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## *Distinguished Public Lecture*

on

# "THE JURISPRUDENCE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA: EMPIRICAL ANALYSIS AND COMPARATIVE PERSPECTIVES"

by



### **PROFESSOR SITAL KALANTRY**

Clinical Professor of Law  
Cornell Law School, Cornell University, USA

### *Programme*

5:00 pm

#### **Welcome Address**

**Professor (Dr.) Manoj Kumar Sinha**  
Director  
Indian Law Institute, New Delhi

5:05 pm

#### **Introductory Address**

**Professor (Dr.) C. Raj Kumar**  
Vice Chancellor  
O.P. Jindal Global University (JGU)

5:10 pm

#### **Presidential Address**

**A Judge from the Supreme Court of India**

5:25 pm

#### **Distinguished Public Lecture**

**Professor Sital Kalantry**  
Clinical Professor of Law  
Cornell Law School, Cornell University, USA

5:50 pm

#### **Q&A**

6:10 pm

#### **Vote of Thanks**

**Professor Dabiru Sridhar Patnaik**  
Director,  
Centre for Post Graduate Legal Studies,  
Jindal Global Law School, JGU

**Date:**

**Thursday, 8 December 2016**

**Time:**

**5:00 pm – 6:15 pm**

**Venue: Indian Law Institute**

**Bhagwan Das Road, New Delhi**

## SHORT BIO

### PROFESSOR SITAL KALANTRY

Professor Sital Kalantry is a Clinical Professor of Law at Cornell Law School where she founded the International Human Rights Clinic and co-founded the Avon Global Center for Women & Justice. Prior to joining the clinical faculty at the Cornell Law School, she was the founder and director of the International Human Rights Clinic at the University of Chicago Law School. Her scholarly work focuses on using quantitative approaches to understand and promote the enforcement of international human rights law. She received a Fulbright-Nehru Senior Research Scholar grant to conduct research in India. Her works have been published in, among other places, the Human Rights Quarterly, the National Law Journal, and the Stanford Journal of International Law.

She has extensive international human rights advocacy and litigation experience, particularly in the areas of women's rights and economic, social, and cultural rights. She has testified before the Inter-American Commission for Human Rights, submitted party and amicus briefs to the U.S. Supreme Court and U.S. Federal Appellate Courts, European Court of Human Rights, Indian High Courts, and the Colombian Constitutional Court and has lead fact-finding teams on several trips to India, Colombia, and Argentina to conduct research in connection with the publication of human rights reports. She was selected by law students at Cornell to receive the Dean Lukingbeal award in recognition of her contributions made to women students. She is on the board of the International Innovation Corp, is a member of the lawyers advisory committee of Peace Brigades International, and served on the International Human Rights Committee of the New York City Bar Association.

Prior to entering teaching, she was an associate in the project finance group of Milbank, Tweed, Hadley & McCloy, associate general counsel of a company that acquired Excite.com, and counsel at O'Melveny & Myers.

#### Education :

*B.A. 1994, Cornell University*

*Masters in Development Studies 1995, London School of Economics*

*J.D. 1998, University of Pennsylvania Law School*

### JGU at a Glance

<b>1:13</b>	Faculty-student ratio	<b>42</b>	Interdisciplinary research centres	<b>80</b>	Acres of university campus
<b>3</b>	Research and capacity building institutes	<b>42%</b>	Women students	<b>120</b>	International collaborations
<b>5</b>	Interdisciplinary schools	<b>44</b>	Countries with collaborating institutions	<b>210</b>	Full time faculty members
<b>6</b>	Rhodes Scholars as faculty and staff	<b>45%</b>	Women faculty members	<b>750</b>	Faculty publications
<b>20%</b>	Full time international faculty members	<b>45%</b>	Faculty members who are graduates from the world's top 50 universities	<b>950</b>	Alumni
<b>30</b>	Countries represented by students and faculty on campus	<b>70%</b>	Student scholarship awardees	<b>2800</b>	Students