our emotion when holding trial.</i></p> <p>39. All part.</p> <p>40. All part.</p> <p>41. Interactive session.</p> <p>42. All part of programme was equally educative & useful.</p> <p>43. Session 2: <i>Strengthening Internal Vigilance Mechanism as Response to Rising Judicial Indiscipline</i> Session 3: <i>Impact of Media on Public Perception regarding Vitality of Justice Delivery.</i></p> <p>44. The theme of social context judging; because the guideline of the Supreme Court in various judicial pronouncement pave the way for the judicial officers to discharge judicial functions as per the mandate of the constitution.</p>
<p>c. Which part of the Programme did you find least useful and why</p>	<p>1. None</p> <p>2. Participant did not comment</p> <p>3. All parts were useful for me.</p> <p>4. None</p> <p>5. Participant did not comment</p> <p>6. Nothing</p> <p>7. Participant did not comment</p> <p>8. Topics discussed in session 4 <i>Relationship between High Court and District Judiciary;</i> as it is least useful in Judicial work.</p> <p>9. Participant did not respond</p> <p>10. Topics discussed in Session 1: Importance of Ethics, Integrity and Discipline; Session 4: Relationship between High Court and District Judiciary; because these are least useful so far as the work of judicial officer is concerned.</p> <p>11. Participant did not comment</p> <p>12. No part fit for this response.</p> <p>13. No topic can be very least useful as all the topics related to different useful field of Law and Justice.</p> <p>14. Participant did not comment</p>

	<p>15. All programmes are valuable and very much useful.</p> <p>16. Nil</p> <p>17. Participant did not comment</p> <p>18. No such part was there.</p> <p>19. No such part I found.</p> <p>20. Participant did not comment</p> <p>21. All useful more or less equal.</p> <p>22. None</p> <p>23. None</p> <p>24. No Comments</p> <p>25. NA</p> <p>26. Participant did not comment.</p> <p>27. Nothing.</p> <p>28. Participant did not comment.</p> <p>29. None</p> <p>30. Participant did not comment.</p> <p>31. Participant did not comment.</p> <p>32. Participant did not comment.</p> <p>33. Session 3: Impact of Media on Public Perception regarding Vitality of Justice Delivery because media in not responsible.</p> <p>34. All programmes were useful and innovative.</p> <p>35. Participant did not comment.</p> <p>36. Whole programme is useful.</p> <p>37. NA</p> <p>38. Participant did not comment.</p> <p>39. No one</p> <p>40. No one</p> <p>41. Speakers should have been more time to speak and express.</p> <p>42. Participant did not comment.</p> <p>43. Session 4: Relationship between High Court and District Judiciary.</p> <p>44. Participant did not comment.</p>
<p>d. Kindly make any suggestions you may have on how NJA may serve you better and make its programmes more effective</p>	<p>1. These kind of training sessions must be organized at regular intervals.</p> <p>2. Participant did not comment</p> <p>3. Participant did not comment</p> <p>4. Nil</p> <p>5. Some training programme may be organized on Cyber Law, Accepting and recording of E-evidence, etc.</p> <p>6. Group Disucssion sessions among the participant officers may be added to exchange thought among themselves.</p> <p>7. Participant did not comment</p>

	<p>8. There should be session for Cyber Law and Cyber-crime with showing films related to cyber-crime.</p> <p>9. This type of NJA programme must be held on each State from time to time on a regular basis.</p> <p>10. There should be discussion electronic evidences and Cyber Law.</p> <p>11. This type of conferences should be held from time to time. It is very helpful and helps improve our self in doing better work.</p> <p>12. This kind of Conferences and workshops should be held in future for civil judges.</p> <p>13. To include subject which refers as to how to sort out day to day challenges and problems faced by Judges in subordinate Court without mental agony.</p> <p>14. Can we have a blog on web or site where we could have access to experiences of Hon'ble Judges and eminent jurists.</p> <p>15. The NJA has undertaken very good steps to impart knowledge.</p> <p>16. Supply of study material at the time of selection of participants.</p> <p>17. Participant did not comment</p> <p>18. Participant did not comment.</p> <p>19. Some Regional Conference or Programme on Cyber Law.</p> <p>20. Participant did not comment</p> <p>21. I have no suggestion.</p> <p>22. No Suggestion</p> <p>23. The programme was effective for me and I am very much thankful to NJA, India.</p> <p>24. To provide materials which were or are to be supplied during such types of conference.</p> <p>25. The programme has been prepared in a perfect manner but I think in such kind of conference there should be more number of participants of judicial officers for wider impact of the programme on the judiciary particularly in Subordinate Court.</p> <p>26. Regular conference may be held with more number of participants so that everyone can have a chance to avail benefits.</p> <p>27. Although this programme was very much useful & effective, my suggestion in this regard is to increase classes on use of Information Technology in daily judicial work, use of E-evidence.</p> <p>28. Taking of queries prior to the commencement of the sessions.</p>
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	<p>29. Time to time this type of programme should be held.</p> <p>30. More frequent programmes in relation to motivating the officers.</p> <p>31. There should be a session for suggestion on how to improve or make peaceful working condition (Intra) in district court, because working condition is also very important for enhancing the excellence of Judicial Institutions.</p> <p>32. Participant did not comment.</p> <p>33. NJA may focus on practical issues rather than theory and academics.</p> <p>34. NJA may organize programme on brain mapping, forensic science and new tools for speedy disposal of cases. The duration of the programme may be extended.</p> <p>35. Regular refresher training programmes should be organized by NJA & State Judicial Academy on different topics both civil & criminal matter.</p> <p>36. If interactive sessions for few more days be extended, it would have been more beneficial.</p> <p>37. Provide training in framing of Issues and Statement u/s 313 C.P.C. and Cyber Laws.</p> <p>38. There must be one session where one is free to ask suggestion with regard to day to day problem with regard to trial in district court level.</p> <p>39. No</p> <p>40. Participant did not comment.</p> <p>41. There should be frequent conferences of such kind, so that we get more benefitted.</p> <p>42. My good wishes.</p> <p>43. Be more interactive.</p> <p>44. NJA has to collect data from the State Judicial Academies regarding the gray areas in the new legislation and to bring solution to it through workshops.</p>
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