

IILS VIRTUAL CLASSES, 2020

In 2020, the whole world has been grappling to come to terms with the Covid-19 pandemic. Almost every area of our life has been ruthlessly thwarted; similarly, the teaching-learning process also treads the uncharted territory of precarious uncertainty. The Indian Institute of Legal Studies, however, adopted avant-garde measures since the very beginning of the lockdown to seamlessly sustain the flow of legal education with regular online classes, special guest lectures, and successful conduction of online assessments.

ONLINE CLASSES:

Conduction of online classes by Indian Institute of Legal Studies started on 20th April, 2020 via Google Meet App. All the students of respective batches were coordinated through official WhatsApp groups to ensure unhindered communication and smooth conduction of online classes. All the teachers were provided with separate Google Meet links to avoid confusions. Students were encouraged to join using Mobile, Tabs and Laptops and use the virtual platform for unimpeded flow of education.

Along with the virtual classes, reading materials on each of the subjects were also simultaneously uploaded by the faculty members on the college website to ensure that the students are getting a detailed knowledge about the topics taught in the online classes.

ONLINE INTERNAL TEST:

Online Internal Examination was also conducted by Indian Institute of Legal Studies in the month of June, 2020 to ensure effective mechanism to test the understanding and progress of the students. 90% attendance at an average was recorded in this examination. The examination was open book consisting of mainly application based questions to test the analytical skills of the students. The students had to attempt 30 marks within a stipulated period of 1 hour. The marks obtained by the students in the Internal Tests were uploaded on the college website on a weekly basis to help the students improve upon their studies and encourage them to do better.

Apart from that the Final Examinations were also conducted online by North Bengal University in the month of October and December (shall start from 7th December, 2020)

VIRTUAL GUEST LECTURES:

Our institution took up the initiative of imparting education online in the situation of lockdown and pandemic, with the sole purpose of benefitting the students in every possible way. So keeping in mind the overall development of the students, various guest lectures by notable personalities were arranged virtually to enhance the practical knowledge of the students. Some of them are:

1. Online Guest Lecture by **Mr. Bikramaditya Ghosh** on Public International Law dealing with the topics of Extradition and Asylum on **23rd May, 2020**
2. Online guest lecture on the topic of '**Understanding Filing of Returns and Procedure of Assessment under Income Tax laws in the light of the Covid Pandemic**' by **Adv. Rites Goel**, Lecturer at NUJS, Kolkata on 22nd May, 2020.
3. Online Guest Lecture by **Mr. Bikramaditya Ghose** on 30th May, 2020 for the subject of Contract I dealing with the topic "**Performance of Contract**".