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**List of Number of professional development /administrative training programs
organized by the institution for teaching and non-teaching staff during the
AY 2022-2023**

| Dates (from-to) (DD-MM-YYYY) | Title of the professional development program organized for teaching staff | Title of the administrative training program organized for non-teaching staff | No. of participants |
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Date: 02/07/2023

Equal Opportunity Cell
Organizes
One Day Faculty Development Program

“REGULATING EMOTONS – A PATH TOWARDS RATIONAL LIVING”

Name of the activity

A full day Faculty Development Program (FDP) was conducted for teaching and support staff of Shankarrao Chavan Law College (SCLC) on 14th June, 2023 and 1st July, 2023 respectively. The topic of the faculty development program “Regulating Emotions- A Path Towards Rational Living”

Object of the activity and beneficiaries

- The motive for conducting this workshop was to improve the emotional quotient (EQ) of staff members, and in turn improve several other parameters like self-confidence, perception of their problems, relationships and overall quality of life.
- The session started with helping participants first understand about the theories of psychology and how psychology has evolved. The focus today on Positive psychology and cognitive theories was also emphasized.
- The beneficiaries of this faculty development program were teaching and non- teaching staff members of Shankarrao Chavan Law College, Pune.

Resource Person

The workshop was facilitated by **Ms. Dhanashree Ghare** who is the **Counselor at Marathwada Mitra Mandal group of Institutes**. She has a degree in Educational Psychology from Savitribai Phule Pune University (SPPU), and a further Masters (MS) and Specialist degree in Education (EdS) with concentration in School Psychology, from the University of Dayton, Ohio. She has been trained in Rational Emotive Behavior Therapy at the Institute of Psychological Health IPH.

Details of the Program

This one day faculty development program was organized by Dr. Renu Naidu, Chairperson Equal Opportunity Cell and Ms. Pooja Baghel, Program Coordinator, Equal Opportunity Cell of the College. This program was organized for teaching and non-teaching staff members on two different days concerning their work related issues and for better outcome of the program. This one day program was divided in three modules. Details are as follow:

MODULE 1 (90minutes) - The first module focused on understanding emotions, learning about the source of emotions. Certain misconceptions about emotions were clarified in this session. For example, the belief that we should never experience negative emotions is unscientific and based on our own assumptions. The evolution of brain was discussed and the latest research in brain studies was shared. The reason behind the experience of emotions was discussed and participants were made to think about the purpose of the different emotions and their importance in our lives.

Participants were encouraged to ask questions and think about the use of emotions from an evolutionary perspective. Understanding emotions then further led to acceptance of emotions, even if they may be making us uncomfortable. The 'acceptance' of emotions does not refer to passivity, but acceptance in a broader perspective based on scientific research.

We then looked at ways to regulate emotions. From the first module, we had learned that positive and negative emotions will be a part of our life, irrespective of our preference. We cannot completely switch on or off our emotions; however we can learn to reduce the intensity of our emotions so that they don't negatively impact our goals, relationships and health. Examples were provided to the participants to help them understand the automaticity of our beliefs and our reactions based on those beliefs.

This module further differentiated between the concepts of 'helpful' vs. 'unhelpful' emotions depending on the negative or positive impact they have on our health, goals and relationships.

MODULE II (90 minutes) - The second module helped participants to understand the ABCDE framework, which is a part of the Rational Emotive Behavior Therapy (REBT) developed by Dr. Albert Ellis. This is therapy that has a lot of empirical research studies to support its effectiveness. The crux of this theory is that human beings have rational and irrational patterns of thinking. Disturbance is caused by harboring irrational beliefs. We discussed the four irrational beliefs (IBs) that include –

- Demand from self/ others/ life conditions
- 'Awfulizing' / 'horriblizing'
- Frustration Intolerance
- Depreciation of Self/others

The Irrational beliefs were explained and discussed, and it was ensured that the participants understood the concepts well. The difference between 'rational' and 'irrational' was also explained using the parameters of flexibility, effect on goal and experience of extreme negative emotions. The last part of the module focused on disputing these beliefs using logical reasoning and other techniques. Participants were given practice sheets to strengthen the learning experience.

PRACTICE MODULE III (90 minute) – This final module focused on practice of the REBT skills learnt during the day, and clarification of doubts. The activities included fun filled ways like identifying and singing songs that have irrational vs. rational content. Challenges in the practice were discussed and the forum was open for any questions that the participants had. Participants were also asked to provide feedback for the sessions.

Participant feedback was requested. The feedback is attached with this report.

Feedback Report:

No. of feedback forms received – 30

Response options - 5 point scale ranging from 'Completely agree' to 'Completely disagree'

1. **The content of the workshop was of value to me**

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|------------------|-----|
| Completely agree | 90% |
| Agree | 10% |

2. I will be able to apply what I have learnt, to my life problems

Completely agree 85%
Agree 15%

3. The speaker was able to communicate the content in a way that was easy to understand

Completely agree 90%
Agree 10%

4. The workshop was interactive

Completely agree 95%
Agree 5%

5. What did you like about the workshop?

- Interactive session
- Interaction and the activities. The overall flow of the workshop was wonderful.
- I learnt how to deal with the life situations which can disturb me mentally, to deal with family situations, how to deal with the problems of my child, etc.
- Simplicity, clarity and communication of the Speaker.
- All sessions
- Activities on rational and irrational
- The concept of ABCD
- Simulations
- Tasks in the Workshop
- The speaker's method of easily communicating ideas.
- I liked the tasks in the workshop
- Presentation and discussion on Rational and Irrational
- Content
- All
- Activities by which the speaker made the session ALIVE
- The way it was arranged, the way speaker communicated about the subject by giving simple examples
- Practical
- Positive Motivation For Moving ahead in Life
- ABCD Formula
- Rational thinking idea

6. What are the areas where we can improve the workshop?

- Nil
- Nothing that I can point as of now.
- I think the workshop met all expectations. I am completely satisfied with the content of the workshop
- We can include family members of the employees.
- All is just perfect
- It was excellent
- How to handle the problems positively
- No
- It was excellent
- You may add activities based on real life situations.
- Instead of one day please try to organise more than Three Days
- Maintaining equanimity is difficult task it comes with the practice. So one aspect could be how to practice it can be encouraging.
- Stress management
- The speaker almost covered all the aspects but I think it should be for two days
- There can be better sitting arrangements for audience
- Nothing

Conclusion:

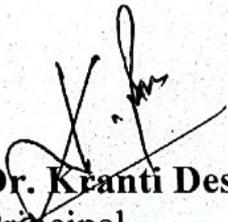
In this one day program we explored the foundational principles of REBT, a therapeutic approach that can be immensely beneficial not only in our professional lives but also in our personal lives. We've gained insights into how our thoughts, emotions, and behaviors are interconnected, and how identifying and challenging irrational beliefs can lead to more effective and emotionally resilient responses to life's challenges.

Throughout this workshop, we've delved into practical techniques and strategies for applying REBT in educational and workplace settings. We've discussed how to recognize and address common cognitive distortions and irrational beliefs that can hinder our effectiveness and well-being. We've also explored the ABCDE model, a useful tool for understanding the process of change and for developing a more rational and adaptive mindset.

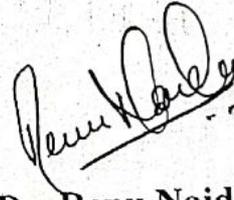
Moreover, the resource person Ms. Dhanashree Ghare provided us with the opportunity to engage in experiential exercises and group discussions, allowing us to practice and apply REBT concepts in real-life scenarios. These exercises have provided valuable insights and opportunities for

growth and professional development. It's essential to acknowledge that integrating REBT into our daily lives and work environments is an ongoing process.

As we move forward, she encouraged each participant to continue practicing and refining the skills learned in the sessions. Whether it's a teacher, administrator, counselor, or any other professional, the principles of REBT can help everyone better manage stress, improve communication, and foster a more positive and resilient mindset within ourself and among our colleagues and students.



Dr. Kranti Deshmukh
Principal
SCLC, Pune



Dr. Renu Naidu
Assistant Professor of Sociology
Chairperson Equal Opportunity Cell
SCLC, Pune

Glimpses of program







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Seven Days Faculty Development Programme on “Fundamentals of Legal Research Methodology and its Changing Contours in Contemporary Era”

Date: 16th October to 22nd October, 2022

Shankarrao Chavan Law College is committed to impart quality legal education to the masses. To achieve this objective, Institute mainly focus upon the enhancement of the various skills and knowledge of the students and faculties too. Faculty Development Programme is one of the steps towards achievement of the goal.

- **Object:**

This FDP was designed to understand the core concepts of the Legal Research Methodologies, to get acquainted with various socio-legal and ethical issues involved in the legal research methodologies, to comprehend various dimensions for impressive legal research writing and to know the current trends observed worldwide pertaining to the publication and plagiarism etc. To achieve these objectives, renowned speakers were invited in this FDP to address and enlighten our participants.

- **Beneficiaries:**

Total 140 participants across India, registered for this FDP and average 100 to 110 participants attended all the sessions in this FDP. The participants are Academicians, Research Scholars, Advocates and some participants are pursuing their LL.M. Degree as well.



• **Schedule and Details of the Program:**

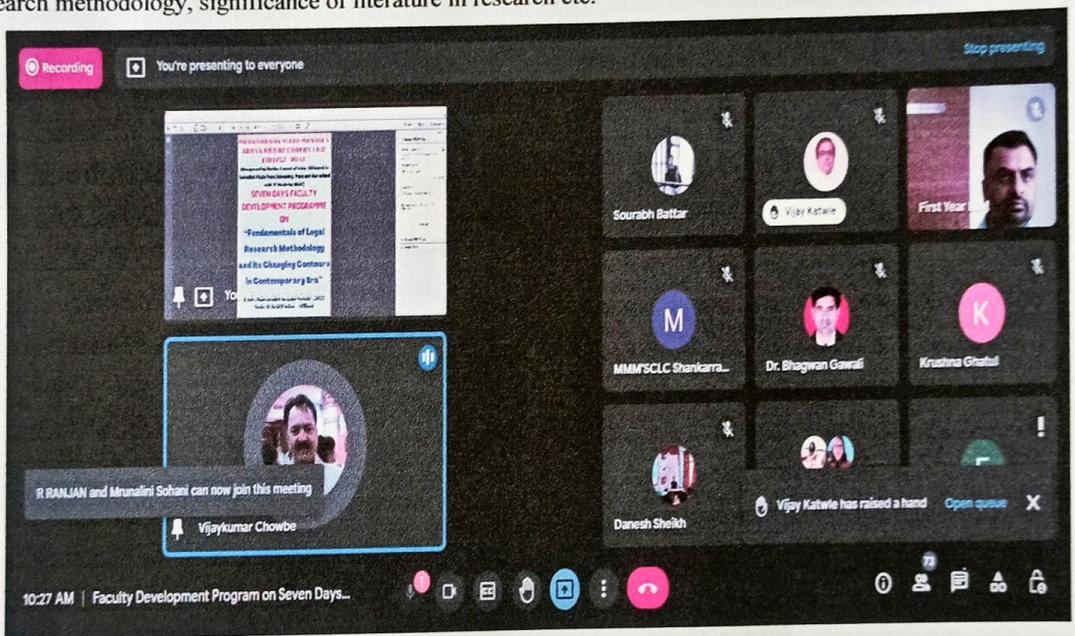
Schedule

| Sr. No. | Session | Date and Time | Name of the Resources | Topic |
|---------|---------|---|--|--|
| 1. | I | 16 th October, 2022 10:00am to 11:30 am | Dr. Vijaykumar Chowbe Pro-Vice-Chancellor Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University, Amravati | Inauguration of the FDP |
| 2. | II | 16 th October, 2022 01:30 to 02:45 pm | Prof. (Dr.) Durgambini Patel Dean, NMIMS, Mumbai & Former HOD, Department of Law, SPPU, Pune | Conceptual understanding of Socio- legal Research |
| 3. | III | 17 th October, 2022 10:00am to 11:15 am | Dr. Sairam Bhat Professor, NLU, Bengaluru | Identification of Research Topic |
| 4. | IV | 17 th October, 2022 01:30 to 02:45 pm | Dr. T.V. Subba Rao Professor-Emeritus, VIPS, Delhi | What is Hypothesis and Research Question? |
| 5. | V | 18 th October, 2022 10:00am to 11:15 am | Dr. Sandeepa Bhat Professor, The West Bengal National University of Juridical Sciences, Kolkata | Review of Literature and Current Trends |
| 6. | VI | 18 th October, 2022 01:30 to 02:45 pm | Dr. S. R. Myneni Academician | Use and Study of Quantitative Theory in Legal Research |
| 7. | VII | 19 th October, 2022 10:00am to 11:15 am | Dr. Manika Kamthan Asst. Prof., Symbiosis Law School, Pune | Rules of Citation in Research |
| 8. | VIII | 19 th October, 2022 01:30 to 02:45 pm | Prof. (Dr.) P. Ishwara Bhat Former Vice Chancellor, Karnataka State Law University, Hubli Former Vice-Chancellor, WBNUJS, Kolkata | Research Ethics and Academic Integrity |
| 9. | IX | 20 th October, 2022 10:00am to 11:15 am | Dr. Atmaram Shelake Associate Professor, Symbiosis Law School, Pune | Research Design and Modern Approach |
| 10. | X | 20 th October, 2022 01:30 to 02:45 pm | Dr. Jyoti Bhakare Professor & Head, Department of Law, SPPU, Pune | Data Collections: Tools and Techniques |
| 11. | XI | 21 st October, 2022 10:00am to 11:15 am | Dr. Rattan Singh Professor, University Institute of Legal Studies (UILS), Punjab University | Data Preparation and Data Analysis |



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| 12. | XII | 21 st October, 2022 1:30 pm to 02:45 pm | Dr. Anil Variath Professor and Registrar, MNLU, Mumbai | Legal Research Writing and Current Trends |
| 13. | XIII | 22 nd October, 2022 10:00am to 11:15 am | Dr. Venugopal Ettamena Dean, School of Law, Woxsen University, Hyderabad | Research Publication and Plagiarism |
| 14. | XIV | 22 nd October, 2022 1:30pm to 03:00 pm | Dr A. Lakshminath Distinguished Professor Emeritus, Maharashtra National Law University, Aurangabad | Valedictory Session |

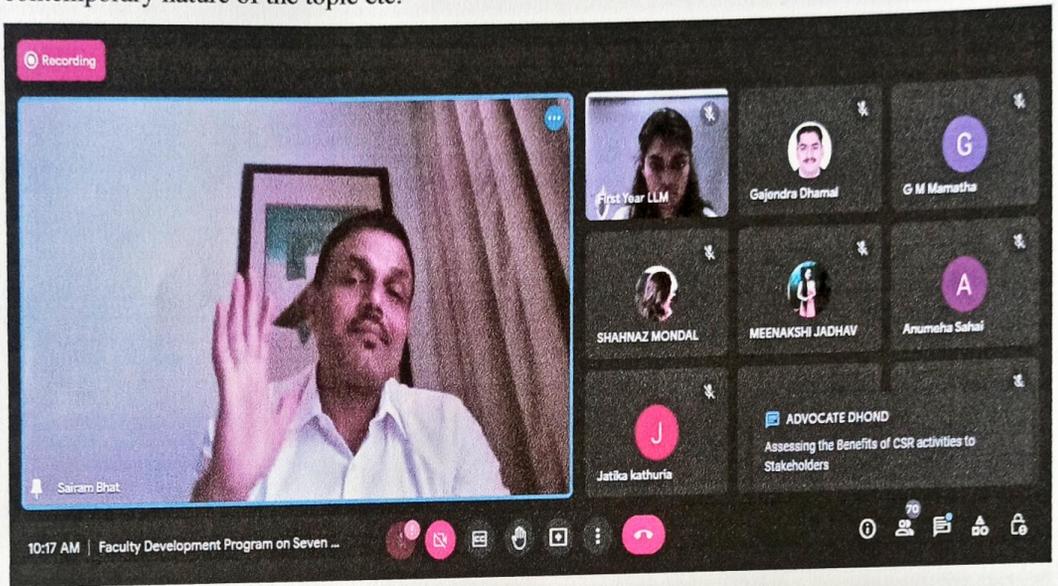
This FDP was inaugurated by the Dr. Vijaykumar Chowbe, Pro-Vice-Chancellor, Saint Gadge Baba Amravati University, Amravati. In his address, he mainly focused on the selection of topic, use of research methodology, significance of literature in research etc.



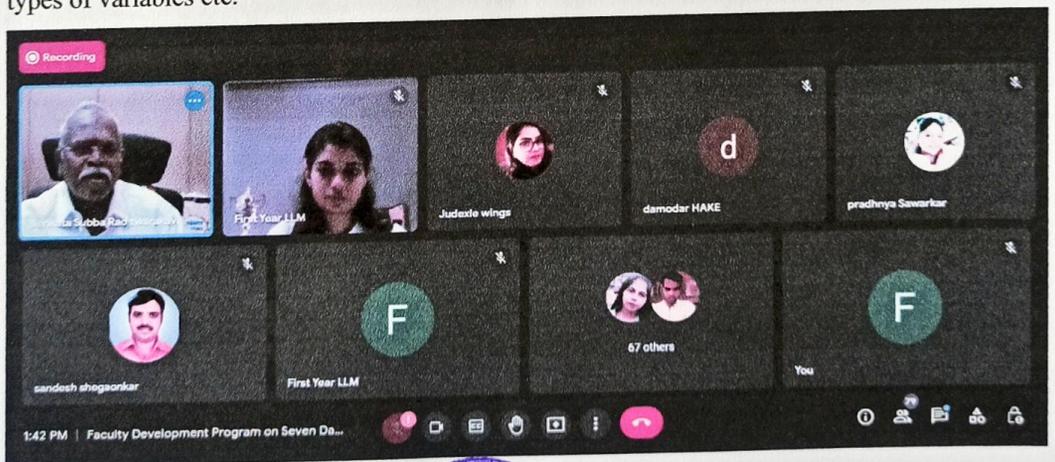
Second Session was conducted by the Dr. Durgambini Patel Madam, Dean, NMIMS, Mumbai & Former HOD, Department of Law, SPPU, Pune on the topic 'Conceptual Understanding of Socio-legal Research'. Mam elaborated the importance of the understanding of the concepts in the research, different types of research in the context of sources of law etc.



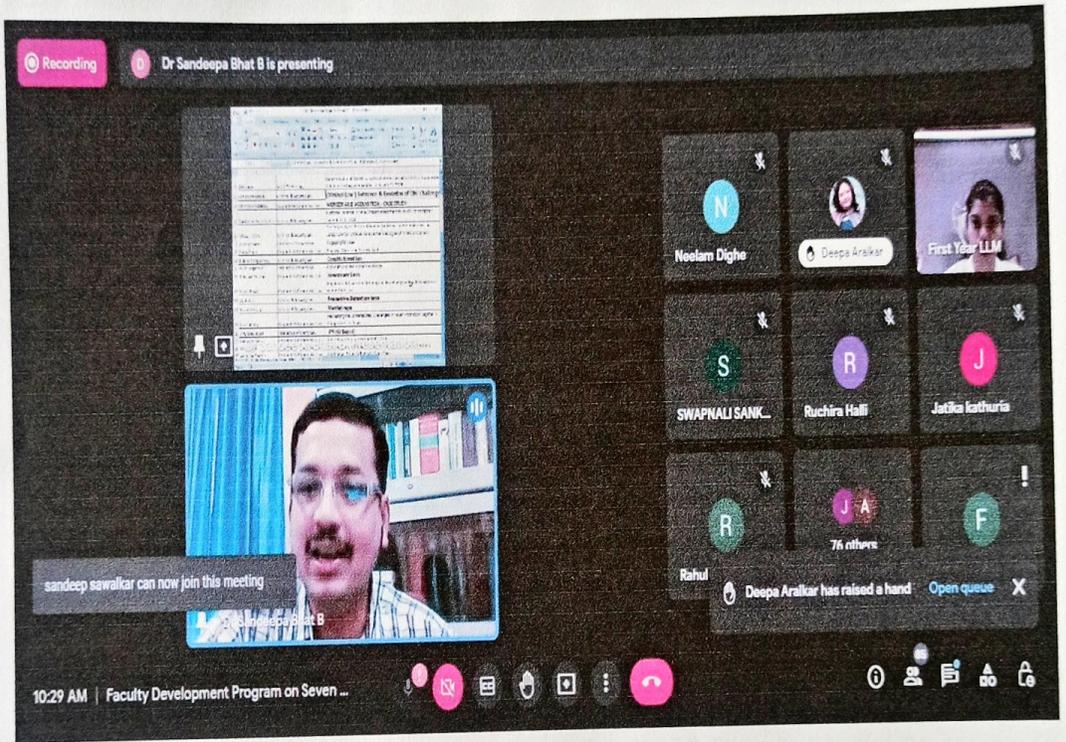
Third Session was addressed by the Dr. Sairam Bhat, Professor, National Law School of India, University, Bangalore on the topic of 'Identification of Research Topic'. With apt examples, Dr. Bhat explained the how to select research topic, what measures to be considered before the selection of the topic such as its relevancy, utility of the topic, its contemporary nature of the topic etc.



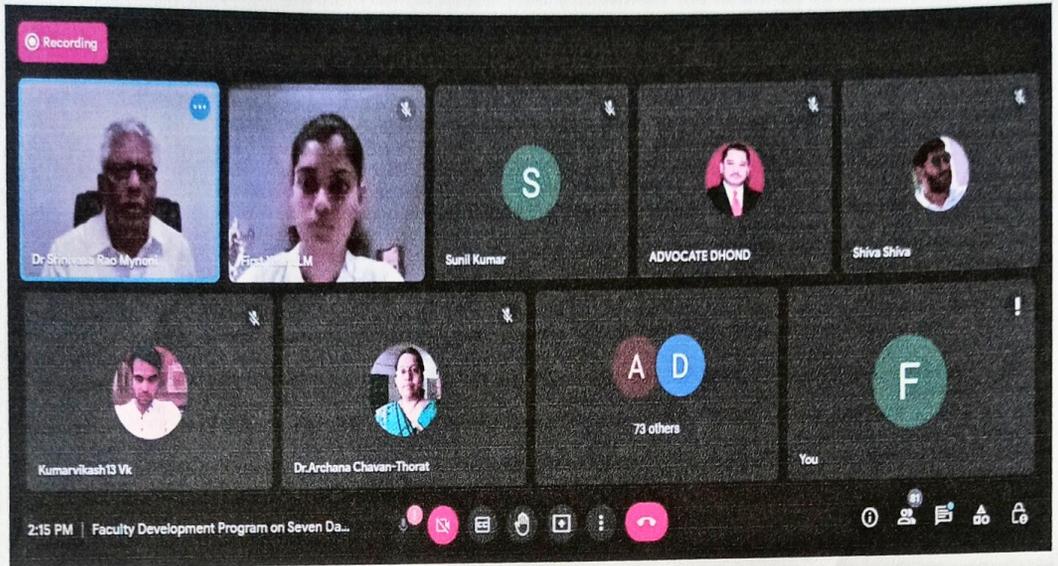
Dr. T.V.Subba Rao Professor-Emeritus, VIPS, Delhi delivered lecture on the topic 'What is Hypothesis and Research Question?'. Sir, elaborated the concept of hypothesis, different types of hypothesis, the difference between hypothesis and research problem, concept and types of variables etc.



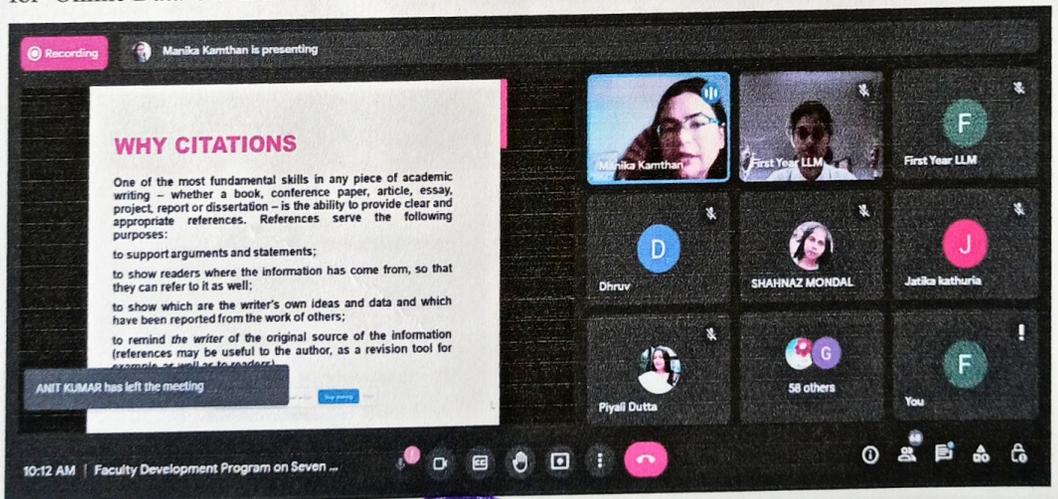
Dr. Sandeepa Bhat, Professor, The West Bengal National University of Juridical Sciences, Kolkata discoursed on the topic 'Review of Literature and Current Trends'. He categorically highlighted on several issues such as extensive study of literature, categories of literatures, how to maintain the flow and citation of review of literature etc.



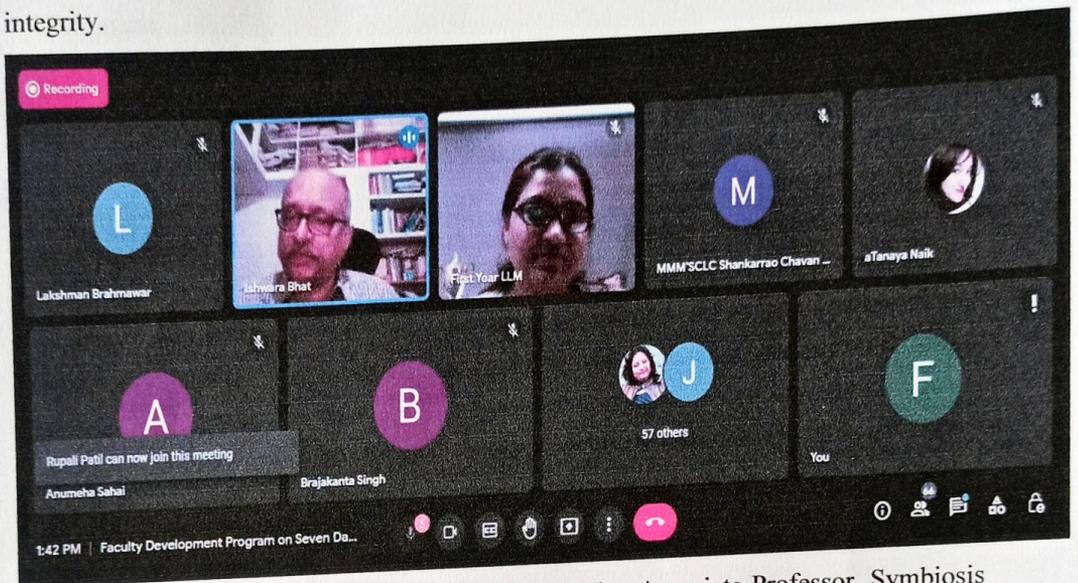
Sixth Session was managed by the Dr. S.R. Myneni sir on the topic 'Use and Study of Quantitative Theory in Legal Research'. Though, the topic was very technical, but still Sir explained in lucid language and concentrated on 'what is legal research, the concept of qualitative and quantitate research methods, the significance of rations, statistics etc.



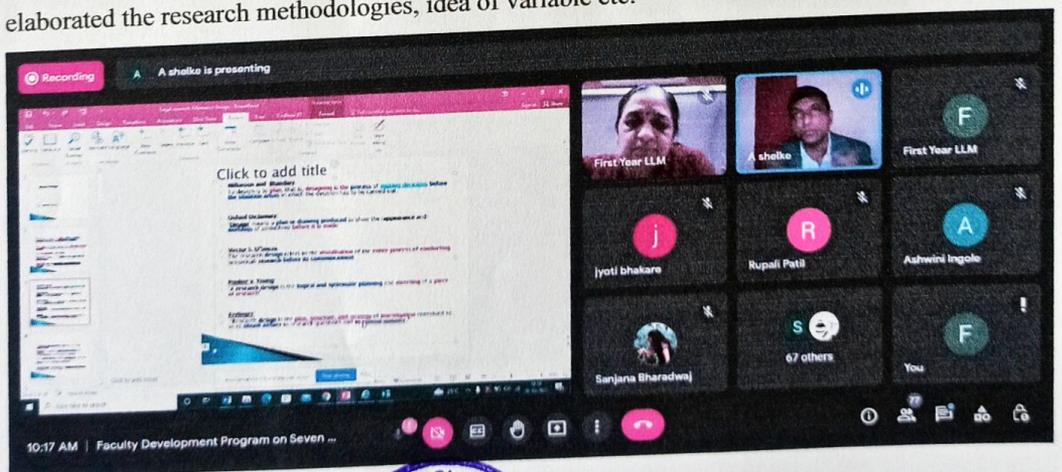
Next Session was conducted by the Dr. Manika Kamthan, from Symbiosis Law School, Pune on the topic 'Rules of Citation in Research'. Mam, extensively elaborated the rules of citation laid down by the Bluebook, Oscola and JILI as well. She had focused on rules for Online Data Citation as well.



Prof. (Dr.) P. Ishwara Bhat, Former Vice Chancellor, Karnataka State Law University, Hubli and Former Vice-Chancellor, WBNUJS, Kolkata commented upon the 'Research Ethics and Academic Integrity'. He noted in his address that the objective, Principles and the observance of Research Ethics is essential in the legal research to maintain academic integrity.



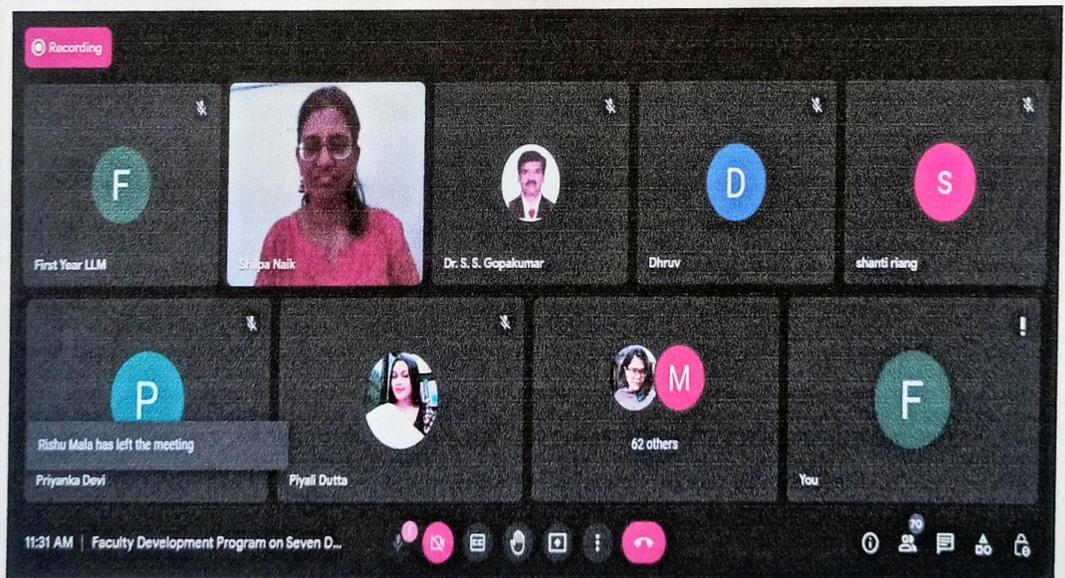
Ninth Session was hosted by the Dr. Atmaram Shelake, Associate Professor, Symbiosis Law School, Pune on the topic 'Research Design and Modern Approach'. In his address, Sir, emphasized upon the concept and need of research design, general structure to be followed worldwide while writing research paper, report and thesis. He also elaborated the research methodologies, idea of variable etc.



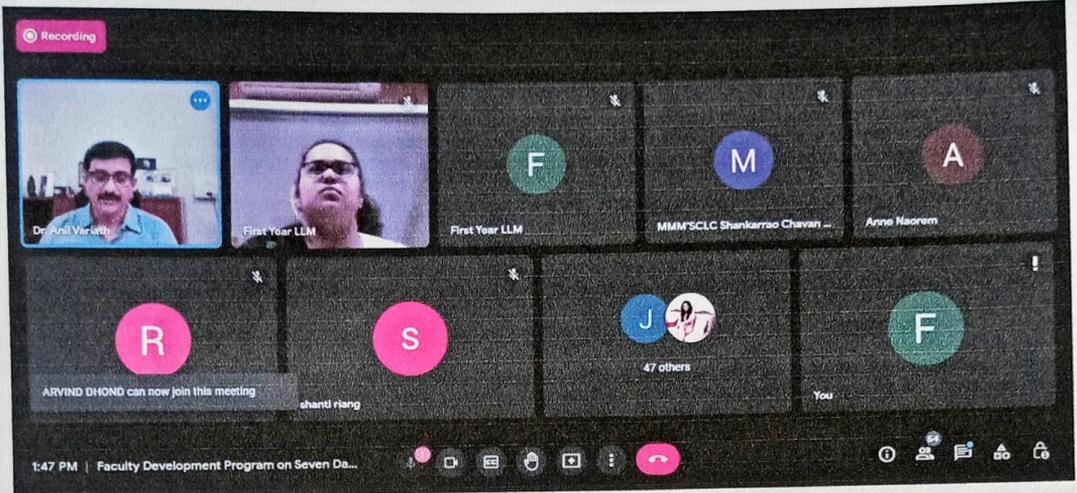
On 20th October, Dr. Jyoti Bhakare Madam, Professor and Head, Department of Law, SPPU, Pune was the speaker who addressed the participant on the topic 'Data Collections: Tools and Techniques'. In her address, she emphasized upon the various tools of data collection, selection of appropriate research methods and various methods for data collection etc.



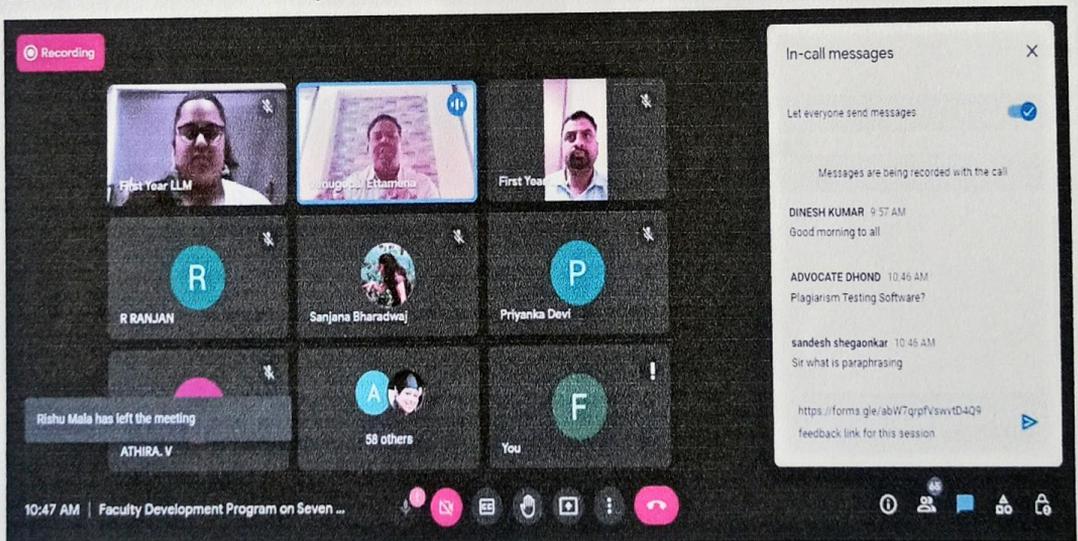
Next session was conducted by the Shilpa Naik, Statistical Data Analyst on the topic 'Data Preparation and Data Analysis'. She covered the topic segregation of data, data analysis, statistical data and data analysis by using different methods.



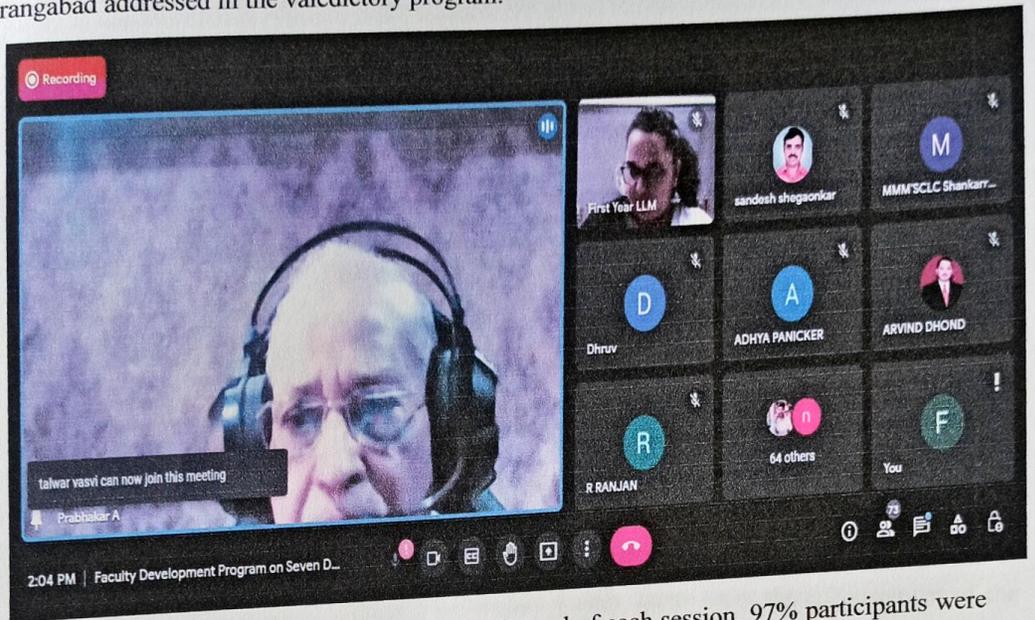
Further, Dr. Anil Variath, Professor and Registrar, MNLU, Mumbai explained the topic 'Legal Research Writing and Current Trends'. He focused on the major issues such as academic language, use of abbreviations, quality of research etc. He suggested 5 general rules to be observed during the legal research writing.



Today, early in the morning, Dr. Venugopal Sir, Dean, School of Law, Woxsen University, Hyderabad interacted with the participants on the topic 'Research Publication and Plagiarism'. He highlighted rules regarding the Plagiarism., Paraphrasing and Various Software's to check similarity index used in the research.



Dr A. Lakshminath, Distinguished Professor Emeritus, Maharashtra National Law University, Aurangabad addressed in the valedictory program.



- **Feedback:** Online Feedback was collected at the end of each session. 97% participants were satisfied for the speakers content and lead taken by the institute for such program. At the end, Dr. Pradip Tambe proposed vote of thanks to all the participants.

Dr. Pradip Tambe
Programme Coordinator

Dr. Kranti Deshmukh
Principal

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Report on Interactive Session on Legal Research in context of NEP, NIRF
and NAAC assessment

- **Event Name** - *Interactive Session on Legal Research in context of NEP, NIRF and NAAC assessment* organized by Marathwada Mitra Mandal's Shankarrao Chavan Law College through its Internal Quality Assurance cell
- **Mode of Event** – Offline.
- **Guest Invited** – **Dr. Tarun Arora** (Professor and Head, Department of Law, Dean, School of Legal Studies, CENTRAL UNIVERSITY OF PUNJAB, GHUDDA ,
-Master Trainer on Biological Diversity Law, UNDP, Life Member, Indian Institute of Public Administration, New Delhi, Nodal Officer, National Youth Parliament, Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs, Nodal Officer, Ek Bharat Shreshth Bharat, PMO Flagship Programme.)
- **Date** – 10th May, 2023
- **Time** – 11 am to 1 pm
- **Venue** – 5th floor, Marathwada Mitra Mandal Shankarrao Chavan Law College, Pune
- **Registration Link** - <https://forms.gle/H1Q6GUfG4977S4zb6>
- **Faculty Coordinator** – Asst. Prof. Ms. Sanghpriya Shere
- **Faculty Participants** - 21
- **Student Participants** – 38
- **Outcome of the Event** – Marathwada Mitra Mandal's Shankarrao Chavan Law College through it Internal Quality Assurance Cell organized *Interactive Session on Legal Research in context of NEP, NIRF and NAAC assessment*. Events Witnessed Participation from various colleges Such as Navjeevan Law College, Nashik, Symbiosis Law School, Pune etc. On this occasion faculty participants along with students had the privilege To interact with Eminent Personality, **Dr. Tarun Arora**, Professor and Head, Department of Law, Dean, School of Legal Studies, CENTRAL UNIVERSITY OF PUNJAB. Hon'ble guest firstly explained the very purpose of research in Legal Education and it's Significance where that helped participant students to understand how research should be directed not by researcher's will but through truth.



Sir explained NEP has immense positive inputs to achieve potential growth in the ever demanding field of legal education. As expected, however, legal and medical education has been given their autonomy in regulation, but it's also true that these institutions cannot work in silos. If legal education does not integrate into the 'fourth vertical', or the General Education Council proposed to function under the aegis of the Higher Education Commission of India (HECI), set academic standards and replace bodies like the UGC as proposed in the NEP, law schools and Universities may lose out on funding and grants from the Government. It is also important for law schools to create accrediting body similar to the one that would be created under the NEP.

In legal education, the Bar Council of India continues to play a key role. However, there is a lot to desire, especially in raising the standards in local colleges where the quality and pool of the teaching faculty is at times dependent on the poor pay for law teachers, since brighter candidates move out to opt for higher paying institutions or alternative career options in the legal field.

Students and Faculty Participants were highly Motivated and inspired.

Sanghpriya Shere

Asst. Prof. Sanghpriya Shere
Faculty Co-ordinator

Dr. Kranti Deshmukh

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Report on Basics of Legal Research Methodology 10-days online Certificate Course

Date:- 28th December, 2022

Marathwada Mitra Mandal's Shankarrao Chavan Law College, Pune arranged an online 10-day lecture series between 13th of December 2022 to 23rd of December 2022 in the course "Basics of Legal Research Methodology" which was sponsored by Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR)- Western Division.

In 10 days around 30 eminent national and international resource persons delivered on an average 1 hour 30 minutes lecture each, with 2 to 4 lectures every day. The participants of the course were LLM students, Ph.D. Scholars to assistant professors, both citizens of India and international citizens. Following are the details of the program:-

Name of the programme:- ' Basics of Legal Research Methodology'

Dates of the programme:- 13th to 23th December 2022

Mode:- online through G-meet

Name of coordinators:- Dr. Revati Naik and Ms. Krushna Badade

Total no. of sessions:- 30

Total no of participants:- 43

Following is the day wise report of the programme:-

1. Day one- 13th December, 2022

Inaugural session: - The formal inauguration of the program was done at the auspicious hands of Prof. (Dr). Shanta Kumar, Director, Gujrat Law University. Dr. Kranti Deshmukh, Principal, SCLC extended her warm welcome to Dr. Shanta Kumar sir and national, international participants on behalf of the college while the hosting and introduction of program as well as chief guest was by Krushna Badade, Assistant Professor SCLC and Dr. Revati Naik, Assistant Professor SCLC concluded the program by a formal vote of thanks where she thanked Dr. Shanta Kumar or his time and Dr. Kranti Deshmukh and Prof. B. G. Jadhav, Executive president, Marathwada Mitramandal Trust for their constant support.

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In the keynote address Dr. Shanta Kumar talked about the need of researchers in India, as per the data cited by him there are only 216 researchers per million India. He also emphasized on the need and importance of funding, the department in which a developing country like India is lacking in comparison with France who spends 2.25 % of its GDP on researchers whereas USA spends 2.74% of their GDP. One more problem pointed out by him was the low rate of citation of the papers published by Indian researchers, according to him the quality research was the only answer to this problem and the programs like this will help in attaining the same.

On 13th of December 2022, Dr. Jeeva Niriella delivered a lecture on "What is legal Research? Scope and Relevance of Legal Research, Peculiarities of legal research and its importance" in which she talked about Middle age research, type of data, and relation between Indian and Sri-Lankan laws. She talked about the origin of the word research which was from the French word 'recherché' which literally translates to go about seeking and submitting knowledge. She briefly talked about data and its type, which according to her are go to field and collect, Analysis and investigation of existing data, systematic process, logical purposefulness and data which tests the hypothesis, everything according to her is data, it need not to be a field data as well. She also compared the legal systems and its challenges in India and Sri Lanka. According to her Sri Lanka has better and progressive law if Juvenile Justice Act is considered but India has better means to implement the provision due to economic capacities of the country.

Dr. Jyoti Bhakare, Head of the Department of Law, SPPU, Pune joined the course on 13th of December 2022 to deliver a lecture on "Socio Economic Dimensions of Law and Interdisciplinary approaches to legal research". She talked about socioeconomic relevance of law with the help of National Education Policy with reference to its education in multi and interdisciplinary site. She also cited various remarks emphasizing the need of the same by Hon'ble Prime Minister Mr. Narendra Modi, Former CJI C. V. Ramanna and current CJI Hon'ble D. Y. Chandrachud. She also shed light on the history of economics in which she highlighted that Karl Marx was first one to consider the importance and significance of economics in sociology or in general behaviour of mankind. She also pointed out a fact about LGBTQ+ community, rather surprising developments in the society as the class of society which lacked recognition even as humans or something which actually exists in our tangible world from millennia are now currently not only recognised but even protected by law. It represents a big change in society in rather short period of time and the factors which influenced the most is economics of the society which in turn influenced social change.

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2. Day two: - 14th December, 2022

On 14th of December 2022, Dr. Pratap Salunkhe, Associate Professor, MNLU, Mumbai delivered a lecture on "Law and Society- Mutual Relationship and interaction, Role of Law in Socio Economic Transformation". He talked the intertwined relation of law and society with the help of various cases for example State of Bombay V. Narsappa Mali, 1951 in which a hindu man was convicted for bigamy, the case was landmark in the sense that hindu personal laws were held to be immune from the constitution. Similar was held in muslim personal laws however after the Shabrimala case, Shayara bano case and Ahmadabad action group case it is evident that such personal laws aren't absolutely immune from constitution of India.

According to him codification of Hindu laws was one of the biggest transformations in the Indian society, it was a social reform in itself. He also spoke about Gandhism and Sarvodaya movement from Vinoba Bhave. According to him Naxalism and Marxism provided alternative ways or a tool for social reform as the now considered mainstream tools failed to address various issues. The agrarian reform brought by the first constitution amendment was an example of a law which was meant to upgrade economics of country brought an development in society too.

"Models of Legal Research and Current trends in legal research" was the lecture delivered by Dr. Durgambini Patel, Dean, Kirit P. Mehta School of Law, Mumbai on 14th of December, 2022. She talked about Identificatory Model in legal research wherein researchers identifies the beneficiaries, targets, institutions and stake holders of the law in question whether existing or proposed. She stressed on study of impact analysis in which "who's and whom's of law" is considered. She also pointed out some examples of backfiring of law where the examples of Urban land ceiling Act was considered as it contained too many loopholes rendering the act ineffective. To solve and avoid such issues law must be precise, practical in legal, social and economical sense. Also the lawmakers and researchers according to her shall read the act with other laws and sections to get an comprehensive understanding of its implications. She also stressed on Colative research where searching of every-law not only domestic but international also is considered in legal research. She also mentioned the importance of Annotations.

On 14th of December 2022, Dr. Ashutosh Naik, Head, Post-Graduation Department, Tilak Maharashtra Vidyapeeth talked on "Stages in Legal Research" In which he explained the first stage of legal research is identifying the legal issue or question at hand. This may involve reviewing a legal problem or situation, or identifying a specific area of law that needs to be researched. Once the legal issue has been identified, the next step is to gather background information on the topic. This may involve looking up relevant laws, regulations, and legal cases, as well as reviewing legal dictionaries, encyclopaedias, and other reference materials.



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The third stage of legal research is to conduct a more thorough analysis of the legal issue. This may involve reviewing cases and other legal authorities to determine how similar issues have been addressed in the past. It may also involve looking at legal commentary and analysis from legal scholars and other experts.

The fourth stage of legal research is to draw conclusions based on the information gathered. This may involve synthesizing the information collected and applying it to the specific legal issue at hand. It may also involve determining what additional research is necessary to fully understand the legal issue and develop a course of action.

The final stage of legal research is to present the results of the research in a clear and concise manner. This may involve writing a legal memorandum or brief, or presenting the information in oral or written form to a judge or other legal decision-maker.

Overall, the stages of legal research involve identifying the legal issue, gathering background information, conducting a thorough analysis, drawing conclusions, and presenting the results. By following these steps, legal professionals can effectively research and understand complex legal issues and apply the law in a consistent and fair manner.

3. Day three: - 15th December, 2022

Dr. Sangita Laha, Associate Professor & Dean, National University of Study & Research in Law, Ranchi on 15th of December delivered a Lecture on Research Methodology (Doctrinal & Non Doctrinal Study), she mentioned various types of research methodologies but briefed on Qualitative, Quantitative and Mixed Method. According to her Qualitative research is data gathered data through interviews, observation and focus groups using a few carefully chosen participants. Quantitative is when the objective of the research is to confirm something. It focuses on collecting, testing and measuring numerical data, usually from a large sample of participants. They then analyze the data using statistical analysis and comparisons.

Dr. Sonali Shrikhande delivered a lecture on "Inductive and Deductive Method of legal research" on 15th of December 2022 in which she talked on legal reasoning which includes inductive and deductive research approach. Deductive is the type in which researcher goes from general assumption, applies that to a specific situation. In Inductive researcher from a specific set of facts attains a general assumption. The Example given to explain inductive was, in a school 4 students attempted suicide, few more in a nearby school both at an unprecedented rates in such cases it is safe conclude that there is a need for state wide awareness programs. She also talked about Intuitive and rationale conclusion, in the former the conclusion is presumed on reasonable grounds and in the latter systematic approach is chosen to deduce the conclusion.



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4. Day four: - 16th December, 2022

“Quantitative Legal Research” was the lecture delivered by Dr. Pratapsinh Salunke, Associate Professor, Maharashtra National Law University Mumbai on 16th of December 2022. In which he talked about two broad approaches of formulating research, data collection and interpretation in research. Quantitative and Qualitative are the broad categories of research. Quantitative according to him, has a far-reaching socio-economic repercussions. Demographic factors, Political implication plays a major role in this type of research.

According to him how do you realize your conclusion is important and any method other than scientific generalization renders the objective unattainable. Factors like Sample Size, Framing of Research Question, Hypothesis formulation which is a part of statistical data is crucial for an effective research.

On the same day Dr. Enrico Bonadio from City University London delivered a session on the topic, ‘Qualitative Legal Research’. While emphasizing the importance of the qualitative research method for the holistic understanding of the problem he guided participants as to the precautions to be taken while utilizing it.

5. Day five: - 17th December, 2022

Dr. Bindu Ronald delivered a lecture on “Literature Review and Gap Analysis” on 17th of December 2022. In which she talked about A doctrinal legal research method is useful for determining if a doctrine is correct because it will analyze the doctrine from various perspectives to determine whether it is accurate or not. When conducting this type of research, it is important to use a methodical approach so that you are able to properly analyze all of the aspects of the doctrine in question. Using a doctrinal legal research method is particularly important in civil litigation cases because the outcome of these types of cases can have significant implications for the parties involved. For example, in a recent case involving sexual assault, the defendant was accused of sexually assaulting the plaintiff's underage daughter after she attended a party at the defendant's house. In order to prove that the defendant was guilty, the plaintiff had to prove that the doctrine of "social host liability" was applicable in this case.

Dr. Atmaram Shelke, Associate professor from Symbiosis Law School then delivered a session on the topic, ‘Research Design’. He guided participants on various types of research designs and explained the difference between them.

6. Day six: - 19th December, 2022

On 19th December, 2022, Dr. Sukdev Ingale from Department of Law, Vishvakarma University, Pune delivered the lecture on the topic, ‘Framing of hypothesis’. He addressed



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participants as to the need of framing correct hypothesis and different types of it and care to be taken for framing it.

The second session of the day was delivered by Dr. Bindu Ronald on 'Creating theoretical framework'. While addressing the participants she explained the importance of the theoretical framework by taking various examples.

The third session of the day was delivered by Dr. Sarika Sagar, Dean, Department of Law, Vishvakarma University, Pune. She explained the importance of observation as a tool for legal research.

7. Day seven: - 20th December, 2022

"The interview Method" was the lecture delivered by Dr. Patel on 20th of December 2022 in which she talked about do's and don't's of research. She explained importance of ethics in sting operation. The necessity of background check was pointed out by her. The severe consequences of miscommunication in an interview was pointed out by her. In an interview the interviewer should change the framing of the question accordingly if any surprising data comes before him, absolute adherences to the pre-interview question is not necessary.

"Questionnaire as a tool of Data Collection" was the topic of the lecture delivered by Dr. Rohini Honap, Principal, TMV's Lokmanya Tilak Law College, Pune on 20th of December 2022. In which she talked about the purpose of a question which is ultimately to have data, according to her there is Qualitative data and Quantitative Data, in an example given by her to explain the difference if the number of cups a person consumes a coffee per day is a quantitative data but if the question is regarding the brand of coffee is asked it will be qualitative data. Questionnaire can be of two types according to her, Self-administered or Researcher administered. She also briefed on Advantages and Disadvantages of this method.

8. Day Eight: - 21st December, 2022

Dr. Sonali Shrikhande on 21st of December 2022 delivered a lecture on "The Case Study Method". She explained that the goal of a case study is to offer new variables and questions for further research, it provides 'rich data'. There are various types of case types according to her which are Illustrative, Explanatory, Pilot, Cumulative, Critical Instances Case studies etc. Documents, Archival, Interviews, Direct or Indirect participation or Artifacts can be used as a data for Case Study Research. The four important steps in Case study research method according to her are planning, collecting the data, analyzing the result and communicating the findings.

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Dr. Atmaram Shelke on 21st of December 2022 talked on "Sampling- Method and Techniques". He explained 4 W's and 1 H of Research What to study, why to study, When to analyze data, From where the data is to be collected, How to perform any particular research. It paramount for any researcher to answer this five questions before beginning with the article in order to have an impactful paper. He also talked on Experimental group design and Empirical research design along with various doctrines and historical perspectives.

9. Day nine: - 22nd December, 2022

"Use of technology in data analysis exposure to statistical packages like SPSS" was the hands-on training lecture delivered by Dr. Shilpa Naik on 22nd of December 2022. In which she talked about how to use data and variable in SPSS software. She demonstrated how to use data in the software, how to select and change the variables, for example variable view has to be selected to view the variables categorically and data type and data handling which is part variable view in which dependent and independent variable can be selected.

Dr. Anjali Hastak principal of S.P. Law College, Chandrapur guided participants on the topic, 'Academic Writing'. She guided participants on the methods of academic writing and addressed the need to adhere the ethics in writing.

Further, the third session of the day was delivered by Dr. Yulia Kharitonova from Lomonosov Moscow State Law University, Russia delivered the lecture on the topic 'Socio Legal Research- Global Perspectives'. She explored various dimensions of socio legal research at the international level.

10. Day ten: - 23rd December, 2022

On 23rd of December 2022 Dr. Nitesh Upadhyay delivered hand on training lecture on "Myth busting about Data Collection and Paper writing for Scopus and WOS". He elaborated on the correct usage of +, -, *, OR while searching on free search engine like google. He introduced some new ways to search in order to be more efficient in searching for example by adding the file type the key words and interested research topic we can filter out numerous data which may be irrelevant to our search. He also explained the efficient ways to use google advance. How one may search Scopus website effectively and retrieve research papers by their title or by authors name.

Valedictory Session was inaugurated by Prof. (Dr.) Yogesh Pratap Singh, VC-NLU, Tripura. In Which Dr. Krushna Badade welcomed the chief guest on behalf of the college, Dr. Kranti Deshmukh, Principal, SCLC extended her warm welcome and introduced the college to the chief guest and other participant. Krushna Badade gave a brief report on "Basics of Legal



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Methodology" a 10-day certificate course organized by ICSSR, Western Region. She stated there were 43 participants which includes master's students, research scholars and professors who joined this program, 30 resource persons delivered lectures on 30 different over the span of 10 days. The resource persons and participants joined this session over the globe from cities like Colombo, London and Moscow to name a few. Later Dr. Yogesh Pratap Sing addressed the conference, in his key note speech he emphasized on the need quality legal research, according to him poor funding to the research and library could be one of the reasons for the same, in an example given by him he said Harward Law College spends nearly 70 Crore rupees annually on their library alone. Formal vote of thanks was done by Krushna Badade, in which she thanked Dr. Kranti Deshmukh and Prof. B. G. Jadhav, executive president, Marathwada Mitra Mandal trust for their constant support, she thanked Dr. Revati Naik and all the student volunteer for their efforts in arranging this certificate course, she specially thanked Indian Institute of Social Science Research – Western region for sponsoring and providing an opportunity to conduct such wonderful program. For evaluating attainment of the outcome expected to be achieved by participants students were given activities including report submission.

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