

INTERNATIONAL LAW STUDENTS ASSOCIATION CHAPTER
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COCHIN UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

# COLLOQUIUM ON PUBLIC INTERNATIONAL LAW

**OUTER SPACE LAW** 

JULY 7 - 9, 2023

COURSE HANDBOOK
AND SCHEDULE

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# **ABOUT THE COURSE**

The exploration and utilization of outer space have always fascinated humanity, leading to remarkable achievements in scientific discovery, technological advancements, and space missions.

As our presence in space continues to expand, it is crucial to establish legal frameworks that govern our activities beyond Earth's atmosphere. **The Certificate Course on Outer Space Law** is designed to provide participants with a comprehensive understanding of the legal principles and regulations that govern space exploration, commercial space activities, and international cooperation in space.

Whether you are an aspiring space lawyer, a professional in the aerospace industry, or simply someone intrigued by the legal dimensions of outer space, this course will equip you with the necessary knowledge and skills to navigate the complex field of Space Law.

Throughout the course, participants will engage in interactive learning experiences, case studies, and discussions to deepen their understanding of Space Law. You will be able to analyze real-world scenarios and examine the legal frameworks governing space activities conducted by different nations and international organizations.

Furthermore, you will explore the ethical considerations associated with space exploration and the role of Space Law in preserving the peaceful use of outer space for the benefit of all humankind.

By the end of the course, participants will have developed a strong foundation in Space Law, enabling them to navigate the legal complexities of the space industry and contribute to the development of policies and regulations that shape our activities beyond Earth.

# **JULY 7, 2023**

#### 10:00 AM TO 12:00 PM | SESSION 1

#### **Introduction to International Space Law**

#### **Resource Person:**



PROF. (DR.) SANDEEPA BHAT B.

Professor, Director - Centre for Aviation and Space Laws,
West Bengal National University of Juridical Sciences

### 2:00 PM TO 4:00 PM | SESSION 2

#### **Introducing the Five United Nations Treaties**

(WBNUJS), Kolkata

#### **Resource Person:**



LAETITIA CESARI

Doctoral Researcher (Space Law and Policy)

Luxembourg University

### **DAY 1 CONCLUDES**

# JULY 8, 2023

### 10:00 AM TO 12:00 PM | SESSION 3

#### **Commercial Space Activities and Regulation**

#### **Resource Person:**



SHUBHAMAY DUTTA

Research Assistant,

Center for Research in Air and Space Law,

Maharashtra National Law University, Mumbai

# 2:00 PM TO 4:00 PM | SESSION 4

#### **Activities related to Outer space and State Responsibility**

#### **Resource Person:**



DR. ANEESH V. PILLAI
Assistant Professor (Law)
School of Legal Studies
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## **DAY 2 CONCLUDES**

# **JULY 9, 2023**

### 10:00 AM TO 12:00 PM | SESSION 5

#### **Space Law and Dispute Resolution**

#### **Resource Person:**



PROF. (DR.) V. BALAKISTA REDDY

Professor of Law, Head of Centre for Aerospace and Defence
Law (CADL),

NALSAR University of Law, Hyderabad

### 2:00 PM TO 4:00 PM | SESSION 6

#### **Emerging Issues in International Space Law**

#### **Resource Person:**



PROFESSOR YUN ZHAO
Henry Cheng Professor in International Law,
Head, Department of Law,
The University of Hong Kong

#### **DAY 3 CONCLUDES**

#### **OUR PATRON:**



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