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CALL FOR PAPERS

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

ON

**CRIMINAL JUSTICE ADMINISTRATION
IN INDIA: CONTEMPORARY ISSUES &
CHALLENGES**

ORGANIZED BY

SCHOOL OF LAW, NCU

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About the Conference:

There have been series of deliberations among the legal academia and practitioners on the functioning of various agencies involved in the administration of criminal justice in the recent times. However, the data provided by the National Crimes Records Bureau (NCRB) do not depict a better picture in terms of combating crimes in India. There is no denying the fact that such discourses do have a strong impact on the criminal justice process that involve the law enforcement agencies, prosecution, judiciary and corrections. The criminal procedural laws provide for a mechanism of effective disposal of cases right from registration of cases till execution of sentences. Unfortunately, the system has resulted in poor delivery of justice. The Supreme Court of India, in one of its judgments issued directions to the States which included taking of positive action, such as strengthening the investigative machinery, setting up new courts, building new court houses, providing more staff and equipment to the courts, appointment of additional Judges and other measures calculated to ensure speedy trial. Besides, with the advancement of science and technology, every stage of criminal proceeding encounters new challenges which need to be addressed. The investigation of computer crimes and the gathering of appropriate

evidence for a criminal prosecution can be an extremely difficult and complex issue for the investigating agency, due primarily to the intangible and often transient nature of data, especially in a networked environment. Access to justice, in general is a major challenge in the contemporary time and the factors responsible for its denial need to be pondered upon for a more accountable



system of criminal justice. Taking these facts into consideration, NCU Law School is organizing a ‘National Conference on Criminal Justice Administration in India: Contemporary Issues & Challenges’ on April 8, 2017.

Theme of the Conference:

The focus of the conference is to assess the functioning of the crucial components of criminal justice administration i.e. law enforcement agencies, prosecution, judiciary and corrections including the challenges involved in the administration of justice in India with an effort to evolve strategies for a more effective mechanism for better administration.

Sub-themes:

- Criminal Justice and Constitutional guarantees
- Principles of Fair Trial
- Plight of victims in criminal justice system
- Commutation of Death Penalty and death row phenomenon
- Police Reforms initiatives



- Criminal investigation: Challenges for law enforcement agencies
- Cyber Crime investigation – issues
- Role of Forensic Science in criminal justice administration
- Prosecution and Defence in Criminal Justice system
- Inherent jurisdiction of High Court
- Appreciation of evidence
- Efficiency of courts and criminal justice process
- Prison Reforms in India - Challenges
- Juvenile Delinquency and the new legal regime on juvenile justice

Note: Seminars and Conferences at NCU Law School are not intended to provide a stage for discussing overview/introduction/fundamentals of law.

Issues discussed herein are to be treated and addressed as ‘Research Topics’ leading to intellectual discussion and debate.

Papers are required to evidence the author’s sound understanding of criminal justice system. Hence, papers whose contents are substantially generic in nature are likely to be summarily rejected during the course of reviewing.

Call for papers:

Research papers are invited from Scholars, Researchers, Practitioners, Academicians and Students on issues related to the above theme. Authors of selected papers will be given an opportunity to present their papers in the conference. Joint authorship is permitted, subject to a maximum of two co-authors.

On approval through a peer-reviewing process, the best papers shall be published in a book with ISBN.

Guideline for Submission of Papers:

A brief profile of the author indicating his/her designation, email ID, contact number and address has to be sent along with the abstract (250-300 words) of the paper to the Organizing Committee. The Full Length Paper should not exceed 6000 words excluding footnotes. It should be typed in Times New Roman Font Size 12 with 1.5” line spacing and 10 pt for the footnotes on A4 size paper with 1” margin on all sides using MS Word. Use of Blue Book style of referencing and footnote is encouraged.

Important Dates:

- **Deadline of Abstract Submission : March 15, 2017**
- **Notification of Acceptance of abstract : March 18, 2017**
- **Last Date for receiving of Demand Draft : March 25, 2017**
- **Deadline of Full Paper Submission : March 31, 2017**

- **Date of Conference : April 8, 2017**

Submission Method:

Abstracts have to be emailed to the following:

conferencecja2017@ncuindia.edu

After acceptance of the abstract, the full paper should also be sent to the same email-id.

Registration Fee for Paper Presenters/Participants:

Students: Rupees 1,000/- for single author (Additionally Rupees 500/- for co-author, if any)

Academicians, Lawyers and Others: Rupees 1500/- per participant. (Additionally Rupees 500/- for co-author, if any)

Registration Fee can be paid via Demand Draft in favour of “The NorthCap University” payable at “Gurugram”. The Demand Draft must reach the undersigned on or before March 25, 2017.

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Additionally, an image/ scanned copy of the demand draft must be sent to the above mentioned e-mail id.

Note: All the participants will be provided with certificate of participation. The best three papers will be duly awarded. Detailed Schedule of the Conference will be circulated soon

Due to budgetary constraints, no TA/DA shall be provided. Accommodation for outstation participants can be arranged with additional cost *on request in writing*.

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