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“LEGAL RESEARCH METHODOLOGY”**

**TITLE OF THE BOOK:                   LEGAL RESEARCH METHODOLOGY**

**ABOUT THE BOOK:**

Legal research landscape in India is not in good shape. This Armageddon needs a deep and pervasive reform from upside down. Repetitive doctrinal researches have to be avoided. A culture of value-based quality research has to be promoted and fostered. Students are to be trained in drafting good research plan, focusing on research problem, literature review, hypotheses, research methodology. Doctrinal and non-doctrinal research methods comprising qualitative and quantitative analysis of data has to be detailed out at very early stage of learning of law. Law Schools have to evolve the necessary infrastructure and ecosystem for quality and sumptuous legal researches. The Legal Researches have been primarily doctrinal and now the movement is towards empirical/non-doctrinal researches. Data mining from Government Databases to validate the hypothesis is picking up pace in India. The Legal Research Methodology is going through a sea change. This book is an attempt to bring the authors of Pan India to pour their deliberations on Research Methods.

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