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UNIVERSITY LAW COLLEGE AND P.G. DEPARTMENT OF STUDIES & RESEARCH IN LAW ' /

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VISION AND MISSION

VISION :

To strive for excellence in education for the realization of a vibrant and inclusive society through knowledge creation and dissemination.

MISSION :

Impart quality education and promote scientific temper

Blend theoretical knowledge with practical skills

Pursue academic excellence through quality teaching research and publications

Provide access to all sections of the society to pursue higher education

Inculcate right values among students

Promote leadership qualities among students

Produce socially sensitive citizens

Hasten the process of creating a Knowledge Society



Panoramic View of the University Law College

UNIVERSITY LAW COLLEGE

The erstwhile Government of Mysore was pleased to start a Law College on July 1, 1948 in Bangalore, known as the Government Law College. By an order dated. 19.6.1976 the Government Law College was transferred to Bangalore University and since then the college is known as University Law College, Bangalore. The University Law College, Bangalore has been offering LL.B., programme. The LL.B., course initially was of 2 years and later became a course of 3 years. The 5 years full-time B.A., LL.B degree course was introduced by the Bangalore University in 1986-87. The students admitted are trained to gain confidence in their profession and make them suitable to any profession that comes in their way. To realize this objective, each year the ULC has been admitting 80 students to each of the semesters from first to fifth year.

The college and Post Graduate Department are housed in a spacious building situated on a sprawling campus. There are eight class rooms with state of art facility to conduct teaching sessions for LL.B., & LL.M., programs, two seminar halls, an independent library and an administrative block providing independent chambers for Principal, Chairman & all teaching faculty members. The students and teachers are provided computers with internet facility and the campus is also Wi-Fi enabled. In addition the hostel facility is made available for both boys & girls. The New campus also has the rain harvesting system. The library has a total collection of 45,000 books, 16,000 journals and 18,000 other reference materials. Apart from the regular classroom teaching the University Law College provides each student skills in the different areas. Presently the college is headed by Dr. Sudesh V Nadagoudar as the Principal.

P.G. DEPARTMENT OF STUDIES & RESEARCH IN LAW:

The Master degree in Law was started in the year 1960-61 as M.L. Degree course. After becoming part of the Bangalore University in 1976, the P.G. Department of Studies & Research in Law was offering two year LL.M programme in 5 different branches earlier and now is offering one year LL.M Programme in 5 specialization branches with an intake of 08 students under the general admission policy laid down by the Government and 2 students per branch under payment seats category with enhanced fees. The LL.M programme in Corporate and Commercial Law, Constitutional and Administrative Law, Criminal Law, Environmental Law and Human Rights and Labour and Employment Law has been a story of great success. A majority of the students who have passed out the LL.M., programme are in different positions of life like judges, leading lawyers, academicians, bureaucrats and corporate advisors. The programme utilizes the services of a few leading practitioners in addition to the regular teaching and seminar work conducted by the faculty members. Presently Dr. Sudesh V is the chairman of the Department.

Our Proud Alumni:

The rich heritage of 65 years of University Law College, Bangalore University, Bangalore is highlighted by the fact that the college has produced legal luminaries, leaders and worthy contributors to the society like Hon'ble Mr. Justice. M.N. Venkatachaliah, former Chief Justice, Supreme Court

of India; Hon'ble Mr. Justice. N. Venkatachala, former Lokayukta and Judge, Supreme Court of India; Hon'ble Mr. Justice. N. Santhosh Hegde, former Lokayukta, Karnataka and Judge Supreme Court India; Hon'ble Mr. Justice M Rama Jois, former Governor of Bihar & Jharkhand, former Chief Justice of the Punjab and Haryana High Court; Hon'ble Mr. Justice.R.V. Raveendran, former Judge, Supreme Court of India and former Chief Justice High Court of Madhya Pradesh; Mr. S.M. Krishna, Ex- External Affairs Minister, Union of India and former Governor of Maharashtra, Mr. Veerappa Moily, former Union Minister and former Chief Minister of Karnataka, Smt. Margaret Alva, former Governor Rajasthan, Uttarkhand and Goa, Mr. Bangarappa, former Chief Minister of Karnataka and many eminent High Court Judges & Advocates.

I. Organization of Moot Court Competitions:

Initiating each student right from the first year to learn and cultivate the required skills in mooting. With this in view, in the last 11 years the ULC has been conducting a Moot Court Competition. All the best



19th All India Moot Court Competition

teams from the law schools and other law colleges of India take part in this event. We are proud to announce that this year as many as 24 teams across the country have taken part. This event gives an opportunity for every student to see, to take part and associate in the entire event in different capacities. The training thus gained has been a great success



Students of University Law College in Willem C. Vis International Commercial Arbitration Moot held in Vienna

story in producing outstanding mooters of national and international repute. In addition the college team has been taking part consistently 10 the Stetson International Environmental Law Moot, Vienna

Arbitration Moot, Hong Kong Arbitration Moot, Manfred Lacs International Space Law Moot, W.T.O Moot and such other prestigious international moots. Our students also have been taking active part and are involved in every prestigious, national, regional and state level moots without exception.

II. Legal aid and literacy programme: This is one of the components of the LL.B programme which the ULC puts its heart and soul in its realization. Students of the fourth and fifth year LL.B are taken to villages and made to enquire into the several deficiencies prevailing in the villages through a scientific questionnaire. This includes the day to day problems facing them, their level of literacy and lack of legal knowledge. Through this method the students ascertain their problems. In this programme a group of students assisted by a staff member would provide the necessary advice to tackle the routine



Legal Aid and Legal Literacy Programme held at Bidadi

legal, social and economic problems facing them.

III. Court and Jail visit: Another component of legal education is court and jail visit. The students of the 4 and 5 year LL.B are made to visit courts and the central prison on given days to observe the proceedings of the Court and record their observations in diary for submission. This compulsory exercise provides students to get to know first hand information about the functioning of the courts and application of substantive and procedural laws. In addition, it also helps to know the conditions of the prisoners and the relevant rules applicable to them.

IV. Internship programme: Students of the ULC during vacation are encouraged to work in law firms to gain skills required in the process of drafting and giving legal opinions on various matters. W/e are happy to announce that our students in addition to carrying on internship in prestigious law firms of India have also done internship in the Ministry of External Affairs, Indian Academy of International Law, N.H.R.C, the Red Cross and the Indian Law Institute, New Delhi, Supreme Court and High Court of Karnataka.

V. Sport Activities: Over a period of time, the students of the institution have excelled themselves in several national level events. They are provided with all necessary Sports materials.

Vision for the next five years

In the next five years the institution intends to undertake the following:

A. Academic: (i) Introduction of Diploma Courses in different

law subjects (ii) Explore possibilities of entering into M.O.U with few more foreign Universities. (iii) Introduction of Bangalore University Law Review. (iv) Introduction of a special lecture series on various subjects inviting eminent legal luminaries

B. Non- Academic: (i) Separate hostel facility for boys & girls

(ii) Furnished auditorium (iii) Furnishing of seminar halls (iv) Guest house for visiting faculty.

FACULTY

Dr. Suresh.V.Nadagoudar
Principal, Dean, Faculty of Law



He has put in 19 years of teaching. He has obtained his LLM in Labour Law with a Rank. He has also obtained M.A in Political Science. His doctoral thesis is also in the area of Labour Law. Published more than 25 research articles in National and International journals and 2 books. Presented papers in more than 20 National and International Conferences and Seminars. Assisted the Ministry of Law, Justice, Human Rights and Parliamentary Affairs, Government of Karnataka in formulation of its "Policy Paper and Action Plan" and drafted 2 legislations, which have been accepted by the Ministry. Attended more than 35 National and International Conferences Seminars, programmes and workshops. He has

been the co-ordinator of two National seminars held in Bangalore under the banner of University Law College and a Refresher Course in Legal Studies organized by University Law College in association with Academic Staff College, BUB. There are seven research scholars pursuing their Ph. D Programme under his supervision and guidance and successfully guided four Ph.D awardees. He is a life member of Social Security Association of India, New Delhi and All India Law Teachers Congress, NALSAR University of Law, Hyderabad. He is also serving as member of the syndicate of Karnataka State Law University, Hubli as Chancellor's nominee and ex-officio member of Law Commission of Karnataka, Bangalore. He has served as Registrar (Evaluation) and Registrar I/c of Karnataka State Law University, Hubli during 2009-10. He has also worked as Special Officer (Evaluation), Bangalore University. He has also served on various important committees of University.

Dr. V.Sudesh
Chairman

He has been teaching undergraduate and postgraduate classes since 1993. His area of specialization is Labour Law and I.P.R. He obtained his Ph.D. in Labour Law. He has published more than 15 research articles in journals & books and has presented more than 20 papers in National and International seminars and conferences. He was appointed by the Chief Justice of India as Associate Research Professor in the Indian Law Institute (Deemed University) and served in that capacity from May 2005 to April 2006. He has submitted a project on Panchayat Raj Laws and Jurisprudence, sponsored by the Ministry of Panchayat Raj, Govt. of India and has submitted an empirical study of working of ADR in Bangalore, sponsored by World Bank in association with Indian Law Institute (ILI), Delhi. A project titled "Legal Status Of Urban Street Vendors In The Back Drop Of National Policy On Urban Street Vendors 2009- An Empirical Study With Reference To Street Vendor In BBMP, Bengaluru" sponsored by Bangalore University, has been completed. A UGC major research project on, "Implementation of Laws Relating to Welfare of Construction workers –A Case Study with reference to the State of Karnataka" is successfully completed. He is a life member of ILI, New-Delhi. Four research scholars have obtained Ph.D degree under his guidance. Presently, seven research scholars are pursuing their Ph. D Programme under his supervision and guidance.



Dr. Lathika Nath
Associate Professor



She has put in 30 years of teaching experience. She was Chairperson Department of Law 2006-2008. Dr. Lathika Nath has been a human rights activist for over three decades. Her thesis is on Combating Terrorism with reference to both National and International Issues. She graduated from the University Law College, Bangalore University, Bangalore, standing First in' LLM. Degree Examinations in Bangalore

University. Dr. Lathika Nath has done a course in American Law at Leiden University, Netherlands in 1996. She was invited by the U.S. Government to visit the United States and interact with various Governmental agencies and organizations. She is the only teacher who was granted "OBSERVER STATUS" at the Commonwealth meet at Bangalore. More than 20 articles and research papers are published in Law journals and leading news papers. She has been the Co-ordinator for various National and International seminars. She is a life member of various organizations - Indian Law Institute (ILI), Karnataka State Commission of Jurists (KSCJ), and Institute of International Affairs (IIA). Her name appears in the ed.9 of the International Who's Who on women. She has been invited by various organizations abroad. She has presented papers/ seminars at National and International Meets.

Dr.N.Dasharath
Associate Professor



He has specialization in Labour Law and has put in more than 16 years of teaching experience. He has been awarded Ph.D for his thesis on "Study Relating to Persons with Disabilities Keeping in view Human Rights and Labour Law Perspective" from Indian Law Institute, New Delhi. He has presented papers at various

National & International Seminars and actively involved in organizing Legal Literacy programs in rural areas.

Dr. Sathish Gowda. N
Assistant Professor

He has put in 9 years of teaching experience in both UG and PG. He has an LL.M with First Class in Constitutional law and Business and Trade Law. He has obtained his Ph.D. in the area of Constitutional Law. He secured Distinction with 3rd Rank in LL.B. He holds M.Phil in Juridical Science with Distinction. He did Post graduate



Diploma in Human Resource Management and Mass Communication Journalism and First Class in M.A in MCJ. He has published more than twenty articles in different law journals and a few articles in leading news papers. He has participated in 11th South Asian Teaching Session on International Humanitarian Law, conducted by ICRC, Delhi held in Bangalore in 2007. He actively involved and served as N.S.S. Officer in organizing N.S.S. Programmes and conducted camps in rural areas. He has been the Coordinator of various National and International Seminars. He has participated and presented various research papers at the International, National, State level seminars, conferences and Workshops. Presently, he is doing UGC Major Research Project, New Delhi on Right to Education. There are six research scholars pursuing their Ph. D Programme under his supervision and guidance.

Jyothi Vishwanath
Assistant Professor



She is an LL.M in Mercantile Laws and has put in 16 years of teaching experience in undergraduate and postgraduate law courses. She has also done M.Phil. in Law and Ph.D in Law from Gulbarga University, Gulbarga. She has around 10 legal articles to her credit. She is recipient of 7 Gold Medals for securing Rank in B.A. and 1st Rank in LL.B and

LL.M degrees from Gulbarga University, Gulbarga. She has presented around 12 research papers in the National and International Seminars and Conferences in India and abroad. She is presently guiding 7 Ph.D candidates in the Department. She has chaired many sessions in national conferences and has been the Coordinator of National Seminar on Disaster Management organized in 2011 by P.G.Department of Law, Bangalore University, Bangalore and was Convener of the International Seminar "Indo-UK Perspectives on Public and Transactional Laws" organized by P.G.Department of Law, Bangalore University, Bangalore on 12th November 2014.

Dr.Chandrakanthi.L,
Assistant Professor

She has LL.M. degree in Constitutional Law and Business and Trade Law from Mysore University and has taught Law subjects for P.G and U.G since 12 years. Her area of specialization is Environmental Law, Business Law and Constitutional Law. She has 12 articles to her credit. She has a Doctorate Degree for her Ph.D



thesis entitled "Legal Control of Global Warming in India: Prevailing deficiencies and a model for reform". She has been invited as resource person for many colleges, Bar Association and NGOs. She has also been invited as chair person for many National seminars. She has attended 25 State, National and International seminars and conferences. She has also served as an Assistant NSS programme officer.

Dr.T.Lingaraju, Deputy Director of
Physical Education



He has put in 21 years of service. He has obtained his Ph.D in 2009. He is training the students of the college for various sports events. He is a qualified national referee for different sports events. He has organized many State and National Level sports events. He has also served as N.S.S. Programme Officer.

Shivakumari.B.G.
Librarian

She has put in 25 years of service. She has attended various State, National and International seminars, conferences and training programmes.



Courses with special papers offered

A. 5 years LL.B integrated course leading to the degree of B.A.L, LL.B. with economics as a major subject.

B. One Year Masters Degree in Law leading to the LL.M. degree has been introduced from the academic year 2014-15 in the following branches of specialisation-

1. Corporate and Commercial Law,
2. Constitutional and Administrative Law,
3. Criminal Law,
4. Environmental Law,
5. Human Rights and Labour and Employment Law

Conferences Organized



International Seminar on Indo-UK Perspectives on Public and Transactional Laws

Law, Bangalore University in association with British Council, Chennai on 12th November 2014.

2. UGC Sponsored Two Day National Seminar On "Legal Frame Work on

Accessibility and Employment Standards for Persons with Disabilities" held on 7th and 8th May 2015.



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3. National Seminar on Strengthening Democratization of Law Making Process, held on 31st Oct, 2007 organized by the University Law College, Bangalore, in association with Karnataka Institute for Law and Parliamentary Reform, Bangalore, at Bangalore. Institute for Law and Parliamentary Reform, Bangalore.

4. National Workshop on New Challenges in IPR Law: Towards Harmonization of Uniform Rules, 29th April 2008.

5. National Seminar on Law on Disaster Management in India: Issues and Perspectives held on June 11th 2011.

Refresher Course



University, Bangalore during 2008.

Refresher Course in Legal Studies was organized by the University Law College in association with the Academic Staff College, Bangalore

The 19th All India Moot Court Competition was organized by Society of Mooters held on 27th Feb to 1st March 2015. The



Programme was inaugurated by Shri T.B. Jayachandra, Hon'ble Minister for Law, Parliamentary Affairs, Animal Husbandry and Muzrai, Government of Karnataka.

Blood Donation Camp organized in association with the Sankalp India Foundation, Department of Blood Bank on 24/03/2015.

World Peace Day Programme organized in association with the All India Anti Imperialist Form on 28/08/2014.

Legal Aid & Legal Awareness Workshop was held on 11/04/2015 at Bidadi, Ramnagar.

Research Publications-40

Awards received by Faculty:

Dr. N. Dasharath received 'National Award' as 'Best Employee' from the Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment, Govt. of India. The award was handed over by His Excellency, The President of India on 3rd December 2014.

Dr. N. Sathish Gowda received Young Scientist Social Science Award for the best paper presentation in '1st International Congress on Science and Technology for Society with a theme "Sustainable Biodiversity Conservation through Technological and Social Approaches" held at Bangkok, Thailand on 23rd to 25th April, 2014.

Projects Completed under Young Research Brigade Programme-

1. "Right of Children to free and compulsory Education Act, 2009; Policy and Challenges with special reference to implementation in Bangalore South Taluq" undertaken by Dr.Suresh V Nadagoudar, Principal Investigator.

2. "Legal Status of Street Vendors in the background of National Policy on Urban Street Vendors - An Empirical Study with Reference to Bangalore City" undertaken by Dr.V.Sudesh, Principal Investigator.

3. "Implementation of Dowry Prohibition Act - Issues and Perspectives A study with special reference to Mysore City" undertaken by N. Sathish Gowda, Principal Investigator.

UGC major Research Projects:

1. "The Prevailing lacunas in implementation of the Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Act, 2009 in Karnataka State: An Assessment". Undertaken by Dr. Suresh V. Nadagoudar, Principal Investigator; Dr. N. Sathish Gowda, Co-investigator.

2. "Implementation of Laws relating to welfare of constructions workers- A case study with reference to the state of Karnataka" Undertaken by Dr. V. Sudesh, Principal Investigator.

3. "TRIPS, Pharmaceutical Patents and Access to Life-Saving Drugs in the State of Karnataka - An Empirical Analysis". Undertaken by Dr. Jyothi Vishwanath, Principal Investigator.