## GNLU AIR AND SPACE LAW ACADEMY- EDITION III (GASLA-2018)



## **Brief Description**

States are exhibiting increasingly keen interest in augmenting investments in developing their capabilities in the air as well as space. Non-State actors, be it private investors or terrorists, are no exceptions to this emerging trend. It is becoming evidently clear that supremacy in air and space is set to define international relations in the years to come. Recognizing the potential of these developments, the GNLU Centre for Public International Law has conceived the GNLU Air and Space Law Academy (GASLA) as a platform for engaging in discourse on contemporary legal issues in these fields.





The GNLU Air and Space Law Academy was organized with an intention to acquaint the participants with various aspects relating to safety and security of aviation and space activities, enhance understanding amongst the participants of the various principles enshrined in the international instruments meant for regulating air and space law, and to create awareness amongst participants about recent trends in civil aviation and the militarization and commercialization of outer space.



The main objectives of the academy was to enable the participants to understand the various dispute redressal mechanisms in air and space law and their efficacy, facilitate discourse amongst stakeholders within the industry about practical challenges and the feasibility of implementing regulations and policies in the airspace and outer space, familiarize participants with country specific approach with regard to air and space law, enable participants to appreciate the challenges in developing national aviation and space policy. The programme witnessed 19 participants from among the country.



The invited resource persons for this esteemed program were Prof. (Dr.) Stephan Hobe, Director of Institute of Air and Space Law, University of Cologne and Chair for Public International Law, European Law, European and International Economic Law, University of Cologne, Dr. Tanveer Ahmad, Executive Director, Centre for Research in Air and Space Law, Arsenault Postdoctoral Researcher, Institute of Air and Space Law, McGill University, Canada, Dr. Fabio Tronchetti, Adjunct Professor for LL.M Program in Air and Space Law at Mississippi Law School. Prof. Wian Erlank, Associate Professor at North West University and an Advocate at High Court of South Africa.

