NATIONAL E-SEMINAR
ON
ISSUES AND CHALLENGES IN LAWS RELATING TO SPORTS IN INDIA
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Sport has changed its identity from a leisure activity to a profession in the contemporary world. It is being pursued as a career and many successful events, series and brands are created in the sports world. There is tremendous commercial opportunity in the world of sports which also provides employment to many. Accordingly there is a need for involvement of exclusive law to govern its multiple dimensions keeping in mind the peculiarity of interests of all stakeholders. The Centre for Sports Law, Policy & Research through the "National E-Seminar on Issues and Challenges in Laws relating to Sports in India" proposes to provide a common platform for legal experts, academicians, researchers and students to bring out, discuss and deliberate on contemporary issues in law relating to sports and possible solutions for the resolutions of the same.

About Jagran Lakecity University

Jagran Lakecity University, Bhopal is a private university established under Section 2(f) of UGC Act 1956 and is based out of Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh. JLU, Bhopal is one of the fastest growing and one of the most awarded universities of Central India, having practice based pedagogy at its core. Currently, the university is offering 56 degree program to more than 2500 students from 8 countries and 27 states of India. The university has 27 partnerships with top industries and international universities ensuring the students get great exposure both nationally and internationally. JLU, Bhopal is the only participating university from Central India ERASMUS+ programme under the Tuning India Project, funded by the European Commission and is also currently the country chair for Association of Universities of Asia Pacific (AUAP). The University has been bestowed with several prestigious awards, such as ‘University of the Year’ by Government of Madhya Pradesh for consecutive four years in 2015, 2016 2017 and 2018 and is recognized as a Global League Institution in 2015 at the House of Commons, London, UK. JLU Bhopal has been ranked No. 1 Private University in Madhya Pradesh in the year 2016, 2017, 2018 & 2019 by several leading publications.
The National Law Institute University, Bhopal (NLIU), was established by the Rashtriya Vidhi Sansthan Vishwavidyalaya Adhiniyam, by an Act No. 41 of 1997 enacted by the Madhya Pradesh State Legislature. NLIU is recognized by the University Grants Commission and the Bar Council of India.

The VISION of NLIU is to become one of the best centres of legal education, training and research in the world. The MISSION of NLIU is to develop and nurture the intellect for the betterment of the nation and humanity through Law and Justice. The OBJECTIVES of the NLIU inter alia, are to contribute to the national development by instilling a sense of responsibility among her students, while simultaneously cultivating in them spirit of intellectual freedom, qualities of leadership, imaginative power and clarity.

NLIU has been designing and delivering courses with a view to enhance the ability and capacity of the students, members of the faculty and other participants in avoiding and resolving problems under the framework of law.
Sports Law is one of the few areas of law which is still in the developing stages. Earlier, sport was pursued as a hobby but in the present scenario it has become a dedicated profession and is also an area of business. The Centre for Sports Law, Policy & Research at JLU School of Law focuses on research and provides legal assistance with respect to the issues in existing laws and policies in India related to Sports as a profession as well as commercial activity. In the modern world, sports as a profession and Commercial activity generally interacts with various legal disciplines such as Constitutional Law, Law of Contract, Law of Torts, Criminal Law, Taxation Law, Labour Law, Competition Law, and Intellectual Property Rights. The Centre plans to conduct lectures, workshops, conferences on Sports Law and Policy.

About Centre for Business and Intellectual Property Laws

Intellectual property is the area of law that deals with protecting the rights of those who create original works. It covers everything from original plays and novels to inventions and company identification marks. The purpose of intellectual property laws is to encourage new technologies, artistic expressions and inventions while promoting economic growth. When individuals know that their creative work will be protected and that they can benefit from their labor, they are more likely to continue to produce things that create jobs, develop new technology, make processes more efficient, and create beauty in the world around us. There are three main mechanisms for protecting intellectual property: copyrights, patents and trademarks. Intellectual property management encompasses the creation, protection and exploitation of Intellectual Property Rights. Centre is regularly conducting extensive training programs, seminars, lectures by eminent personalities, faculty development programs, brainstorming sessions, etc. under the aegis of Jagran Lakecity University – School of Law.
Themes for the E-Seminar

3. Dispute Resolution Mechanism of Sports issues.
4. Ethical Issues in Sports.

The above-mentioned themes are not exhaustive in nature. Authors may choose a topic which is in line with theme of the seminar.

Submission Guidelines

For Abstract Submission:

1. There shall be a maximum of two authors for each paper.
2. Multiple entries shall lead to disqualification.
3. Abstract shall be maximum of 400 words including key words. Abstract must be accompanied by a Cover page which must include following details:
   a. Title of the Paper
   b. Name of the Author and Co-author (if any)
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4. Abstract shall be submitted to cslpr.jlusol@gmail.com on or before 29th August, 2020 in MS-Word file format.
5. While submitting abstract the subject of the mail must be “Abstract Submission” with the Name of Author and Co-author (if any).
6. The MS Word file must be named in the manner which is as follows: Name of the Author and Co-author (if any) followed by title of the work.

For Manuscript Submission:

1. The title of manuscript shall be followed by Name of the student(s), Name of the University/Institution and E-mail address.
2. The manuscript should be submitted in MS-Word (.doc/.docx) format only.
3. For citation, Bluebook style – 20th Edition shall be followed.
4. All manuscript submissions shall only be made in soft copies to cslpr.jlusol@gmail.com on or before 26th September, 2020.
5. While submitting manuscript the subject of the mail must be “Manuscript Submission” with the Name of Author and Co-author (if any).
6. The MS-word file of the manuscript must be named in the manner which is as follows: Name of the Author and Co-author (if any) followed by title of the work. Example “Rajesh Sinha - Interface of IPR and Sports law”
7. The maximum word limit for the paper is 4000 words excluding foot notes.
Eligibility
Faculty Member, Research Scholar, Industry Expert and Student at any Law and Sports University/College/ Sports Organization are eligible to participate.

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1. The submission of author and co-author (if any) must not be a plagiarised work. If found plagiarised submission shall be rejected.
2. Co-author need to pay separate registration fee.
3. Participant is required to register by filling up the Google form. Kindly click on the link

https://forms.gle/sXGRmU6CCwrDKTCe8

4. In case of any query kindly reach us by writing an email on cslpr.jiusol@gmail.com.
5. All the participants shall be required to present their research papers on October 04, 2020 through Zoom/Google meet.
6. All participants shall be provided with E-Certificates only on their registered mail id.
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