



*You are cordially invited to a*  
*Public Lecture*  
on  
**Unravelling The Kashmir Knot**  
by



**Dr. Aman Hingorani**  
Lawyer, Supreme Court of India

#### Short Bio of Speaker

Dr. Hingorani is a practising lawyer with a standing of over 25 years, and has argued cases on diverse fields of law before the Supreme Court (including its Constitution Bench), various High Courts and Tribunals in the country. Several of these cases have been reported and led to change of law. Dr. Hingorani has been appointed as an arbitrator by the Delhi High Court. He also acts as a mediator in the Supreme Court Mediation Centre and the Delhi High Court Mediation and Conciliation Centre.

Dr. Hingorani has been empaneled by the Supreme Court Legal Services Committee to act as a legal aid Counsel, and has been appointed as Amicus Curie in cases to assist the Supreme Court. He devotes a substantial part of his professional time for pro bono work on behalf of the disadvantaged sections of society lacking access to Courts, such as bonded labour and mentally ill persons, and for taking up causes in Court for disempowered victims of injustice, for instance, acting as Counsel for the family of Nirbhaya challenging the constitutional validity of the Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act granting immunity from prosecution to the juvenile found guilty in the infamous December 16 gangrape case. He has served on governmental and non-governmental committees in such pro bono endeavour.

Dr. Hingorani has been engaged in teaching law and professional skills development since 1998 as adjunct faculty, and has taught constitutional law, human rights, arbitration and international trade law, amongst other subjects. He has run training programmes for law teachers, lawyers and judicial officers. Dr. Hingorani has taught in programmes at various institutions in India (including National Judicial Academy, Bhopal; Campus Law Centre, University of Delhi; Indian Law Institute, New Delhi; the National Law Schools at Delhi, Trichy and Mumbai) and abroad (including Keble College, University of Oxford, UK; Law School, Warwick University, UK; South Asian Institute of Advanced Legal and Human Rights Studies, Dhaka, Bangladesh). He has prepared curriculum for law courses and other activities, such as the modules for the Indo-British Project on Advocacy Skills Training, British Council, New Delhi; the alternative dispute resolution (ADR) preparatory material for the All-India Bar Examination conducted annually by the Bar Council of India; the ADR Manual for the Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry as its National Consultant; and the Mediation Rules for the PHD Chamber of Commerce and Industry.

Dr. Hingorani has authored the book, Unravelling the Kashmir Knot, now a SAGE bestseller, which is the result of 20 years of research on the Kashmir issue. The book gives fresh insights from a historical, political and legal perspective which help formulate a novel and practical roadmap for the resolution of the multi-layered Kashmir problem. The book has been commended by members of the judiciary and legal fraternity, academicians, diplomats, security and defence analysts, journalists, artists and other sections of society, and has been well received both in India and abroad. Dr. Hingorani has more than thirty publications in both national and international journals on varied subjects ranging from Public Interest Litigation to the Bhopal Gas tragedy to grant of intellectual property protection to genetically modified organisms to the dynamics of global missile proliferation.

#### Programme

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| 3:00 pm – 3:15 pm | <b>Opening Remarks</b><br>Professor Khagesh Gautam, Associate Professor and Assistant Dean (Research and Publications) and Assistant Director, Center for Public Law and Jurisprudence, Jindal Global Law School (JGLS) |
| 3:15 PM – 4:30 pm | <b>Distinguished Public Lecture</b><br>Professor Aman M. Hingorani, Lawyer, Supreme Court of India  |
| 4:30 pm – 5:00 pm | <b>Questions and Answer Session</b>   |
| 5:00 pm           | <b>Vote of Thanks</b><br>Mr. Raunaq Jaiswal, Assistant Research Officer, JGLS   |