

# WBNUJS-CTIL NATIONAL CONFERENCE'2019



Topic: ***Time and Transition in Investment Arbitration in India***

*-Overcoming the adversities and understanding the future prospects*

Date: 09<sup>th</sup> January, 2019

Venue: WBNUJS, Kolkata.

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The NUJS Model United Nations Society in collaboration with the Centre for Trade and Investment Law (CTIL), New Delhi cordially invites you to a panel discussion on “***Time and Transition in Investment Arbitration***” on **9<sup>th</sup> January of 2019** at the West Bengal National University of Juridical Sciences (WBNUJS), Kolkata. The objective of this event is to discuss the difficulties that India had faced to deal investor-state disputes against it and an approach will be made to understand the future prospectus that India would have.

## ABOUT THE ORGANISERS

### WBNUJS

The West Bengal National University of Juridical Sciences was established under the WBNUJS Act, 1999 (West Bengal Act IX of 1999) adopted by the West Bengal Legislature in July, 1999. The University was notified under Clause (f) of section 2 of the UGC Act, 1956 in August 2004 and has been granted permanent affiliation by the Bar Council of India in July 2005.

### CTIL:

The Centre for Trade and Investment Law (CTIL), New Delhi was established in the year 2016 by the Ministry of Commerce and Industry, Government of India, at the Indian Institute of Foreign Trade (IIFT), New Delhi. The Centre’s primary objective is to provide sound and rigorous analysis of legal issues pertaining to international trade and investment law to the Government of India and other governmental agencies.

❖ **PANELISTS:**

**Dr. James J. Nedumpara:** Head of the Centre for International Trade and Investment Law (CTIL) at the Indian Institute of Foreign Trade (IIFT) and advisor to Government of India on International Trade and Investment Law.

**Satwik Shekhar:** Legal Consultant at the Centre for Trade and Investment Law at the Indian Institute of Foreign Trade (IIFT). Previously an Associate in the New Delhi office of Cyril Amarchand Mangaldas.

**Dr. Mr. Animesh Das:** Assistant Professor of Law at School of Law, KIIT University, Bhubaneswar. An alumnus of Calcutta University, has practiced law in the Calcutta High Court on issues relating

to, *inter alia* Company Matters and Writ petitions.

**Mr. Pranay Nath Lekhi:** Currently, a *fifth-year student* at the WBNUJS, Kolkata. Representative at the World Assembly of Youth, A member of the esteemed American Society of International Law, the *Best Oralist Award* (Asia-Pacific) in Manfred Lachs Space Law Moot Competition in 2016, *Best Student Advocate* (National Rounds) in the Stetson International Environmental Law Moot in 2017 and *Best combined Memorial* at Jessup International Rounds in 2018, also named as the *Best Overall Law Student* in India under the Ram Jethmalani Excellence Awards for students.

**A Certificate of Participation will be awarded.**

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