

# 1<sup>st</sup> NLIU SBA Law Conclave 2025



The Student Bar Association of NLIU Bhopal successfully hosted the inaugural edition of the 1<sup>st</sup> NLIU SBA Law Conclave 2025 on the 12th and 13th of April. The two-day conclave, envisioned as a landmark academic initiative, was organized under the theme “Celebrating 75 Years of the Supreme Court of India” with the motto Bar, Bench and Beyond.

With an aim to foster meaningful engagement on contemporary constitutional questions and jurisprudential discourse, the conclave featured sub-themes such as Supreme Court and Digital Rights, Supreme Court and the Basic Structure Doctrine, Supreme Court and Judicial Activism, among others.

The event was inaugurated by an august gathering of jurists and dignitaries. The Inaugural Ceremony was graced by Hon’ble Mr. Justice Pankaj Mithal, Judge, Supreme Court of India, Hon’ble Mr. Justice Suresh Kumar Kaith, Chief Justice, High Court of Madhya Pradesh and Hon’ble Mr. Justice Vivek Agarwal, Judge, High Court of Madhya Pradesh

Day One and Two of the conclave featured two insightful panel discussions each, chaired by serving and retired High Court judges. The panels brought together eminent voices from the legal fraternity, including senior advocates, renowned academicians, and legal scholars, engaging in rigorous dialogue on the chosen sub-themes. The day also featured an exclusive podcast session, offering an informal yet thought-provoking conversation on the evolution of constitutional law.

The Valedictory Ceremony held on Day Two saw a distinguished panel of guests including, Hon’ble Mr. Justice S. R. Bhannurmth, former Chief Justice, High Court of Kerala, Hon’ble Mr. Justice Dinesh Kumar Singh, Judge, High Court of Kerala, Mr. Radhelal Gupta, Former Assistant Solicitor General, Prof. A. Lakshminath, Distinguished Professor Emeritus and Prof. R. Venkata Rao, Vice-Chancellor, IIULER, Goa

The conclave marked a milestone in the academic and professional outreach of the SBA with participation of more than 500 students and professionals from across Law colleges in Bhopal and stands as a testament to NLIU’s commitment to legal excellence, institutional dialogue, and student-led initiatives that engage with the judiciary, bar, and academia alike.

