

Refresher Course for Family Courts (P-1126)

12th-16th October, 2018

Programme Schedule

Programme Co-ordinator – Ms. Shruti Jane Eusebius & Shashwat Gupta, Faculty, NJA

DAY 1 October 12, 2018 Friday	SESSION 1 10:00 AM– 11:30 AM Constitutional and Legislative Mandate of Family Courts Speakers Ms. Flavia Agnes Ms. Geeta Ramaseshan	T E A B R E A K	SESSION 2 12:00 PM – 01:30 PM Family Courts: Developing the Relevant Judicial Persona Speakers Ms. Flavia Agnes Ms. Geeta Ramaseshan	L U N C H B R E A K	SESSION 3 2:30 PM – 4:00 PM Communication Skills and Techniques for Effective Resolution of Family Disputes Speakers Ms. Geeta Ramaseshan Ms. S. Susheela
DAY 2 October 13, 2018 Saturday	SESSION 4 10:00 AM– 11:30 AM Counselling, Conciliation & Mediation in Resolving Family Disputes—Relevance and Importance Speaker: Mr. Sudhir Kumar Jain Chair: Dr. Justice Shalini S. Phansalkar Joshi	A B R E A K	SESSION 5 12:00 PM – 01:30 PM Significance of Couple Therapy & Group Therapy in Matrimonial Disputes Speaker: Dr. Harish Shetty Chair: Dr. Justice Shalini S. Phansalkar Joshi	C H B R E A K	SESSION 6 2:30 PM – 4:00 PM Understanding Family Disputes: A Psycho-social Approach Speaker: Dr. Abraham P. Ruby Chair: Dr. Justice Shalini S. Phansalkar Joshi
DAY 3 October 14, 2018 Sunday	SESSION 7 10:00 AM– 11:30 AM Role of Judges in Divorce Proceedings Panel Justice Mridula R. Bhatkar Dr. Justice K.J. Thaker Dr. Justice Shalini S. Phansalkar Joshi	A K	SESSION 8 12:00 PM – 01:30 PM Maintenance Proceedings: Radical Approach of Family Courts Panel Justice Mridula R. Bhatkar Dr. Justice K.J. Thaker Dr. Justice Shalini S. Phansalkar Joshi Mr. Anil Malhotra	B R E A K	SESSION 9 2:30 PM – 4:00 PM Adjudication of Property Disputes by Family Courts: Challenges & Solutions Panel Justice Mridula R. Bhatkar Dr. Justice K.J. Thaker Dr. Justice Shalini S. Phansalkar Joshi

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<p>DAY 4</p> <p>October 15, 2018 Monday</p>	<p align="center"><u>SESSION 10</u> <u>10:00 AM– 11:30 AM</u></p> <p align="center">Child Custody and Guardianship: Issues and Challenges</p> <p align="center">Speakers Justice K. Hema Mr. Anil Malhotra</p> <p align="center">Chair: Justice Ved Prakash Sharma</p>	<p>T E A B R E A K</p>	<p align="center"><u>SESSION 11</u> <u>12:00 PM – 01:30 PM</u></p> <p align="center">Psychological Perspectives to Determine Best Interests of the Child</p> <p align="center">Speaker Dr. K. Jayasankara Reddy</p> <p align="center">Co-Chair Justice Ved Prakash Sharma Justice K. Hema</p>	<p>L U N C H B R E A K</p>	<p align="center"><u>SESSION 12</u> <u>2:30 PM – 4:00 PM</u></p> <p align="center">Gender Justice and Gender Bias: Maintaining Equilibrium</p> <p align="center">Speakers Justice Ved Prakash Sharma Justice K. Hema</p>
<p>DAY 5</p> <p>October 16, 2018 Tuesday</p>	<p align="center"><u>SESSION 13</u> <u>10:00 AM– 11:30 AM</u></p> <p align="center">Challenges and Constraints Affecting the Working of Family Courts</p> <p align="center">Panel Justice Ved Prakash Sharma Justice K. Hema Mr. Anil Malhotra</p> <p align="center">Chair: Justice Rajive Bhalla</p>		<p align="center"><u>SESSION 14</u> <u>12:00 PM – 01:15 PM</u></p> <p align="center">Strengthening the Family Courts: The Way Forward</p> <p align="center">Panel Justice Ved Prakash Sharma Justice K. Hema Justice Rajive Bhalla</p> <p align="center"><u>1:15 PM – 1:30 PM</u> Participants' Feedback</p>		

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