



## DEPARTMENT OF LAW

The Department was established by the University in the year 1965, in order to cater to the growing demands of legal education in the country under the stewardship of Late Prof. Dr. S. K. Agrawala. The untiring efforts of Late Prof. Agrawala as a founder head of the Department, richly enabled the department to earn its reputation in national and international academic circles as a Centre of excellence. Since its establishment, the department over the years has awarded more than hundred doctorates on various facets of law. Hailed as one of the best legal education centers of the country, many of its students occupy high positions.

## LATE SHRI G. R. GANDHI MEMORIAL ENDOWMENT LECTURE SERIES 2021 Presents a lecture on “RIGHT TO LIFE AND LIBERTY”

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**DEPARTMENT OF LAW,  
SAVITRIBAI PHULE PUNE  
UNIVERSITY, PUNE**

**7<sup>th</sup> August 2021 (11 am Onwards)**

**Guest speaker**

**Hon'ble Justice Indira Banerjee,  
Supreme Court of India,  
New Delhi**

## SPEAKER



Hon'ble Justice Indira Banerjee, Supreme Court of India is the 8<sup>th</sup> female Judge in history of Indian Judiciary and the only female Judge of Supreme Court of India at present. She was born on 24th September, 1957, educated at Loreto House, Calcutta, Presidency College, Calcutta and Calcutta University College of Law. She was enrolled as an Advocate on 5th July, 1985 and practiced both in the Original and Appellate Sides of Calcutta High Court in all branches of law except criminal law. Appointed permanent Judge of Calcutta High Court on 5th February, 2002. Transferred to Delhi High Court w.e.f. 8th August, 2016. Elevated as Chief Justice of Madras High Court and assumed charge on 5.4.2017

## ABOUT THE LECTURE SERIES

Ganesh Raoji Gandhi is commemorated through an annual lecture series under the auspices of Savitribai Phule Pune University with its lustrous history and galaxy of names has made it one of India's few springs of excellence and dynamic centre of culture. Ganesh Raoji Gandhi who was a leading lawyer of light and learning, liberal through social reforms, daring in his days, to argue for widow remarriage and other anathemas of furious orthodoxy and human spearhead of value based progressive changes. Lawyers and liberals, with leaders like Justice Ranade and G. K. Gokhale, were puissant catalysts and Ganesh Gandhi belonged to that noble tribe. He was a member of the Prarthana Samaj and of the Deccan Sabha and was connected with many other cultural institutions in Pune including the Bhandarkar Oriental Research Institute and the Bharat Itihas Sanshodhak Mandal. He was educationist and a founder member of Modern Education Society. Ganesh Raoji Gandhi, great in his own right, is remembered by this University because of the avuncular affection and philanthropy of Prabhakar Bhaskar Gandhi, the nephew of Ganesh Raoji. The Department of Law, Savitribai Phule Pune University organizes Late G R Gandhi Memorial Endowment Lecture every academic year. Eminent experts from various fields are invited to this lecture series.

## ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

**Prof. Dr. Jyoti Bhakare**  
**Head, Department of Law, SPPU**

**Prof. Dr. T S N Sastry**  
**Former Vice Chancellor, TNDALU**

## CO-ORDINATORS

**Dr. Sonia Nagarale**  
**Asst. Prof. Vikramaditya**

## E-PLATFORM (MS TEAMS)

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## **Event Flow**

**Vidyapeeth Geet**

**Welcome Address- Head, Department of Law, SPPU**

**Inaugural Address- Prof. Dr. T S N Sastry (Former Vice Chancellor TNDLU)**

**Presiding Address- Prof. Dr. Prafulla Pawar, Hon'ble Registrar SPPU**

**Introduction of the Guest Speaker- Dr. Sonia Nagarale**

**Late Shri G.R. Gandhi Memorial Endowment Lecture by- Honourable Supreme Court Judge Indira Banarjee**

**Vote of thanks – Asst. Prof. Vikramaditya**