

Department of English and Foreign Languages Maharshi Dayanand University Rohtak

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cordially invites you to the inaugural session of the

National Seminar Transforming Narratives: Women, Law, Agency

(in collaboration with the Office of Dean Students Welfare) at 10:30 a.m. on April 16, 2018 (Monday) in the Seminar Hall of IHTM

Keynote Address:

Prof. Poonam Saxena Vice Chancellor, NLU, Jodhpur

Address by the Guest of Honour:

Mrs. Jyoti Arora, I.A.S.
Principal Secretary to Govt. of Haryana Higher Education

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About the Seminar

The seminar aims at providing platform for unravelling hitherto unexplored and un-evaluated, diverse literary and legal narratives which will enable the academia to examine it in relation to changing contemporary context. It can encourage the participants in highlighting larger national, social and cultural issues as it intends to explore legal and literary aspects of cultural discourse. The seminar seeks to explore women's questions through diverse legal, literary and historical narratives pertaining to their rights, choices and agency. In the light of growing body of research in the field of women's studies and literature, we propose to focus on some key debates and critical questions which open up new ways of addressing the intersections of law, gender and literature.

Sub-themes:

- Women, law, and literary narratives.
- Women's agency in fiction.
- Legal discourses and women's question.
- Narrative and rhetoric in legal discourses.
- Law and customary practices in literary representations.
- Law, literature, and feminism.
- Discourse from literary narratives to judicial pronouncements to legislature.

Programme

16 April 2018

Registration of the delegates - 9.00 a.m in the lobby,
IHTM Hall

Inaugural Ceremony — 10.30 a.m.

Welcome

Prof. Poonam Datta

Convenor

Key note address

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Vote of Thanks

Prof. Rashmi Malik

Organizing Secretary

Valedictory

Prof. Raj Kumar

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An interactive session of research scholars and students with guest speakers.

Lunch: 2. p.m.

Technical sessions after lunch

Key Dates:

Last Date for submission of abstracts: 10th April, 2018

Notification for submission of papers: 12th April, 2018

Registration Fee

Academicians / Teachers Rs. 800/-

Students Rs. 300/-

No TA.D.A will be given to the participants

Guidelines for submission of Research papers:

The soft copy of the abstracts, in about 300 words, should reach the Organizing Secretary latest by 10.04.2018 on the email ID: womenlawagency2018@gmail.com. The authors of the selected papers must give the declaration that the paper is original and has not been published anywhere else. The abstract must mention name, department, phone number & email ID of the sender.

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