

## IMPORTANT DATES

The authors who wish to present and publish their papers can send the soft copy of the research paper and abstract in the prescribed format to the following email ids. Papers related to Corporate Governance theme can be sent to Dr. Samina Nahid Baig (seminar@rlc.in). Papers related to CSR theme can be sent to Dr. Kirti Shivakumar (dr.kirti@klsimer.edu). Paper submission will be accepted only online. All the delegates are requested to bring one hard copy of the original Full Paper and ID Proof along with them on the date of the conference.

1	Last Date for Submitting Abstract	1 <sup>st</sup> September 2018
2	Notice of acceptance of abstract	5 <sup>th</sup> September 2018
3	Last Date of submission of Full Paper	20 <sup>th</sup> September 2018
4	Date of conference	29 <sup>th</sup> September 2018

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## CERTIFICATION

Certificate of participation shall be given to all participants.

## PUBLICATION

The selected papers will be published in a book form with an I.S.B.N number. Four best papers, two from Corporate Governance track and two from the CSR track will be selected for publication in IMER's peer reviewed journal "TATVA", (first published in 2004 , ISSN 0973-0974). However the decision to publish, with or without modifications will be based on the decision of the editorial board of "TATVA".

## PAYMENT DETAILS

(Last Date 15th September 2018)

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REGISTRATION FEES		
CATEGORY		AMOUNT
1	Students/ Research Scholars (Participation)	Rs.500/-
2	Students/ Research Scholars (Presentation & Publication)	Rs.1000/-
3	Faculty (Participation)	Rs.1000/-
4	Faculty (Presentation & Publication)	Rs.2000/-
5	Industry Representatives	Rs.2500/-

The prescribed registration fee includes conference kit, lunch and refreshments on the day of the conference along with certificate of participation /presentation. The institute will not provide any TA/DA.



# KARNATAK LAW SOCIETY'S R. L. LAW COLLEGE and IMER

## National Conference on



## CORPORATE GOVERNANCE AND CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

(Emerging Perspectives , Challenges, and Opportunities)

September 29, 2018

## ABOUT KLS

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## THEME OF THE CONFERENCE

The theme of the conference revolves around Corporate Governance and Corporate Social Responsibility which has been an emerging area of focus for both lawyer and managers. Corporate Governance is the set of processes, customs, policies, laws, and institutions affecting the way a corporation (or company) is directed, administered or controlled. India has witnessed several enactments – the Companies Act, 2013 and SEBI's listing obligations and disclosure requirements regulations have contributed significantly in strengthening governance norms and in increasing accountability by way of disclosures. For achieving the desired results, it is important that regulatory measures are modeled based on the practices and business environment in India. This conference will be looking into broad parameters like laws, regulations, obligations, disclosures and practices relating to Corporate Governance.

The Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) movement began as a response to advocacy for corporations to play a role in ameliorating social problems due to their economic power and overarching presence in daily life. From charity to corporate philanthropy to mandatory CSR, this domain has witnessed a sea change posing and opportunities and challenges for organizations. The push for legalization came because voluntary CSR presented problems such as free-riding (companies taking advantage of benefits without actually spending), green washing posing as CSR, and false disclosures. Until such time that the law is made more precise and backed up by effective enforcement and penalties for non-compliance, it will not promote CSR or make companies engage more with stakeholders. This conference will be looking at these issues specifically and would try to have discussions to build up more comprehensive managerial innovations and legal initiatives to enhance the compliance of CSR in India. It would also focus on the challenges faced by companies due to the amendments in the Companies Act 2013 and best practices of companies adopting CSR.

## CALL FOR PAPERS

Original Research papers are invited from the academicians, practitioners, research scholars and students on the issues related to below mentioned themes. It is also proposed that the selected papers by the Research Committee will be published in a special volume of the conference in the form of an edited book with ISBN Number. Authors of selected abstracts will be given an opportunity to present their paper during the conference.

An abstract should contain 300 – 350 words accompanied by a brief profile of the author indicating email ID, contact number and official address. Full Paper should not be of more than 3500 words. It must be typed in Times New Roman Font Size 12 on A4 size paper with 1” margin on all sides with 1.5 line spacing. A Uniform Formatting Style must be strictly adhered to while submitting the abstracts and full paper.

## SUB THEMES

**(This is an illustrative list not exhaustive. Relevant topics related to Corporate Governance and CSR would be considered)**

- ✦ **Corporate Governance- Scenario in India.**
- ✦ **Corporate Governance - Compliance Issues.**
  - ✦ **Evolution of CSR in India.**
  - ✦ **Issues and challenges pertaining to CSR**
- ✦ **Linking Corporate Social Responsibility and Sustainable Development Goals**
  - ✦ **Best Practices in CSR**

## WHO SHOULD PARTICIPATE

- ✦ Faculty and Research Scholars (from Law, Economics, Management Commerce and allied disciplines)
- ✦ Students (from Law, Economics, Management Commerce and allied disciplines)
- ✦ Industry representatives (Practicing CSR and HR Managers, Lawyers)