

# NATIONAL SEMINAR ON CYBERCRIME & ELECTRONIC EVIDENCE [P-1401]

Participants: District Judiciary

20<sup>th</sup> - 21<sup>st</sup> April 2024

National Judicial Academy (NJA), Bhopal

Programme Schedule

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Day-1: 20.04.2024</b>
<b>SESSION 1</b> <b>10:00 AM -11:30 AM</b>  (11:15AM – 11:30AM Q&A/Discussion)	<b><i>Cybercrime – Emerging Trends, Modus &amp; Threats</i></b> <b><u>Proposed scope of discussion:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>➤ Overview of Cybercrimes and Trends in Cybercrime</li><li>➤ Concerns Related to Online Abuse of Women and Children</li><li>➤ Jurisprudence on State Responsibility for Cyber Attacks: Legal Implications and Accountability</li><li>➤ Cyber Contract and IT Act 2000</li><li>➤ Dark Web and Artificial Intelligence</li></ul>
<b>11:30AM - 12:00 PM</b>	<b>Tea Break</b>
<b>SESSION 2</b> <b>12:00 PM - 01:30 PM</b>  (1:15PM – 1:30PM Q&A/Discussion)	<b><i>Jurisdictional Issues in Adjudication of Cybercrime</i></b> <b><u>Proposed scope of discussion:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>➤ Determination of Parties, Place of Commission &amp; Place of Suing<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Theory of Uploader and Downloader</li></ul></li><li>➤ Scope and Interplay between IPC-1860, IT Act-2000, &amp; CrPC-1973</li><li>➤ Tests to Determine Jurisdiction</li><li>➤ Challenges Relating to Extraterritorial Evidences<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Long Arm Statute &amp; Minimum Contact</li><li>• Mutual Legal Assistance Treaties (MLATs): Enhancing International Cooperation in the Adjudication of Cybercrimes</li></ul></li></ul>
<b>01:30 PM - 02:30 PM</b>	<b>Lunch</b>
<b>SESSION 3</b> <b>02:30 PM - 04:00 PM</b>  (3:30AM – 3:45PM Q&A/Discussion)	<b><i>Admissibility and Appreciation of Digital Evidence</i></b> <b><u>Proposed scope of discussion:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>➤ Relevancy, Authenticity and Admissibility of Electronic Records</li><li>➤ Digital Forensics &amp; Search and Seizure of Electronic Records</li><li>➤ Chain of Custody and Integrity of Digital Evidence</li><li>➤ Contours of Section 65-B in light of <i>Arjun Panditrao Khotkar v. Kailash Kushanrao Gorantyal</i></li><li>➤ Scientific v. Nonscientific Expert Testimony &amp; Admissibility of Expert Testimony</li></ul>
<b>04:00 PM</b>	<b>Tea at Cafeteria</b>

Sunday	Day-2: 21.04.2024
<p><b>SESSION 4</b> 10:00 AM -11:30 AM</p> <p>(11:15AM – 11:30AM Q&amp;A/Discussion)</p>	<p><b><i>Safeguarding Judicial Institutions from Cyber-Attacks: Cyber Security and Data Protection</i></b></p> <p><b><i>Proposed scope of discussion:</i></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Cybersecurity in courts: Strategies to prevent &amp; respond to cyber-attacks</li> <li>➤ Incident Response Planning for Judicial Institutions: Preparedness and Mitigation Strategies</li> <li>➤ Collaboration with Law Enforcement and Intelligence Agencies to Counter Cyber Threats to Judicial Institutions</li> <li>➤ Digital Personal Data Protection Act, 2023; General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) – EU</li> </ul>
<b>11:30 AM - 12:00 PM</b>	<b>Tea Break</b>
<p><b>SESSION 5</b> 12:00 PM - 01:30 PM</p> <p>(1:15PM – 1:30PM Q&amp;A/Discussion)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><i>Trial Management</i></b></p> <p><b><i>Proposed scope of discussion:</i></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Early court Interventions: Framing of Charges</li> <li>➤ Handling Contraband Evidence &amp; Voluminous Evidences</li> <li>➤ Continuous Court Control</li> <li>➤ Use of Technology at Pre –Trial stage, Trial Stage and Post Trial</li> </ul>
<b>01:15PM - 01:30PM</b>	<b>Audit of the Course by Participant Judges</b>
<b>01:30PM</b>	<b>Lunch &amp; Departure</b>

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