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Essay Writing Competition on "76 Years of the Constitution of India: A Reflection"

In commemoration of Republic Day, the Symbiosis Centre for Constitutional Law Studies (SCCLS) at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur, organized an insightful and thought-provoking **Essay Writing Competition on the theme, "76 Years of the Constitution of India: A Reflection."** The event was held on **27th January 2025**, beginning at **4:00 PM in the Assembly Hall.**

The competition was a significant opportunity for the students to reflect on the pivotal role of the Constitution of India in shaping the nation over the last 76 years. It highlighted the importance of understanding constitutional values, such as justice, equality, and liberty, which are at the heart of India's democratic framework. Republic Day holds a unique place in the hearts of every Indian, marking the enforcement of the Constitution, and this competition provided a platform for students to engage with these values in a meaningful way.

A total of 45 first-year students from the BA/BBALLB program at Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur, actively participated in the competition, demonstrating their enthusiasm and knowledge on the subject.

The competition began with a warm welcome by **Prof. Parth Sharma**, Faculty In-charge of the Symbiosis Centre for Constitutional Law Studies (SCCLS). He greeted the participants and provided essential instructions regarding the competition, ensuring that the students understood the significance of the topic and the expectations for their essays.

Following this, **Shaswat Tyagi**, a student member of SCCLS, delivered welcome address, setting the tone for the event and emphasizing the importance of Republic Day and the Constitution in fostering constitutional values and legal awareness.

The competition witnessed enthusiastic participation, with students displaying their understanding of India's constitutional journey, its achievements, and the challenges faced in

its implementation over the years. The essays reflected diverse perspectives, each contributing to a deeper reflection on the Constitution's role in the modern-day democratic framework.

The event was successfully coordinated by a dedicated team of organizing student members of SCCLS of 2nd, 3rd, 4th Year (**Shruti Singh Thakur, Sukhada Dhote, Kalash Jain, Pragya Singh, Pavitra Jain, Meenakshi Kumari, Shaswat Tyagi, Shakshi Priyadarshini, Vidhi Patel, Shubhra Singh and Abhayjeet Bajwa**). Their hard work and meticulous planning ensured that the competition proceeded smoothly, and their contributions deserve special mention.

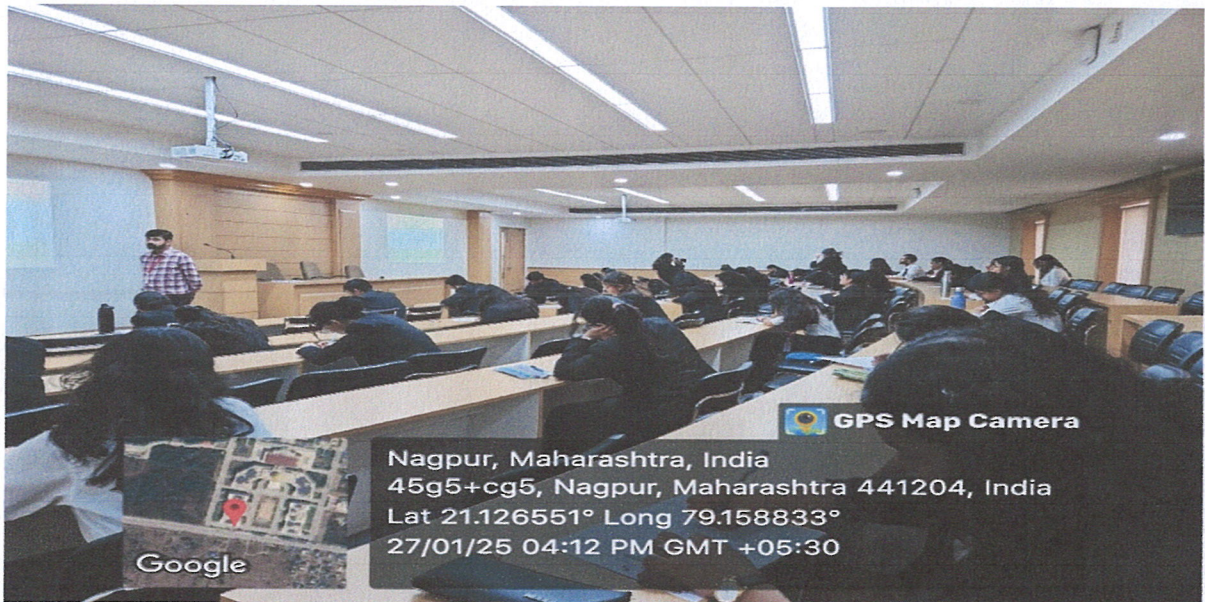
The event concluded with **Pavitra Jain**, a student member of SCCLS, delivering a heartfelt vote of thanks. He expressed gratitude to all the participants for their involvement and to the faculty and administration for their guidance and support.

The success of the competition would not have been possible without the support and guidance of **Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari**, Director, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur, and **Dr. Deepti Khubalkar**, Deputy Director, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur. Their leadership and encouragement played a crucial role in making the event a success.

Appreciation is extended to the **IT Department** for providing the necessary technical support, and to the **Exam Department** for assisting with stationery, ensuring the smooth functioning of the event.

This event not only contributed to the understanding of constitutional values among students but also aligned with the **Sustainable Development Goal (SDG) Goal 16: Peace, Justice, and Strong Institutions**. By promoting legal awareness, encouraging the rule of law, and inspiring reflection on the importance of the Constitution, the event embodied the goal of fostering peace, justice, and robust institutions in India.

The Essay Writing Competition was a resounding success, and we hope it will continue to inspire students to deepen their understanding of constitutional values and contribute to building a more just and equitable society.





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