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SPEAKERS

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The UNCITRAL Asia Pacific Day is an annual flagship academic series launched in 2014 by the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law Regional Centre for Asia and the Pacific ("UNCITRAL RCAP") to celebrate the United Nations General Assembly Resolution 2205 (XXI) of 17 December 1966 establishing UNCITRAL, which has since come to be the core legal body of the United Nations system in the field of international trade law.

This year, an initial **20 universities and institutions** across the Asia-Pacific region in **12 jurisdictions** have joined the annual celebration to commemorate the establishment of UNCITRAL by co-hosting a series of academic events with UNCITRAL RCAP to promote awareness of international trade standards and norms, particularly those endorsed by UNCITRAL, amongst law students — the next generation of legal thinkers and policymakers. The year 2022 marks the 10th anniversary of the establishment of UNCITRAL RCAP. To commemorate this occasion the suggested theme for AP Day 2022 is: "RCAP@10: The Next 10 Years of Legal Harmonization in the Region." RCAP invites partnering institutions to reflect on past AP Day events, if applicable, and explore how legal harmonization especially via the work of UNCITRAL could benefit both traditional and new areas of trade in the coming decade. Examples of topics could include digital trade, the continuing rise of and new forms of support for MSMEs including access to credit/secured transaction and simplified insolvency regimes, cross-border insolvency and fresh starts, international commercial mediation and arbitration, and others. The RCAP@10 theme therefore encourages a retrospective and exploratory lens on how different areas of UNCITRAL's work have and will continue to facilitate the doing of business in the region.

Date	Timings	Session(s)	Speakers
16 th March 2023	03:30 PM- 03:35 PM	Opening Remark	Prof. (Dr.) S. Shanthakumar Director, Gujarat National Law University
	03:35 PM - 03:55 PM	UNCITRAL RCAP Presentation	Ms. Athita Komindr Head, UNCITRAL RCAP
	 Introduction to UNCITRAL, including India's contributions to the work of UNCITRAL Overview of UNCITRAL arbitration and mediation frameworks UNCITRAL e-learning modules 		
	03:55 PM- 04:15 PM	Expert Talk	
		Speaker-1	Prof. (Dr.) Mamata Biswal Head of Centre, GNLU Centre for Corporate and Insolvency Laws and Professor of Law, Gujarat National LawUniversity
		Speaker-2	Dr. Robert Walters Senior Lecturer, Victoria University, Melbourne, Australia. Adjunct Professor of Law, European Faculty of Law
	04:15 PM – 04:25 PM	Introduction to UNCITRAL Internship Programme	Miss Miu Shan Choi Legal Expert, UNCITRAL RCAP
		Sharing of experiences by Current RCAP interns	Ms. Sai Sumana Chamarty Intern, UNCITRAL RCAP & Mr. Jad El Hage Intern UNCITRAL RCAP
	04:25 PM-	Question and	Intern, UNCITRAL RCAP
	04:30 PM 4:30 PM	Answers Vote of Thanks	Mr. Sanjeev Chaudhary Assistant Professor of Law, Gujarat National LawUniversity