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# Constitution Day

## A Legacy of Justice, Equality, and Liberty

On November 26, 2024, ICFAI Law School solemnly observed Constitution Day, reaffirming its steadfast commitment to the values enshrined in the Indian Constitution. The occasion celebrated the Constitution's vital role as the cornerstone of India's democratic framework and its enduring legacy as a beacon of justice, liberty, equality, and fraternity.

In his address, Prof. Y. Pratap Reddy, Dean of ICFAI Law School, underscored the Constitution's timeless relevance in shaping India's governance and societal structure. He urged everyone to honour and adhere to its principles, emphasizing the shared responsibility of citizens to uphold the nation's democratic ethos.

A poignant highlight of the event was the pledge-taking ceremony, where the unified voices of students and faculty resonated with a shared commitment to uphold the Constitution's values. This powerful moment of solidarity underscored the collective resolve to preserve and promote constitutional ideals.





# Children's Day

## Our Children, Our Pride, Our Future

Children's Day, celebrated annually on November 14 to honour the birth anniversary of Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, was marked with a meaningful initiative by the GAIA Club of ICFAI Law School, Hyderabad. On November 16, 2024, the club organized a special program at ZPHS Government School, Shankarpally, to instil environmental consciousness among school children and promote sustainable practices.

The event began with an address by Dr. Arun Kumar, Assistant Dean of ICFAI Law School. He highlighted critical environmental challenges such as pollution and climate change and emphasized the importance of collective action to conserve the environment. The event featured engaging activities like Quiz, Drawing Competition, and Pictionary that focused on topics like climate change and biodiversity, environmental protection, and renewable energy.

Winners were awarded saplings, symbolizing the importance of tree planting and sustainability. A tree plantation drive, the event's highlight, provided students hands-on experience planting saplings and maintaining green spaces. The event was organized by the club coordinator, Dr. Gowri Chanal, with the support of faculty members D.V.N. Murty, Dr. Geetha Priyadarshini, and Dr. M. Ravindranath.

The program was brought to life by the dedication of student team members Varennya, Srivalli, Siri Chandana, Pooja, Prapulakashi, Tejaswini, Ashritha, Madesh, Venkat Sai, Keerthana, Kusumajali, Lakshmi Naga Sai, Harsh, and Arman, whose commitment ensured its success.



# Drug-Free Campus

## Healthy Habits, Happy Lives

On November 20, 2024, ICFAI Law School organized an awareness programme for a Drug-Free Campus as part of the Nasha Mukta Bharat Abhiyan. The event brought attention to the critical issue of substance abuse and the importance of fostering a drug-free educational environment.

The program commenced with opening remarks by Prof. S. Vijayalakshmi, Registrar, IFHE, who highlighted the severe consequences of drug use and urged students to remain vigilant and committed to maintaining a drug-free campus. Prof. Y. Pratap Reddy, Dean of ICFAI Law School, further emphasized the critical role of awareness in preventing substance abuse, reinforcing the institution's dedication to promoting a safe and healthy academic atmosphere.

A compelling skit performed by law students was the program's main focus. The performance vividly depicted the physical, mental, and legal repercussions of drug use, capturing the audience's attention and effectively conveying the dangers of substance abuse. The skit left a profound impact, enhancing the attendees' understanding of the issue.

The event concluded with remarks from Prof. Pujari Ravisekhararaju, Director, ICFAI Law School, who underscored the importance of students taking responsibility to avoid harmful substances and contribute positively to society. He emphasized their role in creating a safe and empowering educational environment.





# Drug-Free Campus





# Vox Populi

## *A Debate Club*

Vox Populi, the Debate Club of ICFAI Law School, successfully organized its annual Vad-Vivad Competition on November 6 and 8, 2024. Conducted in the British Parliamentary format, the event showcased debates on themes such as the environment, cybersecurity, and social issues, highlighting the analytical and oratory skills of the participants.

The competition, guided by Dr. P.L. Jayanthi Reddy, Faculty Coordinator, and spearheaded by student organizers T. Sohan Singh, Yash Raj, and Shikhar Tiwari, witnessed enthusiastic participation from 18 teams. Throughout four rounds, participants engaged in thought-provoking discussions adjudicated by a panel of esteemed faculty members.

The preliminary rounds covered topics such as "The Detrimental Effect of Social Media on Human Connections" and "Energy and Environmental Sustainability," offering vibrant debates on contemporary issues. The semifinals saw the top four teams debating "The Capitalist Economy and Its Effect on Humans," navigating complex motions with depth and creativity. The final round brought together two teams Sumedha, 3rd Year, Shruti Raj Singh, 4th Year, and Dhanush Malhotra and Ananya Sharma, both 3rd Year who passionately debated "Cybersecurity and Privacy" before an adjudicatory panel comprising Dr. Damodar Das and Prof. Akbar Khan.

After the fiercely contested debates, Dhanush Malhotra and Ananya Sharma emerged as the winners, receiving a cash prize of ₹6,000. Shruti Raj Singh and Sumedha secured the runners-up position and were awarded ₹4,000. Shreya Naik, 3rd Year, was recognized as the Best Speaker of the competition, earning a cash prize of ₹1,500 for her outstanding performance. All participants received e-certificates in recognition of their efforts and enthusiasm.





# Nukkad - Natak

## *A Street Play*

ICFAI Law School, in collaboration with the Centre for Women Development (CWD), IFHE, organized a Nukkad Natak (street play) on November 7, 2024. The program aimed to raise awareness among students and the local community about critical issues such as rape, sexual assault, female foeticide, voyeurism, stalking, domestic violence, marital rape, workplace harassment, ragging, and other crimes against women.

Performed by students of ICFAI Law School, the Nukkad Natak explored the emotional, social, and legal dimensions of these crimes. It emphasized the role of bystanders, the importance of consent, and practical steps towards prevention. The initiative also sought to educate the audience on preventive measures, available support systems, and legal rights, fostering a safer and more respectful environment.

The program's success was attributed to the support of Prof. L.S. Ganesh, Vice Chancellor of IFHE; Prof. S. Vijalakshmi, Registrar of IFHE; V. Madhusudhan Rao, Joint Registrar of IFHE; Prof. P. Ravisekhararaju, Director, ICFAI Law School; Dr. P.L. Jayanthi Reddy, Faculty Member of ICFAI Law School; and Mrs. Sunitha and Mr. Sampath from She Teams, Gachibowli and Narsinghi respectively, as well as Mr. Koteswar Rao from Mokila Police Station. The efforts of student coordinators Shreya and Sumedha, along with the team from the Centre for Women Development, were instrumental in making the event a grand success.



# Moot Court

## *The Pinnacle of Advocacy*



The ICFAI Law School, IFHE, Hyderabad, conducted an Internal Moot Court Competition on November 9, 2024. The event saw the participation of 49 teams from the law school, with advocates practising across the state serving as judges. The competition aimed to select the most promising students to represent the institution in external Moot Court competitions.



The ICFAI Law School students Sakshi Nayyar, Chanakya Prabuddha, and Madesh, from the IX semester, secured a quarterfinal position in the 2nd Moot Court Competition on Criminal and Procedural Laws, organized by Chandigarh Law College, Jhanjeri, Mohali, Punjab on November 89, 2024.



# Moot Court

## *The Pinnacle of Advocacy*



Aditi Dixit, Asin Hibba, and Varun Chakilam, fourth-year BBA LL.B. (Hons.) students from ICFAI Law School, won the Pendekanti Venkatasubbaiah Memorial National Moot Court Competition 2024, which focused on the Constitution and the Indian Penal Code. Held from November 8 to 10, 2024, the team was awarded a cash prize Rs.20,000. In the finals, they competed against students from Sastra University, Tamil Nadu. The final round was judged by Hon'ble Justice Sri Anil Kumar Jukanti of the High Court of Judicature, Telangana, and Smt. Nimushakavi Vasanti, Registrar of NALSAR University of Law, Hyderabad.

# The Legal Aid Society

## *To Empower & Engage*

### Labour Cards for Construction Workers

The Legal Aid Society of ICFAI Law School, IFHE, Hyderabad, in collaboration with the Mandal Legal Services Authority, Ranga Reddy District, and ANKITA NGO, launched a drive for labour card registration for construction workers on November 7, 2024. The initiative operates under the Building and Other Construction Workers (Regulation of Employment and Conditions of Service) Act, 1996, which entitles registered workers to various welfare benefits through the Telangana Building and Other Construction Workers Welfare Board.

The labour card provides access to benefits such as marriage assistance, maternity benefits, relief for fatal accidents and disabilities (both total and partial), natural death relief, hospitalization assistance, funeral expenses, skill development training, vocational training for dependents, support for unregistered workers, and disability aids and appliances.

Members of the Legal Aid Society educated workers on these social security benefits and assisted them with completing Form 27 for registration and biometric verification. The drive, continuing on November 8 and 9, 2024, requires a ₹110 application fee per worker, with ₹120 of the total cost sponsored by the ICFAI Law School Alumni Association (Batch of 2024). The event was coordinated by Dr. S. Kannan and the committed members of the Legal Aid Society, ICFAI Law School, IFHE, Hyderabad.





# The Legal Aid Society

## *To Empower & Engage*

### Protection of the Senior Citizens' Rights

The Legal Aid Society of ICFAI Law School, IFHE, Hyderabad, organized a Legal Awareness Program on November 16, 2024, to promote the rights and welfare of senior citizens. The event was held at the Mandal Parishad Primary School in Athvelly Village, Medchal Malkajgiri District.

The session was inaugurated by Prof. Y. Pratap Reddy, Dean of ICFAI Law School, who emphasized equipping senior citizens with legal knowledge to

safeguard their rights. The Chief Guest, J. Jeevan Kumar, Additional District and Sessions Judge and Chairman of the Mandal Legal Services Committee, Medchal Court, provided insights into the Maintenance and Welfare of Parents and Senior Citizens Act, 2007. He explained the legal provisions designed to ensure the safety and well-being of the elderly. The Guest of Honour Dilip Kumar, 9th Magistrate Metropolitan Judge, Medchal Court, highlighted various government schemes for senior citizens and stressed the importance of raising awareness to enhance access to these welfare programs.

To enrich the program, a poster presentation showcased the rights of senior citizens, referencing the Indian Constitution and the National Policy on Older Persons. Final-year BBA LL.B. students G. Sree Medha and Nithin presented detailed explanations of specialized assistance programs for the elderly. The event also featured a compelling drama performed by the legal aid members, depicting how legal measures protect senior citizens from neglect and abuse by caregivers.

The event concluded with an interactive session where senior citizens shared their challenges and concerns with Dr. Kannan, Coordinator, and other legal aid members. The program received extensive media coverage in Pioneer, Deccan Vision, Sakhi, Eenadu, and NTV News.





# The Legal Aid Society

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### Book Release

From August 1 to November 16, 2024, the Legal Aid Society organized a series of impactful legal awareness and aid programs benefiting school children, village residents, parentless children, and unorganized workers. These initiatives, which brought significant positive change to their communities, were documented in an activity book released during a special event held at the conference hall of ICFAI Law School on November 20, 2024.

The event was honoured by the presence of Prof. P. Ravisekararaju, Director, and Prof. Y. Pratap Reddy, Dean of ICFAI Law School, Hyderabad. Certificates of appreciation were awarded to Legal Aid Society members who actively contributed to the semester's initiatives. In his address, the Director commended the members for their commitment and applauded the leadership of Dr. S. Kannan, Assistant Professor and Coordinator of the Legal Aid Society.

To further encourage active participation, the Director announced cash prizes for the upcoming semester in January 2025, with Rs. 20,000 awarded as the 1st Prize and Rs. 10,000 as the 2nd Prize.



# Career Guidance

## *A Stairway to Excellence*

### Legal Education in the United States



In collaboration with SIMPLED, a leading international student recruitment company, the Career Guidance Cell of ICFAI Law School, Hyderabad, offered an engaging platform for aspiring legal professionals to explore opportunities for LLM legal education in the United States. Held on November 18, 2024, the event provided valuable insights for Indian law students aiming to build international legal careers.

The program began with an inspiring introduction by Prof. Y. Pratap Reddy, who provided insights into the evolving global legal landscape. Following this, Mr. Saqib Siddiqui from SIMPLED highlighted opportunities for Indian lawyers in the U.S.

Distinguished representatives from Penn State Dickinson Law and the University of the Pacific's McGeorge School of Law addressed global legal trends, challenges, and the significance of legal education in career advancement. Legal experts Mr. Divyansh Madhurendran and Mr. David Gallo conducted interactive sessions, providing guidance on adapting to the U.S. legal system, preparing for bar exams, and building global professional networks.

The program concluded with a vote of thanks delivered by Dr. K. Hari Haran, Coordinator of the Career Guidance Cell at ICFAI Law School, Hyderabad.





# Career Guidance

## *A Stairway to Excellence*

### Tech Integration in the Legal Domain



"On November 18, 2024, ICFAI Law School, Hyderabad, hosted a Career Guidance Program on Tech Integration in the Legal Domain. The event featured distinguished guest speakers, Mr. Aly A. Basith and Ms. Anindita S. Chander, Advocates and Partners at Allied Law Office, who delivered an enlightening session on the intersection of technology and the legal profession. The program was organized by Dr. K. Hariharan.

Prof. Y. Pratap Reddy, Dean of ICFAI Law School, inaugurated the session with thoughtful remarks, highlighting the institution's dedication to preparing students for the evolving legal landscape. Mr. Aly A. Basith delivered an engaging presentation on emerging technologies and their impact on the legal field. He discussed the transformative role of artificial intelligence (AI) in legal drafting and emphasized the growing relevance of arbitration in today's rapidly changing world.

Ms. Anindita S. Chander complemented the discussion by addressing the challenges posed by AI in legal practice. She shared her extensive litigation experiences, enriched with real-world courtroom scenarios, and emphasized the strategic use of technology in law. Quoting insights from Former Chief Justice of India, Hon'ble D.Y. Chandrachud, she highlighted the critical role of technology in modern legal systems. Her interactive Q&A session engaged students, who participated enthusiastically. The program concluded with a vote of thanks delivered by Prof. Dr. Akbar Khan, Associate Dean of ICFAI Law School, Hyderabad."



# World Wildlife Week 2024

## Wildlife Conservation and Sustainability

World Wildlife Week 2024, celebrated on October 78, was organized by the Centre for Excellence in Environment & Forest Laws and the GAIA Club of ICFAI Law School, Hyderabad. With over 100 students participating, the event became a vibrant and collaborative effort, fostering awareness and action for wildlife conservation and sustainability.

The event featured eight creative competitions, including policy development to address human-wildlife conflicts, essay writing on marine wildlife conservation, sustainable tourism, and legal reforms to protect biodiversity. Other activities included extempore speeches on contemporary wildlife issues, photography and poster-making on the theme "Nurturing Nature", poetry recitations emphasizing wildlife protection, and an ideation competition presenting futuristic solutions for conservation challenges, such as AI-based monitoring and community-driven eco-tourism models.

Participants were evaluated by a panel of environmental experts and academics, with winners receiving cash prizes ranging from Rs. 1,000 to Rs. 6,000, along with certificates of merit. The event was meticulously organized under the guidance of faculty coordinators Dr. Gowri Chanal, Mr. D.V.N. Murty, and Dr. Geetha Priyadarsani. Active leadership from student coordinators and members of the GAIA Club ensured its success.





# Faculty Development Program

ICFAI Law School, in collaboration with the ICFAI School of Social Sciences and CUTS International (Consumer Unity & Trust Society), organized a two-day Faculty Development Program on November 21-22, 2024. The program commenced with a welcome address by L.S. Ganesh, who emphasized the transformative potential of integrating law and economics to address contemporary challenges effectively.

The inaugural address was virtually delivered by Dr. C. Rangarajan, former Governor of the Reserve Bank of India, former Chairman of the Economic Advisory Council to the Prime Minister, and Chancellor of the ICFAI Foundation for Higher Education. Dr. Rangarajan emphasized the critical importance of integrating legal and economic principles to enhance policymaking and governance in India and globally. He highlighted the significance of economic legislation, financial analysis of laws, and the broader economic implications of judicial decisions.

The keynote address, delivered by Dr. Navneeth Sharma, Director General of CUTS International, explored the foundational contributions of Kautilya's Arthashastra, the evolution of India's legal framework during the colonial era, and the modern relevance of tools like quantitative methods in legal studies. In his presidential remarks, Prof. Shailajan, Director of ICFAI School of Social Sciences, emphasized the significance of the intersection between law and economics, highlighting its potential to foster a deeper understanding of academic enrichment and policy advancements.

The program concluded with a vote of thanks delivered by Prof. Ravishekararaju, Director of ICFAI Law School. Attended by esteemed faculty members, including Mr. K. Rajasekhara, Dr. Ithi, and P. Kesari, the event provided a platform for engaging and meaningful discussions on the dynamic interplay between law and economics.



# Workshop

## Cyber Security and Cyberpsychology in the AI-Dominated World

The Centre for Excellence in Cyber Law and Data Protection at ICFAI Law School, IFHE Hyderabad, successfully organized a workshop on "Cyber Security and CyberPsychology in the AI-Dominated World" on 14th November 2024. The event provided an engaging platform for insightful discussions and collaborative learning on the intersection of cybersecurity and digital psychology, addressing the challenges posed by rapidly advancing AI technologies.

The workshop commenced with a warm welcome by Dr. Md. Akbar Khan, Associate Dean of ICFAI Law School, who highlighted the importance of interdisciplinary approaches in tackling modern cyber challenges. Dr. Pujari Ravi Shekhar Raju, Director of ICFAI Law School, shared his insights on the critical need for integrating technology, law, and psychology to navigate the complexities of the AI era. Dr. Ganesh L. S., Vice Chancellor of IFHE, delivered presidential remarks, emphasizing the importance of proactive measures and innovative solutions to address cybersecurity and its psychological dimensions.

The workshop featured two engaging sessions led by distinguished experts. The first session, chaired by Mr. Abhishek Mitra, CEO and Managing Director at Indian Cyber Security Solutions, and co-chaired by Mr. Rakesh Suryadevara, Senior Assistant Professor, ICFAI Law School, focused on digital behavior patterns, psychological effects, and the broader implications of cyberpsychology.

The second session, chaired by Mrs. Shilpi Dutta, Chief of Staff at Indian Cyber Security Solutions, and co-chaired by Mr. Ravi Kant, Assistant Professor, ICFAI Law School, explored ethical considerations, legal implications, and strategies to mitigate the psychological impacts of cyber threats in an AI-dominated world. The workshop witnessed active participation from faculty members, students, and cybersecurity enthusiasts, fostering meaningful discussions and interactive Q&A sessions.

The event concluded with a vote of thanks delivered by Prof. Ravishekararaju, Director of ICFAI Law School, reinforcing the Law School's commitment to academic excellence and industry engagement in emerging fields.





# Centre for Excellence in A D R

## Inauguration

The Centre for Excellence in Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) was inaugurated on 15th November 2024 at the FST Auditorium. The event was presided over by Prof. P. Ravisekhararaju, Director of ICFAI Law School, who highlighted the institution's commitment to advancing legal education. He emphasized ICFAI Law School's dedication to equipping students and professionals with cutting-edge knowledge and skills in Alternative Dispute Resolution. Prof. Y. Pratap Reddy, Dean of ICFAI Law School, delivered an insightful address on fostering innovative approaches to dispute resolution.

The inauguration was graced by the presence of Hon'ble Justice Anil Kumar Jukanti, Judge of the Telangana High Court, who served as the Chief Guest. The Guests of Honour included Hon'ble Justice P.S. Narayana, Former Judge of the Andhra Pradesh High Court, and Hon'ble Justice Ravindra C. Chavan, Former Judge of the Bombay High Court and Former Vice Chairperson of the E-committee of the Supreme Court. Their participation added immense value to the occasion, inspiring the audience with their visionary insights into the evolving field of ADR.

Mrs. Heemanshi Sen, Coordinator of the Centre for Excellence in ADR, meticulously organized the program with the support of other centre members. The event concluded with a heartfelt Vote of Thanks delivered by Dr. Ravi Kant, Assistant Professor at ICFAI Law School.





# Centre for Excellence in A D R

## Arbitration to Mediation: The Changing Landscape of Alternative Dispute Resolution

Centre for Excellence in Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) conducted a panel discussion titled "Arbitration to Mediation: The Changing Landscape of Alternative Dispute Resolution"

The distinguished panelists included Hon'ble Justice P.S. Narayana, Former Judge of the Andhra Pradesh High Court; Mr. Mohammad Umar, Chief Consultant & Lead Trainer at SMC Lucknow; Mr. Mohith Dubey, Deputy Director of Military Engineering Services; Adv. Ekta Bahl, Partner at Samvad Partners and Mediator; and Adv. Juhi Selarka, Founding Partner at Modern Unified Dispute Resolution Axis. Their contributions provided valuable insights into the transformative role of ADR in modern legal systems.

The session was skillfully moderated by Dr. Tanmay Agrawal and Mr. Hrudai Tej, faculty members of ICAI Law School. Mrs. Heemanshi Sen, Assistant Professor and Coordinator of the Centre for Excellence in ADR, delivered the Vote of Thanks.





# Centre for Excellence in A D R

## Mock Client Counselling Session

The Centre for Excellence in Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) at ICAI Law School organized a Mock Client Counselling Session offering law students an invaluable platform to develop and refine their client counseling skills. The session was designed to simulate real-world legal scenarios, helping participants understand the nuances of client interaction, effective communication, and problem-solving in the context of Alternative Dispute Resolution.

The event was judged by an esteemed panel of faculty members, including Dr. Tasneem Sultana, Ms. Barkha Joshi, Mr. Abhishek Sharma, Ms. Swarnali Barua, Dr. Sadanand Karhale, Mr. Hrudai Tej Setty, and Mr. Ravi Kant. Their expert feedback and evaluations provided participants with constructive insights into the art of client counseling and the importance of adopting a client-centric approach.

The session was meticulously planned and coordinated by Mrs. Heemanshi Sen, Assistant Professor and Coordinator of the Centre for Excellence in ADR. Her efforts ensured a seamless and enriching experience for all participants, fostering the practical application of ADR principles and preparing students for future professional challenges.



# Guest Lecture

## Handling Litigation in Customs and GST

The Centre for Excellence in Cyber Law and Data Protection at ICFAI Law School organized an enlightening Guest Lecture on "Handling Litigation in Customs and GST" on 6th November 2024 for Semester IX students. The session featured Mr. M. Uma Shankar, IRS (Retd.), Former Commissioner of Customs & GST and Advocate at the High Court, as the distinguished speaker. Drawing from his extensive career in customs and taxation, Mr. Uma Shankar shared profound insights into the complexities of litigation in these specialized legal domains, highlighting practical strategies and the evolving landscape of GST and customs law in India.

The event was graced by the presence of faculty members, including Dr. Aruna Kammila, Associate Professor, Mr. Ravi Kant, Assistant Professor, and Mrs. Heemanshi Sen, Assistant Professor, who actively engaged with the students during the session.

The program was meticulously coordinated by Prof. Md. Akbar Khan, whose efforts ensured the lecture was a seamless and impactful learning experience.





# Guest Lecture

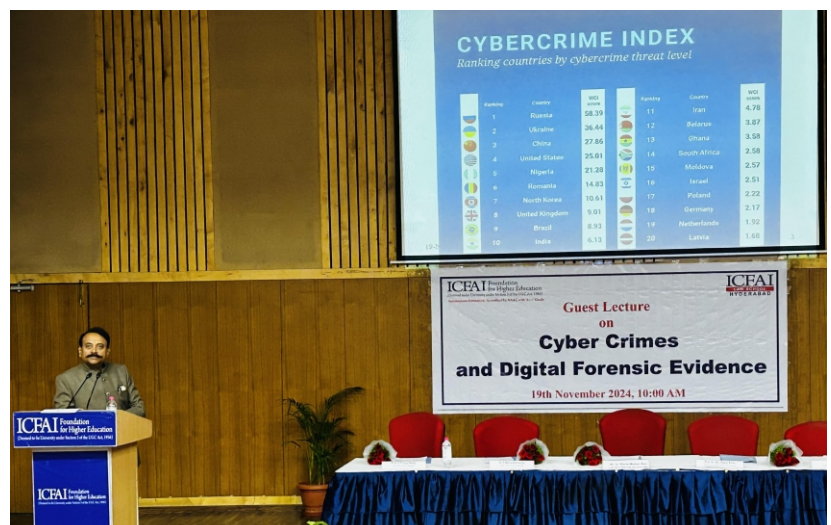
## Cyber Crimes and Digital Forensic Evidence

The Centre for Excellence in Cyber Law and Data Protection of ICFAI Law School, IFHE Hyderabad, organized an insightful guest lecture on Cyber Crimes and Digital Forensic Evidence on [date]. The event brought together academic brilliance and practical insights, providing an enriching learning experience for both students and faculty alike.

The session commenced with a warm welcome from Prof. Md Akbar Khan, Associate Dean, and Coordinator, Cyber Crimes and Digital Forensic Evidence, ICFAI Law School, who set the tone for the event by highlighting the importance of understanding cyber law and forensics in the rapidly evolving legal landscape. Following his remarks, Prof. P. Ravisekhara Raju, Director of ICFAI Law School, provided valuable insights into the significance of integrating cyber law into contemporary legal education.

The highlight of the event was the presence of the esteemed guest, Mr. U. Rama Mohan, Superintendent of Police, CID, Amaravati. With over 700 cybercrime cases investigated and accolades from Scotland Yard, the FBI, and INTERPOL, Mr. Mohan captivated the audience with his profound expertise in cyber forensics and digital evidence handling. His presentation provided a deep dive into the complexities of cybercrime in today's digital age, offering students and faculty a rare opportunity to gain firsthand knowledge from a seasoned expert in the field.

Mr. Ravi Kant, Assistant Professor, delivered the Vote of Thanks, acknowledging everyone's contributions in making the event a resounding success. The lecture not only enhanced students' understanding of cyber law and forensics but also highlighted the critical role of digital evidence in modern legal proceedings.



# FACULTY CORNER

## *Showcasing Excellence*

### Article Publication



Dr. Renu Bala, Assistant Professor at ICFAI Law School, Hyderabad, has achieved a significant milestone by co-authoring a research article titled "Impact of Trust and Service Quality on Retail Banking Customers' Satisfaction and Loyalty." The article was published in the prestigious Journal of Informatics Education and Research (ISSN: 1526-4726), Volume 4, Issue 3 (2024), an ABDC-indexed journal, highlighting its academic rigor and relevance. The article delves into the critical relationship between trust, service quality, customer satisfaction, and loyalty in the retail banking sector.

### COMMON WEALTH MED-ARB CONFERENCE 2024

Dr. Sadanand Karhale, Mr. Shubham Prakash Singh, and Mr. Hrudai Tej from ICFAI Law School had the privilege of attending the prestigious COMMONWEALTH MED-ARB CONFERENCE 2024, held from 22nd to 24th November 2024 at Hotel Le Meridien, Gachibowli, Hyderabad. The conference, themed "Bridging Divides: Innovative Approaches to Conflict Resolution," served as a platform for legal practitioners, academicians, mediators, and arbitrators from across the Commonwealth to converge and exchange ideas on transformative strategies in Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR).





# FACULTY CORNER

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### Article Publications

Dr. A. Arun Kumar and Rakesh Suryadevara, Senior Assistant Professors at ICFAI Law School, Hyderabad, co-authored an article titled "Financing the Transformation to Net Zero Goals: IREDA Investment for Sustainable Initiatives, Transition Towards a Sustainable Future," published in a Scopus-indexed journal. The article can be accessed at [https://doi.org/10.1007/978-981-97-5756-5\\_4](https://doi.org/10.1007/978-981-97-5756-5_4).



Dr. A. Arun Kumar, Senior Assistant Professor at ICFAI Law School, Hyderabad, published an article titled "Behavioral Changes and Public Engagement in Net-Zero Policies: Issues and Challenges in the Transition Towards Sustainability" in a Scopus-indexed journal. The article is available at <https://doi.org/10.1007/978-981-97->



Dr. A. Arun Kumar delivered an engaging session as a speaker on "How to Make a Research Proposal," organized by Saksham Society, Jaipur, Rajasthan, in collaboration with Shodh Kanpur (registered under the MSME Act and NITI Aayog).



### Feminaxcel Conclave 1.0

Dr. P. L. Jayanti Reddy, Assistant Professor and Coordinator of the Centre for Women Development, IFHE, in collaboration with Club AAINA, successfully organized the Feminaxcel Conclave 1.0 on 24th November 2024. The event served as a dynamic platform to raise awareness and promote the multifaceted aspects of women's empowerment while fostering meaningful dialogue among students and faculty.



# On the Horizon

## *Upcoming Events*



### **Celestial Whispers**

*Quote of the Month*

"How fever'd is the man, who cannot look  
Upon his mortal days with temperate blood,  
Who vexes all the leaves of his life's book,  
And robs his fair name of its maidenhood;"

----- John Keats