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One Day Seminar on Artificial Intelligence (AI) and Challenges to Legal Regime

The origin of Artificial Intelligence (AI) could be traced to the period of late 1950s when researchers started creating machines which could think and reason like human beings. Almost 70 years back, in 1959, Arthur Samuel coined the term "Machine Learning," meaning "the ability to learn without being explicitly programmed." Further advances were made in AI with researchers developing new algorithms and techniques for machine learning, natural language processing and computer vision. During the next two decades AI has continued to evolve with researchers developing new techniques, new language processing that is transforming life the way we work and enjoy. With no acceptable official definition of AI, attempts have been made to define it as technology that enables computers and machines to simulate human learning, comprehension, problem solving, decision making, creativity and autonomy. AI, being a dual-use technology has the potential to fundamentally redefine human productivity, scientific discovery, and global prosperity. For India, AI could be a force multiplier in achieving our national aspiration of Viksit Bharat by 2047. AI also raises a complex web of legal challenges that demand immediate attention.

Keeping the above in view, the Indian Society of International Law is organizing a one-day seminar on **Artificial Intelligence (AI) and Challenges to Legal Regime** on **Saturday, 1 August 2026** to discuss impact of AI on legal regime and seeks ways to develop frameworks to adequately address the challenges of the AI.

Call for Abstracts and Papers

The seminar invites academicians, researchers, professionals, policymakers, and students to submit abstracts and research papers; broad conference themes include the following:

- Artificial Intelligence and International Law
- Artificial Intelligence and Discrimination: Bias in Algorithms
- The Use of AI in Military Operations
- Opportunities and Risks of Using AI in Counterterrorism
- Strategic Implications of AI on Maritime Security
- Artificial intelligence and international humanitarian law
- Challenges of AI in Outer Space
- The Use Artificial Intelligence in Decision Making by the Courts
- Artificial Intelligence and Intellectual Property
- Artificial Intelligence and Human Rights
- Legal Regulation of Artificial Intelligence
- Judicial Application of Artificial Intelligence: Liability and accountability
- Ethics in Artificial Intelligence

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Abstract: Max. 300 words with five keywords to be submitted by 20 March, 2026

Acceptance Notification: 30 March 2026

Full Papers: 6000-7500 words, to be submitted by 15 June, 2026

Authors: Maximum 2 Authors allowed

Submissions to be mailed at isilevents.2026@gmail.com with subject as name of Author (s) with title of the paper in MS Word format

Citations must conform to ISIL Citation Style (<https://www.isilaca.org/download2021/ijilguidelines.pdf>)

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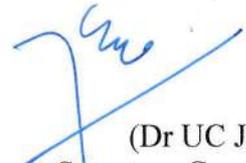
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