

GNLU hosts 4th edition of Model United Nations from Sept 06 to 08, 2019

Gandhinagar, Sep 05, 2019: Gujarat National Law University (GNLU) is hosting the 4th edition of GNLU Model United Nations (GNLUMUN) from September 6 to 8, 2019. The theme for this year's conference is 'Trafficking'.

Around 200 students from across the country are expected to participate in the GNLUMUN.

GNLUMUN '19 will simulate 4 committees centred around the theme 'trafficking'. These are as follows:

1. United Nations Security Council

AGENDA: The use of child soldiers in the Yemen Civil War.

2. United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime

AGENDA: Review of the Convention Against Illicit Traffic in Narcotics Drugs and Psychotropic Substances.

3. United Nations General Assembly: Sixth Committee (Legal)

AGENDA: Combating Human trafficking in labour, industrial and vocational sectors, with special focus on South East Asia.

4. United Nations Human Rights Council

AGENDA: Addressing commercial sexual exploitation and trafficking.

These four committees will deliberate concurrently on their given themes over the course of three days (09.00 AM to 5.00 PM).

Model United Nations is an authentic simulation of the U.N General Assembly and other multilateral bodies of the UN. The simulation promotes interest in International relations and foreign policy. Students take on roles of diplomats from different countries, representing their nation in discussions on a particular agenda topic in the conference. The platform allows students to research, debate, negotiate, form resolutions and vote on the same.

This year, GNLU has collaborated with Teach for India, and in this edition, we expect 15 delegates from various Teach for India Ahmedabad schools to participate in the MUN. The registration fees for these delegates have been waived keeping in mind the fact that Teach for India works in low-income government and private schools and we believe that money should not be a reason for which such a student should be deprived of an opportunity like this.

As an inaugural of the GNLUMUN, GNLU, in collaboration with UNICEF, is organising a panel discussion on “Prevention of Trafficking in Women and Children and Rehabilitation of Victims” on Friday, Sept 06, 2.00 PM.



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The resource persons for the panel discussion are:

1. Mr Anil Pratham, IPS, Additional Director General of Police (ADGP), CID, Gujarat Police
2. Mr Ravi Kant, Advocate, Supreme Court of India and Founder, Shakti Vahini, New Delhi
3. Mr Vedprakash Gautam, Child Protection Specialist, UNICEF, Gandhinagar
4. Ms Geetanjali Ghosh, Assistant Professor of Law, National Law University and Judicial Academy, Assam, Guwahati

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