



# Hidayatullah National Law University



## MEDIATION WEBINAR SERIES 2021

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# About Hidayatullah National Law University



Established in 2003, **Hidayatullah National Law University** has completed the journey of more than one and half a decade. In such a short span of time, HNLU has carved out a niche in the realm of legal education across India and the legacy is soaring towards newer heights day by day.

Named after the great legal luminary Justice Mohammed Hidayatullah, the University was established by the Government of Chhattisgarh under the Hidayatullah National University of Law, Chhattisgarh, Act (Act No.10 of 2003).

HNLU is the sixth in the series of National Law Schools across India. HNLU has been included in the list of the Universities maintained by the University Grants Commission under Section 2(f) of the UGC Act, 1956 and has been declared fit to receive Central assistance in terms of the rules framed under Section 12 (B) of the UGC Act, 1956. The university is recognized by the Bar Council of India under section 7 of the Advocates Act 1961.

**Hon'ble Mr. Justice Prashant Kumar Mishra**, Acting Chief Justice, High Court of Chhattisgarh is the Chancellor and **Prof. (Dr.) V. C. Vivekanandan** is the Vice-Chancellor of the University.

"Dharma Sansthapanartham" (for the sake of establishing the primacy of the laws of eternal values) is the motto of Hidayatullah National Law University, Raipur.

# Indian Institute of Arbitration & Mediation

Indian Institute of Arbitration & Mediation is one of the pioneer institutions in India, providing institutional alternative dispute resolution services, which include international and domestic commercial arbitration, mediation and negotiation and conducting training programmes in ADR. IIAM is a non-profit organization registered in India and commenced in the year 2001. The IIAM is a founding member of Asia Pacific Centre of Arbitration & Mediation (APCAM)

## KD Lex Chambers LLP, Centre for Conflict Resolution

KD Lex Chambers LLP has been established with the primary objective of promoting Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) mechanism by providing a conducive environment and appropriate infrastructure for quick and effective resolution of commercial conflicts. In order to make the ADR mechanism completely client-friendly, KDLC commits to provide various services and facilities with state-of-the-art technical support to achieve this objective in an effective, efficient and professional manner with the involvement and intervention of highly professional arbitrators, mediators, and neutrals from various legal as well as technical backgrounds. KDLC prides itself to be partnered with ADR ODR INTERNATIONAL (UK), which is accredited by the Singapore International Mediation Institute (SIMI), recognized by the UK Civil Mediation Council (CMC), and certified by International Mediation Institute (IMI). This gives it an internationally recognized kite mark of excellence.

## Mediation



Mediation is a voluntary, binding process in which an impartial and neutral mediator facilitate disputing parties in reaching a settlement. A mediator does not impose solution but creates a conducive environment in which disputing parties can resolve all their dispute. India is in the edge coming with its new law on mediation which will help in facilitating the development of settling the disputes through mediation.



## Webinar Series



In India the origin of mediation is obscured by the lack of a clear historical and official records of indigenous processes of dispute resolution system due to our colonial past. However, recently mediation has emerged as a fast-growing disputes redressal mechanism. The supreme court of India has constituted mediation and conciliation project committee to oversee the effective implementation of mediation and conciliation in the country. The objective of our webinar series is to create awareness among the target groups to understand the technicalities of mediation and its dimensions.

This webinar series will try to improve the skills of conducting mediation to the mediation professionals and will be useful as advocacy programme to the law students in State of Chhattisgarh and across the nation. Our aim is to achieve a high standard practice of mediation to resolve the complex disputes like property, family, civil and commercial. The entire webinar series is divided into four sessions and our experts will come from a variety of backgrounds and include professionals from different walk of life, academicians, legal practitioners and Judges.

## Who May Participate?

Participant can be from inside or outside of the University.

- HNLU students across all Batches, and Faculties.
- Undergraduate and postgraduate law students, research scholars, Advocates and ADR enthusiasts .
- Professionals practicing ADR.

## Certification

Certificates will be provided to all Participants

## Objectives of the Workshop:

- Aim is to achieve a high standard practice of mediation to resolve the complex disputes like property, family, civil and commercial.

## Schedule of the Webinar Series

The entire webinar series is divided into four sessions every second Saturday of September, October, November and December respectively.

- 11th September, 2021 – Inaugural Webinar (Topic: Fundamentals of Mediation)
- 9th October, 2021 – Second webinar (Topic: Family/Civil Mediation in India)
- 13th November, 2021 – Third Webinar (Topic: Commercial Mediation)
- 11th December, 2021 – Fourth Webinar (Topic: ODR & Mediation as a Profession)

# **INAUGURAL FUNCTION**

## **HIDAYATULLAH NATIONAL LAW UNIVERSITY,**

### **IIAM, NEW DELHI & KD LEX CHAMBERS LLP**

## **MEDIATION WEBINAR SERIES, 2021**

**11<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2021 | 10:00 TO 11:00 A.M.**



**Chief Guest**

**Hon'ble Justice Dipak Mishra,**

(Former Chief Justice of India,  
Supreme Court of India)



**Guest of Honor**

**Prof. (Dr.) Ranbir Singh,**

(Distinguished Visiting Professor, HNLU,  
Former Vice Chancellor, NLUD & NALSAR)



**Prof. (Dr.) V.C. Vivekanandan**

Hon'ble Vice Chancellor,  
HNLU, Raipur



**Prof. (Dr.) Uday Shankar**

Registrar,  
HNLU, Raipur



**Prof. (Dr.) Yogendra Srivastava**

Professor  
HNLU, Raipur

## Schedule of the Webinar Series – 11/09/2021

Agenda of the Inaugural Function	Name of the speaker	Time
Welcome Address and About Webinar Series	Prof. (Dr.) Yogendra Srivastava Chairperson-Outreach Programme	10:00 A.M. to 10:05 A.M.
Address By	Prof. (Dr.) V.C. Vivekanandan Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, HNLU, Raipur	10:05 A.M. to 10:10 A.M.
Address By	Ms Hamida Siddique, Dy Advocate General & Mediator, High Court of Chhattisgarh.	10:10 A.M. to 10:15 A.M.
Address By	Ms P Kavitha Balakrishnan, Advocate & ADR Neutral, Mediation Trainer, Program Coordinator, KD Lex Chambers, LLP	10:15 A.M. to 10:20 A.M.
Address By	Ms Iram Majid, Senior Mediator, Director – IIAM, New Delhi, Executive Director - APCAM	10:20 A.M. to 10:25 A.M.
Guest of Honour	Prof. (Dr.) Ranbir Singh, (Distinguished Visiting Professor HNLU, Former Vice Chancellor, NLUD & NALSAR)	10:25 A.M. to 10:40 A.M.
Chief Guest Address	Hon'ble Mr Justice Dipak Misra Former Chief Justice of India	10:40 A.M. to 11:10 A.M.
Vote of Thanks	Prof. (Dr) Uday Shankar Registrar, HNLU, Raipur	11:10 A.M. to 11:15 A.M.

11:00 AM – 12:30 PM	<p><b>PANEL: Fundamentals of Mediation</b></p> <p><b>Discussant - Mr. V Suryanarayana Raju, Assistant Professor, HNLU</b></p> <p><b>Proposed Speakers:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Ms. Susheela Sarathi, Senior Advocate &amp; Senior Mediator</li> <li>2. Ms. Hamida Siddique, Deputy. Advocate General, Mediator, Chhattisgarh High Court</li> <li>3. Prof. (Dr.) Uday Shankar, Registrar, HNLU, Raipur</li> </ol> <p><b>Programme Anchor – Ms. Garima Panwar, Asst. Professor, HNLU</b></p>
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TIME	EVENT – 09/10/2021
10:00 AM – 11:30 AM	<p><b>PANEL: Family/Civil Mediation in India</b></p> <p><b>Discussant - Dr. Parvesh Kumar Rajput, Assistant Professor, HNLU</b></p> <p><b>Proposed Speakers:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Prof. (Dr.) V Nagaraj, Vice Chancellor, DNLU, Jabalpur (*To Be Confirmed)</li> <li>2. Mr. J.P. Singh, Senior Mediator</li> <li>3. Ms. P. Kavitha Balakrishnan, Advocate &amp; ADR Neutral, Mediation Trainer, Program Coordinator, KD Lex Chambers, LLP</li> <li>4. Ms. Anitha Sahani, Senior Mediator in Civil &amp; Family Mediation</li> </ol> <p><b>Programme Anchor – Mr. Abhinav Shukla, Assistant Professor, HNLU</b></p>

TIME	EVENT – 13/11/2021
10:00 AM – 11:30 AM	<p><b>PANEL: Commercial Mediation</b></p> <p><b>Discussant - Dr. Manoj Kumar, Assistant Professor, HNLU</b></p> <p><b>Proposed Speakers:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Prof. (Dr.) S Surya Prakash, Vice Chancellor, DSNLU, Vishakhapatnam</li> <li>2. Ms. Chitra Narayan, Senior Mediator</li> <li>3. Mr. Jonathan Rodrigues, Mediator</li> <li>4. Ms. Lalit Mohini Bhat, Senior Mediator in Commercial Mediation</li> </ol> <p><b>Programme Anchor – Mr. Arindam Neral, Assistant Professor, HNLU</b></p>

TIME	EVENT – 11/12/2021
10:00 AM – 11:30 AM	<p><b>PANEL: ODR &amp; Mediation as a Profession</b></p> <p><b>Discussant - Ms. Hina Iliyas, Assistant Professor, HNLU</b></p> <p><b>Proposed Speakers:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Mr. A J Jawad, Senior Mediator &amp; Partner, KD Lex Chambers LLP</li> <li>2. Ms. Iram Majid, Senior Mediator, Director – IIAM, Executive Director - APCAM</li> <li>3. Prof. (Dr.) Sunanda Bharti, Associate Prof. Faculty of Law, Delhi University</li> </ol> <p><b>Programme Anchor – Mr. Saurabh Bara, Assistant Professor, HNLU</b></p>



## Registration:

REGISTRATION LINK

A nominal one time registration shall enable attending all webinars in the series, which is as follows:

- Insider Participants: No fees for HNLU students/Faculty/Staff.
- Outsider Participants: Students-INR 200/- (Two Hundred Only) & Professionals/Researchers/Academicians etc.-500/- (Five Hundred Only)

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## Important Guidelines:

- The participants are required to attach the screenshot of successful payment in the registration form.
- Selected participants shall be notified through e-mail on the ID provided by them in the registration form.
- The workshop shall be conducted through Cisco Webex platform. There will be a separate link for each technical session. The link will be shared through registered e-mail id of the participants.
- E-certificate of participation will be provided upon successful attending of stipulated number of lectures. Participants are requested to register by making the payment and filling up the Google form before the timeline

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