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on

PROTECTION OF MARGINALISED GROUPS IN INDIA



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ABOUT THE ORGANISERS

Vivekananda Institute of Professional Studies started its journey in legal education in the year 2000 and since then has been carving a niche in this field. Our students are well placed and we are one of the most preferred institutes not only in field of Law but in other streams also. VIPS, a leading institution in Delhi offers a number of courses including BCA, MCA, B.A.LL.B (Hons.), BBA.LL.B, BJMC, BBA, B.Com (Hons.), LLM and PGDBM.

VIPS is marching ahead with continuous efforts to provide the judicial officers, best lawyers and legal consultants for the benefit of the legal community and the society at large.

ABOUT THE CONFERENCE

The Encyclopaedia of Public Health defines marginalized groups as 'To be marginalized is to be placed in the margins, and thus excluded from the privilege and power found at the centre'. The term Marginalized groups refers to the individual or groups who may not be completely sidelined by the society but not mingled in the mainstream. The marginalized groups in India may be classified on the basis of caste, ethnicity, colour, religion, gender etc. and mainly include children, women, elderly citizens and trans genders.

India has steered in the digital era and treading on the path of economic progression. The economic disparity and discrimination at various levels has increased the gulf between the society elites and the marginalized groups. The Constitution of India guarantees equality before law and equal protection of law but the real picture about the implementation of the same is quite grim.

Rampant human trafficking; ever rising crime especially crime against women and children, murders of senior citizens and denial of rights to the trans genders are those examples which show the callousness of the system not only of the State but also of the insensitive attitude of the society.

Although there is no dearth of welfare laws, viz; POCSO, 2013 amendments in Criminal Law, property rights to women, affirmative action, constitutional guarantees for the children and women, abolition of untouchability, right to education and so on, yet the indifference to abide by the laws or to respect them has caused the deteriorating position of marginalized groups. It shows that the

ever progressing economy, changing social values, rising lifestyle and technological boom might have brought many positive changes but still there is a long road to tread on to change the mindset of the society as a whole.

This seminar aims at deliberating the serious issues involved and to share the experience and suggestions of the stakeholders which can help, if implemented, in elevation of the marginalized groups in the mainstream of the society.

BROAD THEMES

- Uniform Civil Code: Need of the Hour
- Legalizing the Prostitution
- Protection to Indigenous People and traditional Knowledge
- Tribes and their Access to Forest Resources
- POCSO: Challenges and Expositions
- Protection of the Rights of the Elderly People
- Rights of Disabled
- Snags in implementing rights for Unorganised Workers
- Domestic Violence: Cruelty within Four Walls
- Denial of rights to Transgender
- Child Labour: Burden on Innocence
- Rights of Indigent people including under trials
- Commercialisation of Surrogacy
- Changing Facets of Juvenile Delinquency
- Right to Education: A Right in Abeyance
- Rehabilitation of Refugees
- Atrocities on Dalits

CALL FOR PAPERS

Well researched original research papers, case studies and survey reports are invited from the academicians, practitioners, researchers, students and other stakeholders. Co-author is also required to pay registration charges separately. Research papers shall be subject to the approval of Editorial Board for inclusion in the conference proceedings. All research papers shall be subject to scrutiny of anti-plagiarism software. Selected papers will be published in an edited book with ISBN Number. The above themes are only illustrative and participants may select the related topics covered under them.

GUIDELINES FOR PAPERS

Participants who intend to present their research papers are required to submit the Abstract of their paper before March 10, 2017 through e-mail. The word limit for abstract is 200 – 250 words. The abstract should contain a brief profile of the author including e-mail ID, contact number and official address. The word limit for Research Paper is 3000-5000 words (maximum) (excluding footnotes).

It must be typed in Times New Roman Font Size 12 on A4 size paper with 1" margin on all sides with 1.5 line spacing. Footnotes should follow uniform style of citation. Abstracts & Research papers may be submitted to the Convener of the conference at vlslgalaidseminar2017@gmail.com.

CONFERENCE VENUE

Vivekananda Institute of Professional Studies, AU Block, Pitampura, 110034.

ACCOMMODATION

Accommodation will be provided as per availability on the rates given below (paid by the participants) for participants from outside NCR area only, on prior request.

Hotel Premier Inn	Rs.3,500/
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Hotel Sandberry	Rs.2,500/
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The organizers would extend the local hospitality and food for the delegates on the day of the seminar.

REGISTRATION FEE

Registration Fee for Teachers/ Professionals: Rs. 1,500

Registration for Students:

*Early Bird Payment: Rs. 1,000

**On the spot cash payment: Rs. 1,200

The scanned copy of the Demand Draft (DD) drawn in the name of 'Vivekananda Institute of Professional Studies' payable at New Delhi must be sent by e-mail on or before 15 March, 2017 alongwith the duly filled- in Registration Form.

No TA/DA will be paid to participants.

IMPORTANT DATES:

- Last date for Abstract Submission March 10, 2017
- Last date for Submission of Full papers March 20, 2017
- Last date for sending Registration form & scanned copy of Demand Draft through email March 15, 2017.
- Notification for final list of papers March 15, 2017.
- Final Schedule March 25, 2017

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