

SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL, HYDERABAD

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CENTRE FOR HUMAN RIGHTS

TWO DAY NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON UNIFORM CIVIL CODE

18th & 19th, JANUARY 2020 Venue: Symbiosis Law School, Hyderabad









ABOUT US

"Symbiosis" means the interaction between two different organisms living in a close physical association. The idea of "Symbiosis" is nurtured on the Vedic principles of "Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam" which means the 'World is One Family'. The institute has always believed in nurturing the young minds to make them ready for a better tomorrow. Reliance has been placed on a student-centric philosophy which leads to innovation in teaching and learning, student affairs, academic programs, and health care.

Symbiosis Law School, Hyderabad (SLS-H) was established in the year 2014 and has now successfully blossomed into one of the premier law schools. It has been catering to the higher education of diverse group of students inheriting splendid novelty, dynamism, and excellence. Symbiosis Law School, Hyderabad is founded on pillars of expertise, justice, and service and is committed to impart quality legal education conforming to acclaimed International Standards.

OBJECTIVES OF THE CONFERENCE

The objective of the National Conference is to bring together academicians, legal practitioners, research scholars and the students on a single platform and to reflect upon the ongoing debate of Uniform Civil Code in India. It will also provide a great opportunity to analyze the concept, idea, and philosophy of the UCC. In consonance with the same, the outcomes of the conference would help to disseminate the further repercussions and implement this vital issue of concern. It will provide the participants a conducive platform to put forth their views in order to have a holistic understanding of the topic.

CONFERENCE THEME

Uniform Civil Code (UCC) is one of the most widely discussed issues across the country. With a plethora of opinions from different sects of society and of the constitutional makers, the need of introducing a provision relating to UCC was realized in order to cater to the needs of the people and also to bring uniformity in the personal laws. While the judiciary had time and again opined that the legislature must strive towards introducing UCC in the country, the Law Commission, on the other hand, in its consultation paper on reforms on Family Laws negated the application of UCC in the contemporary society. Several activists and social reformers have also deliberated in this regard and were of the opinion that, when there could be uniformity in all the other laws, then why should personal laws be any different?

Keeping in mind all these deliberations and growing concerns about UCC and its application in India, this Two-day Conference shall provide a platform for the participants to put forth their opinions and suggestions in the matter. It shall also aid in reflecting on how this concept per se can be used for the development of the people at large.

SUB-THEMES

- 1. Uniform Civil Code: Jurisprudential aspect.
- 2. Uniform Civil Code: Need & Importance.

- 3. Uniform Civil Code & Plurality under Indian Constitution.
- 4. Uniform Civil Code vis-a-vis Personal Laws.
- 5. Uniform Civil Code and Indian Judiciary.
- 6. Uniform Civil Code and Human Rights.
- 7. Uniform Civil Code versus Common Civil Code.
- 8. Uniform Civil Code: Social Problem or Political Agenda.
- 9. Uniform Civil Code: Issues and Challenges.

And any other topic related to the theme of the conference.

ELIGIBLITY

Research papers are invited from academicians, legal practitioners, research scholars and students. The papers should be author's original work and should not be the repetition of any published work. Selected research papers shall be published in a book carrying an ISBN number. The publication shall commence only after the conference and the same shall be communicated to author(s).

SUBMISSION AND PRESENTATION GUIDELINES

1. Submission must include-

i. Cover page ii. Abstract (Word Limit: 300-500 words)

iii. Full Paper (Word Limit: 3000-6000 words)

iv. The Abstract and the Full paper must be submitted in:

a. Font: Times New Roman (including footnotes)

- b. Font size: '12' on an A4 size paper
- c. Line Spacing: 1.5

d. Text alignment must be justified.

e. Footnote should follow uniform style of citation "Bluebook 20th Edition".

f. Font size '10' is to be maintained for Footnotes.

2. The Cover page shall consist of the following details: Title of the Paper, Name of the author(s), Official designation/institutional details, Address, E-mail Id and Contact details of the Author(s).

3. The subject of E-mail for submission of Abstract must be "National Conference - Submission of Abstract & Cover Page" and of Full Paper must be "National Conference: Submission of Full Paper".

4. The paper must be emailed to: <u>chr@slsh.edu.in</u>

5. All the participants have to present their research paper before the esteemed panel.

6. Author(s): A maximum of two authors are permitted per paper.

GUIDELINES FOR PAPER PRESENTATION

-The sessions will be grouped according to the theme of the paper. Each presenter will be given 10 minutes for the presentation of the paper.

-An open discussion shall be conducted after presentation of each paper.

-The paper presenters can make use of any suitable mode of presentation. It shall be upon the discretion of the author(s) to make use of presentation tools shall as PowerPoint, Prezi etc.

Note* - The abstract and the paper must align with the theme of the conference. The submission must be an original and will be subjected to plagiarism check.

IMPORTANT DATES

1.	Last Date of Abstract Submission	18 th Nov. 2019
2.	Intimation of Abstract Selection	25 th Nov. 2019
3.	Registration Date	30 th Dec. 2019
4.	Last Date of Final Paper Submission	12 th Jan. 2020
5.	Date of Conference	18-19 Jan. 2020

REGISTRATION

Once the Abstract is selected, participants will be sent a registration link via e-mail. The registration amount for the Conference is:

Students- Rs. 1500 -/Others- Rs. 2000 -/*The amount is inclusive of GST

The amount paid shall include:

Transportation (from city to college) Breakfast, Lunch, High tea & Dinner *Co-Authors have to register separately.

Accommodation shall be provided to outstation participants with separate charges subject to availability.

ABOUT THE ORGANISING COMMITTEE

Symbiosis Law School, Hyderabad provides its students with an opportunity to achieve expertise and specialization in different fields of law. In furtherance of the same, it facilitates its students and faculties to establish Centres of Specialization in different fields, the Centre for Human Rights being one of them. The Centre was established with an aim to spread awareness and knowledge about the Human Rights amongst the masses and to support and stand for the rights of the marginalized communities in our society, and try to bring a change in the perception of people. The Centre has conducted various lectures, workshops, seminars and field visits on diverse issues relating to Human Right violation across the country.

In two years of its establishment, the Centre has taken up many initiatives and organized various workshops and conferences at the institutional as well as at the National Level. As a part of its flagship events, the Centre has organized a lecture series on Future Prospects of Indian Law Graduates in the Middle East, a Two-Day National Seminar – CONVERSE'19 on 'Exploring the Contemporary Women Right Issues and Challenges, National Essay Writing Competition on Terrorism with specific reference to Human Rights. The Centre in close collaboration with the Edinboro University, USA has also been working on the refugee issues, in specific reference to the Rohingya Refugees situated in Bolapur, Hyderabad.

ChiefPatron	- Professor (Dr.) Sarfaraz Ahmed Khan	
Patron	- Dr. Anuradha Binnuri	
Research and publication Head	- Professor (Dr.) Sripathi Dwarkanath	
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