

Prof. Priti Saxena

Born in 1965 Bareilly, U.P., LL.M. (Gold Medallist) NET, and Ph.D. in Law, Prof. Priti Saxena is Director, Center of Post Graduate Legal Studies, Ex-Head, Department of Human Rights, and Former Dean, School for Legal Studies, Babasaheb Bhimrao Ambedkar, Central University, Lucknow. Besides University Gold Medal in LL.M., **she is the recipient of various scholarships during her studies. She has been conferred with the 'Prashasti Patra' from 'Nehru Yuva Kendra' under Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports, Govt. of India in 2002. She got a Fellowship from Ministry of Human Resource Development; Govt. of India and was selected for Academic Leadership Program in Higher Education (LeAP,) and visited Virginia University in USA in March 2019.**

Her field of specialization is Constitutional Law, Constitutional Governance, Torts, and Human Rights. She has **authored two books** one on 'Preventive Detention and Human Rights' published in 2007 and another book is in co-authorship on 'Right to Information' published in 2013, and **edited four books. She has to her credit more than 65 research papers and articles published in different National and International Law Journals. She has organized 02 International Conference and International Webinar, 20 National Seminars and Symposiums as Director and Organizing Secretary on various contemporary issues and National Moot Court, Faculty Development Program, 02 Workshops on Research Methodology etc.**

Fourteen students have been awarded Doctor of Philosophy and more than 160 LL.M. Dissertations have been awarded under her supervision. Presently, 03 Scholars are pursuing their Ph.D. work under her guidance.

She has participated and presented papers in **more than 150 International, Bi-National and National Conferences, Seminars and Webinars. She has addressed more than 135 times as resource person including chairing the Technical Sessions, delivering Key Note, inaugural and valedictory address as Guest of Eminence, Guest of Honour and Chief Guest. She has delivered lectures as Visiting Fellow in other Universities to law students, in Refresher Courses to law teachers and at National Judicial Academy, Bhopal, National Human Rights Commission training Programmes, State Human Rights Commission, Lucknow, State Welfare Board, Lucknow, Railway Protection Force Academy Lucknow and Ministry of Women and Child Development, Govt. of India. During pandemic she has delivered more than 70 online lectures in different capacities all over India and abroad.**

She is the Life Member of: Indian Law Institute, New Delhi; Indian Institute of Public Administration, New Delhi; Indian Association for Social Sciences, Health, Mumbai. She is the Chairperson and member of other academic, administrative, and advisory bodies in various universities all over India and **associated with Government bodies, Commissions, UPSC, UGC, NAAC and Universities in different capacities, including her own University.**

She is UGC LOCF member for preparing Human Rights course and Member Review Committee in MOOCS course for Human Rights in UGC .

She has a passionate approach to make a difference to the lives of the people by providing legal aid and other professional and personal guidance through various talks and programme at Radio Station and Lucknow Doordarshan. She is highly motivated, sincere, honest, and hardworking. She has a passion of learning new things, languages and always participated in co-curricular activities during her studies.

