

Schedule of the Two Day 6th Annual Research Conference on Contemporary Legal Scholarship cum Legal Research Skills Training Workshop

DAY 1 : 16 SEPTEMBER, 2017

TIME	EVENT	ATTENDEES
09:30am-10:00am	Registration & Induction	Conference & Workshop Delegates
10:00am-10:30am	TEA & BREAKFAST	Conference & Workshop Delegates
10:30am-11:00am	Inaugural Ceremony	Conference & Workshop Delegates
11:00AM-01:00PM	PLENARY SESSION: Emerging Trends in Legal Research: National & International	Conference & Workshop Delegates
01:00PM - 02:00PM	LUNCH	Conference & Workshop Delegates
02:00PM-03:30PM	Workshop Module 1 • Data Interpretation and Analysis including Legal Textual Analysis • Application of Statistical Method and Qualitative Textual Analysis in Legal Research • SPSS and Atlas Ti	Workshop Delegates only
03:30PM-04:00PM	TEA BREAK	Workshop Delegates only
04:00PM-05:30PM	Workshop Module 1[M2] Data Collection: Tools and Techniques for Qualitative Method Research Ethics, Citation and References	Workshop Delegates only
05:30PM-06:00PM	Take Home Assignment	Workshop Delegates only

DAY 2: 17 SEPTEMBER 2017

TIME	EVENT	ATTENDEES
10:00AM-11:00AM	Discussion on the Take Home Assignment	Workshop Delegates only
11:00AM-01:00PM	Workshop Module 3 • Comparative Aspects of Doctrinal & Non-Doctrinal Legal Research • Law Reform Research	Workshop Delegates only
01:00PM-02:00PM	LUNCH	Conference & Workshop Delegates
02:00PM-04:00PM	Parallel Tracks of Conference Presentation Track I: International Law and Human Rights Track II: Public Law and Governance Track III: Business Laws Track IV: IPR, Technology and Innovation Laws	Conference Delegates
04:00pm-05:00pm	Concluding Remarks On Workshop & Conference	Conference & Workshop Delegates
05:00pm-05:30pm	Valedictory Ceremony	Conference & Workshop Delegates

Registration Fee

	For participation in Workshop	For participation in Conference
Indian Delegates	Rs.5000	Rs.1500
International Delegates from Developed Countries: Example USA and Europe	USD 200	USD 70
International Delegates from SAARC Countries	USD 100	USD 35

(50% discount will be applicable for Faculty or student of Symbiosis International University only)
(Limited seats are available in the workshop, based on merit and first-come basis)

Conference Committee

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**Sixth Annual Research Conference
On
Contemporary Legal Scholarship
cum Legal Research Skills
Training Workshop - 2017**

Date: 16th & 17th September, 2017
Time: 10:00 am – 5:00 pm

Venue
Symbiosis Law School, Pune
Near Airport, Viman Nagar, Pune

About Pune

Famously known as the Oxford of the East, Pune hosts a vibrant and talented youth culture from all around the world. Pune surrounded by the Western Ghats is the second largest city in the state of Maharashtra and invites every academic for an intellectual retreat. The latest addition on the 100 smart cities in India, placed at just a 3 hour drive from Mumbai, Pune has culminated into a hub for business, IT and higher studies due to its geographical location. It is hailed as the cultural capital of Maharashtra aside being the eight largest metropolis in India. Once the centre of power of the Maratha Empire, in recent years Pune has developed strong educational infrastructure and fostered talented young minds in diversified fields of study. Thus, it is a city of many opportunities and cultures.

Climate

Pune has a tropical wet and dry climate with average temperatures ranging between 20 to 28 °C (68 to 82 °F) in September.

September is the last month of monsoon. Heavy rainfall is expected in 2017. Hence the participants are requested to carry raincoats and umbrellas.

How to reach Symbiosis Law School, Pune

The campus of Symbiosis Law School, Pune is located Opposite Pune International Airport, VIP Road, Viman Nagar, Pune – 411014. It is about 7 km away from Pune Railway Station, and 14 km away from Shivajinagar Bus Stand.

About Symbiosis International University, Pune

Prof. Dr. S B Mujumdar established Symbiosis on the principles of Vedic thought of "World as One Family" and is resplendent of the activities and students of several countries. Symbiosis International University has established institutes across the 7 faculties: Law, Management, Computer Studies, Health & Bio-medical Sciences, Media, Communication & Design, Humanities & Social Sciences and Engineering. It is host to over 27,000 Indian and International students on campus. Recently Symbiosis International University was re-accredited by UGC NAAC with 'A' Grade. The University has collaborations with several renowned universities of the world and encourages students & faculty exchange and participation in various academic and research programmes.

About Symbiosis Law School, Pune

Symbiosis Law School (SLS) Pune stands for excellence in legal education and is a constituent of Symbiosis International University. It has over the years prominently featured in the top 10 Law colleges in the country. Bar Council has conferred SLS Pune with the gold star award in 2013. It is also conferred with the honour of being a core partner in the global network of legal institutes, the Erasmus Mundus, DAAD (German Academic Exchange Service) — a grant for bilateral Faculty student exchange with Leibniz University of Hannover, Brunswick European Law School of Ostfalia, University of Applied Sciences, Germany, membership of International Association of Law Schools (IALS), USA and Asian Law Institute, Singapore. Established in 1977, SLS Pune in a journey of 40 years has achieved various milestones in teaching, learning and research. SLS Pune imparts high quality education through its various programmes such as B.A.LL.B(Honors) / B.B.A LL.B(Honors), Three years LL.B, Master of Laws (LL.M), and different diploma programmes.

Symbiosis Centre for Advanced Legal Studies and Research (SCALSAR)

Symbiosis Law School, Pune encourages research and publications among faculty, students and peers and thus a separate centre called SCALSAR has been established. SCALSAR regularly conducts skills training programmes to groom the faculty and students in conducting research and publishing research in reputed and indexed journals. SCALSAR publishes Symbiosis Contemporary Law Journal (SCLJ) and Symbiosis Student Law Review (SSLR) through Lexis Nexis. SLS, Pune subscribes to the online databases, like Manupatra, SCC Online Case Finder, Westlaw, LexisNexis, Index to legal periodical, JSTOR, and other international databases like Kluwer Arbitration Online, Kluwer Patent Law Online, Kluwer Competition Law for research purposes. The papers presented at the Annual Conference are published in an ISSN Journal by SCALSAR. SLS, Pune also facilitates JRF/PhD coursework for the Faculty of Law, SIU.

About the Conference cum Workshop

The Annual Research Conference on Contemporary Legal Scholarship organized by SLS Pune since 2012 is a highly anticipated day in the calendar for legal scholars and students. This year we are happy to unfold the conference is a new format which includes a skills training workshop. The conference over the years has endowed a strong platform to discuss, collaborate and explore diverse issues in the field of legal studies. It invites some of the great minds from within and outside India to share

and discuss their ideas on contemporary research. SLS, Pune is extremely privileged to announce the **sixth edition of the Annual Research Conference on Contemporary Legal Scholarship cum Legal Research Skills Training Workshop** for the year 2017 in the month of September. For the very first time, the conference shall be held over the span of two days to accommodate a workshop designed especially for PhD scholars and other researchers to augment the legal research skills.

The conference cum workshop aims to provide a forum for participants at national level, to research and to test new ideas and further build on these ideas. It provides opportunities for enhanced research skills, future collaborations and joint publications.

The conference cum workshop is being conducted with four vital objectives:

1. To receive hands on training in legal research from the best in the fraternity
2. To bring together students and research scholars at national level to foster scholarly exchange of ideas.
3. To build collegial network and facilitate ongoing discourse
4. To present research work in progress, working papers, finished papers or research articles on law to the identified tracks, in supportive and encouraging environment where experts and scholars are available to review and comment.

The selected papers shall be published in a reputed Journal bearing ISSN after due review process.

Important Dates and Application

Particulars	Date
Registration by the Delegates Registration Requirements: 1. Application form* 2. Abstract for Conference (wishing to present in the track) 3. Research proposal for Workshop (wishing to participate in the workshop)	Start Date: 17 July 2017 End Date: 7 August 2017
Date for Intimation of Abstract/ proposal Acceptance & confirmation of Participation – By the Organizers	11 August 2017
Last date for full paper submission for the Conference – By the Delegates	26 August 2017
Date for Intimation of Acceptance of Paper / Presentation – By the Organizers	5 September 2017
Last date for Payment of Registration Fee and Form	10 September 2017
Conference Date	16 & 17 September 2017

Application Criteria :

1. For Delegates wishing to apply for Conference plus workshop:
 - Application Form as prescribed
 - Latest updated CV listing out their past Research experience
 - Statement of Purpose (max-300 words)
 - Research Proposal/ Outline (max-1500 words)
 - Submission of Abstract and Full paper if selected (optional for presenting at Conference)
2. For Delegates wishing to apply for Workshop only
 - Application Form as prescribed
 - Latest updated CV listing out their past Research experience
 - Statement of Purpose (max-300 words)
 - Research Proposal/ Outline (max-1500 words)
3. For Delegates wishing to apply for presenting at the Conference only
 - Application Form as prescribed
 - Submission of Abstract and Full paper if selected
4. For Delegates wishing to apply for attending the conference only
 - Application Form as prescribed

The Application form and all other required documents are available on our website and they should be filled and sent by email to slsparc2017@symlaw.ac.in

Payment Mode

a) The Registration fee can be paid by Demand Draft drawn in favour of Director, Symbiosis Law School, Pune payable at Pune. Please mention your name and the purpose behind the Demand Draft. The Demand Draft should be sent to the following address:

To,
Director, Symbiosis Law School, Pune
Survey No. 227, Plot No.11, Rohan Mithila, Opposite
Pune Airport, New VIP Road, Viman Nagar, Pune - 411014.
Ph: 020-66861100/18

b) Alternatively the Registration fee can be paid by NEFT (Electronic Funds Transfer)

NEFT Details are as follows:

Name of the A/C Holder: SS-SIU-SLS RECEIPT A/C
Name of the Bank: Bank of India
Branch Address: Karve Road Branch, Pune,
Maharashtra, India- 411004.
A/C No: 050310210000019
Type of Account: Saving Account
MICR No: 411013011 IFSC Code: BKID0000503
Swift Code: BKIDINBBPMB