



## Moot Activities

### CONGRATULATIONS WINNERS!

The Moot Court team participated in 2<sup>nd</sup> IIPS Intellectual Property Law Moot Court Competition organized by SVKM University, Mumbai at Mumbai from 5/2/2010 to 7/2/2010. The Team brought laurels for the Institute by scoring **1st Position**. The Members of the Moot Court Team were: **Mr. Swarnabh Dutta, Mr. Tarpit Patni and Ms. Vijita Mohnan.**



*Winning Moot Team receiving the prize*

### PARTICIPATION IN MOOT COMPETITIONS

Many teams from the Institute participated in various moot court competitions. The details of the same are given hereunder.

1. The Moot Court team participated in Bar Council of India National Moot Court Competition, 2010 held at Gujarat National Law University, Gandhinagar from 8<sup>th</sup> to 10 Jan., 2010. The members of the Moot Court Team were: Ms. Aslesha Galgale, Ms. Kritika Pandey and Ms. Shweta Jadeja.
2. The Moot Court team participated in Phillip C. Jessup International Law Moot Court Competition, 2010 held at Lucknow from 15/1/10 to 17/1/10. The members of the Moot Court Team were Ms. Shatkashi Johri, Ms. Venu Nanavaty, Ms. Radhika Jagtap, Ms. Sneha Singh and Mr. Ekrama Qureshi.
3. The Moot Court team participated in Aurnagabad National Moot Court Competition held at M.P.Law College, Aurangabad from 22/1/10 to 25/1/10. The members of the Moot Court Team were Ms. Shivranjini Ralawata, Ms. Divyangna Jhala and Ms. Nirali Oza.
4. The Moot Court team participated in M.M.Singhavi International Moot Court Competition organized by National Law University, Jodhpur from 28/1/2010 to 31/1/10. The members of the Moot Court Team were Ms. Palak Jagtiani, Ms. Apurva Vohra and Ms. Tanvika Singh.
5. The Moot Court team participated in 2<sup>nd</sup> Gujarat National Law University International Law Moot Court Competition held at Gandhinagar from 3/2/2010 to 5/2/2010. The members of the Moot Court Team were Ms. Anoli Patwa, Ms. Akta Jadeja and Ms. Akshita Seth.
6. The Moot Court team participated in Surana and Surana Corporate Law Moot Court Competition held at Army Institute of Law, Mohali from 12/2/2010 to 14/2/2010. The members of the Moot Court Team were Mr. Jaimin Dave, Mr. Aditya Pandya and Mr. Siddharth Sinha.
7. The Moot Court team participated in 4<sup>th</sup> Shivaji University National Moot Court Competition, Kolhapur from 12/2/2010 to 14/2/2010. The members of the Moot Court Team were Mr. Jayneel Parekh, Mr. Kaash Thakker and Mr. Bhaghav Mehta.

### INTRA MOOT COURT COMPETITION, 2010

The Institute organized Intra Moot Court Competition, 2010 for the preparation of fresh Panel. The Competition was organized on February 8-10, 2010 under the supervision of a Moot Court Committee comprising Dr. Purvi Pokhariyal, Dr. Tarun Arora and Dr. Kiran Rai. Total 49 teams participated in the event and made it a great success. The Panel of Judges for Intra Moot Court Competition constituted of learned faculty members from Gujarat National Law University, Gandhinagar namely Prof. K. Parmeshwaran and Prof. RamaKrishan Udayakumara

### GUEST LECTURES

1. On 27<sup>th</sup> January, 2010, Shri Keshav Kumar, Joint Director, Central Bureau of Investigation delivered a lecture on "Police Forensic Interface"
2. On 28<sup>th</sup> January 2010, Shri Udayan Vyas, Advocate, High Court of Gujarat, delivered a lecture on "How to read a case"
3. On 29<sup>th</sup> January 2010, Mrugesh Trivedi, Program Manager, Akshaya Patra Foundation delivered a discourse on "Art of Mind Control"



### FACULTY CORNER

- Following faculty members participated in an International Conference on **Environmental Issues in Emerging and advanced Economics: Canada, India'** from 6<sup>th</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup> December, 2009, organized by Department of Chemistry & James Reaney Canadian Centre, Gujarat University, Ahmedabad and presented the papers on the following topics.



**Ms. Madhuri Parikh:** 'Cap and Trade System: A boon or bane'

**Dr. Kiran Gardner:** 'Legal Aspects of Kyoto Protocol'

**Ms Parna Mukherjee:** 'Toxic world of E-Waste'

**Dr Kiran Rai:** 'Environment management through CSR'.

**Mr Deb Ranjan Hota:** 'Scheduled Tribes (Recognition of Forest Rights) Bill A View From Sociology And Call For Dialogue'

- **Dr. Kiran Rai**, Asst. Professor, attended a **Faculty Development Programme** in "Entrepreneurship" from December 14 – 25, 2009, organised at **EDI campus**, Gandhinagar. The Workshop was supported by National Science & Technology Entrepreneurship Development Board, Department of Science & Technology, Government of India.
- **Dr Tarun Arora**, participated in International Conference on **Human Rights: Transforming Dimensions** organized by Panjab University, Chandigarh in collaboration with Oxford Brooks University, U.K. on February 15-16, 2010. He presented his paper on 'The Rights of Mentally Retarded People in India'.

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**Institute of Law, Nirma University Started Functioning in its own Building from 15th January, 2010.**



## Resource Person

**Dr. Purvi Pokhariyal** delivered lectures at Judicial Academy, High Court of Gujarat on the following topic

- **Impact of Globalization on Juvenile** (10<sup>th</sup> February, 2010)
- **Offences under IT Act, 2000** (17<sup>th</sup> February, 2010)
- **Environmental Offences** (18<sup>th</sup> February, 2010)

**Dr. Kiran Rai**, Asst. Professor, was invited as an expert for the designing of an elective subject, "**Law for Engineers**" on 9<sup>th</sup> January 2010 by Department of Mathematics & Humanities, Institute of Technology.

## Publications

- **Kiran Rai**, Asst. Professor, article on "**Improving Sales Persons' Face-Time with Customers by Redefining Roles & Responsibilities**", is published as the cover-story in the January issue of the magazine, "**Marketing Mastermind**", pg21-28, vol.10, issue 1
- **Dr. Purvi Pokhariyal**, article on "Selection dispute & juridicial process" has been published in Gujarat Law Herald (Part I, Issue 2, 28th February, 2010).
- **Tarun Arora's** article on '**Doctrine of Basic Structure: A Solution to the Paradox of Constitutionalism in India**' is published in **Gujarat Law Reporter**, pg 20, 2010 (1) 51 (1) G.L.R. 28 February 28<sup>th</sup>, 2010.
- **Deba Ranjan Hota's** article on '**Human Rights and The Environment**' is published in journal Prajna of Banaras Hindu University, Vol-55, Part-2, December-2009

Institute of Law Ms. Rupa Pathakji has asst. professor into its "PARIVAR".

## 'S(h)IFT': Strategic Faculty Development Programme

[*horsedeouvere*: is a French word meaning out of the text]

'S(h)IFT' is a fortnightly faculty development event. The event is held on alternate Saturdays commencing from 6<sup>th</sup> February 2010.

1. On 6<sup>th</sup> February, 2010, Mr. **Nitesh Chaudhry**, Asst. Prof. presented a paper on the topic: "**Tolerance: Lockean perspective and its contemporary relevance.**"
2. On 20<sup>th</sup> February, 2010, **Dr. Purvi Pokhariyal**, Asst. Prof. presented a paper on the topic: "**The Constitution (Text without Author): In Quest of Identity**"

## Making Your Dreams come true

**Achievers are believers: they believe in realizing their dreams and they do.**

We all dream. We all have our goals to achieve. Not everybody is able to achieve their dreams. Making the dreams come through is a skill, which anyone can acquire. We have few simple tips which will help to realize your dreams.

- Determine exactly what your dream is.
- Visualize your goal.
- Make a plan.
- Foresee the hurdles.
- Have strategy to overcome the hurdles.
- Believe in yourself.
- Take a calculated risk.
- Be positive.
- Enjoy your journey.

All the best. Happy reading.



## Students' Corner

**Ms. Mitsu Parikh**, Student of Semester VI had sent model paper on "**Children in armed conflict**" at Harvard MUN (HNMUN) Competition which has been selected by the team of Harvard University and she was invited to attend the conference as a sponsored delegate in the month of February, 2010 organized at Harvard University, Boston. She was adjudged as the **third best delegate** at the conference and was recipient of **the prize of one thousand dollar**.

## CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

### Congratulation Runners up team!

From 8<sup>th</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup> February, 2010, team comprising of Swarnabh Dutta, Devanshi Popat, and Natasha Sutaria represented the Institute in Parliamentary Debate Competition organized by CNLU Patna. The team stood second in the event.

On 22<sup>nd</sup> January, 2010, students of VI semester attended the public hearing of Ganesh Chemicals Ltd. on Environment Impact Assessment on at Narol area at Vaibhav Hall, conducted by the Gujarat Pollution Control Board (GPCB).

On 5<sup>th</sup> December 2009, Satakshi Johri, the student of B.A.LL.B.3<sup>rd</sup> semester participated in Intra-University Elocution Competition.

Ms. Jagruti Dekavadia, Ms. Aastha Mehta, Ms. Ankita Sharma, Ms. Sakshi Seru, Ms. Sowbhagya Rao, Ms. Varsha Rajora and Ms. Mansi Trivedi represented the Institute and presented their papers in International Conference on **Human Rights: Transforming Dimensions** organized by Panjab University, Chandigarh in collaboration with Oxford Brooks University, U.K from 15<sup>th</sup> to 16<sup>th</sup> February, 2010

## EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Sports Day was organized on 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> January, 2010 for the students of Institute of Law. During these two days, total 20 matches were played between various classes. The main sports were Cricket, Volleyball, Football and Basket Ball.

1. Semester IV students won the boys Cricket Tournament
2. Semester II girls were the winners of Girls cricket Tournament
3. Semester IV Girls were the winner of Volley ball
4. Semester II boys won volley ball tournament

5. Semester IV won the foot ball tournament
6. Semester VI boys won the Basket ball tournament
7. Semester II girls won the Basketball tournament

In all 120 students participated in various events, among those 75 boys and 45 girls participated. All the Winners and Runners up were awarded with the certificates of participation and Prizes was distributed to the students by Shri Ashish Desai, Head, Students Activity and Shri Kanak Dave, Chief Coordinator, Students Welfare.

## MUSICAL EVENING

The Institute organized a Musical Evening on January 13, 2010. There were total 45 students who participated with great enthusiasm in different musical events like Solo Song, Rock Band, Medley Singing, and Group Song

## LAURELS IN INTER INSTITUTE SPORTS EVENTS

Inter Institute sports meet was held on 18<sup>th</sup> February, 2010. Following students brought laurels to the Institute at the University level sports events.

1. Parakh Surabhi of Semester II stood first in 100mts, 400mts and Long Jump. She stood second in High jump
2. Shah Zeel, of semester II stood second in long jump and third in 100mts.
3. Thakker Pooja of VI Semester stood first in Shot put and third in Discus throw.
4. Chauhan Dhruv of Semester II stood second in both Shot put and Discus throw.



Wise people learn when they can; fools learn when they must.- Arthur Wellesley, Duke of Wellington

If you can't make a mistake, you can't make anything.

Marva Collins