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INTRODUCTION

Legal Aid Centre (LAC) of GGSIPU works towards access of justice for disempowered and marginalized segments of society since 2002. It has approval from Delhi State Legal Service Authority (DSLSA) and has Visits of DSLSA Empanelled Lawyer on every Thursday. In the backdrop of poverty and inequality, legal aid is an effective step towards attainment of the ideals of 'social, economic and political' justice that are enshrined in our Constitution under the Directive Principles of State Policy

The importance of legal aid and awareness campaigns as a mechanism for social progress is something that has been repeatedly stressed upon by the Government of India. Legal Aid Centre has mission to strive to perform our duty by imparting legal awareness and promoting community consciousness through social outreach and service initiatives, awareness drives, informational meetings and donations, connecting the society at all fronts to and for those who are starving for legal assistance and perspiring with a hope for just an avenue for access to justice

The LAC, GGSIPU under the directorship of Prof. Lisa P Lukose tirelessly endeavors to help the poor, needy, marginalized and underprivileged in order to make justice available and accessible through (i) legal literacy programs, door-to-door legal aid campaigns, (ii) mega legal aid camps at designated places, (iii) village visits, (iv) community outreach programs, (v) Government schools visits to conduct workshops, legal counseling, personality development sessions, legal career guidance etc. to contribute to fulfill the Constitutional obligation of free legal Aid.

It also conducts competitions PAN Delhi Basis - elocution, declamation, poster making, drawing etc. to create awareness amongst the students on highly sensitive topics such as the prevention of suicide, having compassion with AIDS patients etc. It collaborates with DSLSA, other Universities and NGOs for wider reach and collaborative services in organizing door-to-door legal campaigns, mega legal aid camps, client counseling, creating legal awareness etc. It also actively participates in Lok Adalats being organized by DSLSA.

It regularly conducts internship programs for law students on a PAN Delhi basis to train them in legal aid services, make them understand the opportunities, issues and challenges and inculcate amongst them service and pro bono attitude.

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BEST LEGAL AID CENTRE AWARD



The Legal Aid Centre, USLLS, GGSIPU has been awarded the "Best Legal Aid Centre" in Delhi on November 20, 2023 for its valuable social services. The Award was conferred by Hon'ble Mr. Justice Manmohan, Executive Chairperson, DLSA and Judge Mukesh Kumar Gupta, Member Secretary DSLSA to Prof. (Dr.) Lisa P Lukose, Director, Legal Aid

In recognition of its diverse services and free legal aid extended to the poor and needy, the Centre was conferred the 'Best Legal Aid Centre of Delhi' award in November 2023.

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ACTIVITIES IN A NUTSHELL

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· It conducts various activities such as legal awareness, legal counselling, legal literacy, legal research, and legal representation to the needy and disadvantaged sections of the society.

· It also engages in outreach programs through online and offline means, such as:

· Celebrating Constitution Day, Republic Week, and other law related days and spreading awareness through Instagram and other social media platforms.

· Collaborating with DLSA and other legal aid clinics of different colleges and NGOs and working on various projects such as jail awareness, lok adalats, street plays, etc.

· Visiting schools and educating students about their legal rights and duties.

· It has won the Best Delhi Legal Aid Centre (College) award for its commendable work in the field of legal aid.

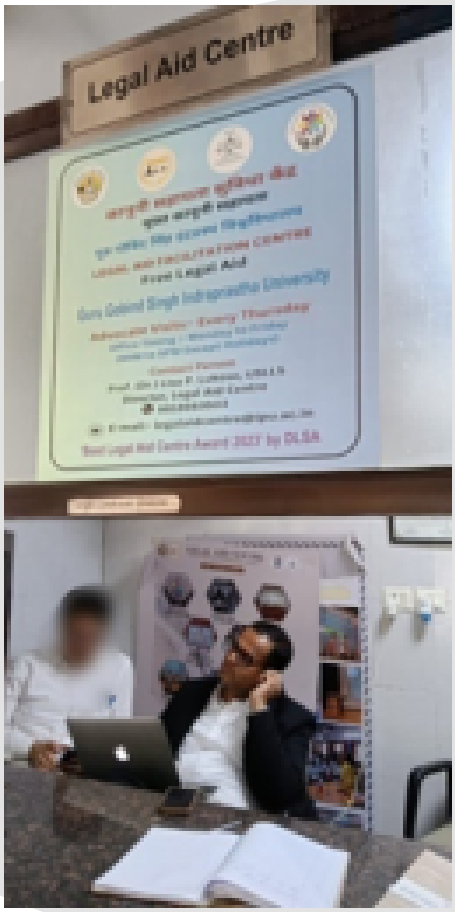
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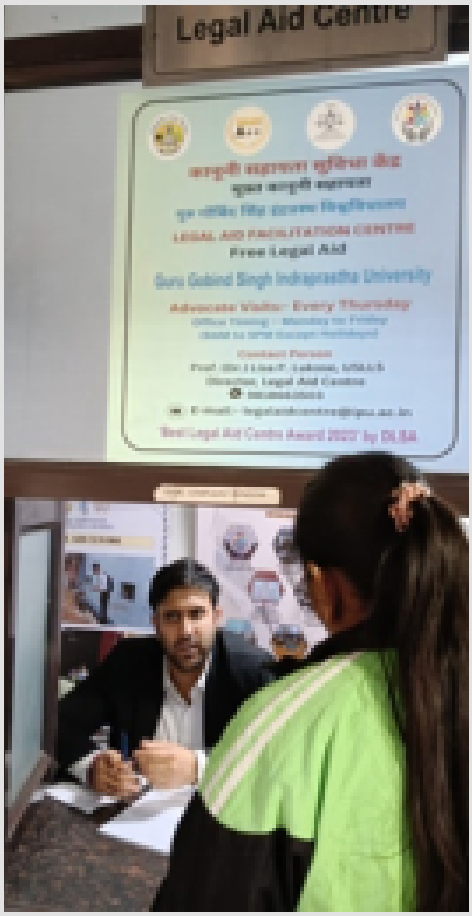
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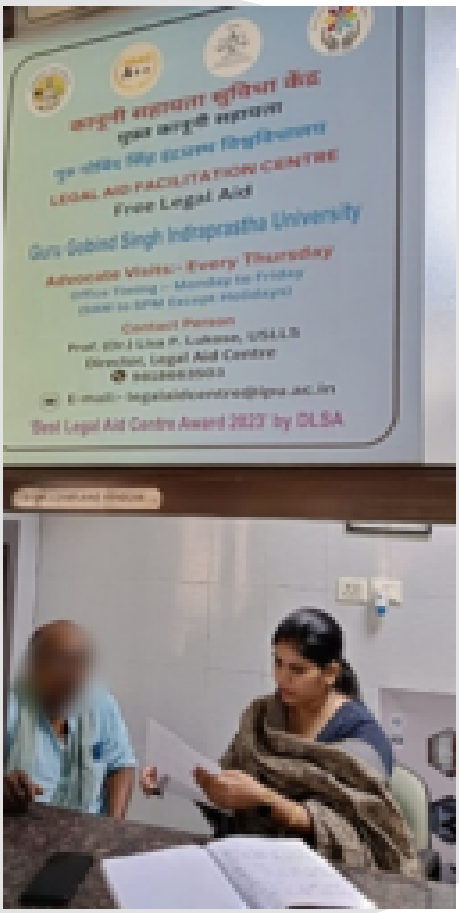
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1. LAWYERS WEEKLY VISIT

Every Thursday, a lawyer from DLSA visits the Legal Aid Facilitation Centre, GGSIPU and gives legal advice to the poor people who are in need of legal assistance who visit the centre. In the past 12 months, the centre has assisted more than 800 people who approached the centre. Advocates Deepika, Amit Lamba, Shrey Gupta, Nitin Shokeen, Kajal Saini, Megha Arora are a few lawyers who severed the Legal Aid Facilitation Centre from DLSA during the report period. Transgender discrimination, property disputes, cheque cases, senior citizen issues, offences related to women etc are some of the legal issues we have addressed recently







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MONTH	NAME OF DLSA ADVOCATE
April, 2024	Ms. Vandana Sharma
May, 2024	Mr. R.P Kaushik
June, 2024	Ms. Santosh Yadav
July, 2024	Mr. Upkar Singh
August, 2024	Ms. Santosh Yadav
September, 2024	Mr. Sitanshu Dhar Pathak
	Ms. Sakshi Sethi
	Ms. Megha Arora
October, 2024	Ms. Kajal Garg
	Ms. Damanjit Kaur
	Ms. Prachi Goel
	Ms. Amita
November, 2024	Ms. Uma Saini
	Sh. Shrey Gupta
	Ms. Shilpi Ganguly
	Sh. Akshay Nagar
December, 2024	Mr. Manoj Ahlawat
	Mr. Akash Gusain
	Mr. Shrey Gupta
	Ms. Kajal Saini

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MONTH	NAME OF DLSA ADVOCATE
January, 2025	Ms. Prachi Goel
	Mr. Shrey Gupta
	Ms. Amita Sharma
	Mr. Mohit Rana
February, 2025	Ms. Akanksha Shahni
	Mr. Aakash Dahiya
February, 2025(Legal Help Desk, Anugoonj)	Ms. Divya Yadav
March, 2025	Mr. Shrey Gupta
	Mr. Ankit Hooda
	Mr. Apurv Gaur
April, 2025	Mr. Shrey Gupta
	Mr. Peeyush Ranjan
	Mr. Manoj Ahlawat
May, 2025	Mr. Amit Lamba
	Mr. Shrey Gupta
	Ms. Sakshi Sethi
	Mr. Nitin Shokeen
	Ms. Deepika
June, 2025	Mr. Manoj Ahlawat
	Mr. Arun
	Mr. Satya Prakash
July, 2025	Mr. Vikrant
	Mr. Rakesh Bairwa

2. SCHOOL OUTREACH PROGRAM, GOVERNMENT CO-ED SR. SEC. SCHOOL, DWARKA

On 10.04.2024, a team from the Legal Aid Centre, GGSIPU visited the Government co-ed Senior Secondary School under the guidance and supervision of the Legal Aid Director. The purpose of the visit was to educate the students about the importance of education beyond the 12th grade and to provide guidance on various career options available to them. Furthermore, the students were introduced to a diverse range of career options spanning across different fields, including but not limited to, law, engineering, medicine, humanities, and commerce. The team elucidated on the skill sets and qualifications required for each profession, empowering the students to make informed decisions about their future endeavours.







3. SCHOOL OUTREACH PROGRAM AT GOVERNMEN GIRLS SENIOR SECONDARY SCHOOL, VILLAG PAPRAWAT

On April 16, 2024, a team from the Legal Aid Cell of USLLS, GGSIPU visited the Government Girls Senior Secondary School, Paprawat to spread awareness among school students about the prospects of their careers and their legal rights and duties. Prof.(Dr.) Lisa P. Lukose and Prof. (Dr.) Kanwal D.P. Singh guided the students on the value of education and how it can help them to be independent in life. The students were informed about the significance of continuing their education journey beyond the 12th grade, with insights into how higher education unlocks numerous opportunities such as better-paying jobs, career progression, and personal satisfaction. Various academic pathways post-12th grade, including undergraduate programs, vocational courses, and professional certifications, were discussed in detail.





4. PARA LEGAL VOLUNTEERS TRAINING PROGRAMME BY DSLSA

The Legal Aid Centre (LAC), University School of Law and Legal Studies (USLLS), Guru Gobind Singh Indraprastha University (GGSIPU) under the auspicious of Delhi State Legal Service Authority (DSLSA) conducted a Para Legal Volunteer (PLV) Training program on 19thand 20th of April 2024 at GGSIPU Dwarka campus. The PLV programme was meant for those students who found qualified for the training through the interview conducted by South West DSLSA. The DSLSA trained 127students from the University School of Law and Legal Studies, GGSIPU, and Maharaja Surajmal Institute, an affiliated college of the IP University.

The learned judicial officers from the central and South West offices of DLSA gave rigorous training to the selected trainees which included 8 technical sessions covering vital legal topics.



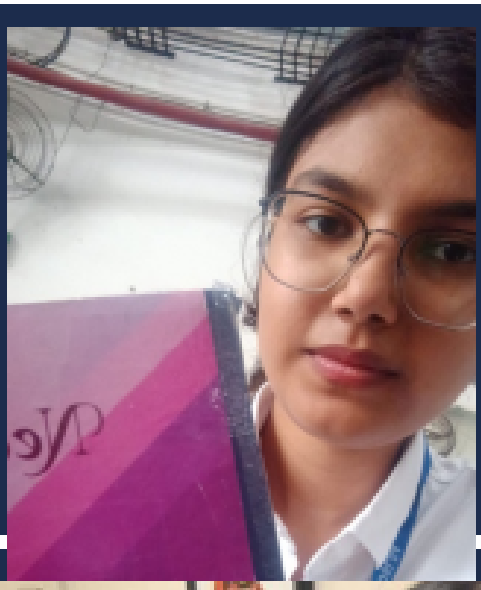
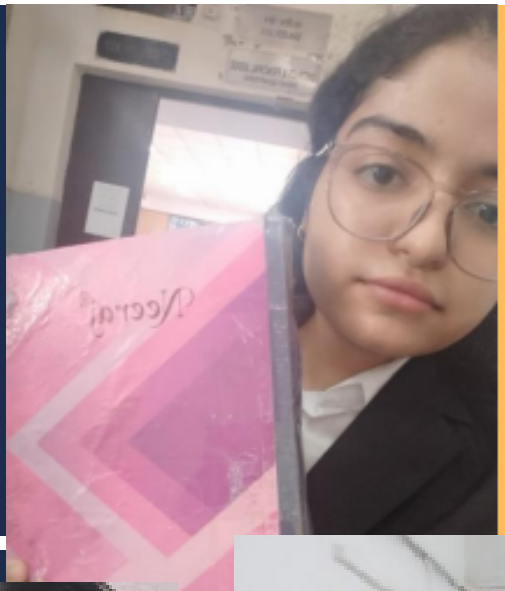


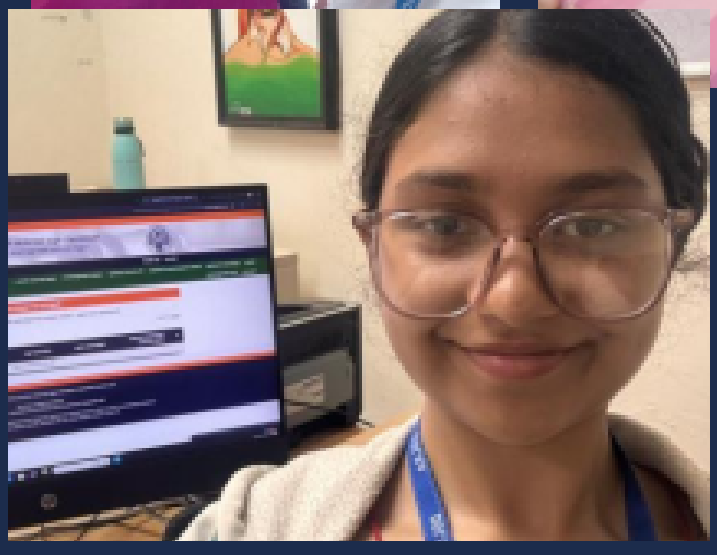




5. ACTIVITIES OF PARA LEGAL VOLUNTEER'S

Para-Legal Volunteers (PLVs) play a vital role in bridging the gap between the legal system and the marginalized sections of society. Their duties encompass a wide range of activities aimed at enhancing access to justice. PLVs are regularly deputed at police stations, where they assist in safeguarding the rights of individuals, ensuring that legal aid is provided to those in need, and facilitating amicable dispute resolution at the preliminary stage. Additionally, PLVs actively participate in various legal awareness and outreach camps organized in communities, educational institutions, and underprivileged areas, where they educate people about their legal rights and the availability of free legal aid services.



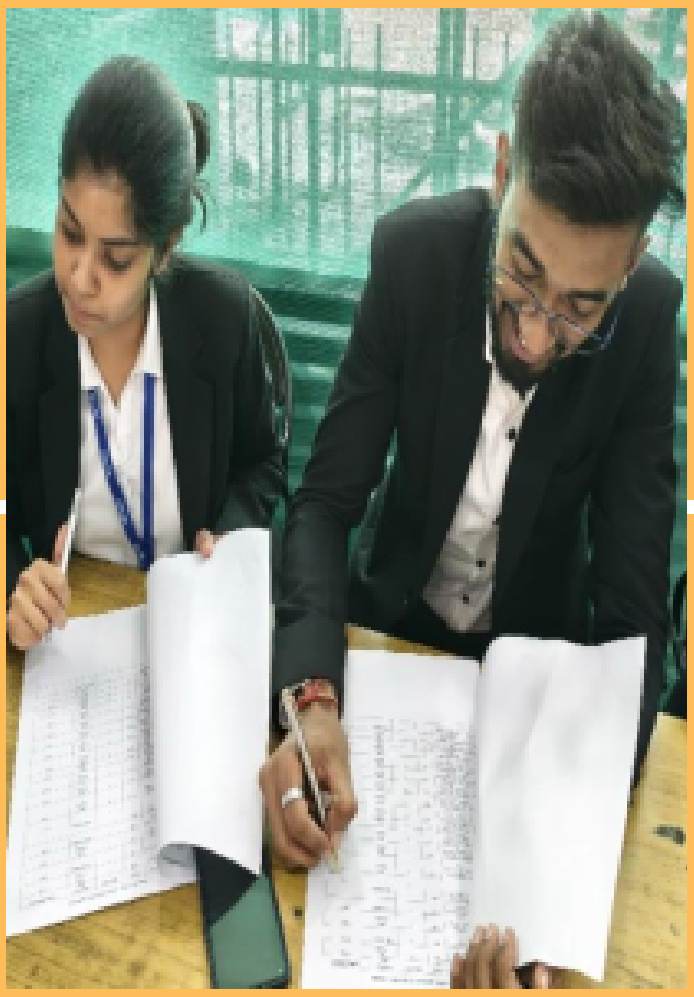

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BEST STUDENT PLV AWARD

On the occasion of International Women's Day, the Delhi State Legal Services Authority (DSLSA) launched the projects "वीरांगना"and "वाणी–सशक्तआवाज, सक्षमसमाज"at the S-Block Auditorium, High Court of Delhi, New Delhi.

Ms. Sneha Shokeen, a student of the University School of Law and Legal Studies, GGSIPU, and a recipient of the prestigious PLV Award from DLSA, exemplifies an exceptional commitment to legal scholarship and community service. Her academic excellence is paralleled by her unwavering dedication to advancing access to justice through tireless pro bono initiatives.

The event was graced by the esteemed presence of Hon'ble Mr. Justice K. V. Viswanathan, Judge, Supreme Court of India and Mentor Judge, DSLSA, as the Chief Guest, along with Hon'ble Mr. Justice Devendra Kumar Upadhyaya, Chief Justice, High Court of Delhi & Patron-in-Chief, DSLSA; Hon'ble Mr. Justice Vibhu Bakhru, Judge, High Court of Delhi &Executive Chairman, DSLSA; and Hon'ble Ms. Justice Rekha Palli, Judge, High Court of Delhi. Several other Hon'ble Judges of the Delhi High Court were also in attendance.





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6. MIGRANT AND ASYLUM PROJECT

The MAP Asylum Project organized an extensive training program for students of Guru Gobind Singh Indraprastha University (GGSIPU) in Delhi, aimed at equipping them with critical skills and knowledge to support asylum seekers. Conducted in April and May, the MAP Asylum Project recently organized an extensive training program for students of Guru Gobind Singh Indraprastha University (GGSIPU) in Delhi, aimed at equipping them with critical skills and knowledge to support asylum seekers. The curriculum was meticulously designed to cover a broad spectrum of topics essential for asylum advocacy. It included detailed modules on international refugee laws, the rights of asylum seekers, and the procedural intricacies involved in filing for asylum. Specific sessions focused on sexual and gender-based violence (SGBV), highlighting its prevalence among asylum seekers and strategies for support and intervention. The program included labor laws education, emphasizing asylum seekers' workforce rights and addressing employment issues. Sessions on socio-cultural dimensions featured refugee accounts, enriching students' empathy and understanding. Practical training included discussions and assignments on filing police complaints, crucial for handling SGBV and other crimes. The program concluded with feedback and a certification ceremony, where students shared their insights and praised the MAP Asylum Project's approach. The training was a resounding success, benefiting the students and enhancing their ability to support asylum seekers.





7. SUMMER INTERNSHIPS

The Legal Aid Centre conducted a summer internship programme from 01.07.2024 to 31.07.2024 for Law students of Delhi. 13 Students from various law schools were selected. During the internship period, the students researched and learnt in-depth knowledge about topics such as (i) Legal Aid as a Constitutional Right in India, (ii) Three new criminal law legislations which India has enforced from 1 July 2024, (iii) Artificial intelligence and Law, (iv) Data protection, Right to Privacy and Cyber security in Cyber Space and specific Case Studies relating to Speedy Justice and Legal Aid along with Fieldwork.





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Ref. No.: LAC/ Internship/2024/92 Date: 31/07/2024

APPRECIATION LETTER

Dear Diviksh Bhandari,

I am writing to express my sincere appreciation on the successful completion of one month Internship at the Legal Aid Centre, USLLS, GGSIPU from 1st July, 2024 to 31st July, 2024 where you have demonstrated a high level of professionalism, dedication and enthusiasm in the tasks assigned during the internship period, which included research work on topics such as (i) Legal Aid as a Constitutional Right in India, (ii) Three new criminal law legislations which India has enforced from 1 July 2024, (iii) Artificial intelligence and Law, (iv) Data protection, Right to Privacy and Cyber security in Cyber Space and specific Case Studies relating to Speedy Justice and Legal Aid along with Fieldwork.

We appreciate your hard work and sincerity. We hope that you have gained valuable experience and insights while working with us. We wish you all the best for your future endeavours.

With Best Wishes

Prof. Lisa P. Lukose
(Director, Legal Aid Centre)

C Block, GGSIPU, Golf Course Rd, Sector 16 C, Dwarka, Delhi, 110078



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CERTIFICATE
OF INTERNSHIP

This certificate is awarded to

Shraddha Chatterjee

from

Trinity Institute of Innovation in Professional Studies

For his/her outstanding completion of the internship programme at Legal Aid Centre, University School of Law and Legal Studies, Guru Gobind Singh Indraprastha University from 1st July, 2024 to 31st July, 2024. We wish him/her the very best for all his/ her future endeavours.

Prof. Lisa P. Lukose
(Director, Legal Aid Centre)

8. NUKKAD NATAK DURING STUDENT INDUCTION PROGRAMME

A compelling street play was performed by first and second year students during the orientation of various student cells for first-year students on 12th August 2024. The play was organized by the Legal Aid Cell which centered around the theme 'failing an exam does not define one's worth, and turning to drugs as a coping mechanism is never a solution.' The performance guided the audience through relatable scenarios that students often face like academic pressure, fear of failure, and the following emotional turmoil. The performance guided the audience through relatable scenarios that students often face like academic pressure, fear of failure, and the following emotional turmoil. The play was well-received by the audience, many of whom were moved by the realistic portrayal of the issues and the hopeful resolution presented. It reinforced the importance of mental health awareness, the role of community in overcoming personal struggles, and the dangers of drug dependency.





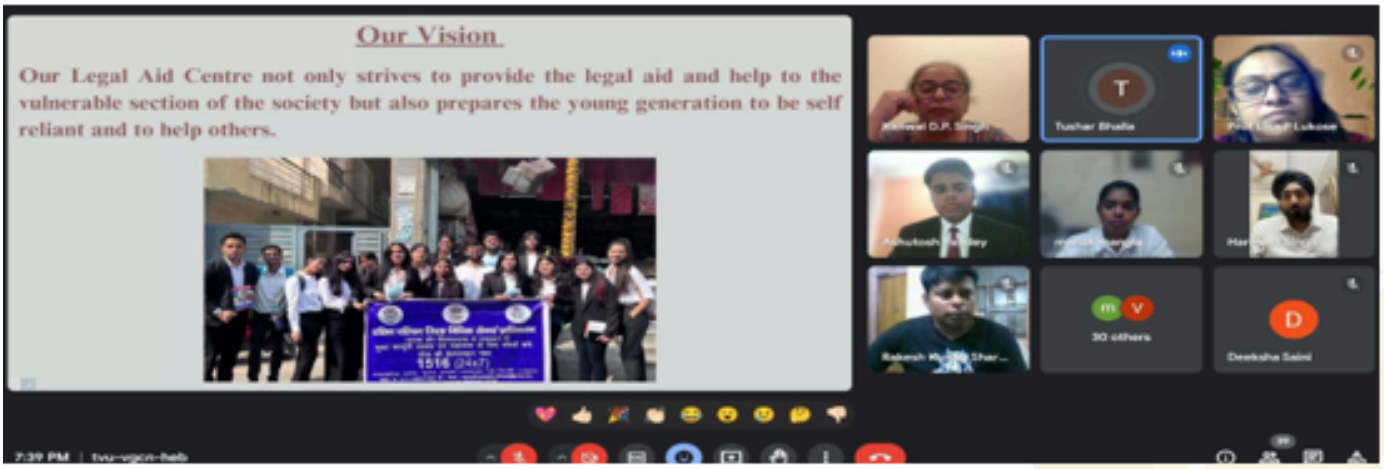
9. LEGAL AID CENTRE ORIENTATION ONLINE INDUCTION PROGRAMME

The Legal Aid Centre conducted an induction programme for the orientation of the new batch of BA LL.B. and BBA LL.B. students' on31st August, 2024. The programme aimed to introduce new members to the Centre's objectives, functions, and ongoing initiatives, fostering a commitment to social justice and pro bono legal services. The Legal Aid Centre conducted an insightful online orientation session for the 2024-2029 batch, showcasing its diverse range of activities and initiatives.

An engaging question-and-answer session followed, allowing participants to clarify doubts and discuss strategies for enhancing the Centre's impact. The session reinforced the importance of active participation and commitment to the Centre's objectives.


STUDENTS' ARCHIVES
Kanwal D.P. Singh
Tushar Bhalla
Prof Lisa P Lukose
Ashutosh Pandey
mahak mangla
Lakshita Aswal
32 others
Deeksha Saini
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Our Vision
Our Legal Aid Centre not only strives to provide the legal aid and help to the vulnerable section of the society but also prepares the young generation to be self reliant and to help others.
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10. PARTICIPATION OF STUDENTS AT LOK ADALAT





On September 7, 2024, a team of first years accompanied by two research scholars were guided by Adv. Aman, member, DLSA about the proceedings of three major courts and even responded to their queries arising in the expedition.

The students learnt about the alternate dispute resolution process in Traffic matters, complaints against Municipal Corporation, Delhi and crimes pertaining to Section 188 of I.P.C. One of the judges of the Lok Adalat explained the students about the morality of the profession and the impact it brings to the society. He, further, made the students acquainted of the mercifulness expected in a Lok Adalat and the various types of acute punishments assigned to the lawbreakers like fines.









11. SAKSHAM 3.0

Project Saksham 3.O was conducted from September, 2024 to January, 2025 under the faculty coordination of Prof. (Dr.) Lisa P. Lukose of USLLS, GGSIPU. The initiative was a collaborative effort involving the University of Delhi, IP University, Jamia Hamdard, NEK Mission Foundation, and Naksh Foundation. It was conducted across more than 18 locations in Delhi, including areas such as Khanpur dhani, Mukharjee Nagar, Shamshan Basti, Shiv basti, Kirti Nagar (Railway Track), Shamshan basti, Najafgarh Road Industrial area, Seemapuri, Rangpuri Pahadi, Vikaspuri, Mansarovar, Madanpur Khadar, Kathpulti Colony, Mandi Colony, Mahatma Gandhi DDA Camp, Rajeev Gandhi DDA Camp, Punjabi Bagh DDA Camp and Indira camp Vikaspuri.

12. LEGAL LITERACY AND OUTREACH PROGRAMME AT SDMC BOYS SCHOOL POCHANPUR

The village of Pochanpur has been adopted by GGSIP University, and the Legal Aid Centre, GGSIPU, has been given permission to visit and offer services in the village during the second week of September. Prof. (Dr.) Lisa P. Lukose, Director of Legal Aid, and Prof. (Dr.) Kanwal D. P. Singh, Former Director of the Legal Aid Centre, met with principals of the government schools in the village on September 4th 2024, to discuss the necessary procedures for interacting with students and to find out what subjects the students needed to be enlightened on. They are both registered volunteers under the Vidyanjali program of the Education Department of Delhi government, and they have conducted sessions under Vidyanjali.

On September 9th, 2024, a team from the Legal Aid Cell of USLLS, GGSIPU visited the S.D.M.C. Pochanpur Boys School under the supervison and guidance of Dr. Lisa P. Lukose and Dr. Kanwal D.P. Singh is persuance of their meeting dated September 4th, 2024. The purpose of the visit was to educate the students about ways in which they can enhance their personality and be a good citizen, inculcate positive attitude in them and make them aware about their legal rights and duties.





13. DOOR TO DOOR CAMPAIGN AND VILLAGE OUTREACH PROGRAMME AT POCHANPUR

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On September 12, 2024, a team from the Legal Aid Cell of USLLS, GGSIPU visited the Pochanpur Village. To aid us in this novel program, Advocate Virendra Rathi and Advocate Shitanshu Dhar Pathak from Dwarka Court set up a free legal aid help desk with us at the Village Community Centre. The purpose of this initiative was to inform the villagers about their legal rights, duties, beneficial schemes and policies of the Government and provide them with legal advice and guidance for their personal conundrums.





14. STREET PALY PERFORMED BY STUDENTS AT BHARAT VIHAR MARKET AREA

The Legal Aid Centre at USLLS, GGSIPU, conducted an impactful nukkad natak in the Bharat Vihar Market area on September 26, 2024. The visit to the area was aimed at raising legal awareness through active role-playing. The nukkad natak emphasised on the repeated injustices faced by women and how such forms of injustices are ignored due to their wide prevalence in society, economic issues or even gender biases.

The nukkad natak performed by the student members of the Legal Aid Centre at USLLS, GGSIPU, proved to be impactful, with active observation of the play by various inhabitants of the area. The play attracted the older people, the adults and the children alike. The Centre put another step forward towards its wider aim of ensuring that legal awareness reaches the remotest of areas and continues to work towards achieving its aim.







15. NUKKAD NATAK PERFORMED BY STUDENTS IN NAJAFGARH AREA

On 10th October 2024 the Legal Aid centre at USLLS, GSSIPU Main campus performed a nukkad natak tackling the stigma surrounding menstruation, aiming to normalize discussions about periods among all genders.
The performance conveyed that menstruation should not be shrouded in secrecy or shame. It addressed the health risks associated with improper menstrual hygiene and emphasized the importance of using safe sanitary products.







16. ONLINE QUIZ COMPETITION ON WORLD MENTAL HEALTH DAY

The Legal Aid Centre (LAC) at USLLS, in collaboration with the Internal Complaint Committee (ICC) of Guru Gobind Singh Indraprastha University, hosted an Online Quiz Competition on 14th October 2024 to mark World Mental Health Day. The theme for this year's event, "It is time to prioritize mental health," aimed to remind students about the importance of taking care of their mental well-being. The quiz was intended not only to test knowledge but also to create space for important discussions about mental health and how it affects our everyday lives.

The competition was held online, making it accessible to students across different courses. It was open to all undergraduate, postgraduate, and research students, allowing for a diverse group of participants. The quiz itself consisted of 30 multiple-choice questions, with a time limit of 15 minutes. The questions touched on different aspects of mental health, from general awareness to self-care and emotional resilience. It was a great opportunity for students to reflect on how mental health plays a role in their lives, especially in the demanding environment of university life.



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17. JAN SUNWAI AND FREE LEGAL AID CAMP IN ISSAPUR VILLAGE

On October 17, 2024, the Legal Aid Centre of the University School of Law and Legal Studies, GGSIPU, organized a free legal aid camp and Jan Sunwai at Dada Budhha Temple, Issapur, Delhi. This initiative was part of the university's commitment to provide pro bono legal services to underprivileged communities in and around Delhi. The camp drew a substantial number of villagers, who sought legal assistance for various issues.

This initiative is part of the Legal Aid Centre's broader mission to empower marginalized communities by making legal services more accessible. The camp provided practical legal assistance while also serving as an educational opportunity for law students, who engaged directly with the legal challenges faced by underserved populations.











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18. LEGAL HELP DESK AT ANNUAL CULTURAL FEST, GGSIPU

The Legal Aid Centre of University School of Law and Legal Studies (USLLS), in collaboration with the Delhi State Legal Services Authority (DSLA), set up a Legal Helpdesk at Anugoonj, the annual fest of Guru Gobind Singh Indraprastha University, from 24th February to 26th February. The initiative aimed to spread awareness about legal rights, provide free legal assistance, and engage students in discussions on legal literacy. The primary objectives of the initiative were to provide legal assistance and guidance to students and visitors, promote awareness about fundamental rights and legal remedies, encourage young minds to actively participate in pro bono legal work, and foster collaboration between law students and legal professionals.







19. LEGAL AID STALL AT SILVER JUBILLE CULMINATION PROGRAMME OF GGSIPU

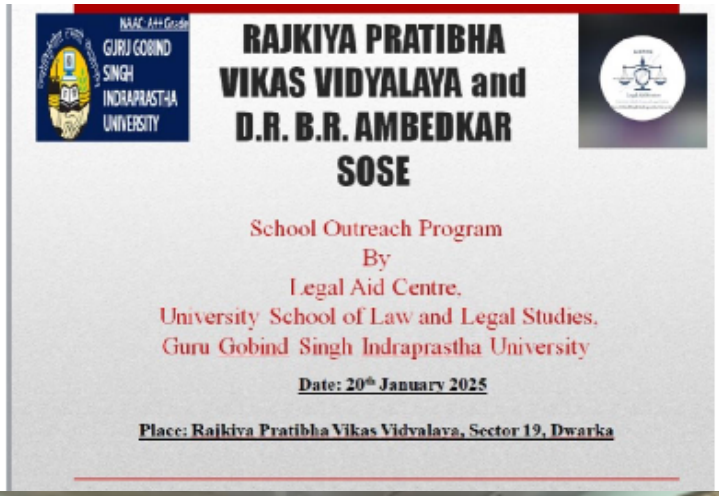




The culmination Silver Jubilee celebrations of Guru Gobind Singh Indraprastha University (GGSIPU) showcased the institution's legacy of excellence through contributions by its various departments and cells. Among these, the Legal Aid Centre of the University School of Law and Legal Studies (USLLS) stood out as a testament to the university's dedication to justice, empowerment, and community service. Stall No. 74 of the Legal Aid Centre was a vibrant display of the Centre’s diverse initiatives, attracting an engaged audience with its impactful work in legal awareness and support for marginalized communities.

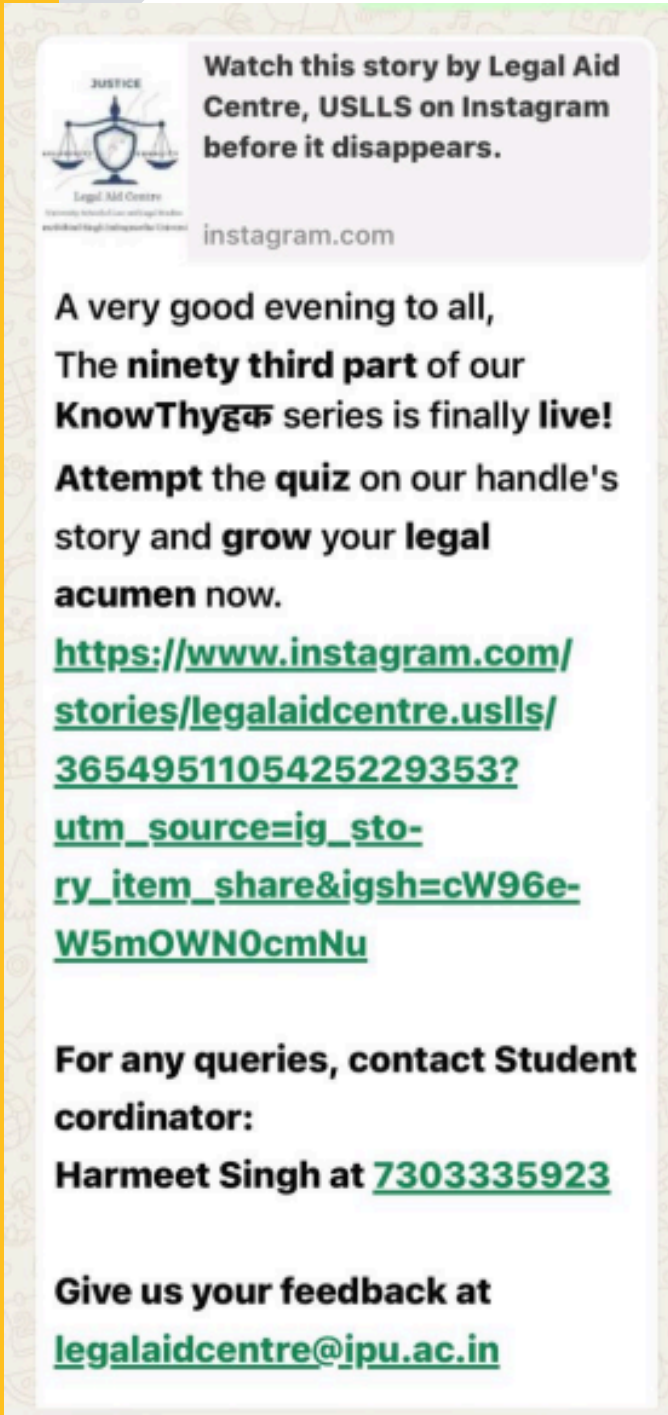
20. SCHOOL OUTREACH PROGRAM AT Dr B.R Ambedkar Schools of Specialised Excellence and Rajkiya Pratibha Vikas Vidhyalaya, Amberhai Village, Dwarka.

On January 20, 2025, a team from the Legal Aid Centre, USLLS, GGSIPU visited at Dr B.R Ambedkar Schools of Specialised Excellence and Rajkiya Pratibha Vikas Vidhyalaya. The purpose of the visit was to educate the students about "Cyber Security" and how can they balance their school life and social media together without getting their studies affected. The team from the Legal Aid Centre led by Prof (Dr) Lisa P Lukose, Director, Legal Aid made a comprehensive presentation highlighting how the students can protect themselves from cyber threats as it equips them with essential knowledge and skills to navigate the digital world safely.





21. KNOWTHYHAQ – A UNIQUE SOCIAL MEDIA INITIATIVE TO SPREAD LEGAL AWARENESS

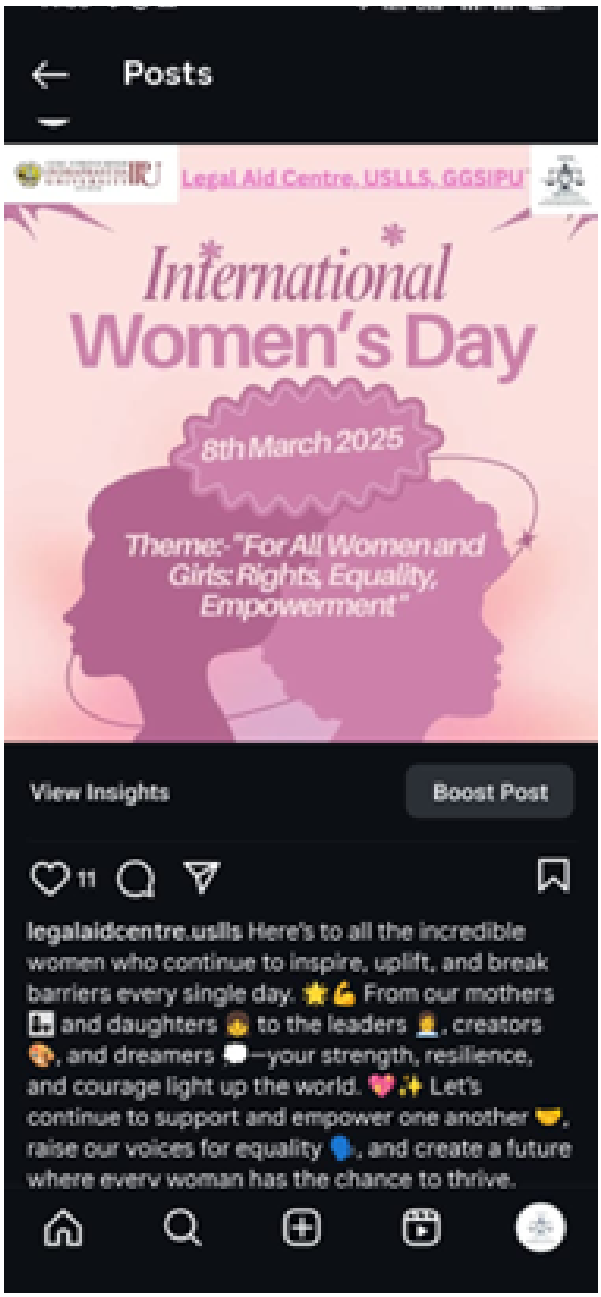


One of the major aspects that often gets ignored whenever legal aid is the epicentre of discussion, it is legal literacy amongst the people who are adult enough to be governed by all the common laws that prevail in this nation but still not mature enough to have a well understanding of it. To empower the neizens//students/Genz about their legal rights and laws which colloquially govern them, Legal Aid Centre came up with KnowThyहक, an initiative wherein every Friday, a quiz around legal rights takes place on our official Instagram handle every Friday. 93 weekly quizzes have been successfully completed by the Legal Aid Centre as of now. The Centre receives huge responses from the social media users and we help in such a huge way for legal awareness.

22. CREATING AWARENESS THROUGH SOCIAL MEDIA ON IMPORTANT DAYS

Recognising the power of social media as an effective way of dissemination of information, the Legal Aid Centre create awareness on various legal and social themes on relevant days through posts and stories such as World Girl Child Day, World Food Day, Mental Health Day etc





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CONCLUSION



The Legal Aid Centre, USLLS, under the guidance of Hon'ble Vice Chancellor Prof. (Dr.) Mahesh Verma (Patron-in-Chief), Prof. (Dr.) Lisa P. Lukose (Director), Prof. (Dr.) Queeny Pradhan (Dean, USLLS), and Prof. (Dr.) Kanwal DP Singh (Former Director), flourished in 2024–2025. Led by Convenors Mahak and Deeksha Saini, the teams worked tirelessly: Research & Content (Vaidehi, Kriti, Disha, Somya, Gurnika, Maulik, Laksha), Design (Mokshi, Harshita, Vrinda, Vanshika, Soumya, Vaishnavi, Saara), Events (Alisha, Diksha, Punya, Kriti, Shivya, Lakshya, Muskan), Community & Extension (Samarth, Sneha, Anmol, Mimansa, Harshita, Bhawjot, Sanya), and Technical & Social Media (Jehov, Akshar, Jalj, Shivam, Aakarshi, Dhruv, Palak). Special contributions also came from Shuhool, Ved, Ayas, Snehal, Neha, Kritika, and Diya. Together, they made a lasting impact through dedication and teamwork.


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