

Promoting Peaceful Resolutions: ADR Awareness Skit at ICFAI University Sikkim



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Venue: The ICFAI University, Sikkim

The Arbitration Club of the School of Legal Studies, ICFAI University Sikkim, organized an impactful awareness skit on Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR), with a specific focus on the importance of mediation in matrimonial disputes, particularly cases involving separation. The program aimed to educate students about peaceful and effective methods of conflict resolution beyond traditional litigation.

The event was graced by the presence of Pro Vice-Chancellor **Dr. Hemant Panda**, Registrar **Dr. Khina Maya Rimal**, Deputy Registrar **Mrs Sandhya Rani Pant**, the Head of the School of Legal Studies, along with faculty members from the university. Their participation added value and encouragement to the initiative taken by the Arbitration Club.

The skit showcased a realistic and emotionally engaging scenario of a couple undergoing separation, demonstrating how mediation can guide parties toward mutual understanding and amicable settlement. The student performers effectively portrayed the mediator, disputing couple, family members, and a presiding judge, highlighting how ADR especially mediation facilitates communication, reduces emotional distress, and avoids prolonged court battles.

Students from the **School of Liberal Arts, School of Management, and School of IT** attended the performance, gaining meaningful insights into the significance of ADR in resolving disputes effectively and amicably. The event was not only informative but also engaging, successfully spreading legal awareness and fostering a culture of peaceful dispute resolution across the university.