



MESSAGE FROM STUDENT EDITOR

The Journal of Law and Justice proudly presents a compelling collection of scholarly works that engage with pressing legal and socio-economic challenges shaping India and the global arena. This issue encapsulates a rich tapestry of interdisciplinary analyses, ranging from ancient Indian jurisprudence to contemporary issues like cybercrime, space law, and wage disparities. Each contribution underscores the dynamic interplay between law, policy, and societal transformation, offering critical insights for academics, practitioners, and policymakers.

The review of *Reflections on Ancient Indian Jurisprudence* revives the philosophical underpinnings of dharma, urging a re-examination of modern legal systems through India's historical lens. Another analysis of *The Global Regime for the Enforcement of Intellectual Property Rights* navigates the delicate balance between proprietary control and public access, while review of *Emerging Trends in Consumer Law* highlights the evolving consumer-citizen identity in a digital era. The article on *Biodiversity Law in India* emphasizes sustainable governance, bridging community roles with legal frameworks. The case note on the *Cairn Energy v. India* arbitration probes the tension between fiscal sovereignty and international law, and the article on the *Digital Competition Bill 2024* addresses regulatory gaps in digital markets. The work on cybercrime calls for a reconceptualized law enforcement paradigm, while the analysis of space resource utilization advocates for unified global standards. The study on FOCC downstream investments and the discourse on wage disparities illuminate structural reforms needed for equitable economic growth.

This issue invites readers to reflect on law's transformative potential, fostering dialogue on justice, equity, and governance in an ever-evolving world.

Warm regards,

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MESSAGE FROM STUDENT CO-EDITOR

The release of a new journal signifies both an end and a beginning. It represents the completion of a long and often difficult process. This journey involves more than just gathering papers; it focuses on creating a coherent and meaningful intellectual product. As Co-Editor, I am honored to share some insights about the journey that brought this volume to you. The works featured in these pages emerged from a thorough selection process. Our editorial team, made up of committed student editors, faced the challenging task of identifying which submissions truly addressed current legal debates. We looked for strong arguments and new viewpoints; papers that would question assumptions, spark discussion, and highlight top notch legal research at Law Centre - II.

This volume highlights our efforts with an exploration of several key themes. One example is the rise of digital society, a force reshaping every aspect of law. We present a focused inquiry into the legal framework of this new landscape, featuring a standout article on innovative digital market oversight. This piece exemplifies the forward-looking research we support; it not only defines a problem but also proposes a practical solution. Additionally, we delve into the intricate world of international arbitration through a detailed Case Comment on the Cairn Energy v. India arbitration. This goes beyond a mere summary; it carefully breaks down a case that challenges the idea of state sovereignty. It brilliantly shows how one legal conflict can resonate throughout the global legal system. Lastly, the Book Review section offers a moment for thoughtful reflection. The review of "Reflections on Ancient Indian Jurisprudence in the Current Social & Judicial Set-Up" connects our historical legal roots with today's complexities. It serves as a reminder that law is a continuous thread, not a series of separate events.

The quality of the scholarship you have in your hands is a direct result of the hard work put in by our team. Every citation was checked, every argument refined, and every word chosen carefully. This unseen work helps maintain the integrity and reputation of this journal. We hope these selected pieces, and the entire volume, spark your curiosity and encourage you to engage more deeply with the ever-changing world of law.

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