

PROGRAMME SCHEDULE
[Online Mode]
NATIONAL SEMINAR FOR PRINCIPAL DISTRICT AND SESSIONS JUDGES ON LEADERSHIP SKILLS (P-1256)
28th and 29th August, 2021

<p>DAY 1</p> <p>28th August, 2021</p> <p>(Saturday)</p>	<p>SESSION 1 10:00 AM – 11:30 AM</p> <p>Leadership Skills: Organizational Efficacy and Performance</p> <p><u>Speakers</u> Justice U.C. Dhyani Justice (Dr.) Shalini S. Phansalkar Joshi</p>	<p>B</p> <p>R</p> <p>E</p>	<p>SESSION 2 12:00 PM – 1:30 PM</p> <p>Developing Efficient Judicial System: Strategies to Achieve Organizational Goals</p> <p><u>Speakers</u> Justice Ram Mohan Reddy Justice U.C. Dhyani</p>
<p>DAY 2</p> <p>29th August, 2021</p> <p>(Sunday)</p>	<p>SESSION 3 10:00 AM – 11:30 AM</p> <p>Effective Management of Stakeholders in Justice Delivery System</p> <p><u>Speakers</u> Justice R.K. Gauba Justice Ved Prakash Sharma</p>	<p>A</p> <p>K</p>	<p>SESSION 4 12:00 PM – 1:30 PM</p> <p>Organizing the Docket for Effective Caseload Management</p> <p><u>Speakers</u> Justice S. G. Gokani Justice C.V. Karthikeyan</p>

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**National Workshop for High Court Justices [P-1257]
[4th & 5th September, 2021]**

Programme Schedule: Online Mode

Academic Coordinators: Mr. Rajesh Suman & Mr. Krishna Sisodia, Faculty, NJA

<p align="center">Day 1 4th September, 2021 (Saturday)</p>	<p align="center"><u>Session 1</u> 10:00 AM- 11:30 AM</p> <p align="center">Administration and Leadership Skills: Conferencing and Collegiality among Judges</p> <p align="center">Justice S. Ravindra Bhat Justice Sunil Ambwani</p>	<p align="center"><i>B</i></p> <p align="center"><i>R</i></p> <p align="center"><i>E</i></p>	<p align="center"><u>Session 2</u> 12:00 PM to 1:30 PM</p> <p align="center">Independence of Judiciary</p> <p align="center">Justice M.B. Lokur Mr. R. Venkataramani Mr. V. Sudhish Pai</p>
<p align="center">Day 2 5th September, 2021 (Sunday)</p>	<p align="center"><u>Session 3</u> 10:00 AM- 11:30 AM</p> <p align="center">Jurisprudence of Interpretation</p> <p align="center">Mr. N. Venkataraman Mr. R. Venkataramani Mr. C. Aryama Sundaram</p>	<p align="center"><i>A</i></p> <p align="center"><i>K</i></p>	<p align="center"><u>Session 4</u> 12:00 PM to 1:30 PM</p> <p align="center">Pragmatic Approaches in Decision Making</p> <p align="center">Justice S.K. Kaul Justice Akil Kureshi</p>

PROGRAMME SCHEDULE

WORKSHOP FOR HIGH COURT JUSTICES ON DIRECT TAXES (P-1258)

11TH – 12TH September, 2021

Program Coordinators: Mr. Rahul Sonawane & Ms. Ankita Pandey

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TIMING	SESSION(S)
Saturday	DAY-1: 11.09.2021
10:00 AM -11:30 AM	SESSION 1 History and Basic features of Tax Laws, Constitutional Provisions for Finance Bill and Treaties, Money Bills & Scheme of Income Tax Act, 1961 Speakers : Mr. N. Venkataraman & Mr. Porus Kaka Chair: Justice A. K. Sikri
11:30 AM - 12:00 NOON	Break
12:00 NOON - 01:30 PM	SESSION 2 International Tax Treaty Law and Double Tax Avoidance Agreements: An Overview Speakers : Mr. N. Venkataraman & Mr. Porus Kaka Chair : Justice A. K. Jayasankaran Nambiar
Sunday	DAY-2: 12.09.2021
10:00 AM - 11:30 AM	SESSION 3 Transfer Pricing: Basic Principles & Major Areas of Dispute Speakers : Mr. V. Lakshmikumaran & Mr. Sujit Ghosh Chair: Justice Vineet Kothari
11:30 AM – 12:00 NOON	Break
12:00 NOON – 01:30 PM	SESSION 4 Appellate and Writ Jurisdiction of High Courts: Jurisdiction and Limitations Speakers : Mr. S. Ganesh & Mr. Sujit Ghosh Chair: Justice Manmohan

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NATIONAL WORKSHOP FOR HIGH COURT JUSTICES ON THE REGIME OF GOODS AND SERVICES TAX (GST)

September 18-19, 2021 [P- 1259]

Programme Schedule (Online Mode)

<p>DAY 1</p> <p>18th Sep, 2021</p> <p>Saturday</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">SESSION 1 10:00 AM – 11:30 AM</p> <p style="text-align: center;">GST: Constitutional Perspectives</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Scope of Discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>The Constitutional Amendment</i> • <i>Discussions on the 101st Amendment and insights into Article 246A, 269A and 279A</i> • <i>GST: Emerging/ Evolving Constitutional Issues</i> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Speakers</u> Mr. N. Venkataraman Mr. Sujit Ghosh</p>	B R E A K	<p style="text-align: center;">SESSION 2 12:00 PM – 1:30 PM</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Concept of Supply: Mixed and Composite Supply</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Scope of Discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Discussions on the General Rules of Interpretation , an overview of Customs Tariff and, GST Schedules</i> • <i>Explaining the concept along with various examples of mixed/ composite supply</i> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Speakers</u> Mr. K. Vaitheeswaran Mr. Sujit Ghosh</p>
<p>DAY 2</p> <p>19th Sep, 2021</p> <p>Sunday</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">SESSION 3 10:00 AM – 11:30 AM</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Valuation, Time & Place of Supply</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Scope of Discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Section 15 of CGST Act & Valuation Rules</i> • <i>Concept of open market value, valuation in case of stock transfer, related parties</i> • <i>Forward & Reverse Charge</i> • <i>Relevance of time of supply and time of supply for goods/ services</i> • <i>Meaning of place of supply and determination of place of supply of goods/ services</i> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Speaker</u> Mr. V. Lakshmikumaran <u>Chair</u> Justice Vibhu Bakhru</p>		<p style="text-align: center;">SESSION 4 12:00 PM – 1:30 PM</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Input Tax Credit [ITC]</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Scope of Discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>ITC Fundamentals</i> • <i>Input Services</i> • <i>Capital Goods</i> • <i>Restrictions and Conditions</i> • <i>Refund of utilised credit</i> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Speaker</u> Mr. S. Ganesh <u>Chair</u> Justice Vibhu Bakhru</p>

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National Workshop for High Court Justices [P- 1260]

Programme Schedule: **Online Mode**

25 - 26 September, 2021

DAY/ TIMINGS	SESSIONS	Resource Persons
Saturday	Day-1: 25.09.2021	
10:00AM - 11:30AM 11:15AM – 11:30 AM (Discussion/Q&A)	<u>SESSION 1</u> Judiciary and Media: Need for Balance	<u>Speakers</u> Justice Gita Mittal Justice G. Raghuram
11:30AM - 12:00PM	Break	
12:00PM - 01:30PM 1:15PM – 1:30 PM (Discussion/Q&A)	<u>SESSION 2</u> Introduction of Artificial Intelligence in Judicial System	<u>Chair</u> Justice Nitin M. Jamdar <u>Speakers</u> Justice Suraj Govindaraj Prof. Partha P. Chakrabarti
Sunday	Day-2: 26.09.2021	
10:00AM - 11:30AM 11:15AM – 11:30 AM (Discussion/Q&A)	<u>SESSION 3</u> Role of High Courts in Reforms in Legal Education	<u>Chair</u> Justice G. Raghuram <u>Speaker</u> Prof. Dr. N.L. Mitra
11:30AM – 12:00PM	Break	
12:00PM - 1:30PM 1:15PM – 1:30 PM (Discussion/Q&A)	<u>SESSION 4</u> Inner Re-engineering for Attitudinal Changes & Bias	<u>Speakers</u> Justice Ram Mohan Reddy Dr. Harish Shetty
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Programme Schedule (P-1261)

03rd October, 2021 (Sunday)

**WORKSHOP FOR CHIEF JUSTICES OF HIGH COURTS ON
ICT ENABLEMENT OF INDIAN JUDICIARY THROUGH ECOURTS PROJECT &
WAY FORWARD**

INAUGURAL SESSION		
Timings	Themes	Panel
10.00 AM -11.30 AM	Inaugural of Workshop & Inaugural Address ICT growth of Indian Judiciary under e-Courts & Its way forward	Hon'ble Dr. Justice Dhananjaya Y. Chandrachud, Judge, Supreme Court of India and Chairperson of eCommittee
11.30 AM -12.00 PM	TEA BREAK	
SESSION -2		
12.00 PM - 01.00 PM	Role & Impact of High Court Computer Committees in eCourts Project & E-Courts-Technical Infrastructure through NIC <u>Proposed area of discussion-</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Role & Impact of the IT Committee in Creating & Progressing e-Eco System in Delhi High Court & Delhi District Courts.</i>• <i>Usage of CIS & NJDG for Court Administration</i>• <i>Institutional Structural reforms – Plans & Objectives</i>	Hon'ble Justice Rajiv Shakhder Hon'ble Justice Nitin Jamdar Hon'ble Justice A. Muhamed Mustaque

Academic Coordinators – Prof. S.P. Srivastava & Dr. Sonam Jain, Faculty, NJA

R.Arulmozhiselvi , Member (Human Resources), eCommittee, Supreme Court of India

Workshop for High Court Justices for Commercial Division and Commercial Appellate Division on Commercial Disputes [P-1262]

Programme Schedule: *Online Mode*

09th and 10th October, 2021

Academic Coordinators: Rahul Sonawane & Nitika Jain, Faculty, NJA

<p>Day 1</p> <p>9th October, 2021</p> <p>(Saturday)</p>	<p><u>SESSION 1 – 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM</u> (11:15AM – 11:30AM – Q&A/Discussion)</p> <p>Commercial Courts Act, 2015: Architecture and Challenges in the Area of E-Commerce</p> <p><u>Scope of Discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Context & nature of Commercial Disputes The Role of Commercial Division & Appellate division in handling of Complex Disputes <p><u>Speakers</u> Justice Senthilkumar Ramamoorthy Justice Rajeev Ranjan Prasad</p> <p><u>Chair:</u> Justice Siddharth Mridul</p>	<p>B R E A K</p>	<p><u>SESSION 2 – 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM</u> (1:15PM – 1:30PM – Q&A/Discussion)</p> <p>Distribution Licensing Agreements: Disputes & Resolution</p> <p><u>Scope of Discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Supply and Service Distribution Network Liability & Duties of intermediaries <p><u>Speakers</u> Mr. Anand Desai Mr. Tejas Karia</p> <p><u>Chair:</u> Justice Siddharth Mridul</p>
<p>Day 2</p> <p>10th October, 2021</p> <p>(Sunday)</p>	<p><u>SESSION 3 – 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM</u> (11:15AM – 11:30AM – Q&A/Discussion)</p> <p>Interpretation of Construction and Infrastructure Contracts</p> <p><u>Scope of Discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Public Private Partnership (PPP) Disputes under building & Development Contracts <p><u>Speakers</u> Mr. Mohit Saraf Mr. Somasekhar Sundaresan</p> <p><u>Chair:</u> Justice Prateek Jalan</p>		<p><u>SESSION 4 – 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM</u> (1:15PM – 1:30PM – Q&A/Discussion)</p> <p>Integrated System of Dispute Resolution: Commercial Courts, Arbitration & Mediation</p> <p><u>Scope of Discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Intellectual Property Rights: Infringement & Enforcement Commercial (Third Party) Funding Litigation The new Litigation Landscape: Procedural Innovations <p><u>Speakers</u> Justice Prathiba M. Singh Justice M. Sundar</p>

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**National Workshop for High Court Justices on Intellectual Property Rights (IPRs), (P-1263)
16-17 October 2021 (Saturday & Sunday – Online Mode)**

Programme Coordinators: Ms. Paiker Nasir and Mr. Prasidh Raj Singh, Faculty, NJA

Tentative Programme Schedule

DAY 1 October 16, 2021 (SATURDAY)	
Session/Time	Theme
Session 1 10:00 AM- 11:30 AM <u>(11:15 AM – 11:30 AM)</u> <i>Q & A, Open Discussion</i>	Contours of IP Legislations: The Overlaps <u>Scope of Discussion</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Overlap between Patents & Design• Design vis-à-vis Copyright debate• Overlap between Domain Name & Trademark• Relationship between Trademark Rights & Unfair Competition <u>Speakers</u> Justice Prathiba M. Singh Mr. Pushendra Rai
11:30 AM- 12:00 PM	BREAK
Session 2 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM <u>(01:15 PM – 1:30 PM)</u> <i>Q & A, Open Discussion</i>	Protection of Intellectual Property and Trade Secrets <u>Scope of Discussion</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The Paris Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property (Paris Convention)• Agreement on Trade-Related Aspects of Intellectual Property Rights (TRIPS Agreement).• IP rights on confidential information<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Not being generally known [or] readily ascertainable- Derives independent economic value- Efforts that are reasonable to maintain the secrecy <u>Speakers</u> Justice Sanjeev Sachdeva Mr. Pushendra Rai

DAY 2
October 17, 2021 (SUNDAY)

<p style="text-align: center;">Session 3 10:00 AM- 11:30 AM</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>(11:15 AM – 11:30 AM)</u> <i>Q & A, Open Discussion</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Essence of Time in IP Litigation: Judicial Approach</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Scope of Discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Issues relating to awarding Injunctions as primary relief• Impact of Commercial Courts Act , 2015 on IP Litigations• Case Management <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Speakers</u> Justice Prathiba M. Singh Justice Manmohan Singh Mr. Pravin Anand</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">11:30 AM- 12:00 Noon</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">BREAK</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Session 4 12:00 Noon - 1:30 PM</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>(01:15 PM – 1:30 PM)</u> <i>Q & A, Open Discussion</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Intellectual Property Rights in Digital Age: Avenues & Challenges</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Scope of Discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Artificial Intelligence: Navigating IP challenges• Emerging trends in IP Regime <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Speakers</u> Justice M. Sundar Mr. Pravin Anand</p>

National Workshop for High Court Justices [P-1264]

[23th & 24th October, 2021]

Programme Schedule

Day 1 23th October, 2021 (Saturday)	<u>Session 1</u> <u>10:00 AM- 11:30 AM</u>		<u>Session 2</u> <u>12:00 PM to 1:30 PM</u>
	<p>Impact on Litigation Post-Covid 19</p> <p><u>Proposed scope of discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Conducting virtual courtrooms and procedures• Challenges faced in managing pendency of matters and efficient utilization of limited resources• Judiciary's competencies and effectiveness and exploring innovation - hybrid model of courts• Embracing the 'new normal' – The way forward <p><u>Resource Person</u></p> <p>Justice A. Muhamed Mustaque Mr. Yadunath Bhargavan</p>	<p>B R E A K</p>	<p>Exercise of suo moto Power in Civil and Criminal Cases</p> <p><u>Proposed scope of discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Concept of Epistolary Jurisdiction read into Article 32 and 226 of the Constitution• Extraordinary intervention by the Court vis-à-vis Separation of Powers• Effect of exercise of suo motu powers on Indian social and political life• Recent interventions by the Supreme Court and High Courts amidst Covid-19 pandemic <p><u>Resource Person</u></p> <p>Justice C.K. Thakker Justice Akil Kureshi</p>

Day 2 24th October, 2021 (Sunday)	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Session 3</u> <u>10:00 AM- 11:30 AM</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Developments in Insolvency and Bankruptcy Laws</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Proposed scope of discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Changes brought about by the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code, 2016 • Article 14 of the Constitution vis-à-vis voting rights of the operational creditors in Committee of Creditors • Role of adjudicating authorities under Section 30(2) & 29A of the Code • Power of RBI and protection of corporate debtor <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Resource Person</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Mr. N. Venkataraman Mr. R. Venkatavaradan</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Session 4</u> <u>12:00 PM to 1:30 PM</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Land Reforms and Courts: Amendments to the Land Acquisition Act</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Proposed scope of discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • History of Land Reforms and Judiciary's Response to • Economic development vis-à-vis social redistribution • Recent amendments to the Land Acquisition Act • Scheme of Compensation <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Resource Person</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Dr. Justice B.S. Chauhan Mr. Gopal Sankaranarayanan</p>
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ORIENTATION COURSE FOR NEWLY ELEVATED HIGH COURT JUSTICES (P-1265)

30th & 31st October, 2021

Programme Schedule

<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Day 1</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">30th October, 2021</p> <p style="text-align: center;">(Saturday)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Session 1 <u>10:00 AM – 11:30 AM</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Jurisdictional Challenges and Limitations</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Proposed Scope of Discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Territorial Jurisdiction of High Courts – Cause of Action and Integral Acts/ Events - Appellate, Writ and Equity Jurisdiction - Jurisdictional Restraint <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Panel</u> Justice Manish Pitale Justice D.S Naidu</p>	B R E A K	<p style="text-align: center;">Session 2 <u>12:00 PM – 01:30 PM</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Concept of <i>locus standi</i> in Criminal Jurisprudence</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Proposed Scope of Discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>locus standi</i> of Victim in Criminal Proceedings - <i>locus standi</i> of Interested Parties - Continuance of Appeal by Legal Heirs <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Panel</u> Justice Mukta Gupta Justice Joymalya Bagchi Justice P.N. Prakash</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Day 2</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">31st October, 2021</p> <p style="text-align: center;">(Sunday)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Session 3 <u>10:00 AM – 11:30 AM</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Exercise of Judicial Discretion in Grant of Interim Orders</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Proposed Scope of Discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Life of an Interim Order - Assessing Feasibility in Grant of Interim Orders - Uniformity and Standardisation in Exercise of Discretion <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Panel</u> Justice S. Ravindra Bhat Justice Ashutosh Kumar Justice N. Anand Venkatesh</p>		<p style="text-align: center;">Session 4 <u>12:00 PM – 01:30 PM</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Criminal Law: Bail Jurisprudence</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Proposed Scope of Discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Balancing Personal Liberty with Societal Interest - Anticipatory, Default and Transit Bail - Consistency and Uniformity in Grant of Bail <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Panel</u> Justice Atul Sreedharan Justice G.R. Swaminathan Mr. Sidharth Luthra</p>

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PROGRAMME SCHEDULE
[Online Mode]
REFRESHER COURSE FOR ADDITIONAL DISTRICT AND SESSIONS JUDGES (P-1266)
30th and 31st October, 2021

<p>DAY 1</p> <p>30th October, 2021</p> <p>(Saturday)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">SESSION 1 10:00 AM – 11:30 AM Effective Handling of Interlocutory Applications</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Panel Justice Sunil Ambwani Justice Shalini Phansalkar Joshi</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">B R E</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">SESSION 2 12:00 PM – 1:30 PM Electronic Evidence: Protocols and Caution</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Panel Justice Sanjeev Sachdeva Mr Vakul Sharma</p>
<p>DAY 2</p> <p>31st October, 2021</p> <p>(Sunday)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">SESSION 3 10:00 AM – 11:30 AM Intricacies & Nuances of Law relating to Bail</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Panel Justice Subramonium Prasad Justice R. Basant</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">A K</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">SESSION 4 12:00 PM – 1:30 PM Sentencing Practices</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Panel Justice Ved Prakash Sharma Justice Shashi Kant Agarwal</p>

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PROGRAMME SCHEDULE
(ONLINE MODE)

NATIONAL CONVENTION FOR SENIOR HIGH COURT JUSTICES: STRENGTHENING FISCAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE PROTOCOLS IN HIGH COURTS [P. No. 1267]
6th and 7th November, 2021

<p style="text-align: center;">DAY 1 6th November , 2021 (Saturday)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">SESSION 1 10:00 AM – 11:30 AM</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Administrative Functions of the Chief Justice</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Intra-Court Operational Rigors: Developing SoPs • Preparing the Agenda and Managing Consensus at Meetings • Horizontal and Vertical Relation Management: Supreme Court, Other High Courts <p style="text-align: center;"><u><i>Proposed Speakers</i></u> Justice S. Ravindra Bhat Justice Sunil Ambwani</p>	B R E	<p style="text-align: center;">SESSION 2 12:00 PM – 1:30 PM</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Administrative Functions of the Chief Justice</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Collaboration with other branches - Union and State Executive: Budget, Infrastructure, Law & Order • Time Management: Balancing Judicial and Administrative functions <p style="text-align: center;"><u><i>Proposed Speakers</i></u> Justice Sanjay Kishan Kaul Justice Akil Kureshi</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">DAY 2 7th November , 2021 (Sunday)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">SESSION 3 10:00 AM – 11:30 AM</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Budget Preparation & Fiscal Management</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Centrally Sponsored Schemes (CSS): Origin, Practices, Challenges & Opportunities • Pre-budget planning: past utilization, current requirements, contingency; and estimates sector-wise. • Co-opting/Consulting Experts for Fiscal Planning and Budget Preparation <p style="text-align: center;"><u><i>Proposed Speakers:</i></u> Dr. K.P. Krishnan Dr. Subhash Chandra Garg <u><i>Chair</i></u> Justice Madan B. Lokur</p>	A K	<p style="text-align: center;">SESSION 4 12:00 PM – 1:30 PM</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Budget Preparation & Fiscal Management</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Designing action plan for utilization of fiscal resources • Effective Utilization of Grants and Other Financial Resources: Monitoring Expenditure • Quality Control in expenditure <p style="text-align: center;"><u><i>Proposed Speakers</i></u> Dr. K.P. Krishnan Dr. Subhash Chandra Garg <u><i>Chair</i></u> Justice Madan B. Lokur</p>

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National Workshop for Senior High Court Justices on Information Communication Technology in Courts [P- 1268]

November 13-14, 2021 (Online through Google meet)

Programme Schedule [Version dated: 11.11.2021]

<p>DAY 1 13th Nov, 2021 Saturday</p>	<p>SESSION 1 10:00 AM – 11:30 AM ICT in Courts: Overview & Contemporary Experiences</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Use of Courtroom Technology an Evolving Concept - National & International Experiences <p><i>Speakers</i> Justice A. Muhamed Mustaque Dr. Abeline Dorothea Reiling Mr. Robb Wilmot (FJC) Chair: Justice Madan B. Lokur</p>	<p>B R</p>	<p>SESSION 2 12:00 PM – 01:30 PM Use of ICT in Judicial Proceedings</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Legal Research & Data Retrieval - Video-Conferencing, Live Streaming & Recording - Appreciation of Evidence & Judgment Writing - Board Management & Case Grouping <p><i>Speakers</i> Justice Sanjeev Sachdeva Justice A. Muhamed Mustaque Chair: Justice Madan B. Lokur</p>
<p>DAY 2 14th Nov, 2021 Sunday</p>	<p>SESSION 3 10:00 AM – 11:30 AM ICT in Administration of Courts</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Paperless Courts & e-Filing: Effective use of e-Sewa Kendras, Electronic Process Serving & Electronic Payments etc. - Electronic Court & Case Management: Use of Tools for Verbatim Recording & Retrieval, OCR, Maintenance & Management of Records and Files in Digital Form - Technologies for Exchanges between Courts and Various Stakeholders: SUPACE, SUVAS, E-Court Services, NJDG Etc. <p><i>Speakers</i> Justice R. C. Chavan Mr. Ashish J. Shiradhonkar</p>	<p>E A K</p>	<p>SESSION 4 12:00 PM – 01:30 PM Future of Courtroom Technology</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - High Technology Courtrooms - Use of Artificial Intelligence in Advocacy and Judging Etc. <p><i>Speakers</i> Dr. Abeline Dorothea Reiling Mr. Robb Wilmot (FJC) Chair: Justice Dama Seshadri Naidu</p>

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NATIONAL WORKSHOP FOR HIGH COURT JUSTICES [P-1269]
(20th & 21st November 2021) - Online mode
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<p style="text-align: center;">Day 1</p> <p style="text-align: center;">20th November 2021</p> <p style="text-align: center;">(Saturday)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Session 1 <u>10:00 AM – 11:30 AM</u> 11:15AM – 11:30 AM (Discussion/Q&A)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Role of Judiciary in Protection of Environment and Wildlife</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Proposed Scope of Discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Protection of Environment as a Constitutional Mandate [Articles 21, 48A, 51(g) etc.] - Public Trust Doctrine [Article 21 & 39(b)] - Judicial Role as <i>Parens Patriae</i> to Protect the Environment & Wildlife - Significance of Judicial Activism in Protection of Environment & Wildlife - Innovative Approaches to Meet the Global Challenges <p style="text-align: center;">Panel <i>Justice A. K. Goel</i> <i>Prof. M.K. Ramesh</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">B</p> <p style="text-align: center;">R</p> <p style="text-align: center;">E</p> <p style="text-align: center;">A</p> <p style="text-align: center;">K</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Session 2 <u>12:00 PM – 01:30 PM</u> 1:15PM – 1:30 PM (Discussion/Q&A)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Social Context Judging and Public Interest Litigation</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Proposed Scope of Discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Critiques of Public Interest Litigation - Public Interest Litigation as Institutional Reform - Contours of PIL Jurisdiction - Public Interest Litigation in the Internet Age <p style="text-align: center;">Panel: <i>Justice Kurian Joseph</i> <i>Mr. V. Sudhish Pai</i></p>
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<p style="text-align: center;">Day 2</p> <p style="text-align: center;">21st</p> <p style="text-align: center;">November</p> <p style="text-align: center;">2021</p> <p style="text-align: center;">(Sunday)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Session 3</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>10:00 AM – 11:30 AM</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">11:15AM – 11:30 AM (Discussion/Q&A)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Litigation during Covid-19 Pandemic</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Proposed Scope of Discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Challenges faced in managing pendency of matters and efficient utilisation of limited resources: Major learnings - PIL as a tool for addressing pressing issues during pandemic - Nature of litigation contested & settlement of claims during pandemic with special reference to criminal cases, domestic violence and divorce - Judiciary's competencies, effectiveness and exploring innovation: Major achievements & the way forward. <p style="text-align: center;">Panel</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Justice Abhay Shreeniwas Oka</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Justice A. Muhamed Mustaque</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Session 4</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>12:00 PM – 01:30 PM</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">1:15PM – 1:30 PM (Discussion/Q&A)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">e-Judiciary: Challenges & Opportunities</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Proposed Scope of Discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Information & Communication Technology in Courts: Introduction & Background - Introduction of Artificial Intelligence in judicial system - Cyber Crime & Digital Evidences: Emerging trends & Jurisdictional Challenges - Safeguarding Judicial Institutions: Cyber security and Data Protection. <p style="text-align: center;">Panel</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Justice A. Muhamed Mustaque</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Justice Suraj Govindaraj</i></p>
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Orientation Course for Newly Elevated High Court Justices [P-1270]

Programme Schedule: *Online Mode*

27th & 28th November, 2021

Academic Coordinators: Rajesh Suman & Nitika Jain, Faculty, NJA

<p>Day 1</p> <p>27th November, 2021</p> <p>(Saturday)</p>	<p>SESSION 1 – 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM (11:15AM – 11:30AM – Q&A/Discussion)</p> <p>Writ Jurisdiction: Varieties and Scope</p> <p><i>Scope of Discussion</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Role of Judiciary vis. scope of Article 32 and 226 of the Constitution: Sentinel On Qui Vive • Application of writ jurisdiction in the dynamic and constantly changing social paradigms • Availability of alternate remedies: Whether bar to writ jurisdiction <p><u>Speakers</u> Justice C.K. Thakker Dr. V. Sudhish Pai</p>	<p>B R E A K</p>	<p>SESSION 2 – 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM (1:15PM – 1:30PM – Q&A/Discussion)</p> <p>Judicial Review of Legislative Action</p> <p><i>Scope of Discussion</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assessment of legislative competence and constitutional limitations • Disputes regarding allocation of legislative powers between the Centre & States • Institutional limitations of judiciary in reviewing the legislative action. • Procedural fairness and Due process <p><u>Speakers</u> Mr. Arvind P. Datar Mr. Krishnan Venugopal</p>
<p>Day 2</p> <p>28th November, 2021</p> <p>(Sunday)</p>	<p>SESSION 3 – 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM (11:15AM – 11:30AM – Q&A/Discussion)</p> <p>Judicial Review of Administrative Action</p> <p><i>Scope of Discussion</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grounds for Judicial review of Administrative action: Illegality, Irrationality, Procedural impropriety & proportionality • Adherence to reasonableness & constitutional values in administrative actions • Principles of judicial review & proportionality (Wednesbury principle) <p><u>Speakers</u> Justice Akil Kureshi Mr. C. Aryama Sundaram Mr. Chander Uday Singh</p>		<p>SESSION 4 – 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM (1:15PM – 1:30PM – Q&A/Discussion)</p> <p>Constitutional Remedies under the Criminal Justice System</p> <p><i>Scope of Discussion</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Constitutional remedies for wrongful convictions vis. Illegal detention, torture, wrongful confinement etc. • Ensuring legal aid to indigent persons • Expanding Horizon of Compromise in Criminal Cases with reference to Section 320 of the CrPC. <p><u>Speakers</u> Justice Joymalya Bagchi Justice P.N. Prakash Justice Ashutosh Kumar</p>

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Workshop on Cybercrime and Electronic Evidence for Additional District Judges [P-1271]

27th & 28th November, 2021

Mentor: Dr. Geeta Oberoi, Professor, NJA

Programme Schedule

<p>Day 1</p> <p>27th November, 2021</p> <p>(Saturday)</p>	<p><u>Session 1</u></p> <p><u>10:15 AM - 11:45 AM</u></p> <p>Cyber Crimes: Role of Courts</p> <p><u>Proposed scope of discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Emerging challenges, modus, motivations, threats and targets Domestic and international legal framework Liability of intermediaries Victimization in cybercrimes Use of social media in connection with offences related to national integrity and sedition <p><u>Panel</u></p> <p>Mr. Pavan Duggal Ms. N. S. Nappinai</p>	<p>B</p> <p>R</p> <p>E</p> <p>A</p> <p>K</p>	<p><u>Session 2</u></p> <p><u>12:15 PM - 1:45 PM</u></p> <p>Jurisdictional Issues in Adjudication of Cybercrimes</p> <p><u>Proposed scope of discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Determination of parties, place of commission and place of suing Challenges relating to extraterritorial evidence Contours of jurisdiction in IPR cases <p><u>Panel</u></p> <p>Mr. Sidharth Luthra Mr. Sajan Poovayya</p>
<p>Day 2</p> <p>28th November, 2021</p> <p>(Sunday)</p>	<p><u>Session 3</u></p> <p><u>10:15 AM - 11:45 AM</u></p> <p>Admissibility and Appreciation of Electronic Evidence</p> <p><u>Proposed scope of discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Relevancy, authenticity and admissibility of electronic records Digital forensics; search and seizure of electronic records Contours of Section 65-B in light of <i>Arjun Panditrao Khotkar vs Kailash Kushanrao Gorantyal</i> <p><u>Panel</u></p> <p>Justice Raja Vijayaraghavan V. Mr. Harold D' Costa</p>		<p><u>Session 4</u></p> <p><u>12:15 PM - 1:45 PM</u></p> <p>Safeguarding Judicial Institutions from Cyber-attacks</p> <p><u>Proposed scope of discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cybersecurity and data protection Preparedness and state of cybersecurity in courts Retrieval of data from internet service providers Devising mechanisms for further strengthening cyber security <p><u>Panel</u></p> <p>Justice A. Muhamed Mustaque Justice Suraj Govindaraj Dr. Debasis Nayak</p>

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NATIONAL WORKSHOP FOR HIGH COURT JUSTICES ON DIMENSIONS OF LAW GOVERNING MEDICAL PRACTITIONERS VIS-À-VIS MORALITY & ETHICS (P-1272)

**PROGRAMME SCHEDULE [Online Mode]
4th and 5th December, 2021**

<p align="center">DAY 1</p> <p align="center">4th December, 2021</p> <p align="center">(Saturday)</p>	<p align="center">SESSION 1 10:00 AM – 11:30 AM</p> <p align="center">Ethics, Morality and Medical Law: Interface and Interplay</p> <p align="center">Panel Justice K. Kannan Dr. Lalit Kapoor Prof. Robert I. Field</p>	<p align="center">B</p> <p align="center">R</p> <p align="center">E</p>	<p align="center">SESSION 2 12:00 PM – 1:30 PM</p> <p align="center">Medical Negligence and Malpractice : Contours of Liability</p> <p align="center">Panel Justice Subramonium Prasad Justice K. Kannan</p>
<p align="center">DAY 2</p> <p align="center">5th December, 2021</p> <p align="center">(Sunday)</p>	<p align="center">SESSION 3 10:00 AM – 11:30 AM</p> <p align="center">Transplantation of Human Organs and Tissues Act, 1994: Issues and Challenges</p> <p align="center">Panel Justice Chakradhari Sharan Singh Dr. Vasanthi Ramesh</p>	<p align="center">A</p> <p align="center">K</p>	<p align="center">SESSION 4 12:00 PM – 1:30 PM</p> <p align="center">Pandemic, Public Health and Medical Industry: Balancing the Scales</p> <p align="center">Panel Justice Vipin Sanghi Dr. Anant Bhan</p>

Academic coordinators: Mr. Rahul Sonawane, Research Fellow and Mr. Shashwat Gupta, Law Associate

National Workshop for High Court Justices [P-1273]

11th & 12th December, 2021

Programme Schedule

<p>Day 1</p> <p>11th December, 2021</p> <p>(Saturday)</p>	<p><u>Session 1</u> <u>10:15 AM- 11:45 AM</u></p> <p>Cyber Crimes: Role of Judiciary</p> <p><u>Proposed scope of discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Evolving concerns & challenges: national & international perspective • Use of social media in connection with offences related to national integrity and sedition • Liability of intermediaries • Victimization in cybercrimes <p><u>Speakers</u> Dr. Harold D'Costa Mr. Rushi Mehta</p> <p><u>Chair:</u> Justice A.K. Menon</p>	<p>B</p> <p>R</p> <p>E</p> <p>A</p> <p>K</p>	<p><u>Session 2</u> <u>12:15 PM - 1:45 PM</u></p> <p>Appreciation of Electronic Evidence</p> <p><u>Proposed scope of discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Relevancy, authenticity and admissibility of electronic records • Digital forensics vis-à-vis acquisition, authentication, analysis and documentation of data • Contours of Section 65-B in light of <i>Arjun Panditrao Khotkar vs Kailash Kushanrao Gorantyal</i> • Challenges relating to extraterritorial evidence <p><u>Speakers</u> Justice Sanjeev Sachdeva Dr. Debasis Nayak</p> <p><u>Chair:</u> Justice Kurian Joseph</p>
<p>Day 2</p> <p>12th December, 2021</p> <p>(Sunday)</p>	<p><u>Session 3</u> <u>10:15 AM- 11:45 AM</u></p> <p>Territoriality and Jurisdictional Issues in Cyber Crimes</p> <p><u>Proposed scope of discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Statutory framework • Cyber jurisdiction- national, transnational or international • Tests to determine jurisdiction • Contours of jurisdiction in IPR Cases <p><u>Speakers</u> Mr. Sajan Poovayya Prof. Ellen S. Podgor</p> <p><u>Chair:</u> Justice G.S Patel</p>		<p><u>Session 4</u> <u>12:15 PM - 1:45 PM</u></p> <p>Safeguarding Judicial Institutions from Cyber-attacks</p> <p><u>Proposed scope of discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cybersecurity and data protection • Cybersecurity in courts • Retrieval of data from internet service providers • Strategies to prevent & respond to cyber-attacks <p><u>Speakers</u> Mr. Pierluigi Perri Mr. Anand Venkatnarayanan</p> <p><u>Chair:</u> Justice A.M. Mustaque</p>

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National Workshop on Prohibition: Social and Legal Modalities [P-1274]

Tentative Programme Schedule

18th & 19th December, 2021

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<p>Day 1</p> <p>18th December, 2021</p> <p>(Saturday)</p>	<p><u>Session 1</u> 10:15 AM- 11:45 AM</p> <p>Jurisprudential Understanding on law of Prohibition vis-à-vis Constitutional Values and Ethos</p> <p><u>Proposed Scope of Discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Development of policies, plan and law relating to Prohibition - Directive Principle of State Policy - Article 47 - Doctrine of <i>Res Extra Commmercium</i> vis-à-vis Article 19 (1) (g) - Dilemma around ethics & rights <p><u>Resource Person</u> Justice S.C. Dharmadhikari Mr. Arvind P. Datar</p>	<p>B</p> <p>R</p> <p>E</p>	<p><u>Session 2</u> 12:15 PM to 1:45 PM</p> <p>Paradox of Entangled Governance: Need for Effective Judicial Scrutiny on Prohibition</p> <p><u>Proposed Scope of Discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Judicial scrutiny of Prohibition Laws - Applicability of Article 14 in granting license: Privilege licensing & Doctrine of Proportionality - Ex ante restrictions versus ex post reasonable restrictions <p><u>Resource Person</u> Justice S.C. Dharmadhikari Mr. N. Venkataraman</p>
<p>Day 2</p> <p>19th December, 2021</p> <p>(Sunday)</p>	<p><u>Session 3</u> 10:15 AM- 11:45 AM</p> <p>Rationalizing Revenue generation and Ways to Promote Health: An Equilibrium of Conflicting Interest</p> <p><u>Proposed Scope of Discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Case Law Jurisprudence - Finding ways to adhere to WTO Obligation - Challenges before courts in proceeding with such matters <p><u>Resource Person</u> Justice B.P. Dharmadhikari Dr. Subhash Chandra Garg Mr. Sujit Ghosh</p>	<p>A</p> <p>K</p>	<p><u>Session 4</u> 12:15 PM to 1:45 PM</p> <p>Impact of Unregulated Liquor Supply & Consumption on Health and Society: Pragmatic and Utilitarian Approach</p> <p><u>Proposed Scope of Discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Achieving the aim of mitigating disaster - Prohibition versus Regulation - Efforts to Regulate & Moderate consumption and supply through judicial intervention <p><u>Resource Person</u> Dr. N. Girish Dr. Monika Arora Chair: Justice B.P. Dharmadhikari</p>

**P-1275: NATIONAL WORKSHOP FOR HIGH COURT JUSTICES ON ARBITRATION
INCLUDING INTERNATIONAL ARBITRATION**

18-19 December 2021 (Saturday & Sunday – Online Mode)

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TENTATIVE PROGRAMME SCHEDULE

DAY 1 December 18, 2021 (Saturday)	
Session 1 10:00 AM- 11:30 AM <u>(11:15 AM – 11:30 AM)</u> <i>Q & A, Open Discussion</i>	<p>The Scheme of the Arbitration & Conciliation Act: Towards A Model Dispute Resolution Regime</p> <p><u>Scope of Discussion</u></p> <p>The Arbitration and Conciliation (Amendment) Act, 2021</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Sec. 36 of the Act has been extended to include-<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. <i>The arbitration agreement or contract which is the basis of the award; or</i>2. <i>The making of the award, was induced or effected by fraud or corruption</i>• Qualifications, experience and norms for accreditation of arbitrators.• Arbitration Council of India & its composition• Relaxation of time limits & completion of written submissions• Confidentiality of proceedings <p><u>Speakers</u> Dr. Birendra Saraf Mr. N. Venkataraman Chair: Justice Prateek Jalan</p>
11:30 AM- 12:00 Noon	BREAK
Session 2 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM <u>(01:15 PM – 1:30 PM)</u> <i>Q & A, Open Discussion</i>	<p>Jurisdictional Challenges: Balancing the role of the Court and Arbitral Tribunal</p> <p><u>Scope of Discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Arbitrators' jurisdiction to rule on their own jurisdiction (Arbitration-Tribunals vis-à-vis Jurisdiction as Preliminary Issue)• Interplay of powers between the court and arbitral tribunal• Independence of the arbitration agreement• Interplay between Sec.(s) 16 & 34 of the Arbitration Act• <i>Competence-competence</i> principle of arbitrability• Doctrine of Separability <p><u>Speakers</u> Justice Rajeev Ranjan Prasad Mr. Vikram Nankani</p>

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DAY 2 December 19, 2021 (Sunday)	
Session 3 10:00 AM- 11:30 AM <u>(11:15 AM – 11:30 AM)</u> <i>Q & A, Open Discussion</i>	Recognition & Enforcement of Arbitral Awards <u>Scope of Discussion</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Convention on the Recognition and Enforcement of Foreign Arbitral Award (New York, 1958)• Foreign judgments from non-reciprocating countries• Public policy and enforcement of international arbitration awards• Conditions & limitation period for enforcement of arbitral awards• Challenges in executing foreign arbitral awards in India• Miscellaneous and procedural aspects <u>Speakers</u> Justice M. Sundar Justice Senthilkumar Ramamoorthy Chair: Justice A. K. Sikri
11:30 AM- 12:00 Noon	BREAK
Session 4 12:00 Noon - 1:30 PM <u>(01:15 PM – 1:30 PM)</u> <i>Q & A, Open Discussion</i>	Current and Emerging trends in Domestic and International Arbitration <u>Scope of Discussion</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Emergency arbitration and enforceability• “Specific clause” expressly barring payment of interest• Orders on extension of limitation• Scope and ambit of third party funding• Time limit under Sec. 29A• Counter claim• Schedule of fees• Two-tier arbitration clause• Expert witnesses <u>Speakers</u> Justice Prathiba M. Singh Prof. Lawrence Boo

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PROGRAMME SCHEDULE [P. No. 1276]
WORKSHOP FOR HIGH COURT JUSTICES ON ICT ENABLEMENT OF INDIA JUDICIARY THROUGH E- COURTS PROJECT AND
THE EVOLVING CONCEPT OF ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE
8th & 9th January, 2022(ONLINE MODE)

<p style="text-align: center;">DAY 1 8th January, 2022 (Saturday)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">SESSION 1 10:00 AM – 11:30 AM</p> <p>ICT growth of Indian Judiciary under e-Courts & Its way forward</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Dr. Justice Dhananjaya Y. Chandrachud Justice Shri Atul Sreedharan</p>	B R E A K	<p style="text-align: center;">SESSION 2 12:00 Noon – 1:30 PM</p> <p>Artificial Intelligence & Judicial Governance</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Application of AI in Judicial Decision Making Process</i> • <i>Feasibility, Utility and Concerns</i> • <i>Accountability Issues</i> <p style="text-align: center;">Prof. (Dr.) Thomas Fuchs Chair: Justice Shri Atul Sreedharan</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">DAY 2 9th January, 2022 (Sunday)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">SESSION 3 10:00 AM – 11:30 AM</p> <p>Court & Case Management tool-National Judicial Data Grid (NJDG)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Public Access/Admin Access</i> • <i>Query Builder/Digital Inspection</i> <p>➤ Electronic Case Managements Tools</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Judges/Advocates/Litigants</i> • <i>Electronic Case Management tools for Commercial courts</i> <p style="text-align: center;">Justice Raja Vijayaraghavan V Justice Ram Mohan Reddy</p>		<p style="text-align: center;">SESSION 4 12:00 Noon – 1:30 PM</p> <p>Role & Impact of High Court Computer Committees in e-Courts Project & e-Courts -Technical Infrastructure through NIC</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Institutional Structural Reforms</i> • <i>Usage of CIS for Court Administration</i> <p style="text-align: center;">Justice A. Muhamed Mustaque Justice RC Chavan</p>

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NATIONAL SEMINAR FOR PRINCIPAL DISTRICT & SESSIONS JUDGES AND ADDITIONAL DISTRICT JUDGES ON PSYCHOSOCIAL ADJUSTMENTS AND STRESS MANAGEMENT (P-1277)

15th – 16th January 2022

Programme Schedule [Online Mode]

<div>Day 1</div> <div>15th January, 2022</div> <div>(Saturday)</div>	<div>SESSION 1 – 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM</div> <div>Personal and Professional Triggers for Stress in Judicial Officers</div> <div><div>Proposed Scope of Discussion</div><div><div><div>Bench and Occupational Stress</div><div>Attitudinal differences and Biases</div><div>Techniques for introspection</div><div>Interpersonal isolation: Withdrawal from society and community involvement</div></div></div><div><div>Chair: Dr. Justice Shalini Phansalkar Joshi</div><div>Speaker: Dr. Harish Shetty</div></div></div>	B R E A K	<div>SESSION 2 – 12:00 Noon - 1:30 PM</div> <div>Diverse Litigation: Stress due to Adverse or Demanding Circumstances</div> <div><div>Proposed Scope of Discussion</div><div><div><div>Sensitive Cases Involving Women & Children: Vicarious Trauma</div><div>High Profile Cases involving media pressure</div><div>Cases Involving Security Risks: mafia, gangster & terrorism cases</div><div>Understanding Litigants Behavior in Diverse Litigation</div></div></div><div><div>Chair : Justice K. Kannan</div><div>Speaker: Dr. Vidya Sathyanarayanan</div></div></div>
	<div>Day 2</div> <div>16th January, 2022</div> <div>(Sunday)</div>		<div>SESSION 3 – 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM</div> <div>Effects of Stress on Health, Performance & Personal Sphere</div> <div><div>Proposed Scope of Discussion</div><div><div><div>Nature of stress</div><div>Impact on personal & professional sphere viz. health issues</div><div>Unwanted thoughts and emotional reactions</div></div></div><div><div>Chair: Justice Ved Prakash Sharma</div><div>Speaker: Dr. Aruna Broota</div></div></div>

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REFRESHER COURSE FOR FAMILY COURT JUDGES (P-1278)

22nd & 23rd January, 2022

Programme Schedule

<p><u>Day 1</u></p> <p>22nd January, 2022</p> <p>(Saturday)</p>	<p>Session 1 <u>10:00 AM – 11:30 AM</u></p> <p>Understanding Family Disputes: A Psycho-Social Approach</p> <p><u>Proposed Scope of Discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Understanding litigant behaviour in diverse litigation - Finding underlying causes of discord - Gender justice and gender bias: maintaining equilibrium <p>Justice Roshan Dalvi Dr. Harish Shetty</p>	<p>B</p> <p>R</p>	<p>Session 2 <u>12:00 PM – 01:30 PM</u></p> <p>Role of Judges in Divorce, Maintenance, Custody and Guardianship Proceedings</p> <p><u>Proposed Scope of Discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Balancing individual rights and institution of marriage - Determination of best interest of child - Visitation rights <p>Justice S. Vimala Dr. Aruna Broota</p>
<p><u>Day 2</u></p> <p>23rd January, 2022</p> <p>(Sunday)</p>	<p>Session 3 <u>10:00 AM – 11:30 AM</u></p> <p>Tools and Techniques for Effective Resolution of Family Disputes</p> <p><u>Proposed Scope of Discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Cultivating appropriate judicial persona for dispute resolution - Communication skills, couple therapy and group therapy as effective tools <p>Justice S.G. Gokani Dr. Harish Shetty</p>	<p>E</p> <p>A</p> <p>K</p>	<p>Session 4 <u>12:00 PM – 01:30 PM</u></p> <p>Counselling, Conciliation & Mediation in Resolving Family Disputes—Relevance and Importance</p> <p><u>Proposed Scope of Discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Suitable courtroom environment to foster amicable settlement - ADR methods in family disputes: Role of judge - Judge as a counsellor <p>Justice Anu Malhotra Mr. Aman Hingorani</p>

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**NATIONAL SEMINAR FOR PRINCIPAL DISTRICT AND SESSIONS JUDGES ON ICT REFORMS FOR EFFECTIVE
ADMINISTRATION OF COURTS (P-1279)**

**PROGRAMME SCHEDULE [Online Mode]
29th and 30th January, 2022**

<p align="center">DAY 1</p> <p align="center">29th January, 2022</p> <p align="center">(Saturday)</p>	<p align="center">SESSION 1 10:30 AM – 12:00 Noon</p> <p align="center">10.30 A.M.-11.30 A.M. Integration of ICT in Indian Judiciary : An Overview</p> <p align="center">11.30 A.M.- 12.00 Noon Paperless Courts and Hybrid Hearings: Challenges and Solutions</p> <p align="center">Panel Justice R.C. Chavan Justice Talwant Singh</p>	<p align="center">B</p> <p align="center">R</p> <p align="center">E</p>	<p align="center">SESSION 2 12:30 PM – 2:00 PM</p> <p align="center">Application of ICT in Court Administration and Judicial Proceedings: Indian and International Perspective</p> <p align="center">Panel Justice R.C. Chavan Dr. Dory Reiling</p>
<p align="center">DAY 2</p> <p align="center">30th January, 2022</p> <p align="center">(Sunday)</p>	<p align="center">SESSION 3 10:30 AM – 12:00 Noon</p> <p align="center">Safeguarding Institutional Integrity from Cyber Attacks: Diagnosis, Prognosis & Panacea</p> <p align="center">Panel Justice A.M. Mustaque Mr. Anand Venkatnarayanan</p>	<p align="center">A</p> <p align="center">K</p>	<p align="center">SESSION 4 12:30 PM – 2:00 PM</p> <p align="center">Expansion of ICT enablement- Artificial Intelligence, Online Dispute Resolution and Virtual Courts</p> <p align="center">Panel Justice Suraj Govindaraj Mr. Francesco Contini Dr. Rajeev Sangal</p>

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NATIONAL JUDICIAL ACADEMY

NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON LAW OF CONTEMPT (P-1280) (Online Conference through Zoom Meeting)

January 29, 2022

Programme Schedule

Academic Co-ordinators: Mr. Rajesh Suman & Mr. Rahul I. Sonawane, Faculty, NJA

January 29, 2022 (Saturday)		
Session/Time	Theme	Speakers
Session 1 10:15 AM- 11:45 AM	Contempt of Courts: Jurisprudential Origins to the Modern Day Law of Contempt <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Power to Punish for Contempt: Rationale & Origins- The Contempt of Courts Act, 1971 with Relevant case-law jurisprudence- Contempt of Courts vis-à-vis Freedom of Speech and Expression- Contempt vs Fair Criticism	<u>Speakers</u> Justice B.S. Chauhan Mr. R. Venkataramani
11:45 AM- 12:15 PM	Break	
Session 2 12:15 PM- 01:45 PM	Facets of Contempt of Courts: Civil Contempt & Criminal Contempt <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Elements of Civil & Criminal Contempt- Contempt on the Face of Record and Scandalizing the Court- Procedure to be followed in cases of Civil and Criminal Contempt- Sentencing in Contempt cases- Relevant case-law jurisprudence	<u>Speakers</u> Justice B.S. Chauhan Mr. Rakesh Dwivedi
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National Workshop for High Court Justices [P- 1281]

Programme Schedule: Online Mode

5th & 6th February, 2022

<p style="text-align: center;">DAY 1</p> <p style="text-align: center;">5th February, 2022</p> <p style="text-align: center;">(Saturday)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">SESSION 1</p> <p style="text-align: center;">10:00 AM – 11:30 AM</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Judiciary and Media: Need for Balance</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Speakers</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Justice Gita Mittal Mr. R. Venkataramani</p>	B R E A K	<p style="text-align: center;">SESSION 2</p> <p style="text-align: center;">12:00 Noon – 1:30 PM</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Introduction of Artificial Intelligence in Judicial System</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Speakers</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Justice Sanjeev Sachdeva Justice Raja Vijayaraghavan V.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">DAY 2</p> <p style="text-align: center;">6th February, 2022</p> <p style="text-align: center;">(Sunday)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">SESSION 3</p> <p style="text-align: center;">10:00 AM – 11:30 AM</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Role of High Courts in Reforms in Legal Education</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Speakers</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Justice N. Anand Venkatesh Prof. Dr. N. L. Mitra</p>		<p style="text-align: center;">SESSION 4</p> <p style="text-align: center;">12:00 Noon – 1:30 PM</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Inner Re-engineering for Attitudinal Changes & Biases</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Speaker</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Justice Ram Mohan Reddy Dr. Harish Shetty</p>

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National Workshop for High Court Justices on the Regime of Goods and Services Tax (GST)
12th & 13th February, 2022 [P- 1282]
Programme Schedule (Online Mode)

<p>DAY 1</p> <p>12th Feb, 2022</p> <p>Saturday</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>SESSION 1</u> 10:00 AM – 11:30 AM</p> <p style="text-align: center;">GST: Constitutional Perspectives <u>Proposed Scope of Discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Deliberations on the 101st Amendment and insights into Article 246A, 269A and 279A</i> • <i>Harmonized national market vis-à-vis cooperative federalism.</i> • <i>GST: Evolving Constitutional issues</i> • <i>Doctrine of judicial deference and occupied field</i> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Speakers</u> Mr. N. Venkataraman Mr. Sujit Ghosh <u>Chair:</u> Justice Manmohan</p>	B R E A K	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>SESSION 2</u> 12:00 PM – 1:30 PM</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Concept of Supply: Mixed and Composite Supply <u>Proposed Scope of Discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Discussion on the Canons of Interpretation, an overview of Customs Tariff and GST Schedules</i> • <i>Explaining the concept along with various examples of mixed/ composite supply</i> • <i>Model of composite supply in relation to “two or more taxable supplies”</i> • <i>Concept of Principal supply, Predominant element, Deemed supply and Incidental & Ancillary supply</i> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Panel</u> Justice A.K. Jayasankaran Nambiar Mr. S. Ganesh</p>
<p>DAY 2</p> <p>13th Feb, 2022</p> <p>Sunday</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>SESSION 3</u> 10:00 AM – 11:30 AM</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Valuation, Time & Place of Supply <u>Proposed Scope of Discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Section 15 of CGST Act & Valuation Rules</i> • <i>Concept of open market value, valuation in case of stock transfer, related parties</i> • <i>Forward & Reverse Charge</i> • <i>Relevance of time of supply and time of supply for goods/services</i> • <i>Meaning & determination of place of supply of goods/services</i> • <i>Significance of “point of supply”</i> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Panel</u> Mr. V. Lakshmikumar Mr. K. Vaitheeswaran</p>	E A K	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>SESSION 4</u> 12:00 PM – 1:30 PM</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Input Tax Credit <u>Proposed Scope of Discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Fundamentals</i> • <i>Input Services</i> • <i>Capital Goods</i> • <i>Restrictions and Conditions</i> • <i>Refund of utilised credit</i> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Panel</u> Justice Mohammed Shaffiq Mr. N. Venkataraman Mr. Sujit Ghosh</p>

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**WORKSHOP FOR PRINCIPAL DISTRICT & SESSIONS JUDGES ON ADJUDICATING
TERRORISM CASES (P-1283)
19th & 20th February 2022
Program Schedule**

SESSION	THEME	RESOURCE PERSONS
19TH FEBRUARY 2022 (SATURDAY)		
SESSION 1 10:00 AM – 10:30 AM	Laws Relating to Terrorism Cases ❖ Important facets of Indian law (substantive and procedural), concerning terrorism related cases. ❖ Differences between ordinary criminal laws (substantive and procedure) and laws specifically governing terrorism and terrorism-related cases; peculiarities and significance of the latter. <u>10:30 AM – 10:45 AM</u> Discussion/Q&A	Justice N. Kotiswar Singh
SESSION 2 10:45 AM – 11:15 AM	Framing Charges and Unique Features of Terrorism Trial ❖ Framing appropriate charges and ensuring adequate defense for the defendant in terrorist trial. ❖ Discussion on charging provisions in the UAPA Act, as well as the burden of proof under the Indian Evidence Act, 1872 & special burden requirements under terrorism laws. <u>11:15 AM – 11:30 AM</u> Discussion/Q&A	Justice P.N. Prakash
11:30 AM – 12:00 PM	Break	
SESSION 3 12:00 PM – 12:30 PM	Case Management in Terrorism Cases & Offences Against National Security ❖ Methods of effective case management including judicial leadership, mastery of the record and law by the judge, the ability to setup a pre-trial conference quickly and adequately. ❖ Use of a continuous trial, witness management, and the use of courtroom technology for improved organization. <u>12:30 PM – 12:45 PM</u> Discussion/Q&A	Justice G.S. Kulkarni
SESSION 4 12:45 PM -1:15 PM	Fair Trial ❖ Concepts and mechanisms enabling a judge to ensure fair trial in spite of inherent difficulties in a terrorism trial. ❖ Ensuring a speedy trial, open v. in-camera courtrooms, and subconscious bias. <u>1:15 PM – 1:30 PM</u> Discussion/Q&A	Justice Sanjeev Kumar

20TH FEBRUARY 2022 (SUNDAY)

SESSION 5 10:00 AM – 10:30 AM	Evidence, Mutual Legal Assistance Treaty (MLAT) and Extradition <ul style="list-style-type: none">❖ Introduction to the complex process of assessing evidence in terrorism cases.❖ The MLAT process, how to access evidence from foreign sources, and impact of confidentiality.❖ Procedures and steps to acquire relevant evidence from international sources. <u>10:30 AM – 10:45 AM</u> Discussion/Q&A	Justice Atul Sreedharan
SESSION 6 10:45 AM – 11:15 AM	Digital Evidence <ul style="list-style-type: none">❖ Collection, preservation, chain of custody of digital evidence.❖ Insight into valuable skills for trial judges when tasked with assessing relevance and admissibility.❖ Case law Jurisprudence on admissibility of electronic evidence. <u>11:15 AM – 11:30 AM</u> Discussion/Q&A	Justice Raja Vijaya Raghavan V.
11:30 AM – 12:00 PM	Break	
SESSION 7 12:00 PM – 12:30 PM	Judicial and Courtroom Security <ul style="list-style-type: none">❖ Importance of providing security to all stakeholders in the justice delivery system.❖ Role of judge as a facilitator in preparation & implementation of security plan, including witness protection measures, continuous monitoring and supervision of execution of security plan throughout trial. <u>12:30 PM – 12:45 PM</u> Discussion/Q&A	Justice Joymalya Bagchi
SESSION 8 12:45 PM -1:15 PM	Managing Media in Adjudicating Terrorism Cases <ul style="list-style-type: none">❖ Difficulty in managing media attention in a high-profile terrorism case.❖ Timely access to accurate information of court proceedings to enhance transparency and public confidence.❖ Strategies to regulate conduct of the proceedings, maintain decorum, prevent distraction, and ensure safety of courthouse personnel. <u>1:15 PM – 1:30 PM</u> Discussion/Q&A	Justice S. Talapatra

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REFRESHER COURSE FOR ADDITIONAL DISTRICT AND SESSIONS JUDGES (P-1284) [Online Mode]

19th and 20th February, 2022

PROGRAMME SCHEDULE

<p align="center">DAY 1</p> <p align="center">19th February, 2022</p> <p align="center">(Saturday)</p>	<p align="center">SESSION 1 10:15 AM – 11:45 AM</p> <p align="center">Fair Session Trial <i><u>Proposed scope of discussion</u></i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Principles of Natural justice • Fundamentals of Expeditious Trial • Principles of Examination and Cross Examinations <p align="center"><i><u>Speakers</u></i> Justice R. Basant Justice Shalini S. P. Joshi</p>	<p align="center">B</p> <p align="center">R</p> <p align="center">E</p>	<p align="center">SESSION 2 12:15 PM – 1:45 PM</p> <p align="center">Electronic Evidence: Protocols and Caution <i><u>Proposed scope of discussion</u></i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Relevancy, authenticity and admissibility of electronic records • Digital forensics; search and seizure of electronic records • Contours of Section 65-B in light of <i>Arjun Panditrao Khotkar v. Kailash Kushanrao Gorantyal</i> <p align="center"><i><u>Speakers</u></i> Justice Raja Vijayaraghavan V. Dr. Debasis Nayak</p>
<p align="center">DAY 1</p> <p align="center">20th February, 2022</p> <p align="center">(Sunday)</p>	<p align="center">SESSION 3 10:15 AM – 11:45 AM</p> <p align="center">Intricacies & Nuances of Law relating to Bail <i><u>Proposed scope of discussion</u></i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Balancing Personal Liberty with Societal Interest • Anticipatory, Default and Transit Bail • Consistency and Uniformity in Grant of Bail <p align="center"><i><u>Speakers</u></i> Justice R. Basant Mr. Sidharth Luthra</p>	<p align="center">A</p> <p align="center">K</p>	<p align="center">SESSION 4 12:15 PM – 1:45 PM</p> <p align="center">Challenges in Implementation of ADR System <i><u>Proposed scope of discussion</u></i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ADR, Mediation and Section 89 of CPC • Understanding conflict, their bases and groundings: Strategies and Technique • Reducing differences between parties: Judge as a Counsellor • Tools for effective Mediation <p align="center"><i><u>Speakers</u></i> Justice Roshan Dalvi Dr. Sudhir Kumar Jain</p>

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ORIENTATION COURSE FOR NEWLY ELEVATED HIGH COURT JUSTICES [P-1285]

26th & 27th February 2022 [Online Mode]

Tentative Programme Schedule

Academic Coordinators: Rajesh Suman & Nitika Jain, Faculty, NJA

Day 1 26th February, 2022 (Saturday)	SESSION 1 – 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM <i>(11:15AM – 11:30AM – Q&A/Discussion)</i>	B R E A K	SESSION 2 – 12:00 Noon - 1:30 PM <i>(1:15PM – 1:30PM – Q&A/Discussion)</i>
	Precedents: Navigating through Precedential Conflicts <u><i>Proposed Scope of Discussion</i></u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Application of Precedents: Concept of <i>Stare Decisis</i>, <i>Ratio Decidendi</i>, <i>Obiter Dicta</i> & <i>Per Incuriam</i> • Reference to Larger Bench vis. Conflict between benches • Exceptions to binding Precedents <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Speakers</u> Mr. M.S. Ganesh Mr. Sujit Ghosh</p>		Bench and the Bar: Operative Norms for Optimising Justice Delivery <u><i>Proposed Scope of Discussion</i></u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bar and Bench: Coordination and Communication Skills • Asymmetric or sub-optimal assistance at the Bar: The Judicial Role & Best Practices • Emerging issues pertaining to personal and official relations between Bench and Bar • Impact of Covid-19 Pandemic on Litigation <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Speakers</u> Justice N. Seshasayee Mr. AK Sriram</p>
Day 2	SESSION 3 – 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM <i>(11:15AM – 11:30AM – Q&A/Discussion)</i>		SESSION 4 – 12:00 Noon - 1:30 PM <i>(1:15PM – 1:30PM – Q&A/Discussion)</i>
27th February, 2022 (Sunday)	Art of Judgment Writing: Judicial Modesty & Moderation <u><i>Proposed Scope of Discussion</i></u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Concurring & Dissenting: Judgment, Purpose, Length, Style & Structure • Command of Language: Identifying Essential Elements of Good Judgement Writing • Judicial Reasoning and gender Sensitive Matters • Styles of Judicial Reasoning: The Process of Decision Making <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Speakers</u> Justice Sunil Ambwani Mr. Ramakrishnan Viraraghavan</p>		Supervisory Power of High Courts: Role of Guardian Judge(s) <u><i>Proposed Scope of Discussion</i></u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Standardization of Roles & Responsibilities of Guardian Judges • Challenges faced by Guardian Judges • Effective Inspection of Courts: An Assessment • Persona of a Guardian Judge: Demeanour, Behaviour, etc. <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Speakers</u> Justice B.S. Chauhan Justice Roshan S. Dalvi Justice R.V. Easwar</p>

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National Workshop for High Court Justices [P-1286] [Online Mode]

[05th & 06th March, 2022]

Programme Schedule

DAY 1 05th March, 2022 (Saturday)		
Session/Time	Theme	Resource Persons
Session 1 10:00 AM- 11:30 AM	Impact on Litigation during Covid 19 <u>Scope of discussion</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hybrid Model of Courts : Experiences And Effectiveness Access to Justice & Virtual Hearings Managing Pendency : Challenges Ahead Embracing the ‘New Normal’ : Way Forward 11:15 AM – 11:30 AM Q & A / Open Discussion	Justice A.S. Oka Justice P. N. Prakash
11:30 AM- 12:00 PM	BREAK	
Session 2 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM	Exercise of <i>suo moto</i> Power in Civil and Criminal Cases <u>Scope of discussion</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Concept of Epistolary Jurisdiction : Significance of Articles 32 and 226 of the Constitution of India Extraordinary Judicial Interventions <i>vis-à-vis</i> Separation of Powers Exercise of <i>suo moto</i> powers : Socio- legal implications Recent interventions by the Supreme Court and High Courts amidst Covid-19 pandemic 1:15 PM – 1:30 PM Q & A / Open Discussion	Dr. Justice B. S. Chauhan Mr. Sidharth Luthra
DAY 2 06th March, 2022 (Sunday)		
Session 3 10:00 AM- 11:30 AM	Developments in Insolvency and Bankruptcy Laws <u>Scope of discussion</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Salient Features of the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code, 2016 Recent Developments Article 14 of the Constitution <i>vis-à-vis</i> voting rights of the operational creditors in Committee of Creditors 	Mr. N. Venkataraman Mr. R. Venkatavaradan

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Role of adjudicating authorities under Section 30(2) & 29A of the Code • Power of RBI and protection of corporate debtor <p><u>11:15 AM – 11:30 AM</u> Q & A / Open Discussion</p>	
11:30 AM- 12:00 PM	BREAK	
<p>Session 4 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM</p>	<p>Land Reforms and Courts: Amendments to the Land Acquisition Law</p> <p><u>Scope of discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Land Reforms and Judicial Response • Economic development <i>vis-à-vis</i> social redistribution • Recent amendments to the Land Acquisition Act • Challenges in Compensation, Re-settlement & Rehabilitation <p><u>1:15 PM – 1:30 PM</u> Q & A / Open Discussion</p>	<p>Dr. Justice B.S. Chauhan Justice N. Seshasayee</p>

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DEVELOPMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL LAW BY SUPREME COURT & HIGH COURTS [P-1287]

5th - 6th March, 2022 [Online Mode]

Programme Coordinators: Prasadh Raj Singh & Shashwat Gupta, Faculty, NJA

Day 1 5th March 2022 (Saturday)	10:15 AM - 11:45 AM Session-1	B R E A K	12:15 PM - 1:45 PM Session-2
	<p style="text-align: center;">Constitutional Interpretations: Reflections on Transformation, Continuities & Constitution's Silences</p> <p><u>Proposed Scope of Discussion:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Conservative and Transformative Constitution • Textualism, Originalism, Doctrinalism and Structuralism • Transformation of Society and State • Doctrine of Purposive Interpretation • Role of a Judge in Transformative Constitutionalism <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Resource Persons:</u> Mr. Gopal Subramaniam Mr. C. Aryama Sundaram</p>		<p style="text-align: center;">Progressive Development of Constitutional Morality: Adhering the Innate Voice of Constitutional Norms & Ethos</p> <p><u>Proposed Scope of Discussion:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Evolution & Contours of Constitutional Morality • Doctrine of Non-Retrogression & Manifest Arbitrariness • Judicial Approaches to Constitutional Morality • Judicial Innovation vis-à-vis Constitutional Trust <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Resource Persons:</u> Mr. C. S. Vaidyanathan Mr. Shekhar Naphade</p>
Day 2 6th March 2022 (Sunday)	10:15 AM - 11:45 AM Session-3	B R E A K	12:15 PM - 1:45 PM Session-4
	<p style="text-align: center;">Affirmative Action, Equal Opportunity & Diversity: The Court's Adoption and Jurisprudential Evolution of Affirmative Action</p> <p><u>Proposed Scope of Discussion:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Constitutional Understanding of Reservations • Concept of "Creamy Layer" • Substantive Equality under Article 16(1) • Affirmative Action: "Power Coupled with Duty" • Quantifiable Data Showing Backwardness of the Class and Inadequacy of Representation • SEBC & 102nd Constitutional Amendment <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Resource Persons:</u> Mr. Shyam Divan Mr. Gopal Sankarnarayanan Chair: Justice Ravindra Bhat</p>		<p style="text-align: center;">Judicial Review, Activism and Overreach: Evolving Jurisprudence through Judicial Pronouncements by the Supreme Court & High Courts</p> <p><u>Proposed Scope of Discussion:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Judicial Review: Scope and Limits • Judicial Review of Legislative Actions/Process • Power of "Suo moto" Cognizance • Strengthening Rule of Law <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Resource Persons:</u> Mr. K. V. Vishwanathan Mr. Sujit Ghosh Chair: Justice R. C. Lahoti</p>

National Workshop for High Court Justices for Commercial Division and Commercial Appellate Division on Commercial Disputes [P-1288]

12th and 13th March, 2022

Programme Schedule (03.03.2022): *Online Mode*

<p>Day 1</p> <p>12th March, 2022</p> <p>(Saturday)</p>	<p><u>SESSION 1 – 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM</u> (11:15AM – 11:30AM – Q&A/Discussion)</p> <p>Commercial Courts Act, 2015: Architecture and Challenges in the Area of E-Commerce</p> <p><u>Proposed Scope of Discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Context & Nature of Commercial Disputes The Role of Commercial Division & Appellate Division in Handling of Complex Disputes <p>Speakers: <i>Justice Senthilkumar Ramamoorthy & Dr. Birendra Saraf</i></p>	<p>B</p> <p>R</p> <p>E</p>	<p><u>SESSION 2 – 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM</u> (1:15PM – 1:30PM – Q&A/Discussion)</p> <p>Distribution Licensing Agreements: Disputes & Resolution</p> <p><u>Proposed Scope of Discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Supply and Service Distribution Network Liability & Duties of Intermediaries <p>Speakers: <i>Mr. Sujit Ghosh & Mr. Tejas Karia</i></p>
<p>Day 2</p> <p>13th March, 2022</p> <p>(Sunday)</p>	<p><u>SESSION 3 – 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM</u> (11:15AM – 11:30AM – Q&A/Discussion)</p> <p>Interpretation of Construction and Infrastructure Contracts</p> <p><u>Proposed Scope of Discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Public Private Partnership (PPP) Disputes under Building & Development Contracts <p>Speakers: <i>Mr. Mohit Saraf & Mr. Somasekhar Sundaresan</i></p> <p>Chair: <i>Justice Sanjeev Narula</i></p>	<p>A</p> <p>K</p>	<p><u>SESSION 4 – 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM</u> (1:15PM – 1:30PM – Q&A/Discussion)</p> <p>Integrated System of Dispute Resolution: Commercial Courts, Arbitration & Mediation</p> <p><u>Proposed Scope of Discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Intellectual Property Rights: Infringement & Enforcement Commercial (Third Party) Funding Litigation The New Litigation Landscape: Procedural Innovations <p>Speakers: <i>Justice M. Sundar & Justice Prathiba M. Singh</i></p>

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NATIONAL WORKSHOP FOR HIGH COURT JUSTICES (P-1289)

(Online Conference through Google Meet)

March 26-27, 2022

Programme Schedule

Academic Co-ordinators: Dr. Amit Mehrotra & Mr. Rahul I. Sonawane, Faculty, NJA

DAY – 1: March 26, 2022 (Saturday)		
Session/Time	Theme	Speakers
Session 1 10:00 AM-11:30 AM	Administration and Leadership Skills: Conferencing and Collegiality among Judges <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Core Administrative & Leadership skills- Objectivity & Reasonableness in exercise of Administrative Power- Powers of High Courts under Art. 227 & 235 of the Constitution	Justice Sanjay Kishan Kaul & Justice Akil Kureshi
11:30 AM-12:00 NOON	Break	
Session 2 12:00 NOON-01:30 PM	Independence of Judiciary <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Basic Elements of Independence of Judiciary- Judicial Accountability vs Judicial Independence	Justice Akil Kureshi & Mr. Salman Khurshid
DAY – 2: March 27, 2022 (Sunday)		
Session 3 10:00 AM-11:30 AM	Jurisprudence of Interpretation <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Fundamental Principles of Interpretation- Literal, Strict, Harmonious, beneficial & Contextual Interpretation- Mischief Rule vs Golden Rule	Prof. V. K. Dixit & Mr. C. Aryama Sundaram
11:30 AM-12:00 NOON	Break	
Session 4 12:00 NOON-01:30 PM	Pragmatic Approaches in Decision Making <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Traditional vs Pragmatic approach- Systemic consequences of decision- Theories of Judicial Decision Making: Formalism, Attitudinal & Pragmatism	Justice R. V. Raveendran & Justice N. Kotiswar Singh
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NATIONAL WORKSHOP FOR HIGH COURT JUSTICES (P-1290)
PROGRAMME SCHEDULE [Online Mode]
2nd and 3rd April, 2022

DAY 1 2nd April, 2022 (Saturday)	SESSION 1 10:00 AM – 11:30 A.M. Role of Judiciary in Protection of Environment and Wildlife Proposed Scope of Discussion - Protection of Environment as a Constitutional Mandate - Public Trust Doctrine - Judicial Role as <i>Parens Patriae</i> in Protection of Environment & Wildlife - Significance of Judicial Activism in Protection of Environment & Wildlife Panel Justice A.K. Goel Mr. Shyam Divan Prof. M.K.Ramesh	B R E A K	SESSION 2 12:00 PM – 1:30 PM Social Context Judging and Public Interest Litigation Proposed Scope of Discussion - Contours of PIL Jurisdiction - Public Interest Litigation as Institutional Reform - Critique of Public Interest Litigation -Sieving Frivolous Public Interest Litigations- A Quantum Challenge Panel Justice G. Raghuram Mr. M.V. Durga Prasad
	DAY 2 3rd April, 2022 (Sunday)	SESSION 3 10:00 AM – 11:30 A.M. Litigation during Covid-19 Pandemic Proposed Scope of Discussion - Challenges faced in managing pendency of matters and efficient utilisation of resources: Important Learnings - Spectrum of Challenges faced by the High Courts: Sharing of best practices by the participants - Analysing competency, effectiveness and innovations of the Judiciary: Major achievements Panel Justice A. Muhamed Mustaque Justice Atul Sreedharan	SESSION 4 12:00 PM – 1:30 PM e-Judiciary: Challenges & Opportunities Proposed Scope of Discussion - Information & Communication Technology in Courts: An Overview - Introduction of Artificial Intelligence in Judicial System - Hybrid Courts: Potentials and Challenges Panel Justice Sunil Ambwani Justice R.C Chavan

Academic coordinators: Mr. Sumit Bhattacharaya, Research Fellow and Mr. Shashwat Gupta, Law Associate

National Workshop for Senior High Court Justices on Information Communication Technology in Courts [P- 1291] (Online)
9th & 10th April 2022
Programme Schedule

<p>Day 1 9th April 2022</p> <p>Saturday</p>	<p align="center">SESSION 1 10:15 AM – 11:45 AM (IST)</p> <p align="center">Information Communication Technology in Courts: Introduction and Background</p> <p align="center"><u><i>Scope of Discussion</i></u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Interface of Indian Courts with Technology through E-Courts Project under Various Phases • Role of High Court Justices in High Court Computer Committee under E-Courts project • Contemporary International and National Experiences in Integrating Technology in Courts <p align="center"><u><i>Speakers</i></u></p> <p align="center">Justice Sunil Ambwani Justice A. Muhamed Mustaque Dr. Abeline Dorothea Reiling</p>	<p align="center">B R E A K</p>	<p align="center">SESSION 2 12:15 PM – 01:45 PM (IST)</p> <p align="center">Paperless Courts and E-Filing</p> <p align="center"><u><i>Scope of Discussion</i></u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Automation in Filing Process and Methods of Improving Registry • Effective use of E-Seva Kendras in the High Courts • Electronic Process Serving and Electronic Payment Options • Tools for Verbatim Recording and Access to Transcript • Document Imaging with Optical Character Recognition (OCR) • Record Maintenance and Management of Paper Files • Sharing of Best Practices in the Implementation of E-Filing System in Different High Courts • Mobile Video-Conferencing Facilities for the Benefit of Advocates and Litigants in Remote Areas <p align="center"><u><i>Speakers</i></u></p> <p align="center">Justice R.C. Chavan Justice Ram Mohan Reddy Justice Raja Vijayaraghavan V.</p>
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National Workshop for Senior High Court Justices on Information Communication Technology in Courts [P- 1291] (Online)

9th & 10th April 2022

Programme Schedule

DAY 2 10th April 2022 Sunday	SESSION 3 10:15 AM – 11:45 AM (IST) Court & Case Management Through ICT <u><i>Scope of Discussion</i></u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Technological Means to Improve Functioning of Courts and Ensuring Better Case Management.• Effective Use of the Case Information System and the National Judicial Data Grid• Live Streaming of Court Proceedings• Using Technology for Reducing Adjournments• Streamlining of Docket <u><i>Speakers</i></u> Justice R. C. Chavan Justice Raja Vijayaraghavan V. Mr. Ashish J. Shiradhonkar		SESSION 4 12:15 PM – 01:45 PM (IST) Artificial Intelligence in Courts <u><i>Scope of Discussion</i></u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ways to Adopt Artificial Intelligence to Improve Functioning of Courts• Use of Artificial Intelligence in Court Processes• Identifying and Avoiding Frivolous Cases Through Artificial Intelligence• Supreme Court Portal for Assistance in Court's Efficiency (SUPACE) & Supreme Court Vidhik Anuvaad Software (SUVAS) Guided by the Artificial Intelligence <u><i>Speakers</i></u> Justice Suraj Govindaraj Dr. Abeline Dorothea Reiling

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NATIONAL CONVENTION FOR SENIOR HIGH COURT JUSTICES: STRENGTHENING FISCAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE PROTOCOLS IN HIGH COURTS [P. No. 1292]

9th & 10th April, 2022

PROGRAM SCHEDULE (ONLINE)

<p>DAY 1</p> <p>9th April, 2022</p> <p>(Saturday)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">SESSION 1</p> <p style="text-align: center;">10:00 AM – 11:30 AM</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Administrative functions of the Chief Justice</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Intra-Court Operational Rigors: Developing SoPs • Preparing the Agenda and Managing Consensus at Meetings • Horizontal and Vertical Relation Management: Supreme Court, Other High Courts <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Speakers</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Justice Dinesh Maheshwari Justice Kalpesh Satyendra Jhaveri</p>	<p>B</p> <p>R</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">SESSION 2</p> <p style="text-align: center;">12:00 PM – 1:30 PM</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Administrative functions of the Chief Justice</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Collaboration with other branches - Union and State Executive: Budget, Infrastructure, Law & Order • Time Management: Balancing Judicial and Administrative functions <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Speakers</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Justice Sanjay Kishan Kaul Justice Akil Kureshi</p>
<p>DAY 2</p> <p>10th April, 2022</p> <p>(Sunday)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">SESSION 3</p> <p style="text-align: center;">10:00 AM – 11:30 AM</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Budget Preparation & Fiscal Management</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Centrally Sponsored Schemes (CSS): Origin, Practices, Challenges & Opportunities • Pre-budget planning: past utilization, current requirements, contingency; and estimates sector-wise. • Co-opting/Consulting Experts for Fiscal Planning and Budget Preparation <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Speakers</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Dr. Subhash Chandra Garg Mr. Akhilesh Jha</p>	<p>E</p> <p>A</p> <p>K</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">SESSION 4</p> <p style="text-align: center;">12:00 PM – 1:30 PM</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Budget Preparation & Fiscal Management</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Designing action plan for utilization of fiscal resources • Effective Utilization of Grants and Other Financial Resources: Monitoring Expenditure • Quality Control in expenditure <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Speakers</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Dr. Subhash Chandra Garg Mr. Akhilesh Jha</p>

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REFRESHER COURSE FOR COMMERCIAL COURT JUDGES [P-1293]

(16th & 17th April 2022)

Program Schedule (Online)

<p>Day 1</p> <p>16th April 2022 (Saturday)</p>	<p><u>SESSION 1: 10:00 AM – 11:30 AM</u> 11:15AM – 11:30 AM (Discussion/Q&A)</p> <p>Commercial Courts: The Policy Framework and Operative Challenges</p> <p>Proposed Scope of Discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Impact on CPC, 1908 - Impact on the executing stakeholders - Impact of the recent amendment - Interaction with other parallel redressal systems viz. Consumer Courts; RERA etc. - Mandatory compliances under the Act: Processes & Timelines - Impact on judges; existing courts (case load & docket explosion) <p>Speakers: <i>Justice Senthilkumar Ramamoorthy</i> <i>Mr. Mohit Saraf</i></p>	<p>B R E A K</p>	<p><u>SESSION 2: 12:00 PM – 01:30 PM</u> 1:15PM – 1:30 PM (Discussion/Q&A)</p> <p>Commercial Courts <i>vis-à-vis</i> Arbitration & Interpretation of Contracts under the Act</p> <p>Proposed Scope of Discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Impact on Cross border dispute resolution: Party autonomy for choice of forum; lex situs - Impact on Infrastructure and Construction Contracts - Impact of newly amended Section 20 of Specific Relief Act, 1963 (w.r.t 2018 Amendment) - New York Convention on the Enforcement of Foreign Arbitral Awards, 1958 - Issues of costs and lack of sanctions during the arbitral process <p>Speakers: <i>Justice M. Sundar</i> <i>Mr. Tejas Karia</i></p>
<p>Day 2</p> <p>17th April 2022 (Sunday)</p>	<p><u>SESSION 3: 10:00 AM – 11:30 AM</u> 11:15AM – 11:30 AM (Discussion/Q&A)</p> <p>Joint Venture Agreements: Definition, Disputes & Resolution</p> <p>Proposed Scope of Discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Purpose for establishing a Joint Venture - Forms of JVs - Documentation in a JV - Regulatory and Sectoral issues - Role and Contribution of JV Partners - Important Nuances of a JV transactions <p>Speakers: <i>Justice Rajeev Ranjan Prasad</i> <i>Mr. Lalit Kumar</i></p>	<p>A K</p>	<p><u>SESSION 4: 12:00 PM – 01:30 PM</u> 1:15PM – 1:30 PM (Discussion/Q&A)</p> <p>IPR Disputes Under Commercial Courts</p> <p>Proposed Scope of Discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Choice of jurisdiction by Parties: Original or Pecuniary - Culture of “Interim Relief”: scope & impact assessment - Procedural rigors and timeline compliance - Impact of pre-trial mediation & scope of arbitration - Transfer of suits u/s 7 of Comm. Courts Act. <p>Speakers: <i>Justice C.V. Karthikeyan</i> <i>Mr. Somasekhar Sunderasan</i></p>

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National Workshop for High Court Justices on Arbitration including International Arbitration (P-1294)

16th & 17th April 2022 [Online Mode]

Programme Coordinators: Ms. Nitika Jain and Mr. Krishna Sisodia, Faculty, NJA

Tentative Programme Schedule

Session & Timings	DAY 1 16 th April, 2022 (Saturday)	Proposed RPs
SESSION 1 9:45 AM- 11:15 AM (11:00 AM – 11:15 AM) <i>Q & A, Open Discussion</i>	The Scheme of the Arbitration & Conciliation Act: Towards A Model Dispute Resolution Regime <u>Proposed Scope of Discussion</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Arbitration and Conciliation (Amendment) Act, 2019 & 2021 • Institutional Arbitration • Limiting Judicial Intervention • Arbitration Council of India & its composition • Relaxation of time limits & completion of written submissions – timely conduct of proceedings • Landmark Judgments after 2015, 2019 & 2021 Amendments 	<u>Speaker</u> Dr. Birendra Saraf <u>Chair</u> Justice R.V. Raveendran
11:15 AM- 11:45 AM	BREAK	
SESSION 2 11:45 PM - 1:15 PM (01:00 PM – 1:15 PM) <i>Q & A, Open Discussion</i>	Jurisdictional Challenges: Balancing the role of the Court and Arbitral Tribunal <u>Proposed Scope of Discussion</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Arbitrators' jurisdiction to rule on their own jurisdiction (Arbitration- Tribunals vis-à-vis Jurisdiction as Preliminary Issue) • Interplay of powers between the court and arbitral tribunal • Independence of the arbitration agreement • Interplay between Sec.(s) 16 & 34 of the Arbitration Act • Doctrine of <i>Kompetenz-kompetenz</i> 	<u>Speaker</u> Mr. Atul Sharma <u>Chair</u> Justice K.S. Jhaveri

Session & Timings	DAY 2 17th April, 2022 (Sunday)	Proposed RPs
SESSION 3 9:45 AM- 11:15 AM (11:00 AM – 11:15 AM) <i>Q & A, Open Discussion</i>	Recognition & Enforcement of Arbitral Awards <u>Proposed Scope of Discussion</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Convention on the Recognition and Enforcement of Foreign Arbitral Award (New York, 1958) • Public policy and enforcement of international arbitration awards • Conditions & limitation period for enforcement of arbitral awards • Grounds for challenging an award under Part I & II • Foreign judgments from non-reciprocating countries 	<u>Speaker</u> Justice M. Sundar
11:15 AM- 11:45 AM	BREAK	
SESSION 4 11:45 PM - 1:15 PM (01:00 PM – 1:15 PM) <i>Q & A, Open Discussion</i>	Current and Emerging Trends in Domestic and International Arbitration <u>Proposed Scope of Discussion</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • International Arbitration – present status, opportunities and challenges • Emergency arbitration and enforceability • “Specific clause” expressly barring payment of interest • Third-party funding • Orders on extension of limitation • Time limit under Sec. 29A • Counterclaim • Schedule of fees • Expert witnesses 	<u>Speakers</u> Dr. Matthew Secomb Mr. Tejas Karia

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National Workshop for High Court Justices [P-1295] [Online Mode]

23rd & 24th April, 2022

Programme Schedule

<p style="text-align: center;">Day 1</p> <p style="text-align: center;">23rd April, 2022</p> <p style="text-align: center;">(Saturday)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Session 1</u> <u>10:00 AM- 11:30 AM</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Cyber Crimes: Role of Judiciary</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Proposed scope of discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Evolving concerns & challenges: national & international perspective • Use of social media in connection with offences related to national integrity and sedition • Liability of intermediaries • Victimization in cybercrimes <p style="text-align: center;">Speakers Justice Talwant Singh Dr. Harold D'Costa</p>	B R E A	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Session 2</u> <u>12:00 PM - 1:30 PM</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Appreciation of Electronic Evidence</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Proposed scope of discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Relevancy, authenticity and admissibility of electronic records • Digital forensics <i>vis-à-vis</i> acquisition, authentication, analysis and documentation of data • Contours of Section 65-B in light of <i>Arjun Panditrao Khotkar v. Kailash Kushanrao Gorantyal</i> • Challenges relating to extraterritorial evidence <p style="text-align: center;">Speakers Justice A. Muhamed Mustaque Mr. Debasis Nayak</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Day 2</p> <p style="text-align: center;">24th April, 2022</p> <p style="text-align: center;">(Sunday)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Session 3</u> <u>10:00 AM- 11:30 AM</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Territoriality and Jurisdictional Issues in Cyber Crimes</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Proposed scope of discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Statutory framework • Cyber jurisdiction- national, transnational or international • Tests to determine jurisdiction • Contours of jurisdiction in IPR Cases <p style="text-align: center;">Speakers Justice N. Kotiswar Singh Justice Talwant Singh Mr. Debasis Nayak</p>	K	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Session 4</u> <u>12:00 PM - 1:30 PM</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Safeguarding Judicial Institutions from Cyber-attacks</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Proposed scope of discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cybersecurity and data protection • Cybersecurity in courts • Retrieval of data from internet service providers • Strategies to prevent & respond to cyber-attacks <p style="text-align: center;">Speakers Justice A. Muhamed Mustaque Justice Suraj Govindaraj Mr. Anand Venkatnarayanan</p>

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ORIENTATION COURSE FOR NEWLY ELEVATED HIGH COURT JUSTICES: [P- 1296]

PROGRAMME SCHEDULE (Online Conference through Google Meet)

30th April & 1st May 2022

<p>DAY 1</p> <p>30th April 2022</p> <p>(Saturday)</p>	<p><u>SESSION 1 - 10:00 AM – 11:30 AM</u> (11:15 AM – 11:30 AM – Q&A/Discussion)</p> <p>Independent and Impartial Judiciary: A Prerequisite to Constitutional Democracy and Rule of Law</p> <p><u>Proposed scope of Discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Constitutional Provisions and Practice • Judicial Self-Governance: Promoting both Institutional and Individual Independence • Doctrine of Separation of Power • Judicial Appointments and Transfers • Judiciary: Independence and Appearance of Independence <p>Speakers: Justice Akil Kureshi Mr. C.S. Vaidyanathan</p>	<p>B</p> <p>R</p> <p>E</p>	<p><u>SESSION 2 - 12:00 PM – 1:30 PM</u> (1:15 PM – 1:30 PM – Q&A/Discussion)</p> <p>Judiciary and Media: Need for Balance</p> <p><u>Proposed scope of Discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Media Trial vis-à-vis Judicial Ethics • Media intervention in <i>sub-judice</i> matters: Restriction against the publication of court proceedings • Media Watchdog of Sanctity of Judicial Process • Impact of Media Reporting on Administration of Justice • Open Courts: Freedom of Media to Report Court Proceedings • Freedom of Press vis-à-vis Contempt of Court <p>Speakers: Justice Gita Mittal Justice G. Raghuram</p>
<p>DAY 2</p> <p>1st May 2022</p> <p>(Sunday)</p>	<p><u>SESSION 3 -10:00 AM – 11:30 AM</u> (11:15 AM – 11:30 AM – Q&A/Discussion)</p> <p>Inherent Power, Suo Moto Powers and Powers of Judicial Review</p> <p><u>Proposed scope of Discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Scope of intervention during investigation including <i>De novo</i> Investigation • Cancellation of Bail and Quashing of FIR/Charge sheet by High Court • Prevent abuse of the process and secure the ends of Justice • Scope of High Court's Powers to pass interim orders • Exercise of <i>Suo moto</i> powers: Socio-legal implications • Judicial Review of Legislative Actions/Process <p>Speakers: Dr. Justice B.S. Chauhan Mr. Shekhar Naphade</p>	<p>A</p> <p>K</p>	<p><u>SESSION 4 -12:00 PM – 1:30 PM</u> (1:15 PM – 1:30 PM – Q&A/Discussion)</p> <p>Challenges and Nuances of Second Appeal and Substantial Question of Law</p> <p><u>Proposed scope of Discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Satisfaction of the High Court vis-à-vis Substantial Question of Law on General Importance • Substantial Question of Law: reconsideration, alteration, modification, or clarification of a legal provision • Judicial Analysis of Substantial Question of Law: Resolution of conflicting viewpoints • Second Appeal: Bar on Jurisdiction to entertain the question of fact • Formation of Substantial Question of Law to reverse the decision of the First Appellate Court <p>Speakers: Justice P. K. Balasubramanyan Mr. M.S. Krishnan</p>

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Refresher Course on Prevention of Money Laundering Act, 2002 [P-1297]

7th & 8th May, 2022

Programme Schedule

<p>Day 1</p> <p>7th May, 2022</p> <p>(Saturday)</p>	<p><u>Session 1</u></p> <p><u>10:00 AM - 11:30 AM</u></p> <p>Money Laundering: Concept and Modalities</p> <p><u>Proposed scope of discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Money Laundering as an Economic Offence • Ambit of term 'offence' under the PMLA, 2002 • International & National Responses to tackle Money Laundering • Cross border Money Laundering • Fugitive Economic Offenders Act, 2018 <p><u>Panel</u></p> <p>Mr. Amit Desai</p> <p>Dr. Menaka Guruswamy</p> <p><u>Chair:</u> Justice Manmohan Singh</p>	<p>B</p> <p>R</p> <p>E</p>	<p><u>Session 2</u></p> <p><u>12:00 PM - 1:30 PM</u></p> <p>Nuances and Intricacies of Bail</p> <p><u>Proposed scope of discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bail under Section 45 of the PMLA, 2002 • Constitutional validity of twin bail conditions post 2018 amendment to the PMLA, 2002 • Anticipatory bail in Money Laundering Cases • Case Law Jurisprudence <p><u>Panel</u></p> <p>Justice Ashutosh Kumar</p> <p>Mr. Vikram Chaudhri</p>
<p>Day 2</p> <p>8th May, 2022</p> <p>(Sunday)</p>	<p><u>Session 3</u></p> <p><u>10:00 AM - 11:30 AM</u></p> <p>Burden of Proof and Appreciation of Evidence</p> <p><u>Proposed scope of discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Burden of Proof under section 24 of the PMLA, 2002 • Admissibility of statements recorded by officers of Enforcement Directorate under Section 50 vis-à-vis right against self incrimination • Presumptions & Reverse Burden <p><u>Panel</u></p> <p>Justice P.N. Prakash</p> <p>Dr. Jyoti Dogra Sood</p>	<p>A</p> <p>K</p>	<p><u>Session 4</u></p> <p><u>12:00 PM - 1:30 PM</u></p> <p>Search, Seizure, Attachment and Disposal of Property</p> <p><u>Proposed scope of discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Powers of Functionaries and Procedural Safeguards relating to search, seizure and freezing • Freezing of bank accounts • Provisional attachment of property • Receipt, Management and Disposal of Confiscated Property • Judicial interpretation of the power to seize assets <p><u>Panel</u></p> <p>Justice Joymalya Bagchi</p> <p>Justice Ashutosh Kumar</p>

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Agenda for P-1298
Training of Trainers for Faculty of SJAs
03.04.2022
Pre- Calendar Meeting
03.00 PM - 06.00 PM

Introduction by Director NJA	03.00 PM
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Presentation by SJAs	03.15 PM
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Concluding Remarks of Director NJA	
At the conclusion approx. by	05.30 PM

TRAINING PROGRAM FOR BANGLADESH JUDGES AND JUDICIAL OFFICERS - (SE-01)

27th to 30th September, 2021

Program Schedule

DAY	TIMING	SESSION	Proposed Theme	Resource Persons
27th September 2021 (Monday)				
DAY 1 Constitutional Bedrock & the Evolution of the Indian Judicial System	10:00AM -11:30AM	SESSION 1	Overview and Architecture of Indian Constitutional Arrangement Proposed Scope of Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Overarching Values of the Constitution as enshrined in the Preamble ● Basic Structure of the Constitution ● Constitution as a Social Contract ● Indian Judiciary in the Constitutional Arrangement- Role & Responsibility ● Constitutional Vision of Justice 	Dr. Justice B. S. Chauhan Dr. Balram K Gupta
	11:30AM - 12:00PM	Break		
	12:00PM - 01:30PM	SESSION 2	Landmark Judgments: Celebrating Decadal Masterpieces Proposed Scope of Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Important Contributions of the Constitutional Courts in the Last Decade ● Changing Gears- Building on the Constitutional Edifice through Judgments (Including Judgments on Privacy, NOTA, Aadhaar, Section 377 IPC, NJAC, decriminalization of politics etc.) 	Justice Dama Seshadri Naidu Prof. D. S. Ukey
	1:30PM - 02:30PM	Lunch		
	2:30 PM – 4:00 PM	SESSION 3	Indian Judiciary and Tryst with Novelty: Aligning with Global Standards by Raising the Bar Proposed Scope of Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Legislative Innovations to Address Present Day Challenges <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Commercial Courts Act, 2015 ○ Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code, 2016 ○ Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act, 2012 ○ Family Courts ● Novel Approaches & Best Practices <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Striking a Balance between Adversarial & Inquisitorial Approaches ○ Enabling Access to Justice through Lok Adalats, Legal Services Authorities, Gram Nyayalayas ○ Public Interest Litigation 	Justice Ram Mohan Reddy Prof. BT Kaul Mr. Somasekhar Sundaresan

28th September 2021 (Tuesday)

DAY 2 Being A Judge: Judicial Qualities, Attitudes & Skills	10:00AM -11:30AM	SESSION 4	Elements of Judicial Behaviour: Ethics, Neutrality and Professionalism Proposed Scope of Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Being a Judge in a Democracy <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Professionalism ○ Contest between the institutional requirement of judicial sobriety and the transition to openness owing to media attention ○ Anchoring judicial function in the principle of neutrality • Oscillatory Choices Between Adversarial & Inquisitorial Dichotomy • Ethical Conundrums in Judicial Sphere & Possible Solutions 	Justice G. Raghuram Justice Ved Prakash Sharma
	11:30AM – 12:00PM	Break		
	12:00PM - 1:30PM	SESSION 5	Judging Skills: Art, Craft and Science of Drafting Judgments Proposed Scope of Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Judgments as the Voice of the Court (as the Main Deliverable) • Significance of Reasoning in Judgments & Orders • Sensitivity in Judgments <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Gender Sensitivity in Judgments & Orders <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Language - Eliminating Bias, Stereotypes & Prejudices - Restorative Justice Measures ○ Appropriate approach in cases involving Vulnerable/ Disadvantaged Groups 	Justice G. Raghuram Justice Sunil Ambwani
	1:30PM - 02:30PM	Lunch		
	2:30 PM – 4:00 PM	SESSION 6	Judge as the Master of the Court: Court & Case Management Proposed Scope of Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bottlenecks in Judicial Administration • Best Practices for Effective Disposal of Cases • Courtroom Management – Challenges & Possible Solutions • Role of a Judge in Streamlining Court & Case Management 	Justice Deepak Gupta Justice Sunil Ambwani

29th September 2021 (Wednesday)

DAY 3 Responding to the Modernization & Contemporary Needs: The Changing Contours of the Indian Judiciary	10:00AM -1130AM	SESSION 7	Alternative Dispute Resolution Proposed Scope of Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ADR as a tool to conserve judicial resources & to ensure speedy justice • ADR Mechanisms under Section 89 Civil Procedure Code, 1908 • Referral of Cases for Settlement - <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Suitable Cases ○ Procedure for Referral ○ Appropriate Stage for Referral ○ Recognition of Outcome by Court 	Justice A.K. Sikri Mr. Brian Speers Mr. R. Santhana Krishnan
	11:30AM - 12:00PM	Break		
	12:00PM - 1:30PM	SESSION 8	Re-engineering Judicial Processes through ICT Proposed Scope of Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • e-Judiciary – The Indian Experience • Striking a balance between Transparency & Confidentiality- The Indian e-Judiciary Account • e-Judiciary & Data Protection – Vulnerability Assessment of Judicial Institutions 	Mr. Atul Kaushik Dr. Harold D’Costa
	1:30PM - 02:30PM	Lunch		
	2:30 PM – 4:00 PM	SESSION 9	Electronic Evidence: New Horizons, Collection, Preservation and Appreciation Proposed Scope of Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Settling, Resettling & Unsettling: Evolutionary Process of the Law on Electronic Evidence • Evolving Nature of Electronic Evidence • Challenges in Collection & Preservation of Electronic Evidence 	Mr. Vakul Sharma Mr. Debashis Nayak

30th September 2021 (Thursday)

DAY 4 Embracing the Changing Dimensions of Novel Social Contract: An Anabolic Response by the Indian Judiciary	10:00AM -11:30AM	SESSION 10	Transition to a Gender Just Society : Jurisprudential Developments Proposed Scope of Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Major Legislations on Gender based Issues • Notable Judgments on Gender based Issues (Including Shayara Bano, Joseph Shine, Indian Young Lawyers Association, Suchita Srivastava, Laxmi v. UOI, Aparna Bhat, Patan Jamal Vali, judgments on 498A IPC etc.) 	Dr. Justice Shalini S. Phansalkar Joshi Prof. VK Dixit
	11:30AM – 12:00PM	Break		
	12:00PM - 1:30PM	SESSION 11	Child-centric Jurisprudence in India Proposed Scope of Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Notable legislations on Child Rights & Child Welfare • Recent developments in law • Notable Judgments 	Justice Gita Mittal Dr. Justice S. Vimala
	1:30PM - 02:30PM	Lunch		
	2:30 PM – 4:00 PM	SESSION 12	Principles of Evidence: Appreciation in Civil and Criminal Cases Proposed Scope of Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Evidentiary Standards • Adaptation in Evidentiary Standards to meet Present Challenges <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Evidentiary Standards in POCSO Cases ○ Appreciation of Evidence in Sexual Offences ○ Evidentiary Standards in IT Law • Reverse Burden of Proof <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ POCSO Act ○ NDPS Act ○ PMLA 	Justice S. Nagamuthu Justice K. C. Bhanu
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Programme Schedule- SE-02
Training Programme for Maldives Judicial Officers
04 - 07 October, 2021

Time mentioned in the Sessions is Indian Standard Time (IST)

DAY 1 04th October, 2021 Monday	<u>SESSION 1</u> 10:00 AM – 11:30 AM Indian Judiciary: Organizational Structure, Jurisdiction and Approaches <u>Speakers</u> Justice S.C. Dharmadhikari Justice Rajiv Sahai Endlaw	B R E A K	<u>SESSION 2</u> 12:00 PM – 01:30 PM Goals, Role and Mission of Courts: Constitutional Vision of Justice <u>Speakers</u> Justice S.C. Dharmadhikari Justice Rajiv Sahai Endlaw	B R E A K	<u>SESSION 3</u> 2:30 PM – 4:00 PM Elements of Judicial Behaviour: Ethics, Neutrality and Professionalism <u>Speakers</u> Justice B.S. Chauhan Justice K. Kannan
	<u>SESSION 4</u> 10:00 AM – 11:30 AM Judging Skills : Art, Craft and Science of Drafting Judgments <u>Speakers</u> Justice Sunil Ambwani Justice Shalini P. Joshi		<u>SESSION 5</u> 12:00 PM – 01:30 PM Judge the Master of the Court : Court Management & Case Management <u>Speakers</u> Justice R.C. Chavan Justice Roshan S. Dalvi		<u>SESSION 6</u> 2:30 PM – 4:00 PM ICT and E-Judiciary: Indian Perspective <u>Speakers</u> Justice R.C. Chavan Justice K. Kannan

DAY 3 06th October, 2021 Wednesday	<p align="center"><u>SESSION 7</u> 10:00 AM – 11:30 AM</p> <p align="center">Jurisprudence on Environmental Law: Contribution of the Supreme Court</p> <p align="center"><u>Speakers</u> Justice A. K Goel Dr. M.K. Ramesh</p>		<p align="center"><u>SESSION 8</u> 12:00 PM – 01:30 PM</p> <p align="center">Civil Justice Administration: Alternative Dispute Redressal System in India</p> <p align="center"><u>Speakers</u> Justice M.B. Lokur Justice Sunil Ambwani</p>	B R E A K	<p align="center"><u>SESSION 9</u> 2:30 PM – 4:00 PM</p> <p align="center">Criminal Justice Administration: Fair Trial and Human Rights</p> <p align="center"><u>Speakers</u> Justice K.S. Ahluwalia Justice Dama Seshadri Naidu</p>
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DAY 4 07th October, 2021 Thursday	<p align="center"><u>SESSION 10</u> 10:00 AM – 11:30 AM</p> <p align="center">Principles of Evidence: Appreciation in Civil and Criminal Cases</p> <p align="center"><u>Speakers</u> Justice B.S. Chauhan Justice Ved Prakash Sharma</p>	B R E A K	<p align="center"><u>SESSION 11</u> 12:00 PM – 01:30 PM</p> <p align="center">Forensic Evidence in Civil and Criminal Trials; DNA profiling</p> <p align="center"><u>Speakers</u> Justice Ved Prakash Sharma Ms. Nisha Menon</p>		<p align="center"><u>SESSION 12</u> 2:30 PM – 4:00 PM</p> <p align="center">Electronic Evidence: New Horizons, Collection, Preservation and Appreciation</p> <p align="center"><u>Speakers</u> Justice M.B. Lokur Mr. Vakul Sharma</p>
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SEMINAR FOR FOREIGN JUDGES [BANGLADESH] - (SE-03)

22nd to 25th November, 2021

Program Schedule

DAY	TIMING (IST)	SESSION	Proposed Theme	Resource Persons
22nd November 2021 (Monday)				
DAY 1 Constitutional Bedrock & the Evolution of the Indian Judicial System OR The Indian Constitutional Experiment	10:00AM -11:30AM	SESSION 1	Overview and Architecture of Indian Constitutional Arrangement Proposed Scope of Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Overarching Values of the Constitution as enshrined in the Preamble Basic Structure of the Constitution Constitution as a Social Contract Indian Judiciary in the Constitutional Arrangement- Role & Responsibility Constitutional Vision of Justice 	Prof. M.P Singh Dr. Balram K Gupta
	11:30AM - 12:00PM	Break		
	12:00PM - 01:30PM	SESSION 2	Landmark Judgments: Celebrating Decadal Masterpieces Proposed Scope of Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Important Contributions of the Constitutional Courts in the Last Decade Changing Gears- Building on the Constitutional Edifice through Judgments (Including Judgments on Privacy, NOTA, Aadhaar, Article 377, NJAC, decriminalization of politics etc.) 	Prof. BT Kaul Dr. Kiran Rai
	1:30PM - 02:30PM	Lunch		
	2:30 PM – 4:00 PM	SESSION 3	Indian Judiciary and Tryst with Novelty: Aligning with Global Standards by Raising the Bar Proposed Scope of Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Novel Approaches & Best Practices <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Striking a Balance between Adversarial & Inquisitorial Approaches Family Courts Enabling Access to Justice through Lok Adalats, Legal Services Authorities, Gram Nyayalayas Public Interest Litigation 	Prof. M.P Singh Prof. BT Kaul

23 rd November 2021 (Tuesday)				
DAY 2 Being A Judge: Judicial Qualities, Attitudes & Skills	10:00AM -11:30AM	SESSION 4	Elements of Judicial Behaviour: Ethics, Neutrality and Professionalism Proposed Scope of Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Being a Judge in a Democracy <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Professionalism Contest between the institutional requirement of judicial sobriety and the transition to openness owing to media attention Anchoring judicial function in the principle of neutrality Oscillatory Choices Between Adversarial & Inquisitorial Dichotomy Ethical Conundrums in Judicial Sphere & Possible Solutions 	Justice G. Raghuram Justice Ved Prakash Sharma
	11:30AM – 12:00PM	Break		
	12:00PM - 1:30PM	SESSION 5	Judging Skills: Art, Craft and Science of Drafting Judgments Proposed Scope of Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Judgments as the Voice of the Court (as the Main Deliverable) Significance of Reasoning in Judgments & Orders Sensitivity in Judgments <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Gender Sensitivity in Judgments & Orders <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Language Eliminating Bias, Stereotypes & Prejudices Restorative Justice Measures Appropriate approach in cases involving Vulnerable/ Disadvantaged Groups 	Justice G. Raghuram Mr. Ramakrishnan Viraraghavan
	1:30PM - 02:30PM	Lunch		
	2:30 PM – 4:00 PM	SESSION 6	Judge as the Master of the Court: Court & Case Management Proposed Scope of Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bottlenecks in Judicial Administration Best Practices for Effective Disposal of Cases Courtroom Management – Challenges & Possible Solutions Role of a Judge in Streamlining Court & Case Management 	Justice R C Chavan Justice Ved Prakash Sharma

24 th November 2021 (Wednesday)				
DAY 3 Responding to the Modernization & Contemporary Needs: The Changing Contours of the Indian Judiciary	10:00AM -1130AM	SESSION 7	Alternative Dispute Resolution Proposed Scope of Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ADR as a tool to conserve judicial resources & to ensure speedy justice • ADR Mechanisms under Section 89 Civil Procedure Code, 1908 • Referral of Cases for Settlement - <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Suitable Cases ○ Procedure for Referral ○ Appropriate Stage for Referral ○ Recognition of Outcome by Court 	Mr. Santhaan Krishnan Mr. Brian Speers
	11:30AM – 12:00PM	Break		
	12:00PM - 1:30PM	SESSION 8	Re-engineering Judicial Processes through ICT Proposed Scope of Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • e-Judiciary – The Indian Experience • Striking a balance between Transparency & Confidentiality- The Indian e-Judiciary Account • e-Judiciary & Data Protection – Vulnerability Assessment of Judicial Institutions 	Mr. Atul Kaushik Mr. Harold D’Costa
	1:30PM - 02:30PM	Lunch		
	2:30 PM – 4:00 PM	SESSION 9	Electronic Evidence: New Horizons, Collection, Preservation and Appreciation Proposed Scope of Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Settling, Resettling & Unsettling: Evolutionary Process of the Law on Electronic Evidence • Evolving Nature of Electronic Evidence • Challenges in Collection & Preservation of Electronic Evidence 	Mr. Debashis Nayak Mr. Harold D’Costa

25 th November 2021 (Thursday)				
DAY 4 Embracing the Changing Dimensions of Novel Social Contract: An Anabolic Response by the Indian Judiciary	10:00AM -11:30AM	SESSION 10	Transition to a Gender Just Society : Jurisprudential Developments Proposed Scope of Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Major Legislations on Gender based Issues Notable Judgments on Gender based Issues (Including Shayara Bano, Joseph Shine, Indian Young Lawyers Association, Suchita Srivastava, Laxmi v. UOI, Aparna Bhat, Patan Jamal Vali, judgments on 498A IPC etc.) 	Dr. Justice Shalini S. Phansalkar Joshi Prof. V. K Dixit
	11:30AM – 12:00PM	Break		
	12:00PM - 1:30PM	SESSION 11	Child-centric Jurisprudence in India Proposed Scope of Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Notable legislations on Child Rights & Child Welfare Recent developments in law Notable Judgments 	Justice S. Vimala Ms. Geeta Ramaseshan
	1:30PM - 02:30PM	Lunch		
	2:30 PM – 4:00 PM	SESSION 12	Principles of Evidence: Appreciation in Civil and Criminal Cases Proposed Scope of Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Evidentiary Standards Adaptation in Evidentiary Standards to meet Present Challenges <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Evidentiary Standards in POCSO Cases Appreciation of Evidence in Sexual Offences Evidentiary Standards in IT Law Reverse Burden of Proof <ul style="list-style-type: none"> POCSO Act NDPS Act PMLA 	Dr. Justice Shalini S. Phansalkar Joshi
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SE-04
TRAINING OF MASTER TRAINERS FOR SPECIAL PUBLIC PROSECUTORS
IN POCSO COURTS
 27th & 28th December, 2021

Program Schedule (Online Mode)

TIMING	SESSION(S)	RESOURCE PERSONS
Monday	Day-1: 27.12.2021	
10:00AM - 11:30AM	<p style="text-align: center;">SESSION 1 Professional & Ethical Best Practices for Public Prosecutors</p> <p><i>Proposed Area(s) of Discussion include:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ <i>Personal Database management by the PPs to enable analysis of:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ <i>Conviction : Acquittal Ratio</i> ○ <i>Failure in proper collection of evidence by IO</i> ○ <i>Failure owing to improper preservation of evidence</i> ○ <i>Classification of case types</i> ✓ <i>Ethical standards to be pursued by the PPs:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ <i>PPs Self-conviction on Probative Value of Evidence Prior to Commencement of Court Proceedings</i> ○ <i>Obligation of PPs to Request for discharge in Absence of Good Evidence</i> ○ <i>Appropriate Advise to the DM to File or Not to File an Appeal</i> 	<p style="text-align: center;">Speaker(s)</p> <p><i>Dr. Justice G. Jayachandran & Justice Roshan Dalvi</i></p>
11:30AM - 12:00PM	Break	
12:00PM - 01:30PM	<p style="text-align: center;">SESSION 2 Objective, Nature & Contours of Functioning of POCSO Courts</p> <p><i>Proposed Area(s) of Discussion include:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ <i>Adversarial to Inquisitorial: Understanding the Shift</i> ✓ <i>Compensation & Rehabilitation: The Welfare Philosophical Underpinnings</i> ✓ <i>Doctrine of “Best Interest of Child”: The sensitivity Anchors & Child Friendly Courts</i> ✓ <i>Malady of Adjournments, Avoidance of Victim Personification, Mental Trauma, etc.</i> ✓ <i>Jurisdictional Issues: Conflict between Special Statutes</i> 	<p style="text-align: center;">Speaker(s)</p> <p><i>Dr. Justice G. Jayachandran & Justice Roshan S. Dalvi</i></p>
Tuesday	Day-2: 28.12.2021	
10:00AM - 11:30AM	<p style="text-align: center;">SESSION 3 Concept of Reverse Burden & Law Relating to Presumption in POCSO Trials</p> <p><i>Proposed Area(s) of Discussion include:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ <i>Standard of Proof Regarding Presumption of Culpable Mental State: Scope & Limits</i> ✓ <i>Reverse Burden of Proof: Role of Prosecution</i> ✓ <i>Rights of Accused</i> 	<p style="text-align: center;">Speaker(s)</p> <p><i>Dr. Justice S. Vimala & Ms. Geeta Ramaseshan</i></p>

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11:30AM – 12:00PM	Break	
12:00PM – 1:30PM	<p style="text-align: center;">SESSION 4</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Evidence in POCSO Cases: Role of Public Prosecutors</p> <p><i>Proposed Area(s) of Discussion include:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ <i>Evaluation of Probative Value of Evidence Presented Before the Court</i> ✓ <i>Principle of Presentation of “Best Evidence”</i> ✓ <i>Challenges & Precautions to be Taken in Collection, Preservation & Integrity of Forensic Evidence</i> ✓ <i>Challenges of Veracity of Source, Authenticity, Chain of Custody & Volatility of e-Evidence</i> ✓ <i>Evolving Case law Jurisprudence</i> 	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Speaker(s)</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Justice P. N. Prakash</i> <i>&</i> <i>Dr. Justice S. Vimala</i></p>

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Programme Schedule- SE-05

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24th - 25th, 27th & 29th January, 2022 **[TIMINGS AS PER INDIAN STANDARD TIME (IST)]** Version Dated 18.01.22

DAY 1 24th January, 2022 Monday	<p align="center"><u>SESSION 1</u> 10:00 AM – 11:30 AM</p> <p>Indian Judiciary: Organizational Structure, Jurisdiction and Approaches</p> <p>Proposed Scope of Discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hierarchy of courts in India and their jurisdiction • Epistolary jurisdiction of the Supreme Court • Judicial Activism <p align="center"><u>Speakers</u> Justice B.S. Chauhan Mr. Sudhish Pai</p>	T E A C H E R S	<p align="center"><u>SESSION 2</u> 12:00 PM – 01:30 PM</p> <p>Goals, Role and Mission of Courts: Constitutional Vision of Justice</p> <p>Proposed Scope of Discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Role of a Judge in a Constitutional Democracy • Fundamental rights and directive principles of state policy • Doctrine of Basic Structure – Development of jurisprudence <p align="center"><u>Speakers</u> Prof. V.K. Dixit Mr. Sudhish Pai</p>	L U N C H B R E A K	<p align="center"><u>SESSION 3</u> 2:30 PM – 4:00 PM</p> <p>Elements of Judicial Behaviour: Ethics, Neutrality and Professionalism</p> <p>Proposed Scope of Discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Being a Judge in a Democracy • Oscillatory Choices Between Adversarial & Inquisitorial Dichotomy • Ethical Conundrums in Judicial Sphere & Possible Solutions <p align="center"><u>Speakers</u> Justice B.S. Chauhan Justice Kurian Joseph</p>
DAY 2 25th January, 2022 Tuesday	<p align="center"><u>SESSION 4</u> 10:00 AM – 11:30 AM</p> <p>Judging Skills : Art, Craft and Science of drafting judgments</p> <p>Proposed Scope of Discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Judgments as the Voice of the Court (as the Main Deliverable) • Significance of Reasoning in Judgments & Orders • Sensitivity in Judgments <p align="center"><u>Speakers</u> Justice Sunil Ambwani Mr. Ramakrishnan Viraraghavan</p>		<p align="center"><u>SESSION 5</u> 12:00 PM – 01:30 PM</p> <p>Judge the Master of the Court : Court Management & Case Management</p> <p>Proposed Scope of Discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bottlenecks in Judicial Administration • Best Practices for Effective Disposal of Cases • Courtroom Management – Challenges & Possible Solutions • Role of a Judge in Streamlining Court & Case Management <p align="center"><u>Speakers</u> Justice R.C. Chavan Justice Ram Mohan Reddy</p>		<p align="center"><u>SESSION 6</u> 2:30 PM – 4:00 PM</p> <p>ICT and E-Judiciary: Indian Perspective</p> <p>Proposed Scope of Discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • e-Judiciary – The Indian Experience • Striking a balance between Transparency & Confidentiality- The Indian e-Judiciary Account • e-Judiciary & Data Protection – Vulnerability Assessment of Judicial Institutions <p align="center"><u>Speakers</u> Justice R .C. Chavan Mr. Atul Kaushik</p>

DAY 3 27th January, 2022 Thursday	<p align="center"><u>SESSION 7</u> 10:00 AM – 11:30 AM</p> <p align="center">Jurisprudence on Environmental Law: Contribution of the Supreme Court</p> <p align="center">Proposed Scope of Discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Protection of Environment under the Indian Constitutional Mandate • Public Trust Doctrine • Judicial Role as <i>Parens Patriae</i> to Protect the Environment & Wildlife • Significance of Judicial Activism in Protection of Environment & Wildlife • Innovative Approaches to Meet the Global Challenges <p align="center"><u>Speakers</u> Justice A. K. Goel Dr. Justice K. J. Thaker</p>	T E A B R E A K	<p align="center"><u>SESSION 8</u> 12:00 PM – 01:30 PM</p> <p align="center">Civil Justice Administration: Alternative Dispute Redressal System in India</p> <p align="center">Proposed Scope of Discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ADR as a tool to conserve judicial resources & to ensure speedy justice • ADR Mechanisms • Referral of Cases for Settlement: Suitable Cases, Procedure for Referral, Appropriate Stage for Referral <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recognition of Outcome by Court <p align="center"><u>Speakers</u> Justice Roshan Dalvi Dr. Justice Shalini Phansalkar Joshi</p>	L U N C H B R E A K	<p align="center"><u>SESSION 9</u> 2:30 PM – 4:00 PM</p> <p align="center">Criminal Justice Administration: Fair Trial and Human Rights</p> <p align="center">Proposed Scope of Discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attributes of Fair Trial • Procedural Safeguards • Human Rights of the Accused vis-à-vis Rights of the Victim • Case Law Jurisprudence <p align="center"><u>Speakers</u> Dr. Justice Shalini Phansalkar Joshi Dr. M.K. Ramesh</p>
DAY 4 29th January, 2022 Saturday	<p align="center"><u>SESSION 10</u> 10:00 AM – 11:30 AM</p> <p align="center">Principles of Evidence: Appreciation in Civil and Criminal Cases</p> <p align="center">Proposed Scope of Discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Evidentiary Standards • Adaptation in Evidentiary Standards to meet Present Challenges • Reverse Burden of Proof <p align="center"><u>Speakers</u> Justice S. Nagamuthu Justice G. R. Swaminathan</p>		<p align="center"><u>SESSION 11</u> 12:00 PM – 01:30 PM</p> <p align="center">Forensic Evidence in Civil and Criminal Trials; DNA profiling</p> <p align="center">Proposed Scope of Discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Collection, Preservation & Appreciation of Forensic Evidence • Evidentiary value of Forensic Evidence and expert evidence • Importance of Chain of Custody • Evolution of Case Law Jurisprudence <p align="center"><u>Speakers</u> Justice G. R. Swaminathan Dr. Arneet Arora</p>		<p align="center"><u>SESSION 12</u> 2:20 PM – 4:00 PM</p> <p align="center">Electronic Evidence: New Horizons, Collection, Preservation and Appreciation</p> <p align="center">Proposed Scope of Discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Settling, Resettling & Unsettling: Evolutionary Process of the Law on Electronic Evidence • Evolving Nature of Electronic Evidence Challenges in Collection & Preservation of Electronic Evidence <p align="center"><u>Speakers</u> Justice A. Muhamed Mustaque Dr. Debasis Nayak</p>

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TRAINING PROGRAM FOR BANGLADESH JUDGES AND JUDICIAL OFFICERS - (SE-06)
7th to 10th February 2022 (Virtual)

Mentor – Mr. S.P. Srivastava, Professor, NJA
 Programme Coordinators – Nitika Jain & Ankita Pandey, Law Associates, NJA

PROGRAM SCHEDULE

SESSION & TIMING <i>All timings are in Indian Standard Time (IST)</i>	PROPOSED THEMES	RESOURCE PERSONS
DAY 1 7th February 2022 (Monday)		
SESSION 1 10:00 AM -11:30 AM	Overview and Architecture of Indian Constitutional Arrangement <u><i>Proposed Scope of Discussion</i></u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Constitution as a Social Contract • Overarching Values of the Constitution as enshrined in the Preamble • Basic Structure of the Constitution • Indian Judiciary in the Constitutional Arrangement- Role & Responsibility 	Mr. V. Sudhish Pai Dr. Arun K. Thiruvengadam
11:30 AM - 12:00 Noon	Break	
SESSION 2 12:00 Noon - 01:30 PM	Landmark Judgments: Celebrating Decadal Masterpieces <u><i>Proposed Scope of Discussion</i></u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Important Contributions of the Constitutional Courts in the Last Decade • Building on the Constitutional edifice through Judgments - (Including Judgments on Privacy, NOTA, Aadhaar, Section 377 IPC, NJAC, decriminalization of politics, etc.) 	Prof. V.K. Dixit Mr. Sujit Ghosh
1:30 PM - 2:30 PM	Lunch	
SESSION 3 2:30 PM – 4:00 PM	Indian Judiciary and Tryst with Novelty: Aligning with Global Standards by Raising the Bar <u><i>Proposed Scope of Discussion</i></u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Novel Approaches & Best Practices <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Striking a Balance between Adversarial & Inquisitorial Approaches – Family Courts – Enabling Access to Justice through Lok Adalats, Legal Services Authorities, Gram Nyayalayas – Public Interest Litigation 	Justice K. Kannan Justice Roshan S. Dalvi
DAY 2 8th February 2022 (Tuesday)		
SESSION 4 10:00 AM -11:30 AM	Elements of Judicial Behaviour: Ethics, Neutrality, and Professionalism <u><i>Proposed Scope of Discussion</i></u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Contest between the institutional requirement of judicial sobriety and the transition to openness 	Justice R. K. Gauba Justice K. Kannan <u><i>Chair:</i></u> Justice R.V. Raveendran

	<p>owing to media attention</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Anchoring judicial function in the principle of neutrality • Ethical Conundrums in Judicial Sphere & Possible Solutions 	
11:30 AM – 12:00 Noon	Break	
SESSION 5 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM	Judging Skills: Art, Craft and Science of Drafting Judgments <u><i>Proposed Scope of Discussion</i></u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Language & Law: Brevity and Drafting • Significance of Reasoning in Judgments & Orders • Sensitivity in Judgments <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Gender Sensitivity in Judgments & Orders <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Language - Eliminating Bias, Stereotypes & Prejudices - Restorative Justice Measures ○ Appropriate approach in cases involving Vulnerable/ Disadvantaged Groups 	Justice D. Seshadri Naidu Mr. Ramakrishnan Viraraghavan <u><i>Chair: Justice G. Raghuram</i></u>
1:30 PM - 2:30 PM	Lunch	
SESSION 6 2:30 PM – 4:00 PM	Transition to a Gender Just Society: Jurisprudential Developments <u><i>Proposed Scope of Discussion</i></u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Major Legislations on Gender-based Issues • Notable Judgments: (Including Shayara Bano, Joseph Shine, Indian Young Lawyers Association, Suchita Srivastava, Laxmi v. UOI, Aparna Bhat, Patan Jamal Vali, judgments on 498A IPC, etc.) 	Justice S.S. Phansalkar Joshi Dr. V.S. Elizabeth
DAY 3 9th February 2022 (Wednesday)		
SESSION 7 10:00 AM -1130 AM	Child-Centric Jurisprudence in India <u><i>Proposed Scope of Discussion</i></u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Notable legislation on Child Rights & Child Welfare • Recent developments in the law & Notable judgements 	Dr. Justice S.S. Phansalkar Joshi Dr. Shashikala Gurpur
11:30 AM - 12:00 PM	Break	
SESSION 8 12:00PM - 1:30PM	Principles of Evidence: Appreciation in Civil and Criminal Cases <u><i>Proposed Scope of Discussion</i></u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Evidentiary Standards • Adaptation in Evidentiary Standards to meet Present Challenges <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Evidentiary Standards in POCSO Cases – Appreciation of Evidence in Sexual Offences – Evidentiary Standards in IT Law • Reverse Burden of Proof: POCSO Act, NDPS Act & PMLA 	Dr. Justice B.S. Chauhan Dr. Justice S. Vimala

1:30 PM - 2:30 PM	Lunch	
SESSION 9 2:30 PM – 4:00 PM	Electronic Evidence: New Horizons, Collection, Preservation, and Appreciation <u><i>Proposed Scope of Discussion</i></u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Evolutionary Process of the Law on Electronic Evidence vis-à-vis Judicial Pronouncements • Expanding horizons of Electronic Evidence: Challenges in Collection & Preservation of Electronic Evidence • Relevance and admissibility of Electronic evidence under Indian Laws 	Dr. Pavan Duggal Dr. Debasis Nayak
DAY 4 10th February 2022 (Thursday)		
SESSION 10 10:00 AM -11:30 AM	Judge as the Master of the Court: Court & Case Management <u><i>Proposed Scope of Discussion</i></u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bottlenecks in Judicial Administration • Best Practices for Effective disposal of cases • Courtroom Management – Challenges & Possible Solutions • Role of a Judge in Streamlining Court & Case Management. 	Justice Sunil Ambwani Justice Ram Mohan Reddy <u><i>Chair:</i></u> Justice Deepak Gupta
11:30 AM – 12:00 PM	Break	
SESSION 11 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM	Re-engineering Judicial Processes through ICT <u><i>Proposed Scope of Discussion</i></u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • e-Courts – The Indian experience • Striking a balance between Transparency & Confidentiality – Increasing accessibility • e-Judiciary & Data Protection – Vulnerability Assessment of Judicial Institutions 	Justice R.C. Chavan Justice Ram Mohan Reddy
1:30 PM - 2:30 PM	Lunch	
SESSION 12 2:30 PM – 4:00 PM	Alternative Dispute Resolution <u><i>Proposed Scope of Discussion</i></u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ADR as a tool to conserve judicial resources & to ensure speedy justice • ADR Mechanisms under Section 89 Civil Procedure Code, 1908 • Referral of cases for settlement through ADR: Suitable Cases, Procedure for Referral, Appropriate Stage & Recognition of Outcome by Court 	Mr. Brian Speers Mr. R. Santhana Krishnan <u><i>Chair:</i></u> Justice Indu Malhotra
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TRAINING PROGRAM FOR BANGLADESH JUDGES AND JUDICIAL OFFICERS - (SE-07) [Online Mode]

11th to 14th April, 2022 [Timings as per Indian Standard Time (IST)]

Program Schedule

DAY	TIMING	SESSION	Proposed Theme	Speakers
11th April (Monday)				
DAY 1 Constitutional Bedrock & the Evolution of the Indian Judicial System	10:00AM -11:30AM	SESSION 1	Overview and Architecture of Indian Constitutional Arrangement Proposed Scope of Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Overarching Values of the Constitution as enshrined in the Preamble • Basic Structure of the Constitution • Constitution as a Social Contract • Indian Judiciary in the Constitutional Arrangement- Role & Responsibility • Constitutional Vision of Justice 	Mr. V. Sudhish Pai Prof. V. K. Dixit
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	12:00PM - 01:30PM	SESSION 2	Landmark Judgments: Celebrating Decadal Masterpieces Proposed Scope of Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Important Contributions of the Constitutional Courts in the Last Decade • Changing Gears- Building on the Constitutional Edifice through Judgments (Including Judgments on Privacy, NOTA, Aadhaar, Section 377 IPC, NJAC, decriminalization of politics etc.) 	Prof. V. K. Dixit Mr. Sujit Ghosh
	1:30PM - 02:30PM	Lunch		
	2:30 PM – 4:00 PM	SESSION 3	Indian Judiciary and Tryst with Novelty: Aligning with Global Standards by Raising the Bar Proposed Scope of Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Novel Approaches & Best Practices <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Striking a Balance between Adversarial & Inquisitorial Approaches ○ Enabling Access to Justice through Lok Adalats, Legal Services Authorities, Gram Nyayalayas ○ Public Interest Litigation 	Justice Ram Mohan Reddy Prof. (Dr.) B.T. Kaul
12th April (Tuesday)				

DAY 2 Being A Judge: Judicial Qualities, Attitudes & Skills	10:00AM -11:30AM	SESSION 4	Elements of Judicial Behaviour: Ethics, Neutrality and Professionalism Proposed Scope of Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Being a Judge in a Democracy <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Professionalism Contest between the institutional requirement of judicial sobriety and the transition to openness owing to media attention Anchoring judicial function in the principle of neutrality Oscillatory Choices Between Adversarial & Inquisitorial Dichotomy Ethical Conundrums in Judicial Sphere & Possible Solutions 	Justice G. Raghuram Dr. Balram Gupta
	11:30AM – 12:00PM	Break		
	12:00PM - 1:30PM	SESSION 5	Judging Skills: Art, Craft and Science of Drafting Judgments Proposed Scope of Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Judgments as the Voice of the Court (as the Main Deliverable) Significance of Reasoning in Judgments & Orders Sensitivity in Judgments <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Gender Sensitivity in Judgments & Orders Appropriate approach in cases involving Vulnerable/ Disadvantaged Groups 	Justice Sunil Ambwani Mr. Ramakrishnan Viraraghavan
	1:30PM - 02:30PM	Lunch		
	2:30 PM – 4:00 PM	SESSION 6	Judge as the Master of the Court: Court & Case Management Proposed Scope of Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bottlenecks in Judicial Administration Best Practices for Effective Disposal of Cases Courtroom Management – Challenges & Possible Solutions Role of a Judge in Streamlining Court & Case Management 	Justice Kalpesh Jhaveri Dr. Justice Shalini S. Phansalkar Joshi
13th April (Wednesday)				

DAY 3 Responding to the Modernization & Contemporary Needs: The Changing Contours of the Indian Judiciary	10:00AM -1130AM	SESSION 7	Alternative Dispute Resolution Proposed Scope of Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ADR as a tool to conserve judicial resources & to ensure speedy justice • ADR Mechanisms under Section 89 Civil Procedure Code, 1908 • Referral of Cases for Settlement - <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Suitable Cases ○ Procedure for Referral ○ Appropriate Stage for Referral ○ Recognition of Outcome by Court 	Justice Roshan Dalvi Mr. Santhana Krishnan Mr. Brian Speers
	11:30AM - 12:00PM	Break		
	12:00PM - 1:30PM	SESSION 8	Principles of Evidence: Appreciation in Civil and Criminal Cases Proposed Scope of Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Evidentiary Standards • Adaptation in Evidentiary Standards to meet Present Challenges <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Evidentiary Standards in POCSO Cases ○ Appreciation of Evidence in Sexual Offences ○ Evidentiary Standards in IT Law ○ Reverse Burden of Proof (POCSO Act, NDPS Act, PMLA) 	Justice Ved Prakash Sharma Justice S. Nagamuthu
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	2:30 PM – 4:00 PM	SESSION 9	Electronic Evidence: New Horizons, Collection, Preservation and Appreciation Proposed Scope of Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Settling, Unsettling & Resettling: Evolutionary Process of the Law on Electronic Evidence • Evolving Nature of Electronic Evidence • Challenges in Collection & Preservation of Electronic Evidence 	Mr. Pavan Duggal Mr. Harold D’costa
14th April (Thursday)				

DAY 4 Embracing the Changing Dimensions of Novel Social Contract: An Anabolic Response by the Indian Judiciary	10:00AM -11:30AM	SESSION 10	Transition to a Gender Just Society : Jurisprudential Developments Proposed Scope of Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Major Legislations on Gender based Issues Notable Judgments on Gender based Issues (Including Shayara Bano, Joseph Shine, Indian Young Lawyers Association, Suchita Srivastava, Laxmi v. UOI, Aparna Bhat, Patan Jamal Vali, judgments on 498A IPC etc.) 	Dr. Justice S. Vimala Dr. Kiran Rai
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Cybercrime in the Courts

National Judicial Academy (NJA) – Federal Judicial Center (FJC) – CEELI Institute

NOVEMBER 12-15, 2021

VIRTUAL – FACILITATED FROM THE CEELI INSTITUTE

Monday, November 8:

Welcome: Program Overview & Introduction to Faculty

Welcome to this collaborative workshop on Cybercrime in the Courts. Information about the program, faculty bios, assigned reading materials, and links to the Zoom workshop sessions are accessible on **CEELI Online**. Program participants are invited to post questions and greetings on the CEELI Online program portal **discussion board**.

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Artificial Intelligence as Evidence (120 minutes)

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In the ever-changing landscape of litigation and modern forms of evidence, understanding cutting-edge topics relating to Artificial Intelligence (AI) has become essential for lawyers and judges. Topics to be covered in this 90-minute video session include the fundamentals of AI, encompassing how it works, how it is being used in the legal industry and elsewhere, and some of the issues AI implicates. In addition, the session will also address what admissibility issues are posed in introducing AI evidence and how to address those issues, as well as a description and analysis of the pertinent rules of evidence and how they apply to AI.

The Hon. Paul Grimm, Judge, U.S. District Court for the District of Maryland

Dr. Maura Grossman (J.D., Ph.D.), David R. Cheriton School of Computer Science, University of Waterloo, Ontario, Canada

Friday, November 12:

Overview of Cybercrimes and Cyber-Enabled Crimes (60 minutes)

6:00 PM IT | 1:30 PM CET | 7:30 AM ET | 6:30 AM CT

Cybercrime and cyber-enabled offenses have become significant threats to individuals and the global economy. Cybercrimes are directed against electronic devices or networks (such as hacking and installing malware) or use devices to commit criminal activities (such as phishing and cyberstalking). This session will serve as a ‘primer for judges’ on the different types of cybercrimes and the transnational reach of the cybercrime cases appearing on a judge’s docket.

The Hon. Paul Grimm, Judge, U.S. District Court for the District of Maryland

Ovie Carroll, Director, U.S. Dept. of Justice Computer Crime and Intellectual Property Section Cybercrime Lab

Cybertechnologies: A Primer (45 minutes)

7:00 PM IT | 2:30 PM CET | 8:30 AM ET | 7:30 AM CT

Judges do not need to be cyber-experts, but familiarity with basic vocabulary and concepts of cybertechnology is important. During this session we will discuss how computers save and delete information, the meaning of such terms as cloud computing, hash values and the dark web, how encryption works, and related concepts and practices. At the end of this session, judges will know how to describe cyber-involved criminal conduct and understand the fundamentals of how computers are used to facilitate criminal activity.

The Hon. John Tunheim, Chief Judge, U.S. District Court for the District of Minnesota

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Saturday, November 13:

Path of a Cyber Investigation (60 minutes)

1:30 PM IT | 9:00 AM CET | 3:00 AM ET

Cybercrime investigations involve the collection and analysis of computer hardware, software, and digital data. As with traditional criminal cases, this process requires careful scrutiny to ensure evidentiary reliability and attention to the chain of custody. During this session, participants will learn about techniques used by cybercrime investigators, the world of cyber-surveillance, the process of analyzing digital forensics, and how courts can best use expert testimony during trial proceedings.

Ovie Carroll, Director, U.S. Dept. of Justice Computer Crime and Intellectual Property Section Cybercrime Lab

BREAK (30 minutes)

Electronic Evidence and Digital Forensics (60 minutes)

3:00 PM IT | 10:30 AM CET | 4:30 AM ET

Electronic evidence is information and data stored in, transmitted by, or received on an electronic device. Evidence relevant to a cybercrime investigation may be stored not only on computers, but also on handheld devices, videogames, and even “smart” household appliances. Digital evidence easily crosses international borders and can be manipulated and destroyed, often in ways that require courts to rule on expedited motions. The growing range and complexity of cybercrime has required law enforcement agencies to develop expertise in the field of digital forensics. During this session, we will discuss the impact of digital forensics on criminal litigation and the evidentiary implications of a cyber-investigation.

Amit Jaju, Senior Managing Director, Ankura



BREAK (30 minutes)

Rise of Digital Currency and Related Issues (75 minutes)

4:30 PM IT | 12:00 PM CET | 11:00 AM GMT | 6:00 AM ET

Cryptocurrency, digital currency used to purchase goods and services, uses blockchain technology to secure online transactions. Blockchain uses decentralized computer networks to manage and record transactions. Cryptocurrency is used legitimately throughout world, but it also has become a tool for sophisticated online criminal conduct, including money laundering and fraud. This session will review the basics of cryptocurrency and describe how it is used to facilitate cybercriminal activities.

Ryan Rubin, Senior Managing Director, Ankura (London)

Sunday, November 14:

Legal Framework: India (90 minutes)

1:30 PM IT | 9:00 AM CET | 3:00 AM ET

This session will focus on Indian legislation addressing cyber-enabled crimes, including the Technology Act of 2000, its associated rules, and relevant provisions of the India Penal Code. Rather than reviewing the provisions of these laws in detail, we will focus on how Indian law addresses some of the challenging issues that arise in cybercrime cases, including extraterritorial jurisdiction over parties and criminal conduct and the use of expert testimony. Participants will apply these principles to the workshop fact pattern and discuss how to address the challenges they present.

The Hon. Joymalya Bagchi, Judge, Calcutta High Court

BREAK (30 minutes)

International Cooperation: MLATs (60 minutes)

3:30 PM IT | 11:00 AM CET | 5:00 AM ET | 4:00 AM CT

Cybercrime has no borders. A criminal case filed in India may implicate evidence across the globe. The UN Convention against Organized Crime was drafted to encourage and facilitate international cooperation in the prevention, detection, and prosecution of transnational crime. Even in the absence of treaty-based mandates, judges have the responsibility and authority to use mechanisms such as mutual legal assistance and extradition to share evidence, facilitate criminal investigations, and aid asset recovery. This session will address best practices in transnational judicial cooperation.

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Monday, November 15:

Judicial Management of Complex Criminal Cases (75 minutes)

6:00 PM IT | 1:30 PM CET | 7:30 AM ET | 6:30 AM CT

Effective case management strategies are always important but are especially so for complex criminal cases. Judges must be actively engaged in cybercrime litigation, beginning as soon as charges are framed and continuing through pretrial proceedings and trial. At the conclusion of this session, participants will be able to identify and sequence at least 8 important case management tasks, facilitate cooperation between prosecution and defense on evidence disclosure and scheduling, and determine the types of legal issues that can be resolved before trial commences.

The Hon. John Tunheim, Chief Judge, U.S. District Court for the District of Minnesota

Pulling it all Together (15 minutes)

7:15 PM IT | 2:45 PM CET | 8:45 AM ET

Ten workshop sessions addressing the many varied facets of cybercrime litigation offers an overwhelming amount of new information to process. We will take the last ten minutes of this workshop to discuss the central 'takeaways' for judges and reflect upon how to integrate new knowledge and practices.

Mira Gur-Arie, Director, International Judicial Relations Office, FJC (Washington, D.C.)

Claire Smearman, Senior Judicial Education Attorney, Judicial and Legal Education, FJC (Washington, D.C.)

Closing Session

7:30 PM IT | 3:00 PM CET | 9:00 AM ET

National Judicial Academy Director A.P. Sahi will close the program and offer his reflections about the role of judges in complex criminal litigation.

The Hon. A.P. Sahi, Director, National Judicial Academy (Bhopal)



Human Trafficking

National Judicial Academy of India - Federal Judicial Center (FJC) – CEELI Institute

NOVEMBER 19-22, 2021

VIRTUAL – FACILITATED FROM THE CEELI INSTITUTE

Monday, November 15:

Welcome: Program Overview & Introduction to Faculty

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Friday, November 19:

Overview: Human Trafficking (60 minutes)

6:00 PM IT | 1:30 PM CET | 7:30 AM ET

Human trafficking remains a global scourge. National governments and the world community have struggled to develop effective law enforcement strategies to detect, investigate, prosecute, and sanction trafficking-related criminal conduct. The courts play a critical role in these efforts. This introductory session will describe different trafficking modalities (sexual exploitation, forced labor, migrant smuggling), trafficking-related crimes, vulnerable populations, the structure of trafficking operations, and the components of a trafficking investigation. At the end of this session, program participants will be familiar with the ‘vocabulary’ of human trafficking and will be able to identify the types of organizations and individuals that perpetuate the trafficking trade and the methods they use to lure victims and conceal criminal conduct.



The Hon. Dr. Manfred Dauster, Presiding Judge, Supreme Court of Bavaria (München, Germany)
Barbara A. Martinez, Senior Consultant, Holland & Knight (Miami)

BREAK (15 minutes)

Human Trafficking Litigation (60 minutes)

7:15 PM IT | 2:45 PM CET | 8:45 AM ET | 7:45 AM CT (Chicago)

Trafficking cases often present complex legal, procedural, and evidentiary issues. Challenging issues and the horrors of human trafficking task judges in unique ways. During this session, we will discuss the role of the judge in trafficking-related litigation, including:

- Difficulties of presiding over a human trafficking trial
- Types of evidence in a human trafficking trial
- Related offenses and other wrongdoing
- Assessing survivor and witness testimony

At the conclusion of this session, participants will have more insight and be better prepared for the complexities and evidentiary issues in human trafficking cases.

The Hon. John Blakey, Judge, U.S. District Court for the Northern District of Illinois
Barbara A. Martinez, Partner, Holland & Knight (Miami)

Saturday, November 20:

Legal Framework: India (90 minutes)

1:30 PM IT | 9:00 AM CET | 3:00 AM ET

This session will focus on Indian legislation addressing human trafficking cases, including the Immoral Traffic (Prevention) Act of 1956 as well as relevant provisions of India's Constitution and Penal Code. Rather than reviewing the provisions of these laws in detail, we will focus on how Indian law addresses some of the challenging issues that arise in trafficking cases, including extraterritorial jurisdiction over parties and criminal conduct and the use of expert testimony. Participants will apply these principles to the workshop fact pattern and discuss how to address the challenges they present.

The Hon. Joymalya Bagchi, Judge, Calcutta High Court

BREAK (30 min)



International Instruments and Standards Addressing Human Trafficking Cases (60 minutes)

3:30 PM IT | 11:00 AM CET | 5:00 AM ET

International conventions as well as model laws and principles promote effective practices and accountability for courts and the global legal community. Trafficking-related crimes occur within national borders as well as transnationally. This session will provide an overview of the principle international conventions addressing human trafficking, including the Palermo Protocols, a supplement to the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime. At the end of this session, workshop participants will know these international instruments, understand their relevance for trafficking-related criminal cases filed in the courts of India, and be able to apply their provisions to a human trafficking fact pattern.

The Hon. Dr. Manfred Dauster, Presiding Judge, Supreme Court of Bavaria (München, Germany)

BREAK (30 min)

Vulnerable Victims/Survivors and Witnesses (60 minutes)

5:00 PM IT | 12:30 PM CET | 6:30 AM ET

Human traffickers target the defenseless, whether it is children, the poor, the undocumented, or vulnerable women. The impact of human trafficking on survivors and their families is profound. Unsurprisingly, witness testimony in trafficking cases may be incomplete, inconsistent, and lacking the traditional indicia of reliability. This session will provide human context to the legal and procedural issues that have already been addressed. We will discuss the reasons why testimony in trafficking cases is unique, tools courts can use to safeguard reluctant and fragile witnesses, and the role of the judge in preserving the dignity of trafficking survivors.

The Hon. Dr. Manfred Dauster, Presiding Judge, Supreme Court of Bavaria (München, Germany)

Barbara A. Martinez, Partner, Holland & Knight (Miami)

Dr. Pravin Patkar, Director and Founder, Prerana (Mumbai)

Sunday, November 21:

Judicial Management of Complex Criminal Cases (75 minutes)

10:00 AM IT | 5:30 AM CET | 11:30 PM ET | 7:30 PM AK on Sat. November 20 (Anchorage)

Effective case management strategies are always important but are especially so for complex criminal cases. Judges must be actively engaged in human trafficking cases, beginning as soon as the charges are framed and continuing through pretrial proceedings and trial. At the conclusion of this session, participants will be able to identify and sequence at least 8 important case management tasks, facilitate cooperation between prosecution and defense on evidence disclosure and scheduling, and identify the types of legal issues that can be resolved before trial commences.

The Hon. Timothy Burgess, Chief Judge, U.S. District Court for the District of Alaska



BREAK (30 min)

International Cooperation: MLATs and Other Evidentiary Issues (75 minutes)

11:45 AM IT | 7:15 AM CET | 1:15 AM ET | 12:15 AM CT (Minneapolis)

Human trafficking has no borders. A criminal case filed in India may implicate evidence across the globe. The UN Convention against Organized Crime was drafted to encourage and facilitate international cooperation in the prevention, detection, and prosecution of transnational crime. India is also a signatory to the Palermo Protocols that require governments to, among other things, combat human trafficking by promoting international cooperation. Judges have the responsibility and authority to use mechanisms such as mutual legal assistance and extradition to share evidence and facilitate criminal investigations. This session will address best practices in transnational judicial cooperation.

The Hon. John Tunheim, Chief Judge, U.S. District Court for the District of Minnesota

MID-DAY BREAK (90 minutes)

Trafficking: Cybercrime-Related Issues (60 minutes)

2:30 PM IT | 10:00 AM CET | 4:00 AM ET

Cybercrime has become an integral part of many human trafficking schemes, especially those with a transnational component. During this session we will discuss how traffickers use the internet, computer networks, and digital devices to facilitate trafficking, the use of social media and online fraud, and the emerging 'cyber-sex' trade. At the end of this session, participants will understand the intersection between cybercrime and human trafficking.

Barbara A. Martinez, Partner, Holland & Knight (Miami)

Monday, November 22:

Electronic Evidence and Digital Forensics (75 min)

6:00 PM IT | 1:30 PM CET | 7:30 AM ET

Electronic evidence is information and data stored in, transmitted by, or received on an electronic device. Evidence relevant to a trafficking investigation may be stored not only on computers, but also on handheld devices, videogames, and even "smart" household appliances. Digital evidence easily crosses international borders and can be manipulated and destroyed, often in ways that require courts to rule on expedited motions. The growing range and complexity of human trafficking has required law enforcement agencies to develop expertise in the field of digital forensics. During this session, we will discuss the impact of digital forensics on criminal litigation and the evidentiary implications of a cyber-



investigation.

Ovie Carroll, Director, U.S. Dept. of Justice Computer Crime and Intellectual Property Section Cybercrime Lab

Pulling it all Together (15 minutes)

7:15 PM IT | 2:45 PM CET | 8:45 AM ET

Ten workshop sessions addressing the many varied facets of cybercrime litigation offers an overwhelming amount of new information to process. We will take the last ten minutes of this workshop to discuss the central ‘takeaways’ for judges and reflect upon how to integrate new knowledge and practices.

Mira Gur-Arie, Director, International Judicial Relations Office, FJC (Washington, D.C.)

Claire Smearman, Senior Judicial Education Attorney, Judicial and Legal Education, FJC (Washington, D.C.)

Closing Session

7:30 PM IT | 3:00 PM CET | 9:00 AM ET

National Judicial Academy Director A.P. Sahi will close the program and offer his reflections about the role of judges in complex criminal litigation.

The Hon. A.P. Sahi, Director, National Judicial Academy (Bhopal)



SIFoCC

Standing International Forum of Commercial Courts (SIFoCC) and the National Justice Academy (NJA) of India presents “E-dispute resolution – a judicial conversation”

27 November 2021

London, United Kingdom	Sat, 27 Nov 2021 at 08:30 GMT
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Singapore, Singapore	Sat, 27 Nov 2021 at 16:30 SGT
Australian Eastern Time, AET	Sat, 27 Nov 2021 at 19:30 AEDT
Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia	Sat, 27 Nov 2021 at 16:30 MYT

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Programme Outline

- 1400 **Welcome** – Lord John Thomas (SIFoCC Steering Group Chair) [3 mins]
- 1405 **Opening remarks** –Hon’ble Dr. Justice D.Y. Chandrachud, Supreme Court of India, Chair of E-Committee [10 mins]
- 1415 **Session 1 - technology and AI, in court and in business**

Sub points:

- **What court technology will be continued or developed post-pandemic?**
- **How do we define “AI” in the context of dispute resolution; what is it and what is it not?**
- **What do we have to gain from AI in dispute resolution and what do we have to be concerned about?**
- **How do we prepare for technology and AI in court? What type of procedural rules and safeguards will technology and AI in dispute resolution require?**
- **How do we bring lawyers and users - and other judicial colleagues - with us in using technology and (where appropriate) AI in dispute resolution?**
- **How do we prepare for technology and AI in business? How do we keep judges abreast of technology in commerce in order that they can understand the cases that they will hear?**

Speaker 1 – Rt Hon Lord Justice Birss, Deputy Head of Civil Justice, England and Wales [7 mins]

Speaker 2 – Hon’ble Mr. Justice Rajiv Shakdher, High Court of Delhi [7 mins]

1430 Facilitated peer to peer discussion around the table

1450 **Session 2 – addressing backlog and complexification**

Sub points:

- **How complex can an individual case get, and why?**
- **What are the expectations of the parties in a complex case, especially internationally and in business?**
- **What are the wider consequences of a highly complex case in the system?**
- **What enhanced case management techniques (and use of technology) are available or needed for cases of the greatest complexity?**
- **Can we establish what causes backlog in a legal system?**
- **What enhanced case management techniques (and use of technology) are available or needed for addressing backlog?**
- **Is technology the author of complexity and backlog or part of the answer?**

Speaker 1 – Chief Justice Sundaresh Menon, Supreme Court of Singapore [7 mins]

Speaker 2 – Hon’ble Dr. Justice Anita Sumanth, High Court of Madras [7 mins]

1505 Facilitated peer to peer discussion around the table

1520 **Session 3 - technology and AI in an integrated system of courts, arbitration and mediation**

Sub points:

- **What is the full potential of technology and AI in dispute resolution?**
- **Can we usefully move further towards seeing litigation, arbitration and mediation as integrated parts of one system rather than as alternatives?**
- **How can technology assist with this?**
- **How might this help with tackling complex cases and tackling backlog?**
- **Where can technology and AI make the multi-party cases or class actions of the future more manageable?**

Speaker 1 – Federal Judge Isabela Ferrari and Daniel Becker, Director of New Technologies of the Brazilian Centre for Mediation and Arbitration (CBMA) – Brazil [7 mins in total]

Speaker 2 – Hon’ble Mr. Justice G.S. Patel, High Court of Bombay [7 mins]

1535 Facilitated peer to peer discussion around the table

1550 **Closing remarks** – Justice Julie Ward, Chief Judge of Equity Division, New South Wales, Australia [5 mins]

1555 **Next steps and SIFoCC 2022** - Lord John Thomas [3 mins]

1600 **Close**

Attendees

- Hon'ble Dr. Justice D.Y. Chandrachud, Supreme Court of India, Chair of E-Committee
 - Hon'ble Mr. Justice Rajiv Shakdher, High Court of Delhi
 - Hon'ble Mr. Justice G.S. Patel, High Court of Bombay
 - Hon'ble Mr. Justice Atul Sreedharan, High Court of Madhya Pradesh
 - Hon'ble Dr. Justice Anita Sumanth, High Court of Madras
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- Lord Thomas, Chair of SIFoCC Steering Group
 - Chief Justice Sundaresh Menon of Singapore
 - Lord Justice Birss, Deputy Head of Civil Justice, England and Wales
 - Justice Julie Ward, Chief Judge in Equity, New South Wales, Australia
 - Federal Justice Nallini Pathmanathan, Malaysia
 - Federal Judge Marcus Livio, Director of Programmes at the National Council of Justice of Brazil
 - Federal Judge Isabela Ferrari, Brazil
 - Daniel Becker, Director of New Technologies of the Brazilian Center for Mediation and Arbitration (CBMA)
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- NJA Director – Justice A. P. Sahi

SIFoCC Secretariat

- Mr Justice Robin Knowles
- Grace Karrass
- Nike Adewale

Optional Pre-reading

- SIFoCC Work Themes – 2021-2022 (attached)
- [CJ Menon's Article on Complexification](#)
- [Victor Beauty or Beast Article](#)
- [SIFoCC Case Management Principles](#)

Please note:

- (1) Speakers are invited to take one or more sub points, of their choosing
- (2) The meeting will be recorded

Workshop on International Arbitration for High Court Judges
National Judicial Academy (NJA) in Collaboration with the Singapore
International Arbitration Centre – [SE-10]
11th & 12th December 2021

PROGRAM SCHEDULE

TIMING (IST)	THEME	SPEAKER
DAY 1		
11 th December 2021 (Saturday)		
10.00 AM - 10.05 AM	Opening Remarks - Ms. Gloria Lim, CEO, Singapore International Arbitration Centre	Dr. Matthew Secomb
10.05 AM - 10.10 AM	Opening Remarks - Hon'ble Mr. Justice Amreshwar Pratap Sahi, Director, National Judicial Academy	
10.10 AM - 11.10 AM	SESSION 1 International Commercial Arbitration ➤ Introduction <ul style="list-style-type: none">○ What is arbitration○ Reasons for international arbitration○ Contemporary conventions and treaties (e.g., New York Convention etc.)○ Contemporary national legislation (UNCITRAL Model law etc.)○ Ad hoc v. Institutional Arbitration; and○ Distinction between commercial, investor-state, and state to state arbitration. ➤ Formal and substantive validity requirements of international arbitration agreements	
	➤ Choice of law in international commercial arbitration	
11.10 AM – 11.25 AM	(Discussion/Q&A)	
11.25AM - 11.45AM	BREAK	
11.45AM – 12.45 PM	SESSION 2 International Commercial Arbitration ➤ Soft law in international arbitration (IBA Guidelines on conflict of interest and taking of evidence, UNCITRAL Notes on organizing arbitration proceedings)	Mr. Siraj Omar
	➤ Overview of the legal framework of international arbitration <ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Legal concept of “seat” or “place” of arbitration○ Difference between “seat” and “venue” and○ Curial law ➤ Evidence taking in international arbitrations	
12.45 PM – 01.00 PM	(Discussion/Q&A)	

DAY 2 12th December 2021 (Sunday)		
10.00 AM - 11.00 AM	SESSION 3 Arbitration at Singapore International Arbitration Centre <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Introduction to SIAC ➤ Case Management Role of SIAC ➤ The Role of the SIAC Court, SIAC President, SIAC Registrar and the SIAC Secretariat in Pre-Constitution Applications ➤ Constitution of the Tribunal ➤ Special Procedures under the SIAC Rules <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Multi-Contract ○ Consolidation ○ Joinder ○ Early Dismissal ○ Expedited Procedure ○ Emergency Arbitrator ○ Arb-Med-Arb Protocol 	Mr. Francis Xavier
11.00 AM – 11.15 AM	(Discussion/Q&A)	
11.15AM - 11.45AM	BREAK	
11.45AM – 12.45 PM	SESSION 4 Drafting Arbitral Awards <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Overview of the legal framework for international arbitration awards <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ The definition of an arbitral award; ○ Applicable international legal convention; ➤ Due Process Considerations in Drafting Arbitral Awards ➤ Use of Tribunal Secretaries and Party and Tribunal Appointed Experts ➤ Form and Contents of Arbitral Award ➤ Quantification of Damages ➤ Interest and Costs ➤ Setting aside, and recognition and enforcement of awards 	Dr. Michael Hwang
12.45 PM – 01.00 PM	(Discussion/Q&A)	

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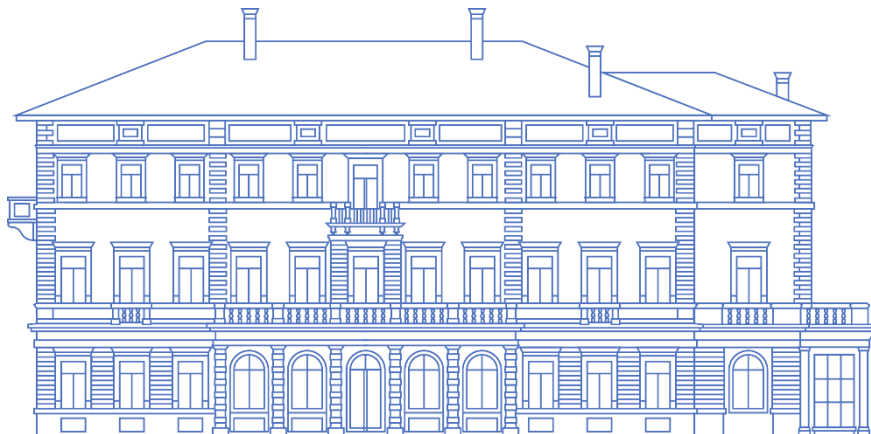
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Adjudicating Terrorism Cases

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AGENDA

Zoom link:

<https://www.zoomgov.com/j/1609579849?pwd=K1ZTOTJnQVVLVTYyTGczWFBlN2RmZz09>

Pre-recorded material:

Welcome: Program Overview & Introduction to Faculty

Welcome to this collaborative workshop on Adjudicating Terrorism Cases. Information about the program, faculty bios, assigned reading materials, and links to the Zoom workshop sessions are accessible on **CEELI Online**. Program participants are invited to post questions and greetings on the CEELI Online program portal **discussion board**.

Cyber: Electronic Evidence from Using Computers for Terrorist Purposes (60 minutes)

This session is pre-recorded and can be accessed on CEELI Online.

Terrorism networks throughout the world use the internet for recruitment, communication, illicit financial transactions, and instilling terror. Using computer networks in this way creates an electronic trail useful for attribution and other purposes. This electronic trail often involves technologies not well understood by judges. We will review some of the ways in which use of the Internet for terrorist purposes creates an electronic trail.

Mr. Anthony V. Teelucksingh, Prosecutor, Computer Crime & Intellectual Property Section, U.S. Department of Justice

Available on CEELI Online

Tuesday, February 22:

The Hague Memorandum and the Judicial Role in Countering Terrorism (90 minutes)¹

5:30 PM IT | 1:00 PM CET | 7:00 AM ET

The Hague Memorandum on Good Practices for the Judiciary in Adjudicating Terrorism Offenses was developed through a series of consultations with judges and legal experts from around the world. It features guidance for judges on the broad range of practical, procedural, and evidentiary issues that may arise. This session will introduce the Hague 'Good Practices' and address the judge's role overseeing fair and efficient proceedings during terrorism-related criminal cases.

Hon. John Tunheim, Chief Judge, U.S. District Court for the District of Minnesota

Wednesday, February 23:

The Fair and Just Trial (90 minutes)

5:30 PM IT | 1:00 PM CET | 7:00 AM ET |

International conventions and India's constitution guarantee the accused a fair trial. In terrorism cases, judges must overcome strong public sentiment -- amplified by media coverage and sometimes even statements by political figures -- that anyone charged with a terrorism crime is guilty. Judges are tasked with ensuring the accused receives fair treatment, due process, and access to competent defense counsel. This includes being vigilant about evidence tainted by torture or other coercive or illegal methods. During this session, we will discuss the fair trial due process standards set forth in the Hague Memorandum and how judges can most effectively ensure they are met.

Hon. Barbara Rothstein, District Judge, U.S. District Court for the Western District of Washington

¹ All 90-minute sessions include a 10-minute tea break

Thursday, February 24:

Guidelines for the Use and Protection of Evidence from Intelligence Sources (90 minutes)

5:30 PM IT | 1:00 PM CET | 7:00 AM ET

One of the most difficult issues in terrorism cases is the use of information that is gathered through intelligence activities. Will the prosecutor be seeking to use information that is secret or classified by law? During this session we will review the steps judges can take to enable defense access to essential evidence and its potential introduction at trial without compromising national security.

Hon. Jeremy Fogel (Ret.), Director, Berkeley Judicial Institute

Friday, February 25:

Media (90 minutes)

8:30 AM IT | 4:00 AM CET | 10:00 PM ET | 7:00 PM California on Thursday Feb. 24

The impact of a terrorist incident is felt throughout a society and, as a result, terrorism trials generate significant public interest and media attention. Other criminal cases are newsworthy and may attract journalists, but terrorism trials will place much different demands on the judge and the court. What strategies and tools can judges use to prevent the media from becoming a distraction and impacting a fair trial?

Hon. David O. Carter, District Judge, U.S. District Court for the Central District of California

Monday, February 28:

Indian Legislation (90 minutes)

5:30 PM IT | 1:00 PM CET | 7:00 AM ET

The Hague Memorandum offers general guidance for judges around the world on how to manage terrorism trials. This session will have a narrower focus: India's domestic legislation that addresses terrorism offenses and national security issues. We will review key provisions of India's Penal Code, Code of Criminal Procedure, India's Evidence Act, the Unlawful Activities Prevention Act, the Prevention of Terrorism Act, and the Maharashtra Control of Organized Crime Act. We will also discuss some of the most significant Supreme Court decisions in this area.

Hon. Justice Kotishwar Singh, Judge, Gauhati High Court

Tuesday, March 1:

Framing the Charges (90 minutes)

5:30 PM IT | 1:00 PM CET | 7:00 AM ET

Framing of charges in a criminal case is a judicial function. If the judge concludes that there is sufficient evidence to proceed to trial, it is the judge's obligation to inform the defendant of the allegations against him.

This is the essence of framing the charges and the process requires judges to engage with the legal issues early and thoughtfully. Terrorism cases are complex. Judges must be especially diligent as they sort through the allegations against the accused and carefully frame the charges in a clear and concise manner that comports with due process.

Hon. Justice P.N. Prakash, Judge, Madras High Court

Wednesday, March 2:

Terrorism Trials, Security, and Witness Protections (90 minutes)

5:30 PM IT | 1:00 PM CET | 7:00 AM ET

The violence of terrorism may infiltrate the sanctity of the courthouse. This can include pressure or physical harm directed at judges, danger during court proceedings, and threats to the security of cooperating witnesses. We will explore strategies judges and court officials can undertake to deter and prevent these threats.

As with any criminal case, a terrorism trial may include testimony from victims, witnesses, and family members. It may be necessary to protect their safety and shield their identity. In some cases, witnesses have a close relationship with the defendants and are often fearful of giving testimony and suspicious of press coverage. We will also discuss the court's role in protecting the rights of witnesses and victims.

Hon. Justice Joymala Bagchi, Judge, Calcutta High Court

Thursday, March 3:

Judicial Management of Terrorism Cases (90 minutes)

8:30 AM IT | 4:00 AM CET | 10:00 PM ET | 6:00 PM AK on Wed. March 2 (Anchorage)

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Hon. Timothy Burgess, District Judge, U.S. District Court for the District of Alaska

Pulling it all Together (15 minutes)

10:00 AM IT | 5:30 AM CET | 11:30 PM ET

This program addressed the many legal and procedural issues judges confront when presiding over a terrorism trial. It included an overwhelming amount of new information to process. We will take the last ten minutes of this workshop to discuss a few of the workshop's central 'takeaways.'

Ms. Mira Gur-Arie, Director, International Judicial Relations Office, Federal Judicial Center (Washington, D.C.)

Closing Session

10:15 AM IT | 5:45 AM CET | 11:45 PM ET

National Judicial Academy Director A.P. Sahi will close the program and offer his reflections about the role of judges in complex criminal litigation.

Hon. A.P. Sahi, Director, National Judicial Academy (Bhopal)



E-lecture series for officers posted at AR Offices and Field Officers of CBIC

[Online Mode]

[22nd April, 29th April, 6th May & 20th May 2022]

Programme Schedule

DAY 1 22nd April, 2022 (Friday)	
Session/Time	Theme
Session 1 03:30 PM – 05:00 PM <u>04:45 PM – 05:00 PM</u> Q & A / Open Discussion	Constitutional Authority to Tax and Basis of Taxation <u>Scope of Discussion</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Constitutional Scheme and Basic principles of taxation- Various aspects of taxation like- double taxation, retrospective taxation, principles of equity in taxation- Distinction between various kinds of tax and fee- Power to issue circulars and binding nature of circulars <u>Speakers</u> <i>Justice G. Raghuram</i> <i>Justice Mohammed Shafiq</i>
DAY 2 29th April, 2022 (Friday)	
Session 2 03:30 PM – 05:00 PM <u>04:45 PM – 05:00 PM</u> Q & A / Open Discussion	Endemic Pathologies in Assessment Proceedings <u>Scope of Discussion</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Principles of Natural Justice and its Application in Tax Assessment Proceedings- Interpretation of Tax Statutes: Core Principles- Role of Adjudicators: Balancing the interests of Citizens and Revenue <u>Speakers</u> <i>Justice Anita Sumanth</i> <i>Mr. Sujit Ghosh</i>

DAY 3 6th May, 2022 (Friday)	
Session 3 03:30 PM – 05:00 PM <u>04:45 PM – 05:00 PM</u> Q & A / Open Discussion	Appreciation of Evidence including Electronic Evidence in Taxation Proceedings <u>Scope of Discussion</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Relevancy, authenticity and admissibility of electronic records • Contours of Section 65-B in light of relevant case law jurisprudence • Common Errors in Appreciation of Evidence <u>Speakers</u> <i>Justice Vineet Kothari</i> <i>Mr. Ajay Vohra</i>
DAY 4 20th May, 2022 (Friday)	
Session 4 03:30 PM 05:00 PM <u>04:45 PM – 05:00 PM</u> Q & A / Open Discussion	Judicial Ethics, Judging Skills and Objectivity in Decision Making <u>Scope of Discussion</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Art, Craft and Science of Drafting Judgments - Significance of Reasoning in Orders - Demeanor of the Presiding Officer <u>Speakers</u> <i>Justice Sunil Ambwani</i> <i>Justice AK Jayasankaran Nambiar</i>

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