

FRESHER'S DAY

Inauguration of Academic Activities & Fresher's Day was organized on 18th August 2018. The programme was inaugurated by Hon'ble Vice Chancellor of KSLU, Hubballi, Prof (Dr) P. Ishwar Bhat. He also released the Annual Magazine Vikasa (2017-18) and Sri K.Puttaswamy Memorial Endowment Lecture Series-I in this occasion.

Speaking in this occasion Prof (Dr) P. Ishwar Bhat spoke on Law and Legal education in India. Legal education in India generally refers to the education of lawyers before entry into practice. Legal education in India is offered at different levels by the traditional universities and the specialized law universities and schools only after completion of an undergraduate degree or as an integrated degree.

Legal Education in India is regulated by the Bar Council of India, a statutory body established under the section 4 of Advocates Act 1961. Any institution imparting legal education in India must be approved by the Bar Council of India.

In India, legal education has been traditionally offered as a three years graduate degree. However the structure has been changed since 1987. Law degrees in India are granted and conferred in terms of the Advocates Act, 1961, which is a law passed by the Parliament both on the aspect of legal education and also regulation of conduct of legal profession. Under the Act, the Bar Council of India is the supreme regulatory body to regulate the legal profession in India and also to ensure the compliance of the laws and maintenance of professional standards by the legal profession in the country. The Bar Council of India prescribes the minimum curriculum required to be taught in order for an institution to be eligible for the grant of a law degree. The Bar Council also carries on a period supervision of the institutions conferring the degree and evaluates their teaching methodology and curriculum and having determined that the institution meets the required standards, recognizes the institution and the degree conferred by it.

Concluding his speech he said local law colleges should strive to protect the quality of legal education. He appreciated the work of our college by organizing various programmes and student involvement in contributing literature.



Sri Gundappagowda, President, VV Sangha® delivered presidential speech and said that our Law College is one of the oldest institution in the city of Mysore and has always struggled in providing better legal education for the poor and down trodden people. It is the dream of Late Sri K.Puttaswamy who started the college under Vidyavardhaka Sangha®. Since then it is notable institution for providing better legal education. Concluding his speech he said that students should study law and serve the society. Providing legal aid should be the objective of this education.

Vote of thanks was proposed by Sri Ningegowda, Coordinator of the programme.