



**NAVRACHANA
UNIVERSITY**

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

On

Law & Public Policy

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ORGANISED BY
SCHOOL OF BUSINESS & LAW



ABOUT NAVRACHANA UNIVERSITY

Navrachana University is a Private University established under the Gujarat Private University Act, 2009. The University has Five schools: School of Business and Law, School of Engineering and Technology, School of Liberal Studies and Education, School of Environmental Design and Architecture and School of Science. We have around 22 programs across all the schools. The University has embarked on a new educational paradigm that lays simultaneous emphasis on disciplinary education, inter-disciplinary education, professional education and general education.

ABOUT SCHOOL OF BUSINESS AND LAW

Working in close association with the industry and the academic experts, right from the curriculum development stage to student's projects, internships and work placements, School of Business and Law at NUV offers several unique undergraduate and postgraduate level programs in the field of Management (BBA and MBA), Law (BBA-LLB Integrated & LLM).

ABOUT THE CONFERENCE

The relationship between law and public policy has been described as a 'hand in glove' one by Harrington and Carter in their book on Administrative Law and Politics. Policies are oriented towards a desired goal/state on behalf of the government which might take form of a law. Law shares a dynamic relationship with public policy. It is a process and a continuous one at that. At times the interface is subtle and may take years to manifest. This may be true of laws committed to environmental protection where the transformation may not be immediately visible. Sometimes, on the other hand, changes may have to be forced. This may be true of laws made to eradicate societal prejudice.

Although public policy is an old doctrine in the common law as well as other legal systems, it is not clear how the emergence of welfare nation through policy can transform the law. The correlation between law and public policy has been interwoven and involves spheres of philosophy, humanity, social and economic justice. The study of Public Policy informs the state as to how it could respond to the new dynamic challenges that emerge in the society. As every legislation requires clear policy formulation, there is demand for professionals, law students, research scholars who will be equipped to design, implement and evaluate policies and programmes. The inspiration has been derived from our transformative constitution while addressing the challenges of our diverse society

OBJECTIVE

The present conference is an effort to study the innate relationship of law and public policy. It undertakes to make a serious enquiry as to how the interface could be better utilized to usher in societal changes that are long overdue. For this purpose, the conference contains a series of themes and subthemes dedicated towards understanding the relationship between law and public policy.

TARGET AUDIENCE

The conference is open to Academicians, Judicial Officers, Researchers, Professionals, Practitioners, Students of Law, Political Science and other relevant discipline, and other stakeholders on the emerging issues and related areas on the broader sub-themes.

THEMES FOR THE NATIONAL CONFERENCE

The themes for the conference are as follows:

1. **Contemporary Challenges to the Constitution of India.**
2. **Gender Justice and Laws in India**
3. **Emerging trends in Environment law and policy**
4. **Child Rights and Child Protection-Issues and Challenges**
5. **Role of IPR in the Present Era**
6. **Changing Dimensions of Media law**
7. **Companies Act: Issues and Challenges**
8. **Prospects and Challenges for Alternate Dispute Resolution Mechanism**
9. **Issues relating to migrant workers during the pandemic**
10. **Reforms in the Justice Delivery System**

The sub-themes are indicative and not exhaustive.

CALL FOR PAPERS:

Research papers/Articles and Case Studies are invited for the presentation at the National Conference.

Submission guidelines:

The abstract of a research paper on any of the given theme shall be duly sent. The abstract shall not exceed 300 words.

It should include the following:

1. **Title of the paper**
2. **Keywords**
3. **Name of the author/s**
4. **Designation**
5. **Name of the institution**
6. **E-mail address**
7. **Contact details:**

The abstract shall be sent to the form:

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeZOEHCakkic3LKp1Au01Y02NV0qzVOQOFQmH3nR-FkUzegEw/viewform?usp=sharing>

Full paper:

1. The length of full paper including tables, diagrams, illustrations, references, etc. shall not be less than 3000 words and shall not exceed 5000 words. (Excluding the footnotes).
 2. Research paper shall be the original and unpublished work of the author. Co-authorship is permitted to maximum two authors. Each author is required to register and pay the registration fee individually.
 3. The paper should be typed in Times New Roman 12-point font with 1.5-line spacing.
 4. All footnotes must be in Font “Times New Roman”, font size 10, line spacing. All submissions must follow the “The Bluebook: A Uniform System of Citation (20th Edition).
 5. The full paper should be submitted in soft copy (only after the acceptance of the abstract has been duly communicated) and shall be sent along with the registration fee screenshot on form:
 6. E-certificates will be provided to all the registered participants.
 7. Selected Papers will be published in a book with ISBN Number.
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REGISTRATION PROCEDURE AND FEE DETAILS:

Registration fee:

- Academicians, Research scholars and Professionals: Rs. 1250/-
- Students: Rs. 750/-
- Participation is reserved on a first come first serve basis.

Link for Registration & Payment:

on the following link to register for the National Conference.

<https://www.nuv.ac.in/cpe-regn/>

Important Dates:

Date of submission of abstract	2 nd January 2023
Date of confirmation of abstract	6 th January 2023
Date of Full Paper submission & Registration	23 rd January 2023
Date of National Conference	3 rd February 2023

Note: No TA/DA shall be paid

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