



CONNAISSANCE 8.0

INSTITUTE OF LAW, NIRMA UNIVERSITY

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ABOUT INSTITUTE OF LAW, NIRMA UNIVERSITY



After achieving high targets in the field of Management, Engineering & Pharmacy and Science, Nirma University set up the Institute of Law with a vision to promote excellence in the field of legal education and to meet the ever increasing demand of new and innovative Legal Education in the State of Gujarat and to set up high Standards in the field of Legal Education to make Institute of Law a centre of Excellence in the legal education map of India. It aims at providing world class facilities to impart training and conduct research in the field of law. It has successfully completed five year with a five-year integrated courses, i.e., B.A. LL.B. (Hons.) and B.Com. LL.B. (Hons.), B.B.A. LL.B. (Hons.) and LL.M.

A disciplined, serene, and pleasant environment envelops the campus. It blends beautifully with the green landscaping, aesthetic elegance of arches and the vibrant pursuit of knowledge by the young aspirants. The academic ambience gives full scope for group activities, which are plenty, as also to individual pursuits for development on preferred tracks.

The Institute shares the Nirma University campus with five other institutions- Institute of Technology, Institute of Management, Institute of Diploma Studies, Institute of Pharmacy and Institute of Science. All the present Institutes have a distinguished record of achievements. Students joining the Institute of Law will, therefore have, an opportunity to interact with the interdisciplinary academic community of the entire Nirma University. The academic environment generated by the interaction between professionals of various disciplines will have a stimulating influence, especially in the formative years of young students. Exposure to such an environment helps the students to develop good communication skills, an integrated personality and a greater competitive spirit.

-Team Connaissance

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Connaissance is the annual literary fest of Institute of Law, Nirma University located in the vibrant, culturally diverse city of Ahmedabad. What began as a student initiative to inculcate among the young masses a spirit of literary enthusiasm; has now become a mission not only to highlight the importance of literature, but also to successfully put forth a platform for the youth to develop new ideas, beyond a literary sense.

Within a span of seven years, Connaissance has created for itself a niche among the top literary events pan India. Our flagship events such as the ILNU National Parliamentary Debate, the ILNU Youth Parliament, and ILNU National Quizzes have encouraged students to disseminate, discuss and debate about, the relevant issues of dynamic characters. Connaissance has been envisaged with a view to put forth ideas, which are not only literal, but also in metaphoric forms such as art. The last edition witnessed the successful debut of 'Meraki - An Art & Photography Exhibition'. And to further this vision, we have added some up-and-coming events such as 'Picture Patch' and 'Bon-Graffitit', to give a platform to the new age forms of art. Lastly, and arguably the event that puts the 'lit' in literary fest, we have 'Rendezvous Sessions' with who's who of the literary world.

With an enviable pool of prizes and fabulous events, Connaissance will go all-out and take another leap forward from 15th - 17th September, 2017.

EVENTS ORGANISED

6th ILNU National Parliamentary Debate

3rd ILNU Youth Parliament

4th ILNU National Quiz Competition

Connais-Moi!

Picture Patch

Meraki- An Art & Photography Exhibition

SlamJar

Bon-Graffitit

6TH ILNU NATIONAL PARLIAMENTARY DEBATE

The flagship event of Connaissance since its inception, the National Parliamentary Debate is organized in collaboration with the Debate Committee which will be an Asians style (3 on 3) Parliamentary Debate. The competition shall comprise 5 Preliminary rounds, with two teams, viz the Government and Opposition up against each other in every round. Judging the rounds will be a panel constituted of an odd number of adjudicators. The said adjudicators shall also be a part of the competition and will be evaluated by the speakers based upon the adjudication review delivered.

4TH ILNU NATIONAL QUIZ COMPETITION

The festival will host two quizzes as a part of Connaissance. This is the flagship event of Connaissance. Each team will comprise of 3 members of the same institution. There will be a preliminary written round, qualifying to which Five teams will make it to the finals, who will then battle it out amongst themselves for the honour. Also, we will have audience prizes

3RD ILNU YOUTH PARLIAMENT

The Youth Parliament is a forum for young minds to speak up and make an impact on the change agenda for the country. To take the country forward, it is only fitting to take on the policy makers and highlight the need for new thinking. Not only will this platform inspire the participants to express their views in an organised way, but will also clear the pathway for emergence of ingenious future leaders. This event seeks to efficiently channelize the increasingly opinionated young minds. The Youth Parliament is the ideal opportunity for us to step forward and question policy and its makers, to emphasize that we are not satisfied with the status quo and to bring about the ideas and an agenda for change.

The simulation shall include vital organs of the Indian Parliament, such as the Lok Sabha, Rajya Sabha, Stakeholders Meet and the Indian Press, thus providing opportunity to more than 200 young minds of the country.

BON GRAFFITIT

What was earlier seen as defacement, has now acquired the cult status of art. Graffiti, as an art form fulfills all essential purposes. Time and again, it has been approached as an instrument that forces the masses to face matters of urgent importance. Connaissance, in an attempt to capture the beauty, and the socially important character of this art form, presents 'Bon Graffitit', an event that strives to provide a platform to artists to showcase their socially relevant ideas.

PICTURE PATCH

Stepping down into its 8th year of Success, Connaissance team is proud to present to you 'Picture Patch' the 1st ILNU Photoshop Art Competition. This is a platform for young minds to come in and showcase their talents to a greater audience. The Participants will have to create an Abstract Poster on the day of the event, based on the topic chosen by the Committee. The aim of this event is to embrace new emerging forms of art and its modes of dissemination.

CONNAIS-MOI!

The Organization team shall get on board eminent authors or a personality who have contributed to the world of literature to deliver a talk on a topic pertinent to current times. Drawing some of the biggest names in literature and performing arts to a platform where participants will be given an opportunity to interact with them. The idea is to stimulate an intellectual arena open to both, the literary geniuses and enthusiasts.

MERAKI- AN ART AND PHOTOGRAPHY EXHIBITION

Over the years, Connaissance has been striving to promote a healthy literary culture among the youth. Like literature, 'Art' provides us with a solidification of intellect and ideas. Thus, in an effort to further this symbiotic relation between literature and art, Connaissance, in its previous edition witnessed the successful debut of 'Meraki - An Art & Photography Exhibition'. To further this stint in art, this edition of Meraki shall, in addition to exhibiting some of the most qualitative artistries, also exhibit some of the most ancient forms of art, inspired from the theme of "Rooted Evolution". The pictures submitted by the participants will also be available for tagging and captioning for willful participants. A cash prize will be awarded to the best caption.

SLAM JAR

Literature, either develops new channels, or revamps the existing ones. Keeping in tune with the growing popularity of the new form of poetry recitals, Connaissance introduces this year, 'SlamJar' a workshop for slam poetry. We consider the promotion of literature and all its essences an important agenda. Thus, we shall partner with some of the biggest names to organize a slam poetry workshop, for the first time ever in Ahmedabad.

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