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Training Course on Jurisdiction, Choice and Enforcement- Interface of 'Conflict of Laws' in 'Competition Law'

Dear Sir/Madam,

Greetings from GNLU!

GNLU Centre for Private International Law in collaboration with Khaitan & Co. and GNLU-Khaitan & Co. Research Fellowship on Mergers and Acquisitions Laws, Policies and Practices is organizing a training course on *Jurisdiction, Choice and Enforcement- Interface of 'Conflict of Laws' in 'Competition Law'* on 03-04 September, 2016.

The Course has received an overwhelming response of 50 participants. 22 being external participants from institutes like ICFAI University Hyderabad, Symbiosis Law School Noida, School of Law NMIMS, Amity University, DES Navalmal Firodia Law College, Government Law College and Seedling School of Law & Governance, etc.

The Resource Person of the course includes **Mr. Manas Kumar Chaudhuri**, Partner, Khaitan & Co. (He is a Partner/Co-Head at the Competition/Antitrust practice at Khaitan & Co and has been recognized as a Banded lawyer by the UK Chambers & Partners. He has also been named as a leading competition lawyer by the International Who's Who of Competition Lawyers and Economists and has over 29 years of legal experience in diverse fields of legal practice). **Ms. Stéphanie Rohlfing-Dijoux**, Professor at Paris West University Nanterre La Défense and **Ms. Harsha Rajwanshi**, Assistant Professor of Law, GNLU; Centre Director, GNLU Centre for Private International Law; Faculty Advisor to GNLU-GUVNL Research Fellowship on Energy Law & Policy

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The course also provides an **internship opportunity** whereby the first rank holder of the course shall get an opportunity to intern at Khaitan & Co provided the winner is either a 4th year or a 5th year student of the LL.B. curriculum.

The aim of the course is to explore the interface between Private International Law and Antitrust Law. The course is designed to familiarize the issues of Jurisdiction, Choice of Law, Recognition and enforcement in Antitrust Law. The course adopts a comparative teaching methodology to discuss private international law issues, its relevance with anti-trust principles evolved from time to time in different jurisdictions like US, EU and India. The course will also deal with specific case studies where Anti-trust law and Intellectual Property Rights (IPRs) come in direct conflict with each other. A brief discussion on Sector Regulatory Laws and its impact on business with case laws. Furthermore, the course also discusses the reforms and responses of Government of India to strengthen its Competition Law & Policy to deal with such Private International Law issues.

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