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GNLU Student secures second place and an award of \$3000 in the Student Case Study Writing Competition at Harvard University

Dear Sir/Madam,

Greetings from GNLU!

GNLU is a Research Based Teaching University and is committed to address the contemporary legal issues through its various research based activities and encourages the students in various research projects, publication and participation in research based programmes. The students of GNLU have always brought laurels to the university on various occasions especially in the field of research.

One such recent accomplishment by a GNLU student has made the university and everyone here proud. Madhulika Srikumar, a student of 2011 batch of LLB programme has secured the second place in the Student Case Study Writing Competition on Innovative Multistakeholder Governance Groups organized by the Berkman Center for Internet & Society, Harvard University, USA. Her essay entitled “The National Advisory Council Model: When the Civil Society was Heard in Policymaking in India” was selected as one of the top submissions and in honour of the quality of the essay, she has been awarded a cash stipend of \$3000 (USD). The Center has informed that the essay will be available on The Berkman Center’s website as well as on the Global Network of Interdisciplinary Internet & Society Research Centers’ Publixphere Page. Besides, it will also be included as part of the paper submitted to the Center’s Working Paper Series on SSRN.

This is indeed a proud moment for Madhulika as well as the GNLU Faculty, staff and students. Prof. (Dr.) Bimal N. Patel, Director of GNLU has expressed his heartiest congratulations to the student and said that such achievements will encourage the students of GNLU to focus on research and participate in many more national and international competitions and research activities. GNLU will always strive to support, guide and encourage the students for their holistic development.

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