

SPECIAL TRAINING PROGRAMME FOR CIVIL JUDGE JUNIOR DIVISION (SE-04)

4th – 8th August, 2025

PROGRAM SCHEDULE

| SESSION & TIMING | THEMES |
|--|---|
| DAY 1 4th August, 2025 (Monday) | |
| SESSION 1 10:00 AM -11:30 AM | Vision of Justice & Judicial Values <u><i>Proposed Scope of Discussion</i></u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Constitutional Vision of Justice• Facets of Justice: Social, Economic, and Political• Rule of Law & Role of Judiciary• Expeditious & Accessible Justice: Experiences, Challenges & Potential Solutions |
| 11:30 AM - 12:00 PM | TEA BREAK |
| SESSION 2 12:00 PM - 01:30 PM | Art, Craft, and Science of Writing Judgments <u><i>Proposed Scope of Discussion</i></u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Judgments as the Voice of the Court• Significance of Reasoning in Judgments & Orders• Language & Law: Brevity & Coherence in Judgments• Judgments on Admissions• Discussion on <i>Suo Moto Writ Petition (Crl) No. (S) 1/2017 In Re: To Issue certain Guidelines Regarding Inadequacies and Deficiencies in Criminal Trials v. State of Andhra Pradesh & Others</i> |
| 1:30 PM - 2:30 PM | LUNCH BREAK |
| SESSION 3 2:30 PM – 4:00 PM | Judicial Conduct, Judicial Discipline & Responsibility of Judges <u><i>Proposed Scope of Discussion</i></u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Judicial Discipline & Responsibility• Judicial Arrogance and Judicial Humility• Standards and Expectations from Judges• Bangalore Principles of Judicial Conduct• Restatement of Judicial Values |
| 4:00 PM - 4:30 PM | Tea |
| DAY 2 5th August, 2025 (Tuesday) | |
| SESSION 4 10:00 AM -11:30 AM | Injunction Matters: CPC & Specific Relief Act <u><i>Proposed Scope of Discussion</i></u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Law Relating to <i>Ad interim</i> injunction & Temporary injunctions• Approach of Civil Judge in granting or refusing <i>Ad interim</i> injunctions• Compliance of R 3A (Order 39) and consequences of non-compliance• Supreme Court Guidelines for Speedy Disposal of Civil Matters |

| SESSION & TIMING | THEMES |
|--|---|
| 11:30 AM –12:00 PM | TEA BREAK |
| SESSION 5 12:00 PM - 01:30 PM | Gender Justice & Intersectionality <u><i>Proposed Scope of Discussion</i></u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Religion, Caste & Disability Gender Sensitivity in Court Language Addressing Bias & Stereotypes in Adjudication Supreme Court on Gender Justice |
| 01:30 PM - 02:30 PM | LUNCH BREAK |
| SESSION 6 2:30 PM- 4:00 PM | Judiciary and Media: Need for Balance <u><i>Proposed Scope of Discussion</i></u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Media Reporting of Judicial Proceedings: Concerns & Solutions Media Trial <i>vis-à-vis</i> Judicial Ethics Freedom of Media in the Digital Age Judges & Social Media: Care & Caution |
| DAY 3 6th August, 2025 (Wednesday) | |
| SESSION 7 10:00 AM -11:30 AM | Criminal Justice Administration <u><i>Proposed Scope of Discussion</i></u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Elements of Fair Trial Triple Method of Plea Bargaining, Compounding & Probation: Discussion in light of the Apex Court's suggestions in <i>Re: Policy Strategy for Grant of Bail, 2022 SCC OnLine SC 1487</i> Victim Participation in the Criminal Justice System |
| 11:30 AM - 11:45 AM | TEA BREAK |
| SESSION 8 11:45 AM - 1:00 PM | Role of Magistrate in Remand & Bail <u><i>Proposed Scope of Discussion</i></u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Jail or Bail: Balancing Individual Liberty with Societal Interest Role of Magistrate at First Production of Arrested Accused Guidelines in <i>Sidharth v. State of U.P., (2022) 1 SCC 676 & Satender Kumar Antil v. CBI & another (2023) 1 SCC (Cri) 1</i> Conditions for Bail: Identifying Permissible vs. Extraneous Conditions |
| SESSION 9 1:00 PM - 2:15 PM | Electronic Evidence: New Horizons, Collection, Preservation, and Appreciation <u><i>Proposed Scope of Discussion</i></u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cybercrimes: Advances & Bottlenecks Collection & Preservation of Electronic Evidence Relevancy, Authenticity, and Admissibility of Electronic Evidence Appreciation of Electronic Evidence under old & new laws |
| 2:15 PM- 3:00 PM | LUNCH BREAK |
| 3:15 PM Onwards | LOCAL ACADEMIC TOUR |

| SESSION & TIMING | THEMES |
|---|--|
| DAY 4 7th August, 2025 (Thursday) | |
| SESSION 10 10:00 AM -11:30 PM | Sentencing Policy under BNS, 2023 <u><i>Proposed Scope of Discussion</i></u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Innovative Changes and New Offences Community Service Minimum Mandatory Sentences |
| 11:30 AM –12:00 PM | TEA BREAK |
| SESSION 11 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM | Alternatives to Traditional Judging <u><i>Proposed Scope of Discussion</i></u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Exploring ways to Handle Huge Pendency Alternative Dispute Resolution u/Section 89 CPC Role of the Court in Enabling Settlement Important Aspects of the Mediation Act, 2023 People's Court/ Lok Adalats |
| 01:30 PM - 2:15 PM | LUNCH BREAK |
| SESSION 12 4:15 PM- 5:45 PM | Movie in the Auditorium - 02:15 PM Onwards Group Presentation & Discussion on Different Aspects of the Movie |
| DAY 5 8th August, 2025 (Friday) | |
| SESSION 13 10:00 AM -11:30 PM | AI and Judicial Governance <u><i>Proposed Scope of Discussion</i></u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Origin & Evolving Concept of AI: An Overview AI as a Tool in Judicial Management: International & Indian Perspectives Striking a Balance between Transparency & Confidentiality Issues and Challenges posed by AI: Implications, Liability & Accountability |
| 11:30 AM – 12:00 PM | TEA BREAK |
| SESSION 14 12:00 PM - 01:30 PM | Judicial Stress and Wellness <u><i>Proposed Scope of Discussion</i></u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Occupational Stress in Judging Stress Management Techniques & Tools Mindfulness: Staying Focused on Task Adapting to Change- Psycho-social adjustments |
| Feedback and Audit of the Course by Participants | |
| Lunch & Departure | |

| Sr. No. | Name & Designation | Phone | Email id |
|----------------|-----------------------------------|--------------|----------------------------|
| 1. | Ms Ankita Pandey, Research Fellow | 8319686620 | ankitap.nja@gmail.com |
| 2. | Mr Krishna Sisodia, Law Associate | 8770427535 | krishna.sisodia@nja.gov.in |

Administrative Assistance

| Sr. No. | Name & Designation | Phone | Email id |
|----------------|--|--------------|--------------------------|
| 1. | Mr Chetan Nehete (Event manager) | 9425601233 | nchetan@nja.gov.in |
| 2. | Mr Salman Khan (Protocol Officer) | 9425601212 | liaisonoffice@nja.gov.in |
| 3. | Mr Ranjan Verma (Manager, Hospitality) | 9425648964 | ranjan.verma@nja.gov.in |