



**THE TAMIL NADU DR.AMBEDKAR  
LAW UNIVERSITY, CHENNAI.**

# LECTURE SERIES ON CONSTITUTIONAL LAW

VIRTUAL PROGRAMME 2021

JULY 5TH - 10TH      3:00 - 4:30PM

Registration closes on 3rd July

## **PATRON**



**PROF. DR. N.S. SANTHOSH KUMAR**

Hon'ble Vice Chancellor  
TNDALU, CHENNAI.

## **CONVENOR**

**PROF. DR. REDDIVARI REVATHI**

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TNDALU, CHENNAI.

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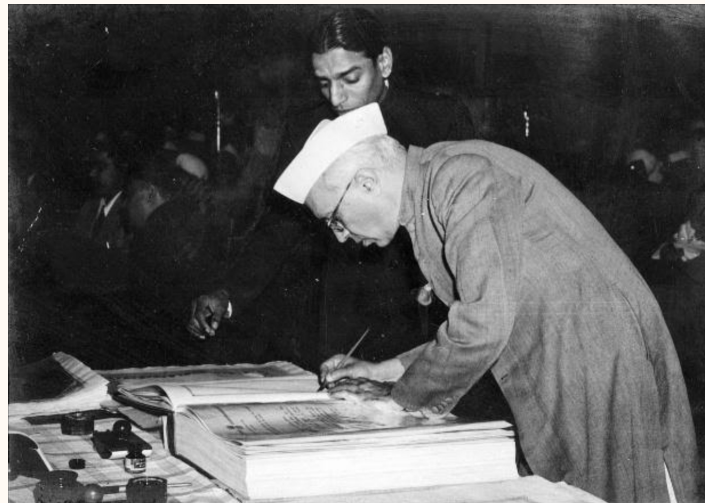
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# University Background



Government of Tamil Nadu by an Act of State Legislature [Act No.43 of 1997] established the Tamil Nadu Dr.Ambedkar Law University for the advancement and dissemination of knowledge in learning, teaching and research in the field of law. His Excellency Shri. K.R. Narayanan, former President of India inaugurated it on September 20, 1997, and the University started from October 3, 1997 onwards. The University was named after the architect of the Indian Constitution Dr. B.R. Ambedkar. The University is recognized by the Bar Council of India (BCI) and University Grants Commission (UGC) (Sec. 2f and 12b of the UGC Act.). The University is also a member of the Association of Indian Universities (AIU), Association of Common Wealth Universities, U.K. and Indian Institute of Public Administration, New Delhi. This University is functioning as nodal agency to uplift the legal education in the State of Tamil Nadu. The University is the first full-fledged sui generis Law University in the country; it is unique among all the Law Universities in the Country. The University is the first full-fledged Law University that offers Legal Education only through this University and its affiliated colleges in the State and the University is the first of its kind not only in the country but also in South Asia. The University offers legal education at its campus as well as through 14 affiliated and 2 private colleges in the state of Tamil Nadu located at Chennai, Madurai, Trichy, Thiruvallur, Kancheepuram, Coimbatore, Tindivanam, Tirunelveli, Dharmapuri, Villupuram, Ramanathapuram, Chengalpattu, Vellore and Salem. The School of Excellence in Law established by the University at its campus since 2002 has been modeled on the lines of other National Law Schools in the country and offers three year as well as five year integrated undergraduate honours courses in Law. The University has a Postgraduate and Research Centre, which offers Master of Law Degree Courses in 9 different specializations, doctoral programme as well as organizing research in diverse areas of law. Apart from these, there is also a Distance Education Unit as well as a few evening college programmes for various postgraduate diploma courses.

# About the Lecture Series



Constitutional law is the body of rights, rules, doctrines, and conventions that administer the operation of political society. The Indian Constitution being the supreme law of the land is a principal social document that is aided by Fundamental Rights & Directive Principles of State Policy acting together. Students of law need to understand the basics of Constitutional Law in India. Thus, the Department of Constitutional Law and Human Rights of TNDALU welcome you to register for this 6-Day lecture series to get an understanding of the significant concepts and fundamentals of Indian Constitutional Law. We also intend to make students aware of the emergence, evolution and philosophical background behind framing the Indian Constitution. The interpreters of the Constitution ought to know the interplay between the Constitution and Social Justice as it seeks to do justice to the people of the state. We endeavour to deliver to the students through this forum the crux of the structure of social justice and its challenges. One of the key rights to freedom that is enshrined under the Constitution is Freedom of Speech. This series also aims to deliver knowledge of such freedom and its reasonable restrictions with special reference to the law of sedition. As per our Constitution, the Judiciary has powers to pass any order or decree to do complete justice (Article 142). This power is invoked by the Judiciary to close the gaps between existing legislations. We plan to provide to the students an understanding of the impacts and limitations of judicial legislations. Often times, the true intent of the drafters of Constitution is difficult to be construed by the interpreters. Therefore, our lecture also includes the concept of constitutional misunderstanding which delves into certain key misinterpreted notions. Apart from this, another important aspect of constitutional law is the concept of constitutional morality. The expert speakers will give a detailed analysis of that concept because several of its proponents have described it as transformative and revolutionary in nature. We sincerely invite and highly recommend you to make use of this lecture series by registering for the same and attending all the 6-days to get an elemental knowledge of the subject.

# PROGRAMME

## *INAUGURAL SESSION*

5th July 2021, 3:00 PM

### *WELCOME ADDRESS*

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### *INAUGURATION*

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## *LECTURE SCHEDULE*

July 5th - 10th, 3:00 - 4:30 PM

## *VALEDICTORY SESSION*

10th July 2021, 4:30 - 5:00 PM

### *PRESENTATION OF SUMMARY REPORT*

HARINI N

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Ist Year

ASWIN. S

B.Com., LL.B., (Honours)

IIIrd Year.

### *VOTE OF THANKS*

PROF. DR. BALAJI V.

Registrar,  
TNDALU, Chennai.

# LECTURE SCHEDULE

**Day - 1: July 5th 3:00 - 4:30**

**STRUCTURE OF SOCIAL JUSTICE & CHALLENGES**



**Prof. Paramjit S. Jaswal,**

Vice-Chancellor, SRM University, New Delhi.

**Day - 2: 6th July 3:00 - 4:30**

**REFLECTIONS ON CONSTITUTIONAL POSTULATES**



**Prof. S. K. Bhatnagar,**

Vice-Chancellor, Ram Manohar Lohia National Law University,  
Lucknow.

**Day - 3: July 7th 3:00 - 4:30**

**LAW OF SEDITION AND FREEDOM OF SPEECH**



**Prof. Madabushi Sridhar Acharyulu,**

Dean, School of Law, Bennet University, Noida.

## **Day - 4: July 8th 3:00 - 4:30**

### **JUDICIAL LEGISLATION: IMPACTS AND LIMITATIONS**



**Prof. G.B. Reddy,**

Professor of Law, Osmania University, Hyderabad.

## **Day - 5: July 9th 3:00 - 4:30**

### **CONSTITUTIONAL MISUNDERSTANDING**



**Prof. V. Vijaya Kumar,**

Vice Chancellor, NLIU, Bhopal

## **Day - 6: July 10th 3:00 - 4:30**

### **CONSTITUTIONAL MORALITY: PAST, PRESENT & FUTURE**



**Dr. Gireesh Kumar,**

Former HoD, Central University, Kerala

# Instructions for Participants

- Participants are requested to register BEFORE 3RD JULY 2021 using the following registration form:

<https://forms.gle/bd8m9A6ppiMHrB44A>

- Email: constilaw.soel@gmail.com
- Login Credentials will be intimated for each day through email.

## STUDENT COORDINATORS



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