

ONE WEEK

FACULTY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME

on

**Emerging Trends in Interdisciplinary
Research in Social Science and Digital Technologies**

(Monday, 20th July 2026 - Monday, 27th July 2026)



Organized by
Research and Development Cell
Asian Law College

ABOUT ASIAN LAW COLLEGE (ALC)

Asian Law College (ALC) established under the aegis of Asian Education Group (AEG), offers B.A.LL.B., B.COM.LL.B. & LL.B. programme affiliated to Chaudhary Charan Singh University (CCSU) Meerut which is approved by the Bar Council of India (BCI) and accredited by National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC). The institution focuses on the multi-disciplinary nature of legal education, research, innovations and provides professional training for personality development coupled with industry exposure for the better understanding of the legal world. The institution emphasizes on the clinical legal education by conducting programs like visit to Lok Adalat, Legal Aid Camps, Moot Court Competitions, Mock Trial Advocacy Competitions, Legal Quiz, Legal Debate, Conferences, Seminars, Workshops, Elocution, Model United Nations (MUN), visit to Arbitration and Mediation Center, etc. It offers four additional diplomas (Cyber Law, IPR Law, Media and Entertainment Law, Fashion Law) to its students in order to give an opportunity to advance their knowledge and skills in the diverse legal subjects and also provide a certification courses on Personality Development Legal Communication (PDLC). ALC learning experience is not only enlightening but also enriching and inspiring. Asian Law College boasts of faculty members whose expertise spans across various areas of law and who have a wide range of teaching and research experience. We pull in students from diverse cultural backgrounds and perspectives. This leads to a vibrant multicultural classroom wherein established theory and new critical questions are put into a dialogue. ALC is dedicated to bring about a paradigm shift in delivery of legal education in the country. It aims to add new dimensions in legal education that would incorporate International Standards, thereby providing an environment which would enhance freedom and innovation in the dynamic pursuit of thoughts and civil society engagement to advance the law of the land. In order to provide an international edge to its flagship programme of B.A.LL.B., B.COM.LL.B. & LL.B., Asian Law College (ALC) has formally collaborated with one of the top ranked Universities of the world, viz. University of Cape Town (UCT), South Africa as its academic partner. The main highlights of this collaboration includes 8 days fully paid residential learning program for selected students of ALC giving them an overall international educational exposure and certification after successful completion of the workshop at UCT. Taking ahead its vision, ALC strives to provide the best learning opportunities for students' holistic growth and excellence

ABOUT RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT CELL (RDC) OF ALC

The Research and Development Cell of ALC, being an integral part of the institution, promotes quality research that contributes towards the overall development of the students and faculty members by conducting a wide range of events like seminars, conferences, research and development programs, debate competitions, expert talks, and other legal activities. The cell is responsible for the formulation of the overall guidelines related to research and publication. It builds its research activities through industry-academia collaboration. This connection aims to advance education, research, and outreach in key areas. The cell further undertakes research projects covering multi-disciplinary legal aspects as well. The objective of the Research and Development Cell is to ensure smooth and effective functioning of R&D activities, provide a focal point in the institution to coordinate R&D activities between faculty members, legal experts, and students, and promote a multi-disciplinary approach towards research. Research has been a continuous process of discovering, analyzing, and deliberating upon new horizons in various fields of study. Law and legal research have an all-pervasive impact on the way decisions are taken, not only in the legal world but also in the government sector and societies. Fostering a conducive research environment and providing a platform

ABOUT THE FDP

The twenty-first century has witnessed an unprecedented transformation in the landscape of knowledge creation, driven by the convergence of social sciences, law, and emerging digital technologies. As contemporary societal challenges become increasingly complex and multidimensional, interdisciplinary research has emerged as a critical paradigm for fostering innovation, advancing scholarship, and generating impactful solutions. Simultaneously,

digital technology has become an indispensable component of contemporary research, fundamentally transforming the ways in which knowledge is generated, analysed, disseminated, and applied across disciplines. In this evolving academic milieu, the One-Week Faculty Development Programme (FDP) on "Emerging Trends in Interdisciplinary Research in Social Sciences and Digital Technologies" seeks to provide a vibrant and intellectually enriching platform for academicians, researchers, professionals, and scholars to engage with emerging research frontiers and contemporary scholarly practices. The programme is designed to facilitate critical discourse on the dynamic intersections of social sciences, legal studies, artificial intelligence, digital humanities, data analytics, computational social sciences, digital governance, cyber law, legal informatics, law and technology, and technology-enabled research methodologies. By transcending conventional disciplinary boundaries, the FDP aims to foster an innovative research culture rooted in collaboration, critical inquiry, and evidence-based knowledge production. Through expert lectures, interactive sessions, and scholarly deliberations, participants will gain valuable insights into contemporary theoretical frameworks, advanced research methodologies, ethical dimensions of digital scholarship, publication strategies, and emerging technological interventions in interdisciplinary research. Aligned with the transformative vision of the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020, the programme reaffirms its commitment to promoting academic excellence, research innovation, collaborative scholarship, and intellectual leadership in an increasingly interconnected and technology-driven world.

OBJECTIVE OF THE FDP

- To familiarize participants with emerging interdisciplinary research trends at the intersection Social Sciences and Digital technology.
- To develop an understanding of the social, legal, ethical, and regulatory challenges posed by Artificial Intelligence and Digital Technologies across various domain.
- To explore contemporary Social and Legal Challenges in various domains from both theoretical and practical perspectives.
- To enhance participant's research capabilities by introducing innovative methodologies, AI-assisted research tools, publication strategies, and emerging themes suitable for high-quality scholarly work.

OUTCOME OF THE FDP

- **Enhanced Knowledge of Emerging Domains:** Participants will develop a comprehensive understanding of contemporary research areas including AI, law, climate change, digital humanities, social reforms, algorithmic accountability, and forced displacement.
- **Improved Research and Publication Skills:** Participants will gain practical insights into responsible AI-assisted research, academic writing, publication ethics, and identifying impactful research problems.
- **Interdisciplinary Research Orientation:** Participants will be able to integrate perspectives from technology, social science, governance, and legal studies to address complex societal challenges.
- **Development of Future Research Agendas:** Participants will identify novel research opportunities, conceptual frameworks, and collaborative avenues that can contribute to high-quality publications, funded projects, and evidence-based policymaking

IMPORTANT GUIDELINE

- The FDP is going to be in the VIRTUAL MODE (Zoom).
- The link to the FDP will be shared with the participants after the registration.

DELIVERABLES

- All participants shall be awarded an E-Certificate of Participation.
- Participants will gain insights into modern research and methodologies.
- Awareness of current trends such as AI in research, data analytics and digital repositories.
- Enhanced opportunities for scholarly collaboration through interaction with peers, researchers and academicians from diverse disciplines.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA FOR E-CERTIFICATION

- Participants must attend all sessions, or maintain a minimum attendance of 90% throughout the 7-days Faculty Development Programme. Attendance shall be monitored and verified through daily Zoom attendance records.
- Participants are expected to actively engage in the programme through meaningful participation in discussions, question-and-answer sessions, and any collaborative or group activities conducted during the FDP.
- Participants must complete and submit the prescribed daily feedback forms as well as the final feedback form upon conclusion of the programme.

GENERAL REGISTRATION RULES

Who Can Register?

- Faculty Members from Universities and Colleges.
- Research Scholars, PG/LLM students.
- Academicians and Practitioners with an interest in Research.

REGISTRATION FEE

Category	Fee (INR)
Faculty Members	₹ 700
Research Scholars / PhD Candidates	₹ 500
PG/LLM students	₹ 300
Advocates / Practitioners	₹ 1000
International Participants	\$ 30

PAYMENT DETAILS

Bank Name: HDFC Bank

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REGISTRATION LINK

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ESTEEMED SPEAKERS

Day 1: 20-07-2026



10.00 AM-11.30 AM

Prof. (Dr.) Sri Krishna Deva Rao
Vice Chancellor, National Academy of Legal Studies and Research (NALSAR)

Topic:
Criminal Law & Digital Society : Addressing Cyber Crimes, Deepfakes & Online Harms



12.00 PM-1.30 PM

Prof. (Dr.) B.T. Kaul
Advocate, Supreme Court of India
Former Chairperson, Delhi Judicial Academy

Topic:
New Labour Codes & Their Impact On Workers & Employers



10.00 AM-11.30 AM

Dr. Bhawani Prasad Panda
Adjunct Professors & OSD (DSNLU)
Former Vice Chancellor, Maharashtra National Law University (MNLU)

Topic:
Mastering Research Methodology : A Comprehensive Approach in Doctrinal Research



12.00 PM-1.30 PM

Dr. Navtika Singh Nautiyal
Assistant Professor,
National Forensic Sciences University (NFSU)

Topic:
Technology, Human Rights & Algorithmic Accountability in Contemporary Society

Day 3: 22-07-2026



10.00 AM-11.30 AM

Prof. (Dr.) Manoj Kumar Sinha
Vice Chancellor, Dharmashastra National Law University

Topic:
Contemporary Research Methods In Social Science : From Theory Building to Publication



12.00 PM-1.30 PM

Prof. (Dr.) Mehrajuddin Mir
Former Vice Chancellor,
Central University of Kashmir

Topic:
Contemporary Challenges & Innovations in Criminal Justice Administration



10.00 AM-11.30 AM

Prof. (Dr.) Vagheshwari Deswal
Professor, University of Delhi

Topic:
Women Safety in Digital Era



12.00 PM-1.30 PM

Prof. (Dr.) Victor Machehin
Professor of Law, Kutafin Law University, Moscow, Russia

Topic:
Generative AI & Legal Education : Opportunities, Risks & Regulatory Challenges

Day 5: 24-07-2026



10.00 AM-11.30 AM

Dr. Sonu Saini
Associate Professor,
Jawaharlal Nehru University (JNU)

Topic:
Responsible Use of Generative AI In Research Writing & Publication



12.00 PM-1.30 PM

Prof. (Dr.) Devanshu Srivastava
Professor, National University of Study and Research in Law (NUSRL)

Topic:
Intellectual Property Challenges In The Era of Artificial Intelligence & Generative Content



10.00 AM-11.30 AM

Dr. Kanupriya
Chairperson, Department of Law,
Gurugram University

Topic:
Constitutional Response to Emerging Technologies : AI, Data Governance and Digital Rights



12.00 PM-1.30 PM

Dr. Niteesh Kumar Upadhyay
Associate Professor, School of Law,
Dhirubhai Ambani University

Topic:
Forced Displacement in Armed Conflict : Bridging International Humanitarian & Refugee Law

Day 7: 27-07-2026



10.00 AM-11.30 AM

Prof. (Dr.) Faizan Mustafa
Vice Chancellor,
Chanakya National Law University (CNLU)

Topic:
Constitutional Law In Digital Age : Emerging Challenges & Future Directions



12.00 PM-1.30 PM

Prof. (Dr.) Rose Varghese
Director, KIIT School of Law
Former Vice Chancellor,
National University of Advanced Legal Studies (NUALS)

Topic:
How to Teach Criminal Law

CHIEF PATRON



Dr. Sandeep Marwah

Founder & President
Asian Education Group

PATRONS



Dr. Saurabh Sharma

Director, AEG



Dr. Lalitya Vir Srivastava

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Dr. Gurdeep Singh Raina

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