

## CALL FOR PAPERS:

Academicians, professionals, scholars, students and members of civil society are hereby invited to contribute papers for the National Seminar. The contributions may be forwarded in both soft and hard copies according to the schedule provided hereunder. However, the prior registration would be necessary so as to ensure proper arrangement in the seminar as the whole. The prospective participants are also expected to forward their itinerary well in advance. No TA/DA shall be provided by the University and therefore, the participants should obtain the same from their respective institutions. Soft copy of papers and abstract may kindly be forwarded to the following-mail:

[lawseminar2023@gmail.com](mailto:lawseminar2023@gmail.com)

1. Last date of Registration: 23rd January 2023
2. Last date for submission of abstracts: 18th January 2023
3. Last date for submission of papers: 23rd January 2023
4. Co-authorship is allowed up to two, each author has to register separately. Paper presentation can be made in offline/online mode as per request of the author.

## NOTE:

The registered participants only shall be allowed to present their papers in the seminar subject to submission of complete papers in due course of time. Papers received after stipulated deadline shall not be entertained for participation in seminar. All abstracts shall be published in souvenir.

The papers should be developed and written in a symmetrical way of responding to the theme of seminar. It should have proper research questions and also reflect the findings. The paper should be between 3000 - 5000 words. The abstract should not be more than 250 words. Papers are acceptable both in English and Hindi. The paper in English, must be typed in "Times New Roman" font size 12 or the paper in Hindi, must be typed in "Kruti Dev"/Mangal font size 10 with Footnotes shall be in the size of 10, Line spacing shall be 1.5 inches. Uniform style of citation as per Blue Book Citation pattern. Personal details of the author / authors shall be given on front page, after the name of title of the Article or Abstract.

## Venue

Seminar Hall, Dr. Harisingh Gour Vishwavidyalaya,  
Sagar, (Madhya Pradesh)  
Seminar will be in Blended Mode (Online/Offline)

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# One Day National Seminar

On

**“Contribution of Dr. Harisingh  
Gour in Legal, Political and Social  
Development in India and  
its Relevancy in 21<sup>st</sup> Century”**

**“भारत के विधिक, राजनैतिक एवं सामाजिक  
विकास में डॉ. हरीसिंह गौर का योगदान  
तथा 21वीं सदी में इसकी प्रासंगिकता”**



**27<sup>th</sup> JANUARY 2023**

**Organized by :**

**Department of Law,  
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(A Central University)  
Sagar, M.P. 470003**

### **ABOUT DR. HARISINGH GOUR:-**

Dr. Harisingh Gour \_ M.A., D.C.L., LL.D. (Cantab.), D.Litt., D.Sc., Member of the Inner Temple, Knight, Bar-at-Law and Member of Constituent Assembly himself was a renowned lawyer and great Jurist, well known as the founder and Vice Chancellor of Central University of Saugor was not just an educationalist, also a distinguished poet, novelist, social reformer and a lawyer. He was a great supporter of gender equality and was successful in getting an Act passed to enable women to be enrolled as lawyers. He also introduced the Civil Marriage Bill in 1923. He was the first to introduce a Bill for abolition of untouchability way back in 1921. He also introduced the Age of Consent Bill in 1924 which was passed in 1925 and age of marriage for women was increased to 13 years. Some distinguished literature by him include The Law of Transfer in British India, The Penal Law of India and the most monumental work is Stepping Westward after which he was selected as a member of the Royal Society of Literature. He also wrote Spirit of Buddhism after which he was honored as Dharam Guru in Japan. As a lawyer and revenue officer in Jabalpur District Court in 1893, he successfully managed to dispose of 300 pending cases in one year only.

### **ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY:-**

Doctor Harisingh Gour Vishwavidyalaya Sagar (A Central University), formerly University of Saugor, was established on 18th July 1946 by Dr. Sir Harisingh Gour (Nov. 26, 1870 – Dec. 25, 1949) by his lifetime saving. This 18th University of India and the oldest and the biggest University of Madhya Pradesh.

Dr. Gour was the founder Vice-Chancellor of the University of Saugor. The University was rechristened as Doctor Harisingh Gour Vishwavidyalaya in February 1983 by the State Legislature and it was recognized as a Central University of Madhya Pradesh in 2009 by the Central Universities Act, 2009.

Apart from conventional degree, post graduate and research courses, Geology, Pharmacy, Commerce, Criminology & Forensic Science, Anthropology, Performing Arts, Journalism & Mass Communication, Adult Education, Electronics Business Management, Microbiology, Law, Biotechnology and Computer Applications are some of the special subjects, which attract a large number of students from the four corners of the country. The Institute of Distance Education of the University runs various self-finance, Correspondence Courses such as in M.Lib.S., B.Lib., MC(J), BJ(C), PG Diploma in Environmental Marketing and Personnel Management, PG Diploma in Criminology and Police

Administration. The University achievements by way of contribution to research are noteworthy. It has awarded more than 3,000 Ph.D., D.Sc., and 37 D.Litt. Degrees so far. Several alumni of the University have brought great glory to it by distinguishing themselves in their chosen fields both within and outside the country. More than 26 Students and Teachers have been Vice Chancellors and Professors of different Indian Universities. A matter of even greater satisfaction is that the University has brought the light of knowledge into millions of homes in the villages and areas around Sagar, thus partly fulfilling the objectives of its establishment.

### **ABOUT THE DEPARTMENT:-**

The Department of Law made its humble beginning in the year 1946 when the University of Saugor became functional. It is the oldest Law Department in Madhya Pradesh. To serve the law and the nation – is the sacrosanct motto of the School of Law. The CBCS (Choice-Based-Credit System) has been introduced from the academic session 2009-2010 in B.A.LL.B., LL.B., LL.M. and Ph.D. course are in continuation in session 2022-2023.

### **ABOUT THE SEMINAR:-**

Our society is a progressive society and since we have the dynamism, we are continuously transforming. Law is also changing owing to such transformation. Dr. Harisingh Gour was focused upon the progressiveness in our society i.e., enhancement and advancement of women's right as well as protection of the rights of vulnerable group.

So far 21<sup>st</sup> century has many laws in force in our country which are promoting the ideology of Dr. Harisingh Gour.

This seminar is an effort to throw some light upon the remarkable contributions of Dr. Harisingh Gour (Legal, Political and Social Development) and utility of those contributions that fits in today's scenario.

### **MAJOR THEMES OF THE SEMINAR:-**

#### **A. Contribution of Dr. Harisingh Gour -**

1. Draft Indian Constitution.
2. Indian Penal Code.
3. Gour's thought about Society and Women Equality.
4. Hindu Code.
5. Age of Consent Bill for Marriage.
6. Good Governance.
7. Legal Education Reforms.
8. Political Reform.

#### **B. Current Scenario Related to Legal, Political and Social Development-**

1. Cyber Crimes.
2. Gender Justice.
3. Crimes against Child.
4. Uniform Civil Code.
5. Mob-Lynching.
6. E-Governance.
7. Sec. 377 of I.P.C. and LGBT Rights.
8. Sec. 497 of I.P.C. and moral value.
9. Human Rights and Science and Technology
10. Live-in-Relationship.
11. Female Foeticide.
12. Schedule Tribe Rights & Role of Judiciary.
13. NOTA use in Elections.
14. Changing Dimension of Human Right.
15. Administration and Good Governance.
16. Women Laws and Society.
17. Law and Vulnerable Groups.
18. Social Development through theme related to topic of seminar.
19. Changing Dimension in Politics.
20. Any other relevant theme related to topic of seminar.

REGISTRATION FEE:-

**No Registration Fee**

Accommodation and food shall be provided on payment on prior request.

**Registration Link:-**

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