



The KATHMANDU DIALOGUE

2019 International Summer School

1st – 10th July 2019 @ Kathmandu, Nepal

Theme: The Asian Century - Understanding Geo-Economics and
Geo-Politics in Asia



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Background

Kathmandu School of Law was established in the Year 2000 in affiliation with Purbanchal University. It has by now emerged as a pioneer educational institution in field of legal education in Nepal and is dedicated to maintain high standards of academic excellence. Kathmandu School of Law for many years has been organizing different kinds of National and International Programs. International Winter Residential School on Economic, Social and Development Rights (ESDR), Himalayan Field School (HFS), National Moot Court Training Programs/International Moot Court Training Programs, Student Exchange Programs are few to mention.

At KSL, we strongly emphasize co-curricular activities that are complementary to at-class learning. Our students have been proactively participating and excelling in world-renowned International Moot Court Competitions. We have won the Southeast Asian Regional Rounds of the Stetson International Environmental Moot Court Competition, twice, consecutively in 2016 and 2017. We won the Henry Dunant Memorial International Humanitarian Law Moot Court Competition in 2016 and were the runner-up in 2012. We are also the first team from Nepal to reach the advanced rounds of 2017 Phillip C. Jessup International Law Moot Court Competition, securing 20th position overall. Our students frequently win the coveted positions of best orators, researcher and memorials in national and international moot court competitions. We are progressively excelling in roleplay competitions such as Concours Jean- Pictet and Arbitration competitions.

“The Kathmandu Dialogue” is an International Summer School being organized at Kathmandu, one as a global event and a yearly event with an idea to host young international law and relations enthusiasts in the lap of the Himalayas where they can discuss, deliberate, debate and find solutions for issues collectively and learn from internationally recognized faculties. Thus, we are inviting students pursuing Bachelors & Masters in Law, Political Science, International Relations or any other Social Science field to apply. The summer school is also open to young scholars and academicians who are no more than 6 years in their profession. The theme of the program shall be **The Asian Century - Understanding Geo-Economics and Geo-Politics in Asia**

Objective of the International Summer School

The major objective of this program is to provide a meaningful platform for students, to make themselves genuinely qualified to represent themselves in National, Regional and International programs and to develop interest to represent their country in the days to come.

- Initiative for increased Asian academic and professional discussions on issues of International Law, its prospects and challenges in Asia Pacific.
- Development of research and consistent dialogue on different facets of international law, role of regional organisations, and regional mechanisms, position of developing countries and growing powers.
- Promote intellectual debates and develop academic institutions.

This program is specifically being designed for academic assistance and encouragement of students to critically debate, write and discuss on international law issues. For that purpose, this program we believe will address the absence of a platform of understanding international law from different perspective, respective states position in international affairs, conducting in-depth research, ability to give legal reasoning's on International Law, including Human Rights, Rights of Refugees and Humanitarian Law.

What separates this program from the various other summer schools is its relaxed and diverse modality. The Kathmandu Dialogue encompasses maximum interactive sessions and provides students an opportunity to bond and truly engage in the issues provided. The Dialogue is, thus aimed towards nurturing a feeling of mutual cooperation among the students of diverse culture, background, streams and nation. Modalities included in the dialogue are:

Lecture Sessions | Panel Discussions | Conference Panels

Focus Group Discussion | Games | Debates

Trekking | Cultural Programs

Date and Timeframe

The Summer School program will be conducted from **1st – 10th July 2019**. The program will be conducted in residential setting in outreach campus of Kathmandu school of Law. The program shall be practical in all senses and session shall be visual aid-supported. 30th June 2019 ^{will} 11th July 2019 shall be travel dates for arrival and departure respectively to Kathmandu, Nepal.

Scholarship/Assistance

- ✚ Limited financial assistance for registration fees is available although participants are expected to make arrangements for their travel arrangements to and from Kathmandu themselves.
- ✚ Nepalese's participants from outside Kathmandu Region will be provided Bus Fare, if requested.

Available Seats	Sessions
<p>Maximum of 35 international delegates shall be admitted and 15 seats are reserved for Nepalese delegates.</p> <p>Who Can Apply?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Students pursuing Bachelors & Masters in Law, Political Science, International Relations or any other Social Science field are eligible to apply.2. Young scholars and academicians who are no more than 6 years in their profession. <p>Deadline for Submission</p> <p>30th April 2019</p> <p>Fees/Expense</p> <p>International delegates are required to pay 350 USD as registration fee inclusive of food & accommodation.</p> <p>Nepalese delegates – NPR 20,000/-</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">✚ Is this an Asian century?✚ Nexus of international politics and economics✚ Asian philosophy and logic✚ Tackling climate change in Asia✚ Politics and language✚ Social media✚ Can there be an Asian model of governance?✚ Is international law international?✚ Regional organisations and mechanisms✚ China vis-a-vis India – regional and global dialogue✚ Asia and the belt and road initiative✚ Assistance or interference with reference to 'foreign aid'✚ Religion in Asia✚ Terrorism in Asia: Cause Origin Solution

How to Apply?

Please visit the link and fill the form - <https://goo.gl/forms/3aTMxl12jBOAK0J92>

If you have difficulty filling the form or for any other information, please write [@ kd@ksl.edu.np](mailto:kd@ksl.edu.np)

Visit link for more details: <http://ksl.edu.np/ktmdialogue/>

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30th April 2019

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The Kathmandu Dialogue 2018 – Opening Ceremony



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