

Call for Book Chapter
on
Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar's
Ideas on Jurisprudence
Edited by Dr. Vikram Karuna

Dear Sir/Ma'am,

I would like to invite you to contribute a chapter to an edited book, which will be published in first half of 2023 by renowned international/national publisher.

CONCEPT NOTE

Very few people are aware that Dr. Ambedkar's views on land ownership conflict with western law regarding ownership, and that his writings helped state governments throughout the post-independence era introduce land reforms. His concept of welfare state democracy contradicts popular majoritarian democracy. He desired that key industries be solely owned and managed by the government, and prior to liberalisation in 1991, almost all key industries were solely owned and managed by the government. He never agreed with Savigny's Volksgeist theory. The law, according to this theory, is based on the general will or free will of the people. The aforementioned concepts are indicative in nature and are inspired by the Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar's writings. Because of these factors, I felt compelled to compile a book containing Dr. Ambedkar's core legal principles. It is impossible for one person to be an authoritative source on every area of law. Therefore, I am inviting your unpublished work in the form of a chapter on any of the following but not limited to these themes.

1. Dr. Ambedkar's ideas on Constitutional Morality
2. Dr. Ambedkar's ideas on Democracy
3. Dr. Ambedkar's ideas on Justice
4. Dr. Ambedkar's ideas on Liberty
5. Dr. Ambedkar's ideas on Equality
6. Dr. Ambedkar's ideas on Fraternity
7. Dr. Ambedkar's ideas on Rights
8. Dr. Ambedkar's ideas on One Person One Vote
9. Dr. Ambedkar's ideas on Separate Electorate For Depressed Classes
10. Dr. Ambedkar's ideas on Unity of the Nation
11. Dr. Ambedkar's ideas on State Industry
12. Dr. Ambedkar's ideas on Ownership/possession

13. Dr. Ambedkar's ideas on Land Laws
14. Dr. Ambedkar's ideas on Labour Laws
15. Dr. Ambedkar's ideas on Personal Laws
16. Dr. Ambedkar's ideas on Representation in Legislature
17. Dr. Ambedkar's ideas on Representation in Executive
18. Dr. Ambedkar's ideas on Representation in Union/State/Local Services
19. Dr. Ambedkar's ideas on Domicile/Citizenship
20. Dr. Ambedkar's ideas on Communal Executive
21. Dr. Ambedkar's ideas on Constitutional Amendment
22. Dr. Ambedkar's ideas on Emergency

Submission Guidelines

- Original and unpublished chapters are invited
- Chapters should strictly follow the citation of OSCOLA Fourth Edition guidelines. It can be assessed from the below URL:
https://www.law.ox.ac.uk/sites/default/files/migrated/oscola_4th_edn_hart_2012.pdf
- The proposal should contain an abstract within 300 words, a maximum 5 keywords and a brief bio note within 150 words.
- Last date of submission of abstract is November 15, 2022 to be sent at dr.ambedkar.jurisprudence@gmail.com
- The full chapter, expected by December 30, 2022 should be approximately 7000 words in length including notes and Bibliography.

I do hope that you will feel able to respond positively to this invitation, and I look forward to hearing from you.

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