

National Conference for High Court Justices on Gender Justice [P- 1409]

07th & 08th September, 2024

At National Judicial Academy (NJA), Bhopal

PROGRAMME SCHEDULE

Session/ Timing	Theme	Speakers
Day 1 07th September 2024 (Saturday)		
Session 1 10:30AM -11:30AM	Effective Access to Justice: Addressing Systemic Barriers & Obstacles <u>Proposed Scope of Discussion</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><i>Social Context Adjudication: Constitutional Perspectives</i><i>Decisional Autonomy, Right to Privacy, Intersectionality, Systemic Discrimination, Indirect Discrimination, Transitional Gender Justice, etc.</i><i>Role of Courts in Securing Gender Justice</i><i>Fair Trial Standards</i>	Justice Sunita Agarwal Justice Swarana Kanta Sharma
11:30 AM - 12:00 PM	Tea Break	
Session 2 12:00 PM - 01:30 PM	Gender Sensitivity in Courtroom & Judgment Writing <u>Proposed Scope of Discussion</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><i>Overcoming Judicial Bias & Gender Stereotypes</i><i>Gender Appropriate Language & Expressions</i><i>International and National Best Practices on Judges Applying a Gender Perspective in Judging</i>	Justice Sunita Agarwal Justice Sonia G. Gokani
01:30 PM - 02:30 PM	Lunch Break	
Session 3 02:30 PM - 04:00 PM	LGBTQIA + and Transgender – Socio-Legal Dimensions <u>Proposed Scope of Discussion</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><i>Rethinking Sex & Gender: Issues of Identity</i><i>Stereotyping & Behavioral Norms - Gender Mainstreaming & Inclusivity</i><i>Portrayal of Genders: Role of Different Media</i>	Justice Swarana Kanta Sharma Justice Sonia G. Gokani
04:00 PM	Tea Break	
06:00 PM	Movie Screening for Participating Judges	

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Day 2 08th September 2024 (Sunday)		
Session 4 10:00AM -11:30AM	<p style="text-align: center;">Women in the Workplace: Remedies Under POSH Act, 2013</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Proposed Scope of Discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Women Judges: Experience Sharing</i> • <i>Breaking the Glass Ceiling: Challenges & Roadblocks in Ascending the Professional Ladder</i> • <i>Role of Judges in Preventing Sexual Harassment at Workplace</i> • <i>Devising Gender Sensitive & Non-stigmatizing Responses to Workplace Harassment</i> 	<p>Justice Atul Sreedharan Justice Anubha Rawat Choudhary</p>
11:30 AM - 12:00 PM	Tea Break	
Session 5 12:00 PM - 01:30 PM	<p style="text-align: center;">Digital Transformation in Indian Judicial System: Enhancing Access to Justice</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Proposed Scope of Discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>ICT Advancement in the Indian Judiciary: Challenges and Best Practices</i> • <i>Court & Case Management – National Judicial Data Grid (NJDG), Case Information Software (CIS), Electronic Case Management Tools (ECMT)</i> • <i>Bridging the Digital Divide: Role of e-Services (E-filing, e-payments, Virtual Courts, ICJS, Video Conferencing)</i> • <i>Ensuring Safety and Accountability of Stakeholders</i> 	<p>Justice Atul Sreedharan Justice Sanjeev S. Kalgaonkar</p>
01:30 PM - 01:45 PM	Audit of the Course by Participant Judges	
01:45 PM	Lunch Break & Departure	

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