

2nd Punjab Women Judges' Conference

Improving Access to Justice

Program

Day One

Registration of Participants

Presenter: Ayesha Khalid, Additional District & Sessions Judge Senior Instructor, Punjab Judicial Academy

National Anthem and Recitation from the Holy Quran

Welcome address Hon'ble Mrs. Justice Ayesha A. Malik, Judge, Lahore High Court, Lahore

Introduction to International Association of Women Judges Hon'ble Justice Susana Medina President International Association of Women Judges

Where are we? Where do we want to go? Reviewing the progress over the last year

The Role of Punjab Judicial Academy on Gender Sensitization Mah Rukh Aziz, District & Sessions Judge Director General, Punjab Judicial Academy

Lahore High Court Initiatives
Shazia Munawar, Civil Judge
Deputy Registrar, Planning, Development and IT, Lahore High Court Lahore

Objectives of the Conference Ayesha Rasheed, Additional District & Sessions Judge Additional Registrar, Planning Development & IT Lahore High Court, Lahore

Inaugural Address Hon'ble Mr. Justice Syed Mansoor Ali Shah, Chief Justice, Lahore High Court, Lahore

06:30 - 8:00 p.m Cultural Show

08:00 p.m Dinner



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Introduction to International Association of Women Judges' Panel Jazeela Aslam, District & Sessions Judge Director Program, Punjab Judicial Academy

Responding to the Needs of Domestic Violence Victims

Domestic Violence: Prevalence and Redressal

Fauzia Vagar, Chairperson Punjab Commission on the Status of Women

Overview of the Laws and Issues in Courts

Mr. Moeen Khokhar, Additional District & Sessions Judge

09:00 - 11:00 a.m

Court Centers for Domestic Violence Victims - The Case of Argentina

Hon'ble Justice Susana Medina President, International Association of Women Judges

Domestic Violence Victims in Rural Communities

Justice Eusebia Munuo, Justice of Court of Appeal, Tanzania (Ret'd)

Unrepresented Violence Victims

Judge Saida Chebili, President of the Court of Sousse, Tunisia

Judicial Conduct in Domestic Violence Cases

Her Hon. Judge Susan Williscroft, The Family Court at Wolverhampton & Stoke on Trent

(UK) (via video)

Q & A Session

11:00 - 11:30 a.m

Tea Break

Access to Justice for Sexual Assault Victims

Sexual Assault Victims: Prevalence and Redressal

Mehreen Siddiqui, Project Manager for Gender Management Information System, Punjab Commission on the Status of Women

Trial of Sexual Assault Cases – Challenges within Mr. Shazib Saeed, Additional District & Sessions Judge

Senior Instructor, Punjab Judicial Academy

Special Needs of Child Witnesses

Hon'ble Justice Ann Walsh Bradley, Supreme Court of Wisconsin, USA

IAWJ's work on Access to Justice: Sexual Assault Cases Anne Goldstein, Human Rights Education Director, IAWJ

Sextortion—The Interface between Gender Based Violence & Anti-Corruption Law

Justice Eusebia Munuo, Court of Appeal of Tanzania (ret'd).

Q & A Session

01:30 - 02:30 p.m

Prayer / Lunch Break

Judicial Conduct and Sensitizing the Courts

Reflecting on the work of the Asian Development Bank during the Gender Sensitization Workshops

Hon. Dr. Robyn Layton, former Supreme Court Judge of South Australia

Role of Judge in Gender based Violence Cases

Ms. Hina Muzaffar, Additional District and Sessions Judge

Judicial Leadership in Gender Sensitization

Hon'ble Justice Susana Medina, President International Association of Women Judges Judicial Training and Gender Sensitivity

Justice Eusebia Munuo, Court of Appeals of Tanzania (ret'd)

The IAWJ's Jurisprudence of Equality Programme: Building the Gender Sensitivity of Courts and Judges for Twenty-Plus Years.

Ms. Anne Goldstein, Human Rights Education Director IAWJ



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Day Three

Concluding Ceremony

08:45 a.m	Presenter Ms. Ayesha Khalid, Additional District & Sessions Judge Senior Instructor, Punjab Judicial Academy
09:00 – 10:00 a.m	Why Women Judges – Context of International Association of Women Judges IAWJ Guests
10:00 – 10:15 a.m	Concluding Remarks on behalf of International Association of Women Judges Hon'ble Justice Susana Medina, President, International Association of Women Judges
10:15 – 10:30 a.m	Summarizing and Recommendations Hon'ble Justice Ayesha A. Malik Judge Lahore High Court, Lahore
10:30 – 11:00 a.m	Concluding Address Hon'ble Mr. Justice Syed Mansoor Ali Shah, Chief Justice Lahore High Court, Lahore
11:00 – 11:30 a.m	Key Note Address Hon'ble Mr. Justice Mian Saqib Nisar, Chief Justice of Pakistan
11:30 – 12:00 noon	Vote of thanks and distribution of souvenirs Jazeela Aslam, District & Sessions Judge Director Program, Punjab Judicial Academy

12:00 noon

Lunch