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National Workshop on Contract Drafting Skills 14 Feb 2024

Venue: 911, Central Block, CHRIST (Deemed to be University), Central Campus

No. of Participants: 120

The School of Law, CHRIST (Deemed to be University), Bengaluru, organised the 1st National Contract Drafting Workshop and Competition 2024 in collaboration with Nishith Desai Associates. The national-level workshop featured industry experts, including Ms Harshita Srivastava, Co-Head of the M&A Practice at Nishith Desai Associates. The event focused on developing practical contract drafting skills through discussions on transaction documents, investment stages, and key legal agreements. Participants, comprising students from three-year and five-year LL.B. programs across India, engaged in both learning sessions and a hands-on drafting competition. The activity provided an excellent blend of theoretical insight and practical experience, strengthening students' understanding of commercial contract drafting and enhancing their professional competencies.







1st National Symposium on Corpus Juris Nexus 29 Sep 2023

Venue: Online - Google Meet, Christ (Deemed to be University) Central Campus **No. of Participants:** 64

The 1st National Symposium on Corpus Juris Nexus created a platform for students to explore intersections of law, policy, and corporate governance. The interactive sessions and panel discussions encouraged students to analyse current corporate legal challenges. Speakers emphasised the importance of responsible governance and equitable business practices. Participants engaged in dynamic Q&A sessions that sharpened their critical thinking and analytical skills. The symposium promoted an inclusive learning environment that connected theoretical frameworks with practical applications. Supporting SDG 10, it reduced academic and regional barriers by giving students from various institutions access to national-level discourse on corporate jurisprudence.







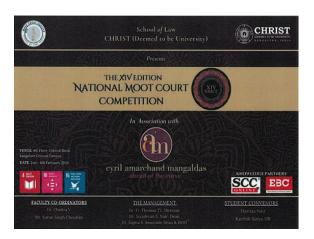
14th National Moot Court Competition (with Cyril Amarchand Mangaldas) 2-4 Feb 2024

Venue: Central Block, Audi Block, Christ (Deemed to be University) Central Campus

No. of Participants: 41 Teams, 121 Participants

The 14th National Moot Court Competition provided a national platform for students to showcase their advocacy and legal reasoning skills. Teams from across India argued simulated cases before panels of senior advocates and academicians. The event emphasised ethical argumentation, research excellence, and inclusivity in competition. Participants were mentored by experts from Cyril Amarchand Mangaldas, bridging academic learning with professional exposure. The initiative fostered fair participation and merit-based recognition, supporting SDG 10 by ensuring equitable access to legal education experiences. The competition concluded with awards for best memorial, oralist, and team performance, inspiring students toward responsible and socially conscious legal practice.







Legal Drafting Workshop & Competitions - "Legal Craft" 3-8 Apr 2024

Venue: Christ (Deemed to be University), Central Campus

No. of Participants: 80

The week-long "Legal Craft" series featured events like Legal Drafting Workshop, Judgement Rewriting, Constitutional Debate, PIL Drafting, and a Panel Discussion. Each event integrated theoretical understanding with hands-on application, allowing students to explore different dimensions of law and governance. Faculty mentors emphasised clarity, coherence, and creativity in legal expression. The sessions encouraged teamwork, debate ethics, and innovative thinking. By offering multiple modes of participation, "Legal Craft" promoted inclusivity and equal access to learning, aligning with SDG 10. The initiative not only enhanced students' drafting and advocacy competence but also instilled values of fairness, equity, and civic responsibility in the legal domain.







Breast & Cervical Cancer Awareness Seminar & Hair Donation Drive 26 Oct 2023

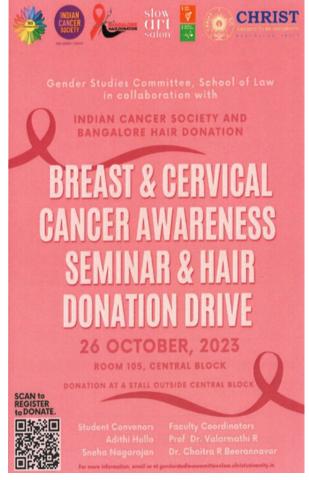
Venue: Central Block, Christ (Deemed to be University), Central Campus

No. of Participants: 60

The Department of Life Sciences organised a seminar and hair donation drive to raise awareness on breast and cervical cancer. Health professionals educated participants on early detection, preventive care, and the importance of regular screenings. Students actively participated in the hair donation drive to support cancer survivors, symbolising empathy and solidarity. The event created awareness around women's health and tackled the social stigma associated with cancer. It supported SDG 3 (Good Health and Well-being) and SDG 10 (Reduced Inequalities) by promoting health equity and access to information for all genders. The initiative strengthened the spirit of service learning and community engagement within the university







Certificate Course on 'Laws Relating to Children -In Theory and Practice 3-6 October 2023

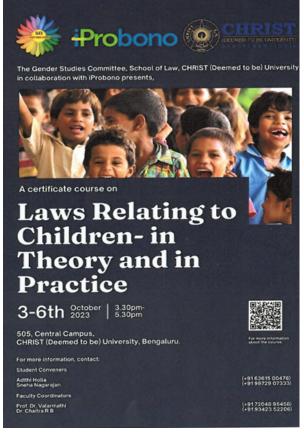
Venue: Classrooms of 3rd Year BA & BBA LLB, Central Block, CHRIST (Deemed to be University), Central Campus.

No. of Participants: 350

The Certificate Course on Laws Relating to Children – In Theory and Practice provided participants with an in-depth understanding of child-related issues in India through exploration of major legislations such as the POCSO Act, Child Marriage Act, and Juvenile Justice Act. The course also examined laws on child labour and bonded labour, focusing on rehabilitation and eradication efforts. Practical exercises and case studies allowed students to apply theoretical knowledge to real-world scenarios, enhancing legal reasoning and advocacy skills. Emphasising a child-centric approach, the course prioritised children's well-being, rights, and protection across all aspects of law enforcement. Participants developed a nuanced understanding of juvenile justice procedures and child protection mechanisms, aligning the program with SDG 10 (Reduced Inequalities) and SDG 16 (Peace, Justice, and Strong Institutions).







Christ University Parliamentary Debate 23-24 5-7 April 2024

Venue: Central Block and Christ Junior College, CHRIST (Deemed to be University),

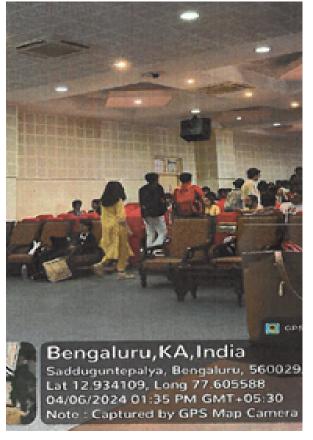
Central Campus.

No. of Participants: 130

The Christ University Parliamentary Debate was conducted from 5th to 7th April 2024, providing a platform for students from across India to engage in intellectual discourse using the Asian Parliamentary Debate format. Participants and adjudicators competed across several rounds, with motions designed to test argumentation, analytical reasoning, and teamwork. The event allowed students to showcase their debating abilities while encouraging dialogue on diverse social, political, and ethical issues. External adjudicators scored performances based on a structured rubric devised by the organising committee. The debate nurtured inclusivity by welcoming teams from different universities, reflecting the spirit of equal opportunity in academic discourse. Aligned with SDG 10 (Reduced Inequalities), the event emphasised constructive communication, respect for differing perspectives, and academic collaboration. The organising team planned follow-up practice sessions and collaborations with professional debaters to further enhance the debating culture..







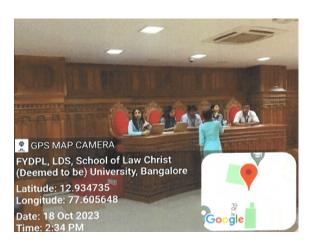
First Years Debating Premier League 2023-24 16-18 October 2023

Venue: Central Block, CHRIST (Deemed to be University), Central Campus.

No. of Participants: 70

The First Year Debating Premier League was an internal debating tournament that proved to be an effective platform for 1st year law students to showcase their debating prowess. The tournament was preceded by a series of workshops hosted specifically to orient the students pertaining to the nuances involved in Parliamentary Debating. The tournament saw students debating various motions pertaining to several subjects such as climate change, feminism, justice, education, philosophy and so on. Throughout the days of the tournament, the competitive spirit and enthusiasm of participants remained high, ultimately culminating in a Grand Finale consisting of a 6 Judge panel filled with debaters from the 4th and 5th year with prior experience and achievements in external competitions.







Gaveshna: The Research-Industry Interface 3 August 2023

Venue: Mini Auditorium, CHRIST (Deemed to be University), Bannerghatta Road Campus **No. of Participants:**

The Department of English and Cultural Studies, CHRIST (Deemed to be University), Bannerghatta Road Campus, organised Gaveshna: The Research–Industry Interface under the theme "Celebrating Artistic Pluralism." The session featured visual artist Dr Indu Antony, who presented her transition from a medical practitioner to an artist and activist. Dr. Antony shared insights into her renowned "Cecilia'ed" project, which redefined feminist geography and explored gendered discrimination through urban planning and public art. Her discussion highlighted how creative practices can transform public narratives, foster inclusivity, and align with SDG 10 (Reduced Inequalities) by challenging social hierarchies. The session also showcased her projects, such as TV news for the hearing impaired, community cinema, and public mural initiatives like Namma Katte, which promote awareness and engagement. Gaveshna successfully bridged research and artistic practice, encouraging interdisciplinary dialogue and emphasising the role of art in social change.







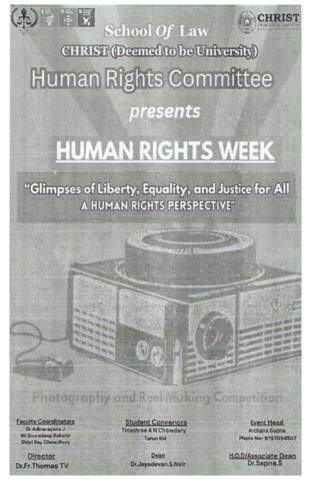
Glimpses of Liberty, Equality, and Justice for All A Human Rights Perspective 5 February 2024

Venue: Room 403, Central Block, CHRIST (Deemed to be University), Bangalore **No. of Participants: 9**

As part of Human Rights Week 2024, the School of Law, CHRIST (Deemed to be University), organised a Reel-Making and Photography Competition for the entire student body at the Central Campus. The competition encouraged participants to creatively explore the theme "Glimpses of Liberty, Equality, and Justice for All – A Human Rights Perspective." Students submitted photographs and short reels (30–60 seconds) illustrating their interpretations of these values, accompanied by written descriptions. All entries were showcased at the Human Rights Committee stall on 6th February, where the best works were displayed and featured on the Committee's official Instagram page. A voting poll was conducted, and the winning entries were recognised for their creativity and impact. The initiative fostered awareness of human rights, equality, and inclusivity, providing a platform for expression through visual storytelling and aligning with SDG 10 (Reduced Inequalities) and SDG 16 (Peace, Justice, and Strong Institutions).







Southern Regional Law Review Consultation on Property Rights of Women in India 16 March 2024

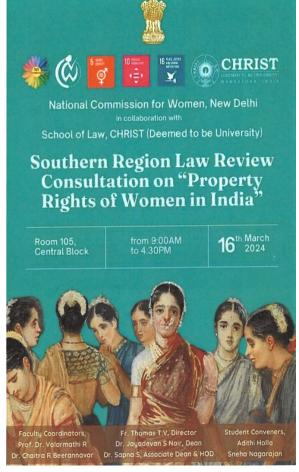
Venue: Block 4, CHRIST (Deemed to be University), Bangalore

No. of Participants: 31

The School of Law, CHRIST (Deemed to be University), organised the Southern Regional Law Review Consultation on Property Rights of Women in India to examine inheritance laws, marital property rights, and gender equality reforms. The consultation aimed to address historical disparities and contemporary challenges affecting women's access to property ownership. Conducted in collaboration with the National Commission for Women (NCW), New Delhi, the event comprised three sessions featuring experts, judges, advocates, and academicians who analysed Hindu, Christian, Muslim, and Parsi property laws. Participants deliberated on legal precedents, societal norms, and recent developments to identify equitable reforms. The discussions produced multiple recommendations to make existing laws more just and inclusive for women. The NCW will compile these outcomes into a formal report for legislative consideration. The initiative aligned with SDG 5 (Gender Equality) and SDG 10 (Reduced Inequalities) by promoting gender-sensitive legal reform.







Menstrual Leave Policy in the Workplace 5 March 2024

Venue: 911, Central Block, Central Campus, CHRIST (Deemed to be University), Bangalore **No. of Participants:** 16

The Gender Studies Committee of the School of Law, CHRIST (Deemed to be University), organised a skit to introduce the Labour Department's discussion on menstrual leave policy and its relevance for ensuring equitable workplace conditions. The performance addressed stereotypes surrounding menstruation, emphasising awareness, inclusivity, and the need to create supportive professional environments. Through a mediation-style enactment, the skit explored diverse perspectives on menstruation as a natural process and the importance of sensitivity among employers and peers. It highlighted organisational, legal, and social implications of menstrual leave, while underlining the necessity for comprehensive policies to address health, comfort, and productivity. The event encouraged dialogue on gender equity in the workplace, aligning with SDG 5 (Gender Equality) and SDG 10 (Reduced Inequalities). The follow-up plan included facilitating discussions with the State Commission on Menstrual Leave Policy to promote legal and institutional awareness at a national level.







Workshop on Neurodivergent + Disabled Inclusivity & Understanding 14 February 2024

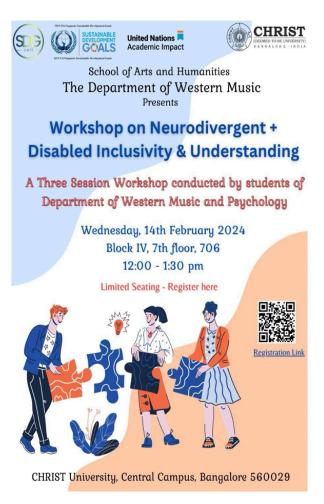
Venue: Block IV, Central Campus, CHRIST (Deemed to be University), Bangalore

No. of Participants: 25

The Department of Western Music, CHRIST (Deemed to be University), conducted a workshop titled "Neurodivergent + Disabled Inclusivity and Understanding" as part of the department's Sustainability Week initiatives. The session aimed to raise awareness about neurodivergence, disability, and the importance of institutional accommodation in educational spaces. The workshop began with an interactive activity involving volunteers, designed to introduce participants to key concepts of normality, neurodiversity, and inclusivity. Presenters shared insights on the intersections between disability and education, supplemented by personal experiences that encouraged empathy and understanding. With 25 participants, including students, faculty, and interested attendees, the event provided a safe and informative environment for open dialogue. As a follow-up, two more sessions were planned to expand on the topics discussed, with a long-term goal of establishing a structured framework for continuous learning and awareness on neurodivergent and disabled issues.







Workshop on Neurodivergent + Disabled Inclusivity & Understanding 23 March 2024

Venue: Block IV, Central Campus, CHRIST (Deemed to be University), Bangalore

No. of Participants: 8

The Department of Western Music conducted the second and third sessions of the Workshop on Neurodivergent + Disabled Inclusivity and Understanding as a continuation of its Sustainability Week initiatives. The second workshop followed a discussion circle format, focusing on shared neurodivergent and disabled experiences, representation in media, and everyday communication barriers faced by disabled individuals. The third session deepened the discourse through theoretical grounding, introducing the pathology and social disability models and exploring key concepts such as ableism, saneism, and structural discrimination. Participants examined disability and neurodivergence as social identities while reflecting on institutional accommodations and inclusive practices. The sessions concluded with a collective feedback discussion and recap. Moving forward, organizers plan to revise future workshops, integrate departmental initiatives, and create an internal platform to promote awareness and empower students to collaboratively design inclusive educational spaces.







XIV National Conference on Enhancing Judicial Administration: Application of Procedural Law and Ensuring Access to Justice in India 22-23 January, 2024

Venue: Main Auditorium, Central Campus, CHRIST (Deemed to be University), Bangalore Day 2: KE Auditorium, Central Campus, CHRIST (Deemed to be University), Bangalore **No. of Participants:**

The School of Law, CHRIST (Deemed to be University), organised the 14th National Conference on Enhancing Judicial Administration in India: Application of Procedural Laws and Ensuring Access to Justice on 22–23 January 2024. The flagship event attracted over 100 submissions from scholars across the country, of which select papers were presented in the conference sessions. The forum provided a platform for academic discussion on procedural reforms, digital access, and transparency in the justice system. Eminent guests, including Hon'ble Justice P.S. Dinesh Kumar, High Court Judge, delivered insightful addresses. Deliberations emphasised efficient case management, strengthening ADR mechanisms, accountability, and judicial capacity building. Participants discussed the evolving role of technology, procedural simplification, and equitable access to justice. The event was organised under the guidance of faculty consultants Dr Gopi Ranga Nath and Dr Abhishek Sharma, supported by the School's management, students, and organising committee.







Skill Development for students to enhance learning 4 April 2024

Venue: Nele Foundation, 9/2, Lakshmidevi Nagara Main Road, opp.: Veena Education

Trust, Laggere, Bengaluru, Karnataka 560096

No. of Participants: 35

The CSA Committee of the School of Law, CHRIST (Deemed to be University), conducted an outreach program at Nele Foundation, located at Lakshmidevi Nagara Main Road, Laggere, Bengaluru. The session engaged around 35–40 children from classes 1 to 10, who attend Nele's summer school program. The initiative focused on enhancing children's holistic development through interactive activities that fostered communication, confidence, and teamwork. Activities included introductions, sharing exercises, and games that encouraged decision-making, skill-sharing, and public speaking. Students also participated in discussions about Sanskrit, folklore, and yoga, promoting a well-rounded learning experience. The CSA Committee emphasised values of equality, proper education, and inclusivity, aligning the outreach with SDG 4 (Quality Education) and SDG 10 (Reduced Inequalities). The visit concluded with reflections on the foundation's initiatives and a commitment to future collaborations aimed at sustained child development and empowerment.



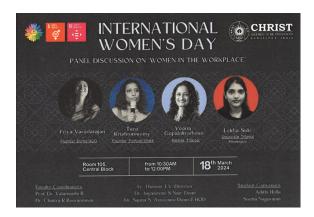


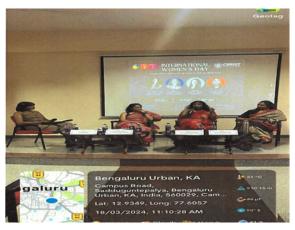


International Women's Day - Panel Discussion on Women in the Workplace 18 March 2024

Venue: 105, Central Block, Central Campus, CHRIST (Deemed to be University), Bangalore **No. of Participants:** 100

The School of Law, CHRIST (Deemed to be University), organised a panel discussion titled "Women in the Workplace" on International Women's Day 2024 to address the challenges and opportunities for women in professional spaces. Distinguished panellists from diverse industries shared insights on combating gender bias, closing the pay gap, and fostering inclusive work cultures. The discussion emphasised intersectional feminism, advocacy, and the significance of mentorship and networking in advancing women's leadership and career growth. Attention was also given to systemic issues and the role of male allies in promoting gender equity and supportive environments. The event inspired participants to champion diversity and inclusion within organisational policies and practices. Concluding with a commitment to future initiatives, the Gender Studies Committee resolved to facilitate ongoing platforms for discourse and sensitisation, strengthening collective action toward gender equality and women's empowerment across all professional domains.







Empowering Wellness: Embracing the Right to Health for all 26 November 2023

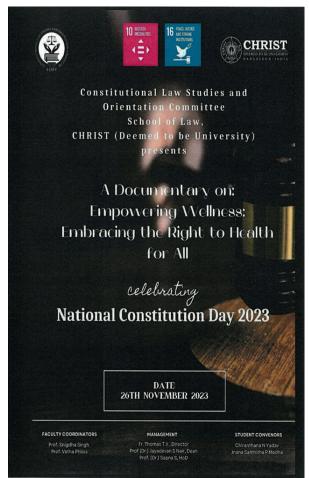
Venue: Online

No. of Participants: 25

The Constitutional Law Studies and Orientation Committee of the School of Law, CHRIST (Deemed to be University), produced a documentary titled "Empowering Wellness: Embracing the Right to Health for All" to commemorate National Constitution Day 2023. The initiative aimed to celebrate the transformative nature of the Indian Constitution and honour Dr B.R. Ambedkar and the Constituent Assembly. The documentary highlighted landmark judicial interpretations of Article 21, emphasising the Right to Health as a fundamental right, especially in light of the COVID-19 pandemic. Through direction, scriptwriting, acting, and videography, students enhanced their understanding of constitutional values and creative expression. Released on 26th November 2023, the documentary was screened within the university to raise awareness of constitutional law and the importance of safeguarding fundamental rights. The project successfully integrated legal education with civic engagement, promoting constitutional literacy among students and faculty alike.







From Disability Towards Equity 21 August, 2023

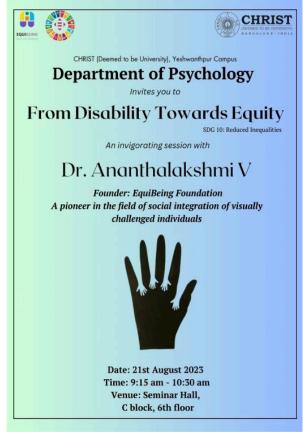
Venue: Seminar Hall, Christ (Deemed-to-be) University, Yeshwanthpur Campus

No. of Participants: 120

The seminar titled "From Disability Towards Equity", held on 21 August 2023 in the Seminar Hall, was organised by the Department of Psychology, CHRIST (Deemed to be University) in collaboration with Equibeing, an NGO advocating for disability awareness and inclusion. The session was led by Dr Ananthalakshmi V, an independent researcher associated with Equibeing, who shared personal insights and experiences that highlighted the importance of treating individuals with disabilities with equality, dignity, and normalcy. Addressing around 100–120 students from 1 BSc Psychology (A & B), Dr Ananthalakshmi emphasised shifting perspectives from sympathy to empowerment, encouraging students to engage meaningfully with persons with disabilities and understand the social and structural barriers they face. The interactive session also introduced students to volunteering opportunities with the NGO, offering a pathway for hands-on involvement in inclusive community initiatives. The seminar fostered awareness, empathy, and social responsibility among the students, promoting inclusive understanding and equity-driven engagement in society.







Importance of communication skills and developing empathy among each other, break the stereotypes, and express better 5 April 2024

Venue: Madiwala

No. of Participants: 30

The Teaching Program was held in Madiwala, one of the project areas of the Centre for Social Action (CSA). The session involved students from classes 2 to 9, focusing on developing communication skills and breaking stereotypes among the participants. The activities were designed to help students express themselves confidently through fun, engaging exercises. The session began with an introductory activity where students paired up to share facts about one another, followed by Pass the Potato, which promoted teamwork and coordination. Later, students were shown pictorial drawings to build observation and imaginative skills, and finally, they played the Tiger and Cow game that emphasised protection, strategy, and group coordination. The students were enthusiastic and cooperative throughout the activities. The program helped in developing communication, creativity, and teamwork skills among the students. The committee plans to continue organising such programs in the future.







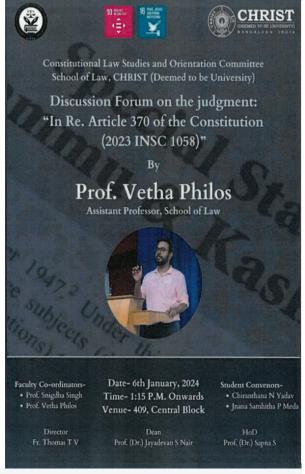
Workshop on the judgement: "In Re Article 370 of the Constitution" 6 January 2024

Venue: 409, Central Block **No. of Participants:** 25

The discussion focused on the abrogation of Article 370, examining its historical context, legal validity, and constitutional implications. Initially intended to accommodate Jammu and Kashmir's unique needs, Article 370 symbolised federal balance within India. However, the 2019 abrogation was critiqued for procedural flaws, as it bypassed constitutional mandates following the dissolution of the Jammu and Kashmir Constituent Assembly in 1956. Participants analysed the Constitutional Orders, particularly CO 273, for sidestepping ratification and violating Article 3 of the Indian Constitution. The conversation questioned the constitutional legitimacy of reorganising Jammu and Kashmir into Union Territories, arguing that such actions endangered India's federal structure. The session concluded that the abrogation lacked constitutional soundness, emphasising the importance of adherence to due process. The committee resolved to organise further workshops and thought-provoking discussions on emerging constitutional and political issues.







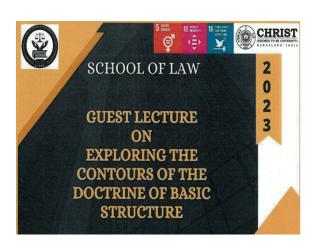
Exploring the contours of the doctrine of Basic Structure 27 July 2023

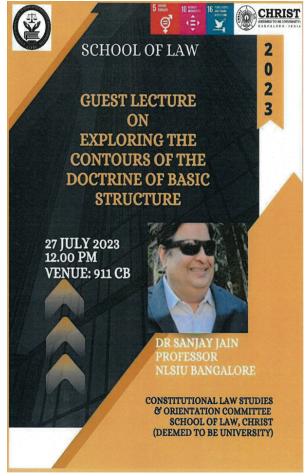
Venue: 911, Central Block, Central Campus

No. of Participants: 130

The School of Law, CHRIST (Deemed to be University), organised a guest lecture on "Exploring the Contours of the Basic Structure Doctrine." The session featured a visually impaired professor who was warmly received by the audience and spoke for about an hour on the historical background, implications, and future repercussions of the doctrine. The speaker explained the key essentials of the Basic Structure Doctrine, offering a perspective distinct from the general public consensus, and compared India's constitutional framework with those of other democratic nations. The lecture highlighted the importance of dynamic constitutionalism in the modern world. The event concluded successfully, leaving students deeply engaged and inspired by the intellectual insights shared. As a follow-up, the School plans to collaborate further with the speaker, Dr Sanjay, to organise additional lectures that strengthen students' understanding of the Constitution and its foundational doctrines.







Behind the Folds 7 October 2024

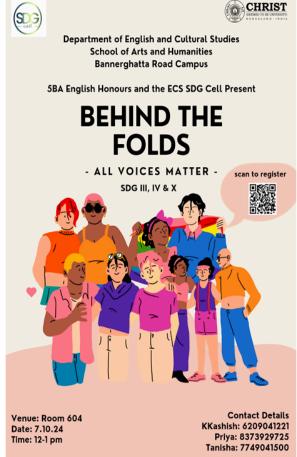
Venue: 604, 6thfloor, AcademicBlock, BGR Campus

No. of Participants: 11

The event "Blindfolded Conversations" was organized by the students of 5ENGH in collaboration with the SDG Cell as part of the Discourses in Environmental Humanities course. The activity brought together anonymous participants who were blindfolded upon arrival and escorted to their seats, ensuring that they were unaware of each other's identities. Paired participants engaged in open, unbiased conversations for approximately 30 minutes, fostering empathy and emotional openness. The setup removed visual biases, encouraging honest sharing of thoughts and experiences while breaking social and psychological barriers. Participants discussed personal struggles, mental health, and everyday challenges without fear of judgment, promoting understanding across social divides. The event emphasized SDG 3 (Good Health and Well-being) and SDG 10 (Reduced Inequalities) by highlighting inclusivity, empathy, and mental wellness. Through this innovative exercise, the organizers successfully demonstrated how meaningful human connections can thrive through mutual trust and communication beyond appearances.







Laapataa Ladies 28 September, 2024

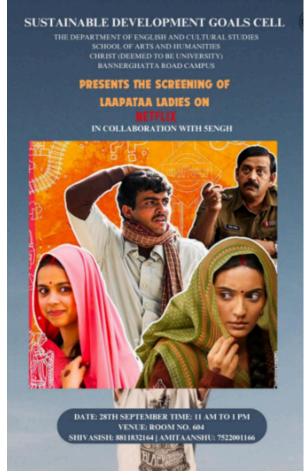
Venue: 604, 6th floor, Academic Block, BGR Campus

No. of Participants: 50

The students of 5ENGH, Department of English and Cultural Studies, organised a screening and panel discussion on the film "Laapataa Ladies," directed by Kiran Rao and produced by Kiran Rao, Aamir Khan, and Jyoti Deshpande. The film portrays two newlywed brides who are accidentally exchanged during a train journey, exploring issues of gender inequality, education, and the economic conditions of rural India. The screening, which lasted around two hours, was followed by a panel discussion that analysed the film's connection to various Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), including SDG 5 (Gender Equality) and SDG 16 (Peace, Justice, and Strong Institutions). Participants discussed themes such as structural gender bias, patriarchy, and the lack of access to education for women. The session emphasised how education and awareness can challenge entrenched inequalities and empower marginalised communities.







Can The Minions Speak? 1 October 2024

Venue: 604, Bannerghatta Road Campus, Bangalore

No. of Participants: 51

The Department organised a film screening of Despicable Me, followed by a postcolonial discussion, aligning with SDG Goal 10: Reduced Inequalities. The event began with a welcome address and introductory guidelines, after which participants watched the film. A postcolonial analysis followed, focusing on themes such as representation of the Minions, speciesism, human nature dichotomy, and Gru's role as a conqueror. The discussion highlighted hidden problematic areas in the film and examined them through postcolonial perspectives, encouraging critical reflection among students. A pop quiz added an interactive element to the event, with Minion-themed souvenirs awarded to participants. Active engagement from both faculty and students enriched the dialogue, making the session lively and thought-provoking. The event successfully fostered awareness of postcolonial readings in popular culture while reinforcing the significance of inclusivity and equality. It received highly positive feedback from participants and attendees.







Kobita: Poetries in Translations 23 September 2024

Venue: 602, Bannerghatta Road Campus, Bangalore

No. of Participants:

The Department of Computer Science, CHRIST (Deemed to be University), Yeshwanthpur Campus, organised an industrial talk titled "Driving Digital Sustainability: Reducing Software's Carbon Footprint for a Greener Future" on 2nd September 2024 in Seminar Hall 2, Block A, in collaboration with Shell India. The session was delivered by Ms GunaSundari Sridhar, General Manager for IDT GM DS and Renewables SOM, IDSO, Shell India. Addressing final-year UG students, she discussed the growing importance of sustainable technological practices in achieving a net-zero future. The talk emphasised green software design principles, energy-efficient infrastructure, and optimised code as strategies to minimise the environmental impact of digital systems. The event successfully linked SDG 4 (Quality Education), SDG 9 (Industry, Innovation, and Infrastructure), SDG 13 (Climate Action), SDG 15 (Life on Land), and SDG 17 (Partnerships for the Goals). It concluded with a discussion on future collaborations to promote sustainable innovation within the tech industry.







CSR Activity Bandhan 2024 16 October 2024

Venue: Kolar & Hoskote **No. of Participants:**

The Bandhan Rural Exposure Visit was organised by the Centre for Social Action (CSA) for MBA students to enhance their understanding of rural development and inclusive growth. Conducted on 7, 8, 9, 14, 15, and 16 October 2024, the program involved 365 students from six sections, each accompanied by two faculty members, visiting CSA-adopted villages in Hoskote and Kolar. The visit aimed to sensitise students to rural realities, social structures, and developmental challenges. Participants interacted with villagers, observed CSA's initiatives in education, healthcare, women's empowerment, and economic stability, and learned about government-supported welfare schemes. The experience fostered empathy, cultural awareness, and socially responsible thinking while strengthening communication and leadership skills. By engaging with grassroots development models, students gained valuable insights into sustainability, inclusivity, and community welfare, aligning with the university's mission of nurturing socially conscious and ethically responsible professionals.







Campus Corporate Confluence 28 August 2024

Venue: 301, Central Block, CHRIST (Deemed to be University), Bangalore

No. of Participants: 96

The School of Business and Management (Bangalore Central Campus) organised the Campus Corporate Confluence under the Lean Operations and Systems Specialisation, featuring interactions with SAP and Incture Technologies. The session, held on 28 August 2024, focused on the theme "SAP & Incture Technologies Partnership and Future Skill Requirement Landscape." Speakers included Mr Rahul Sachdev (SAP University Alliances India Subcontinent), Ms Anushka Agarwal (SAP Intern), Mr Hanumantrao Kulkarni (Incture Technologies), and Ms Joyce Immaculate Priya (Manager, Strategic Alliance). They discussed SAP's collaborations with universities and industries, skill requirements, and sustainability practices. Students gained valuable insights into emerging career opportunities, the growing demand for SAP expertise, and industry-relevant learning resources. The session enhanced awareness of the evolving skill landscape and encouraged students to align their preparation with real-world business expectations.







Expert talk on understanding constitutional values, rights and responsibilities as citizens 10 December 2024

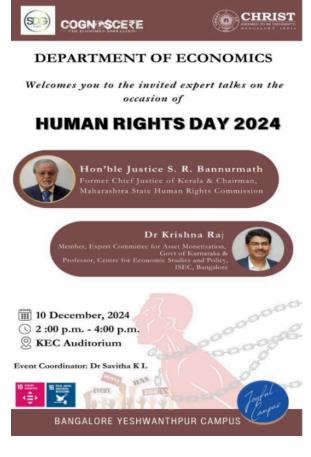
Venue: KEC Auditorium, Yeshwanthpur Campus

No. of Participants: 500

The SDG Cell of the Department of Economics, CHRIST (Deemed to be University), Yeshwanthpur Campus, organised an Expert Talk on Human Rights Day on 10 December 2024, in collaboration with Cognoscere – The Economics Association. The program began with an invocation and welcome address by Dr Vineeth Mohandas, followed by an inaugural speech from Dr Fr. Benny Thomas, Director, who emphasised the importance of introspection and collective responsibility in upholding human rights. The keynote address by Hon'ble Justice S. R. Bannurmath, Former Chief Justice of Kerala High Court, explored the evolution of the global and Indian human rights movement and the significance of Article 21 as the foundation of all fundamental rights. Dr Krishna Raj, Professor at ISEC, discussed the link between human rights and environmental protection, focusing on the right to a healthy environment. The program included an engaging Human Rights Pledge, felicitation ceremony, and an interactive discussion that deepened awareness of constitutional and environmental justice.







Service-Learning Orientation 16 December 2023

Venue: Seminar Hall Block C, CHRIST (Deemed to be University), Central Campus

No. of Participants: 123

The Department of Mathematics, CHRIST (Deemed to be University), Central Campus, organised a Service-Learning Orientation on 16th December 2023 in the Seminar Hall. The session was conducted by Dr Valarmathi B, Director, Centre for Service Learning, and attended by both students and faculty members. The program introduced participants to the principles and practices of service learning as a transformative educational approach integrating academic study with community engagement. Dr Valarmathi emphasised the role of service learning in fostering empathy, civic responsibility, and social awareness among students. Participants explored different models of service learning—direct and indirect service, advocacy, and research-based projects—highlighting their impact on personal growth and social transformation. The session also underscored ethical engagement, cultural sensitivity, and collaboration as key components of effective community interaction. Aligned with SDG 4 (Quality Education), SDG 10 (Reduced Inequalities), and SDG 11 (Sustainable Cities and Communities), the orientation empowered students to apply learning for meaningful social change.







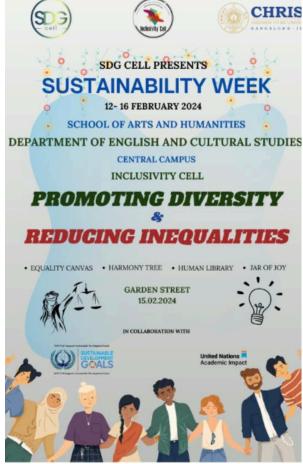
Inclusivity and ecological diversity stalls 15 February 2024

Venue: Garden Street, Central Campus, CHRIST (Deemed to be University) **No. of Participants:**

The SDG Week Celebrations at CHRIST (Deemed to be University), Central Campus, were held on 15th February 2024 at Garden Street. Organised in collaboration with the World Wildlife Federation (WWF), the event featured Inclusivity and Ecological Diversity Stalls promoting awareness of SDG 10 (Reduced Inequalities) and SDG 3 (Good Health and Well-being). The Inclusivity Cell Stall hosted creative activities such as the Equality Canvas, Jar of Joy, and Myths vs Facts, encouraging reflection on equality, gender stereotypes, and acceptance. A Men's Sexual Health and Hygiene Quiz further opened conversations on sensitive health topics. The Ecological Diversity Cell Stall emphasised health and sustainability through the Share Your Healthy Habits Board and Health and Hygiene Quiz, with eco-friendly rewards. Stalls were decorated using waste paper, showcasing environmental creativity. The collaboration with WWF enriched the initiative's global outlook, fostering empathy, inclusivity, and sustainability through participatory learning and campus-wide engagement.







Annual Athletic Meet 2024 - 25 15 December 2024

Venue: Bangalore Yeshwanthpur Campus, CHRIST (Deemed to be University) **No. of Participants:**

The Annual Athletic Meet 2024–25, held on 15 December 2024 at the Bangalore Yeshwanthpur Campus, brought together students, faculty, and staff for a spirited celebration of sportsmanship and physical excellence. The event featured a series of track and field competitions designed to encourage teamwork, discipline, and healthy competition. Participants showcased remarkable athletic skill and enthusiasm across various events, contributing to an energetic and vibrant atmosphere. The meet not only promoted fitness and well-being but also strengthened camaraderie among students through shared participation and team spirit. The celebration concluded with prize distribution, recognising outstanding performances and encouraging continued engagement in sports activities.







Understanding Indian Labour Migration: Past, Present and Future 2 December 2024

Venue: Bangalore Yeshwanthpur Campus, CHRIST (Deemed to be University) **No. of Participants:**

The session "Understanding Indian Labour Migration: Past, Present, and Future" explored the socio-economic dimensions of migration in India through a historical and contemporary lens. Experts and faculty highlighted how labour mobility has shaped livelihoods, regional development, and demographic patterns across the country. Discussions shed light on structural inequalities faced by migrant workers, including wage disparities, lack of social protection, limited access to housing and health services, and vulnerabilities intensified by crises such as the pandemic. The event also examined emerging trends—urbanisation, globalisation, and policy reforms—that influence future migration flows. By focusing on migrant rights and inclusive growth, the program emphasised the need to reduce inequalities and strengthen social safety nets, aligning strongly with SDG 10: Reduced Inequalities. Students gained a deeper understanding of the challenges and opportunities within India's migration landscape and the role policy, awareness, and advocacy play in ensuring dignity and equity for migrant communities.





Panel Discussion on "Bridging the Intergenerational Gap" 1 October 2024

Venue: Central Campus, CHRIST (Deemed to be University)

No. of Participants:

The panel discussion on "Bridging the Intergenerational Gap" brought together experts, faculty members, and students to explore the growing disconnect between generations in contemporary society. The session examined the differences in values, communication styles, work ethics, and technological adaptation that often create misunderstandings between younger and older generations. Panellists highlighted the importance of empathy, active listening, and inclusive dialogue as tools for reducing intergenerational disparities. Real-life scenarios and research-based insights were shared to illustrate how workplaces, families, and educational institutions can foster mutual respect and collaboration. The conversation emphasised that bridging this gap is essential for social cohesion, equitable opportunities, and stronger community relationships, directly supporting SDG 10: Reduced Inequalities. Attendees gained a deeper appreciation of how generational diversity can become a strength when approached with openness and understanding.







Free Book Distribution Programme by NIELIT Calicut and NCSC for SC/ST 30 September 2024

Venue: Central Campus, CHRIST (Deemed to be University) **No. of Participants:**

The Free Book Distribution Programme conducted by NIELIT Calicut in collaboration with NCSC aimed to support SC/ST students by enhancing their access to academic resources and reducing educational disparities. The event emphasised the role of educational empowerment in overcoming systemic barriers faced by marginalised communities. Students received essential textbooks and study materials relevant to their courses, helping them pursue their academic goals without the burden of additional financial constraints. Speakers highlighted ongoing government and institutional initiatives designed to uplift SC/ST learners and promote equal opportunities. The programme reinforced the importance of inclusive education and directly supported SDG 10: Reduced Inequalities by ensuring that socio-economic background does not hinder academic progress. The initiative fostered a sense of encouragement among students and strengthened the university's commitment to equity and social justice.







Bhasha Utsav and Ethnic Day 2024 28 September 2024

Venue: Bangalore Yeshwanthpur Campus, CHRIST (Deemed to be University) **No. of Participants:**

Bhasha Utsav and Ethnic Day 2024 celebrated the rich linguistic, cultural, and ethnic diversity of India within the university community. The event brought together students, faculty, and staff to honour multiple languages, regional traditions, and cultural expressions through performances, traditional attire, music, and dance. By creating an inclusive platform where every culture and dialect was represented and appreciated, the event reinforced the values of unity, respect, and equitable representation. Participants showcased their heritage, enabling cross-cultural understanding and reducing social divides. The celebration strongly aligned with SDG 10: Reduced Inequalities, as it promoted cultural inclusivity, encouraged acceptance of diverse identities, and strengthened campus cohesion. The event contributed to fostering a sense of belonging among all students while emphasising the importance of cultural harmony in an educational environment.







Annual Sports Meet & Blossoms 2023-2024 19 January 2024

Venue: Bangalore Yeshwanthpur Campus, CHRIST (Deemed to be University) **No. of Participants:**

The Annual Sports Meet & Blossoms 2023–2024 at the Bangalore Yeshwanthpur Campus was a vibrant celebration of sportsmanship, teamwork, and student talent. The event brought together students from various programmes to participate in a wide range of athletic competitions and cultural performances. The sports meet promoted physical fitness, healthy competition, and camaraderie, while Blossoms, the accompanying cultural showcase, highlighted creativity through music, dance, art, and literary events. The combined celebration created an energetic and inclusive atmosphere, encouraging holistic development and active participation. The event reflected the university's commitment to nurturing student well-being, promoting teamwork, and fostering a balanced blend of academics, sports, and cultural expression.







