

#### **SCHOOL OF LAW**

CENTRE FOR CONTINUING LEGAL EDUCATION

—— Organises ——

#### **INTERNATIONAL FACULTY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME**

— On —

#### **Outcome Based Education**

Changing Dimensions of Law Teaching and Research

29<sup>th</sup> May, 2023 - 3<sup>rd</sup> June, 2023



## ABOUT BENNETT UNIVERSITY

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## ABOUT THE SCHOOL OF LAW

Bennett University established the School of Law with a vision to strive for excellence in teaching, research and advocacy towards justice for all by shaping thought leaders in public policy of National and International dimensions. The school at present is offering B.A.LL.B. (Hons.), B.B.A.LL.B. (Hons.), one year LL.M. and Ph.D. programs and imbibes the best practices in terms of curriculum, pedagogy, innovation in teaching methods. Invested and promoted by the largest media enterprise, the School of Law is committed to educate the pioneers of future through leaders in the field of law, the ones who can think out loud and clear on the matters of justice and progress.



### ABOUT INTERNATIONAL FACULTY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME (FDP)

The Centre for Continuing Legal Education at School of Law, Bennett University, Greater Noida is organizing an International Faculty Development Programme (FDP) from 29<sup>th</sup> May, 2023 – 3<sup>rd</sup> June, 2023 on the theme: "Outcome Based Education: Changing Dimensions of Law Teaching and Research" wherein renowned academicians from *National and International Universities* of repute will provide training and deliver expert talks on various topics related to the theme. The main focus of the FDP is to support participants in their efforts to promote student learning and success through outcome based education and to ensure that learners receive a well-rounded education that prepares them for the challenges they will face in their careers.

The traditional gurukul approach to education prevalent in ancient India was based on imparting knowledge and skills to students not only through theoretical and rote learning methods, where students lived with their teacher (guru) and receive education in various subjects, as well as life skills and values. The focus of gurukul education is on character building, moral values, and holistic development. Later on, we have seen shift from gurukul traditional, mentor-based education to theoretical learning leading to a more systematic and structured approach to education. It has also made education more accessible to a larger number of people.

However, in recent times, there has been a shift towards outcome-based education, which focuses on the end results or outcomes that students should achieve after completing their education. This concept has gained traction in many fields, including law. Law as a field is constantly evolving, and the legal landscape is rapidly changing. With the increasing complexity of laws and legal systems, it is important that law students and researchers are acquainted with the skills and knowledge necessary to achieve success in a quickly transforming world.



#### **Aim and Objectives of the Programme:**

The main aim of outcome-based education in law is to ensure that students and researchers can apply their knowledge and skills to legal issues. Outcome-based education also helps to bridge the gap between academia and practice, by ensuring that students and researchers are exposed to real-world legal problems and have the opportunity to apply their learning to these problems.

The outcome-based education in law majorly focusses on competency-based curriculum, assessment, collaborative learning, research-based learning etc. The curriculum is designed around specific competencies that students should achieve by the end of their education. This ensures that students receive a well-rounded education that prepares them for the challenges they will face in their careers. Assessment is an important component of outcome-based education, and it helps to ensure that students are meeting the desired outcomes. Assessment should be regular, ongoing, and should be based on the specific competencies that students are expected to achieve. Collaborative learning is a key component of outcome-based education, and it encourages students to work together to achieve common goals. This helps to develop teamwork skills, which are essential for success in the legal profession. This helps to ensure that students are prepared for the challenges they will face in their life and are trained with the skills and knowledge essential to succeed in career.

Outcome-based education is a new and innovative approach to education, and it has the potential to transform the way that law is taught and researched. By focusing on the outcomes that students should achieve, outcome-based education ensures that students receive a well-rounded education that prepares them for the challenges they will face in their careers.

### Therefore, the proposed Faculty Development Programme is an attempt to achieve the following objectives:

- i. To explain the principles and concepts of outcome-based education along with tools and strategies required to implement this approach in teaching.
- ii. To provide opportunity to engage in collaborative planning and development of a competency-based curriculum, assessment methods, and teaching strategies.
- iii. To promote research-based learning and the use of technology to explore new and innovative approaches to teaching and learning.
- iv. To enhance communication, critical thinking, problem-solving, and ethical decision-making skills for professional development and skill-building.
- v. To provide participants with ongoing support, resources, and feedback to help them continually improve their teaching and research.

#### Sub-themes:

### The Faculty Development Programme will be conducted on following thematic areas:

- i. Competency-based curriculum development
- ii. Collaborative learning and teamwork
- iii. Research-based learning and integration of technology
- iv. Bridging the gap between academia and practice
- v. Professional development and skill building
- vi. Global and comparative perspective
- vii. Assessment and evaluation
- viii. Any other topic related to the above-mentioned themes

# LIST OF SPEAKERS

The Sessions shall be conducted by eminent Professors and experts from National and International Universities.

The tentative schedule and list of speakers is mentioned below:-

Session/Time	Topic	Guest Speaker
Day 1- Monday, 29 <sup>th</sup> May, 2023		
Inaugural Ceremony Session 1 11:30AM-12:30PM	How not to read a judgment?	Padma Shri Awardee Prof. (Dr.) Upendra Baxi Professor Emeritus Universities of Warwick and NLU, Delhi
Session 2 02:00PM - 03:30PM		eaking Session- Faculties and participants interaction

Day 2- Tuesday, 30 <sup>th</sup> May, 2023			
Session 3 11:00AM - 12:30PM	Reimagining Law Teaching and Research in the Changing World	Prof. (Dr.) Nishtha Jaswal Vice-Chancellor, Himachal Pradesh National Law University, Shimla	
Session 4 02:00PM - 03:30PM	Measuring Learning in outcome based education	Prof. (Dr.) Anjali Malik School of Management, Bennett University	

Session/Time	Topic	Guest Speaker		
Day 3- Wednesday, 31 <sup>st</sup> May, 2023				
Session 5 11:00AM- 12:30PM	Role of Faculty in implementing outcome based education in law and teaching and research	Prof. (Dr.) Manoj Kumar Sinha Director, The Indian Law Institute, New Delhi		
Session 6 02:00PM- 03:30PM	Trends in outcome based education and teaching of Constitutional Law	Prof. (Dr.) M Afzal Wani Pro Vice Chancellor, IILM University, Greater Noida		

Day 4- Thursday, 1 <sup>st</sup> June, 2023-		
Session 7 11:00AM- 12:00Noon	Enhancing critical thinking skills through Outcome Based Education in law education	Prof. Balraj Chauhan Former VC, NLU Jabalpur, Dr. RMLNLU, Lucknow & NLIU, Bhopal
Session 8 12:00Noon- 01:00PM	Emerging trends towards victim compensation under criminal justice system	Prof. (Dr.) G S Bajpai Vice Chancellor, National Law University, Delhi
Session 9 02:00PM- 03:30PM	Two strategies for implementing outcome-based learning	Carol Withey Associate Head of Student success at the School of Law and Criminology University of Greenwich, United Kingdom

Session/Time	Topic	Guest Speaker		
Day 5- Friday, 2 <sup>nd</sup> June, 2023				
Session 10 11:00AM - 12:30PM	Outcome Based Approach and Legal Education: An Outline	Senior Prof. (Dr.) Usha Tandon Dean, Faculty of Law, Delhi University		
Session 11 02:00PM - 03:30PM	Legal education and research: trade craft, a liberal legal project or something else? How to think about outcomes when we have different	Prof. (Dr.) Lisa Webley Chair in Legal Education and Research Head of Birmingham Law School, United Kingdom		

#### Day 6- Saturday, 3rd June, 2023

Valedictory Ceremony 11:00AM- 12:30PM



Prof. (Dr.) Ranbir Singh
Pro Chancellor, IILM University
Former VC, NALSAR Hyderabad
& NLU, Delhi.

**Note:** This list is only informative and not all inclusive. This Programme will be of great interest to academicians, professionals, research scholars and Post- graduate students of law interested in or working on the thematic areas as governed under the Programme.

#### **DATE AND VENUE**

The Faculty Development Programme will be held from 29th May, 2023 to 3rd June, 2023 at School of Law, Bennett University (The Times Group) Campus, Greater Noida.

Address: Plot Nos 8-11, TechZone 2, Greater Noida, Uttar Pradesh 201310

#### **ELIGIBILITY**

We acknowledge the participation of Academicians, Professionals, Research Scholars and Post- graduate students from legal fraternity in the Faculty Development Programme.

#### **REGISTRATION FEE**

- Registration will be done on first come, first serve basis.
- Limited seats are available.
- Academicians/Professionals/Research Scholars/Post- graduate students- Rs. 2500

Note: The above stated fee would not include the accommodation and transportation charges.

#### **ACCOMMODATION CHARGES**

The Accommodation will be made available on chargeable basis. The participants can avail accommodation facility at Bennett University (The Times Group) Campus, Greater Noida subject to availability of rooms. The charges will be Rs. 800 per day inclusive of breakfast and dinner. For more information participant can contact Programme Coordinators.

#### **MODE OF PAYMENT**

The Participation fee could be paid by below mentioned modes only:

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#### **Registration Link**

The participants need to fill the registration form available on https://forms.office.com/r/mT6sfEH1Kk after paying the registration fee. The registration payment transaction ID should also be mentioned in the registration form. If anyone opts for campus accommodation, the charges to be paid are Rs. 800 per day and also mention the transaction ID in the registration from.



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