

TRAINING PROGRAM FOR MALDIVES JUDICIAL OFFICERS (SE-06)

12th to 15th December 2022

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PROGRAMME SCHEDULE (Tentative)

Day 1 11 th December 2022	Arrival at National Judicial Academy, Bhopal
SESSION & TIMING <i>All timings are in Indian Standard Time (IST)</i>	PROPOSED THEMES
DAY 2 12 th December 2022 (Monday)	
SESSION 1 10:00 AM -11:30 AM	Indian Judiciary: Organizational Structure, Jurisdiction and Approaches <u>Proposed Scope of Discussion</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hierarchy of courts in India and their jurisdiction • Epistolary jurisdiction of the Supreme Court • Judicial Activism
<i>11:30 AM - 12:00 Noon: Tea Break</i>	
SESSION 2 12:00 Noon - 01:30 PM	Goals, Role and Mission of Courts: Constitutional Vision of Justice <u>Proposed Scope of Discussion</u> <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
<i>01:30 PM – 2:30 PM: Lunch Break</i>	
SESSION 3 02:30 PM - 04:00 PM	Elements of Judicial Behaviour: Ethics, Neutrality and Professionalism <u>Proposed Scope of Discussion</u> <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
DAY 3 13 th December 2022 (Tuesday)	
SESSION 4 10:00 AM -11:15 AM	Judging Skills : Art, Craft and Science of drafting judgments <u>Proposed Scope of Discussion</u> <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

11:15 AM – 11:45 AM: Tea Break	
SESSION 5 11:45 AM - 01:00 PM	Judge the Master of the Court : Court Management & Case Management <u>Proposed Scope of Discussion</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
01:00 PM - 02:00 PM: Lunch Break	
SESSION 6 02:00 PM – 03:15 PM	Re-engineering Judicial Processes through ICT <u>Proposed Scope of Discussion</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
03:15 PM – 03:30 PM: Tea at Cafeteria	
<u>LOCAL TOUR</u>	
DAY 4 14th December 2022 (Wednesday)	
SESSION 7 10:00 AM -11:15 AM	Jurisprudence on Environmental Law: Contribution of the Supreme Court <u>Proposed Scope of Discussion</u> <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
11:15 AM - 11:45 AM: Tea Break	
SESSION 8 11:45 AM - 01:00 PM	Civil Justice Administration: Alternative Dispute Redressal System in India <u>Proposed Scope of Discussion</u> <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 • Recognition of Outcome by Court
01:00 PM - 02:00 PM: Lunch Break	

SESSION 9 02:00 PM – 03:15 PM	Criminal Justice Administration: Fair Trial and Human Rights <u>Proposed Scope of Discussion</u> <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
<i>03:15 PM – 03:30 PM: Tea at Cafeteria</i>	
<u>LOCAL TOUR</u>	
DAY 5 15th December 2022 (Thursday)	
SESSION 10 10:00 AM -11:30 AM	Principles of Evidence: Appreciation in Civil and Criminal Cases <u>Proposed Scope of Discussion</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Evidentiary Standards • Adaptation in Evidentiary Standards to meet Present Challenges • Reverse Burden of Proof • Forensic Evidence: Collection, Preservation & Appreciation • Evolution of Case Law Jurisprudence
<i>11:30 AM - 12:00 PM: Tea Break</i>	
SESSION 11 12:00 PM - 01:30 PM	Electronic Evidence: New Horizons, Collection, Preservation and Appreciation <u>Proposed Scope of Discussion</u> <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
Audit of the Course by Participants	
<i>01:00 PM onwards: Lunch at Cafeteria</i>	

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