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**SCHOOL *of* LAW**

**SEMINAR ON THE NEW WORLD  
ORDER: How major Leaders Are  
Impacting International Relations**

**2017**

**13<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> September, 2017**

**CONCEPT NOTE**

## **CHRIST UNIVERSITY, BANGALORE**

Christ University was formerly known as Christ College (Autonomous) and was affiliated to Bangalore University. Established in July 1969, Christ College became the most preferred educational institution in the city of Bangalore within the first three decades. From 1990 onwards it scaled greater heights. With the introduction of innovative and modern curriculum, insistence on academic discipline, imparting of Holistic Education and with the help of creative and dedicated staff, Christ College has been continually rated among the top 10 educational institutions of the country. It has the rare distinction of being the first institution in Karnataka to be accredited by National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) UGC for quality education. In 2005, it became the first college in South India to be reaccredited with grade A+ by NAAC. In 2006, the UGC had also identified it as an institution with potential for excellence.

## **SCHOOL *of* LAW, CHRIST UNIVERSITY**

Located in a beautiful expansive campus of Christ University, Bangalore, SLCU is an institute imparting world class legal education not only to students from various parts of the country but also from around the world. SLCU boasts of unmatched infrastructure comprising of well equipped audio-visual classrooms, resourceful libraries with the latest legal publications and journals, information centre with all-time Internet connectivity, conference hall, mini auditorium and above all, a conducive environment to study and explore numerous possibilities in life. The 'SEMINAR ON THE NEW WORLD ORDER: How Major Leaders Are Impacting International Relations' is proposed to be held on the 13<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> of September, 2017 as a student-led initiative organised by the International Relations & Foreign Policy Committee, School of Law, Christ University.

## **THE INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS AND FOREIGN POLICY COMMITTEE**

Christ University believes in encouraging student-led Committees that aim to create understanding and awareness on academic fronts. In School of Law, these committees aim to give students an insight into every field of law, by organizing various events such as guest lectures, competitions like Moot Courts and Debates. The International Relations & Foreign Policy Committee is one among the many student led committees in SLCU, and believes in inculcating a thorough understanding of the complex arena of international relations in the students of SLCU.

# **SEMINAR ON THE NEW WORLD ORDER: How Major Leaders Are Impacting International Relations**

## **OBJECTIVE AND SCOPE:**

The **International Relations and Foreign Policy Committee** will be hosting a Seminar on **“The New World Order: How Major Leaders Are Impacting International Relations”** on the **13<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> of September, 2017**. The world of today is changing and developing at a greater pace than ever before. In such a dynamic environment, our world leaders play a key role in shaping global interactions and future developments. In the past few years, the world has experienced a number of global leaders who have majorly influenced the rise of a new world order. There has been a rise of “right-of-centre” governments across the major democracies of the globe which has catalysed an ideological shift world over. Further, powerful and charismatic leaders are at the helm of affairs in developing nations which are gaining notable space on the global stage. These emerging powers are galvanising the rise of multi- polarity. This Seminar intends to create a platform to bring to fore the role of global leaders in influencing the ideological shift. This new world order that we have been ushered into poses challenges and complexities that the world may never have witnessed. Thus dialogue and discussion at this juncture is important to all of us as Global Citizens.

In light of this, the Seminar shall concentrate on six broad topics:

1. United States of America under the leadership of Donald Trump
2. China under the leadership of Xi Jinping
3. Russia under the leadership of Putin
4. India under the leadership of Narendra Modi
5. United Kingdom: Comparative study of Foreign Policy under Theresa May and Jeremy Corbyn
6. Contemporary Challenges to the world order

## **TIMELINE:**

The Seminar shall be held on two days according to the following timeline.

### **Day 1: 13<sup>th</sup> September 2017**

**9:00 - 9:45** – Inaugural ceremony

**10:00 – 11:30** – Session 1 (USA under the Leadership of Donald Trump)

**11:30 – 13:00** – Session 2 (China under the Leadership of Xi Jinping)

**13:00 – 14:00** – Lunch

**14:00 – 15:30** – Session 3 (Russia under the Leadership of Putin)

**15:30 – 17:00** – Session 4 (India under the Leadership of Narendra Modi)

### **Day 2: 14<sup>th</sup> September 2017**

**9:30 – 11:00** – Session 5 (UK: A Comparative Study of the Foreign Policies under Theresa May and Jeremy Corbyn)

**11:00 – 12:30** – Session 6 (Contemporary Challenges to the World Order)

**12:30 – 13:00** – Valedictory Ceremony

We look forward to your participation in this Seminar. If there are any further clarifications or queries please do contact us.

Warm Regards,

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