

## 06-JAMMU & KASHMIR REGIONAL BRANCH

<b>Year of Establishment</b>
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1981

<b>Address</b>
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IIPA Jammu & Kashmir Regional Branch  
3/6, Channi Himmat Colony, Near PNB  
Jammu-180015 (J&K)

<b>Chairman</b>
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Shri. B.R. Sharma, IAS (Retd) from 2015

<b>Hony Secretary</b>
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Prof. Alka Sharma from 2019

<b>Number of Members</b>
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337

<b>Activities from 2010-11 to 2019-20</b>
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2010-11

1. Three Days Programme for Prison Officer on 'Human Rights in Prison Management'. (15-17 April, 2010)
2. Prelude Conference on 'Reservation and Inclusive Growth'. (20 Sept. 2010)
3. 9<sup>th</sup> Veerana Aivalli Memorial Inter College Debate on 'In the opinion of the House Excessive uses of Technology in day to day communication is leading to loss of person touch'. (15 Dec. 2010)
4. Seminar on 'Bio-diversity Conservation'. (1 March, 2011)
5. Seminar on 'Sensitization Programme on Intellectual Property Rights'. (26 March, 2011)
6. Open house discussion on 'Making the Regional Branch more vibrant'. (31 May, 2010)
7. Lecture on 'Income Tax Law and Administration – an overview'. (29 June, 2010)
8. Lecture on 'Power Sector Reforms in J&K and Role of Electricity Regulators'. (28 Oct. 2010)
9. Sati Sahni Memorial Lecture – Life and Times of Sati Sahni – some reminiscences'. (26 Nov. 2010)
10. Lecture on 'Public Private Partnership' by Shri C.K. Gulati. (8 Jan. 2011)
11. Panel Discussion on 'Reflection on the State Budget 2011-12'. (15 March, 2011)
12. The first issue of biannual Newsletter of IIPA J&K Regional Branch was released. (31 May, 2010)
13. 2<sup>nd</sup> biannual issue of Newsletter of IIPA J&K Regional Branch was released. (Nov. 2010)

2011-12

1. Seminar on "Corrosion of Steel Frame-implication on Good Governance". H.E. the Governor of Jammu & Kashmir Shri N.N. Vohra was the Chief Guest. (9 April, 2011)
2. Workshop on "Harassment of Women at Work Places". (18 June, 2011)
3. Workshop on "Ethics in Public Administration". (19 July, 2011)
4. Project proposal on the theme "Forest for Sustainable Livelihood". (7 Feb. 2012)
5. Workshop for PIOs under RTI Act. (18 Feb. 2012)
6. Panel discussion on "Draft Amendments in J&K State Vigilance Act – 2011". (21 May, 2011)
7. A Debate on "Domestic Violence – Emerging Issues". (7 July, 2011)

8. A Debate on "Kashmiri Language is receding its influence in our homes". (16 July, 2011)
9. Lecture on "Role of Panchayats Bodies in Rural Development". (28 Sept. 2011)
10. Lecture on "India & Afghanistan" by Dr. S.S. Bloeria. (25 Oct. 2011)
11. Second Sati Sahni Memorial Lecture on "Cultural Resources of Jammu & Kashmir – Mapping & Conservation" by Shri M. Saleem Beg, Former Director General Tourism J&K. (28 Nov. 2011)
12. 10<sup>th</sup> Annual Veeranna Aivalli Memorial Debate on "In the opinion of the House Moral Education should be made an integral part of School Curriculum". (15 Dec. 2011)
13. Brain Storming session on Police Reforms. (13 Feb. 2012)
14. 2<sup>nd</sup> Brain Storming Session on Police Reforms. (27 Feb. 2012)
15. Interaction on "Creating and sustaining a strong bond between Citizens and Government. (16 March, 2012)
16. J&K Regional Branch Newsletter released by H.E. The Governor of J&K on 9 April, 2011.
17. J&K Regional Branch Newsletter released on 28 Nov., 2011.

#### 2012-13

1. Workshop for Controlling Officers/Public Information Officer under J&K RTI Act. (16 June, 2012)
2. Seminar on Power Sector Reforms vis-à-vis Voluntary Load Disclosure Scheme. (19 Sept. 2012)
3. Workshop on Administration of Urban Development and Urban Service Delivery. (19 Jan. 2013)
4. Micro-Hydro-Electric Project. (30 April, 2012)
5. Panel Discussion on Public Services Guarantee Act – Theory & Practice. (2 June, 2012).
6. Brainstorming Session on Police Reforms and Draft Police Act. (20 July, 2012)
7. Debate on Civil Services provide better opportunity for youth to service the society. (13 Sept. 2012)
8. Lecture on Accountability of Elected Representative – Manifesto to Mandate". (29 Oct. 2012)
9. 3<sup>rd</sup> Sati Sahni Memorial Lecture on Media & Governance. (24 Nov. 2012)
10. 11<sup>th</sup> Veeranna Aivalli Memorial Debate on the topic "In the opinion of the house youth bulge can be exploited for the benefit of the country". (15 Dec. 2012)
11. Lecture on Industrial Policy of Jammu & Kashmir by Shri Vikrant Kuthiala. (5 Jan. 2013)
12. Lecture on Understanding Crime and changing Criminal behaviour – the new Pathways by Shri Rameshwar Singh Jamwal, President, Criminology Society of J&K. (26 Feb. 2013)
13. Lecture on J&K State Biodiversity Board – A step towards Biodiversity Conservation by Shri Deepak Khanna, Director, State Forest Research Institute J&K. (30 March, 2013)
14. Training Programme on Disaster Preparedness with special references to J&K. (11 Aug. 2012)
15. J&K Regional Branch IIPA Newsletter released on the occasion of 3<sup>rd</sup> Sati Sahni Memorial Lecture by Shri Devender Singh Rana, Political Advisor to Hon'ble Chief Minister J&K. (24 Nov. 2012)

#### 2013-14

1. Workshop on Consumer Protection and Consumer Welfare organized by IIPA J&K Regional Branch, in collaboration with Centre for Consumer Studies, IIPA, New Delhi. (5-6 April, 2013)

2. Seminar on the Jammu and Kashmir police Draft Bill. (8 July, 2013)
3. Prelude Conference on Food Security in India and Suggestions for Effectiveness. (21 Sept, 2013)
4. Workshop on Urban Development and Urban Services Delivery. (7 Oct, 2013)
5. Two Day International Seminar- The School of Legal Studies, Central University of Kashmir in collaboration with IIPA J&K Regional Branch organizing a two day international Seminar on Gender Justice: A way forward. (23 Oct, 2013)
6. National Security seminar on "Terror and Trespasses in India's Northern Borders- Deciphering the grand Strategies of Pakistan and China". ( 26 Nov, 2013)
7. IIPA J&K Regional Branch in collaboration with Central University of Jammu an Institute of Peace and conflict studies(IPCS) New Delhi organized a seminar on "Conflict Early Warning: Regional Security and Implications for J&K". (23 Dec, 2013)
8. Seminar on "Safety of Women in work Places". (12 march, 2014)
9. Lecture on an economic Overview with Focus of 12<sup>th</sup> Five Year Plan (2012-17). (4 May, 2013)
10. Lecture on Elections and Party Politics in J&K since 2002. (9 July, 2013)
11. Panel Discussion on Appointments to the Higher Judiciary. (26 Oct, 2013)
12. 4<sup>th</sup> S.P.Sahni Memorial Lecture on "India's Attributes and Interests: Who are we and what do we want?" (7 Dec, 2013)
13. 35<sup>th</sup> AGM Lecture on "Supreme Court: Expounding Philosophy of the Constitution of India". (4 Jan, 2014)
14. IIPA J&K Regional Branch in collaboration with Traffic Police J&K organized an open house discussion on "Traffic Management in J&K". (16 Jan, 2014)
15. 1<sup>st</sup> Shri Ram Sahai Memorial Lecture on "GST: A Comprehensive Tax Reforms". (15 Feb, 2014)
16. Zonal police HQs Kashmir in collaboration with Indian Institute of Public Administration & Central University of Jammu organized interaction cum representation on Criminal Justice System. (24 Mar, 2014)
17. IIPA J&K Regional Branch in collaboration with Department of Students Welfare, university of Kashmir organized 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Debate contest on the topic "Laws are not Powerless in preventing Crime against women and children". (24 Sep, 2014)
18. 12<sup>th</sup> Veeranna Aivalli Memorial Inter College/departmental debate on the topic "In the opinion of the house" only stringent Legal provision can ensure safety of women in the country". (12 Nov, 2013)
19. Training Programme on "Management Competencies". (31 Aug, 2013)

#### **2014-15**

1. Workshop on "RTI Act-Expectations & Achievements." Shri G.R. Sufi, Chief Information Commissioner J&K gave Inaugural Address. (5 April 2014)
2. Seminar on "New Vistas in Tourism" in Collaboration with Department of Tourism, Government of J&K and Central University of Jammu. Prof. Sandeep Kulsheshta, Director, Indian Institute of Tourism and Travel Management, Gwalior gave the keynote address. (25 Sept. 2014)
3. Prelude Conference on "Trends in Centre- state Relations". (4 October 2014)
4. Two day seminar on "Floods in 2014: Lessons for Disaster Management for J&K. (2-3 February 2015)

5. Seminar on “Protection of Women from Domestic Violence,” (14 March 2015)
6. Lecture on “Security Governance – Challenges for the new Government”. (12 May 2014)
7. IIPA Diamond Jubilee Lecture on “Governance in Transition”. Shri N.N. Vohra, Hon’ble Governor of J & K was the Chief Guest. (29 November 2014)
8. 5<sup>th</sup> Sat Paul Sahni Memorial Lecture on “Landmarks in Journalism in J&K”. (13 December 2014)
9. Lecture on “Empowering Differently Abled”. (10 January 2015)
10. 2<sup>nd</sup> Shri Ram Sahai Memorial Lecture on “Make in India: Industries Perspective”. (13 February 2015)
11. 13<sup>th</sup> Veeranna Aivalli Memorial debate on “In the opinion of the house, quality and not quantity of Higher education is the key to Nation Building”. (8 November 2014)
12. J&K Regional Branch in collaboration with Department of Students Welfare (DSW) University of Kashmir organized Annual IIPA debate on the topic “In the opinion of the house “Information technology has Adversely Affected Reading, Writing and Retention Capabilities of Youth”. (20 December 2014)
13. Panel Discussion on “Media and Electoral Verdict” (28 June 2014)
14. Panel Discussion on “Minimizing Adjournments: Myth or Reality”. (2 August 2014)
15. Awareness Programme on “Efficient Delivery of Public Services through e-Governance”. (1 May 2014)
16. One day Training Programme on “Leadership: Carving the Path towards Organisational Effectiveness” jointly organized by IIPA J&K Regional Branch & School of Business, SMVDU, Katra. (23 June 2014)
17. One day training program on “Ethics in Public Administration”. (18 October 2014)
18. IIPA J&K Regional Branch Newsletter Volume No.1 & 2. (May & Nov. 2014)
19. Launched of IIPA J&K Regional Branch website ([www.iipajkbranch.com](http://www.iipajkbranch.com)) on 29 November 2014. Shri N.N. Vohra, Hon’ble Governor of J&K was the Chief Guest.

### **2015-16**

1. Seminar on “Swachh Jammu-Swasthya Jammu” (13 April, 2015)
2. Seminar on “Future of Jammu Urbanization vis-à-vis New Master Plan” (30 May, 2015)
3. Two day Workshop on “Consumer Protection & Consumer Welfare” (11 & 12 Sept. 2015)
4. Panel Discussion on “Environmental Governance in India” (18 June, 2015)
5. IIPA Annual Debate on September 2014 flood was a manmade catastrophe? (28 Aug. 2015)
6. Lecture on “Magnum opus of free speech and Expression” (24 Aug. 2015)
7. 14<sup>th</sup> Veeranna Aivalli Memorial Debate Topic: “In the opinion of the house, Social networking is a boon and promotes freedom of thought and expression” (9 Oct.2015)
8. Brain Storming Session on “Higher Education at Crossroads” (13 Oct. 2015)
9. 6<sup>th</sup> Sat Paul Sahni Memorial Lecture on “Kal-Aaj-Aur-Kal: India story through Bollywood” (18 Dec. 2015)
10. 37<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of General Body held on 24 Jan. 2015.
11. 3<sup>rd</sup> Ram Sahai Memorial Lecture on “Digital India and its Impact on the Industry” (20 Feb. 2016)
12. One day Training Programme on “Management Competencies” (21 Nov. 2015)
13. IIPA J&K Regional Branch Newsletter Volume: VI No. 1 ( May 2015)
14. IIPA J&K Regional Branch Newsletter Volume: VI No. 2 (Nov. 2015)

### **2016-17**

1. Seminar on “Health Care Management in Jammu & Kashmir”. (Sept. 19, 2016)

2. Prelude Conference on “Strengthening of Ethical and Moral Values in Governances”(Oct. 12, 2016)
3. Panel Discussion on “Issues & Concerns of Senior Citizens” (July 2, 2016)
4. Lecture on “Peace Process in Jammu & Kashmir”. (Oct. 8, 2016)
5. Lecture on “Jammu: the idea and ethos of a Multicultural Society” (Jan. 5, 2017)
6. 4<sup>th</sup> Ram Sahai Memorial Lecture on Demonization (Feb. 25, 2017)
7. Lecture on “ Developing Ecotourism in J & K State”(March. 30, 2017)
8. Presentation on Trading Confidence: A compelling case for Cross LoC Trade (Nov. 26, 2016)
9. 15<sup>th</sup> Veeranna Aivalli Memorial Inter College/Departmental Debate, in the opinion of the house, Entrepreneurship the only option for gainful employment” (Nov. 12, 2016)
10. Training Programme on “Ethics and Morality in Public Administration” (May 7, 2016)
11. IIPA J&K Regional Branch Newsletter Volume: VII No. 1 (May 2016)
12. IIPA J&K Regional Branch Newsletter Volume: VII No. 2 (Nov. 2016)

2017-18

1. Seminar on “Marketing of J&K GST Ready”. (Jun. 24, 2017)
2. Seminar on Disaster Management. (Oct. 24, 2017)
3. Seminar on ‘Fire Safety in Hospitals’ (Feb. 2, 2018)
4. Two day Workshop on “Consumer Protection and Consumer Welfare”. (July 27-28, 2017)
5. Two days Workshop on “Learning the Craft of Writing” organized jointly by IIPA J&K Kashmir and Central University of Kashmir. (Nov. 20 & 21, 2017)
6. Prelude Conference “Demonetizations and its Impact” (Sept. 28, 2017)
7. Lecture on “Technology a Key factor in Rural Development of J&K State lecture by Dr. Sudershan Kumar”. (April 10, 2017)
8. Lecture on “SARFAESI Fons Juris of Federalism and National Patriotism lecture by Prof. K.L. Bhatia. (May 22, 2017)
9. 16<sup>th</sup> Veeranna Aivalli Memorial Debate on the: Topic “In the opinion of the house, GDP Slide due to Demonetization and GST Implementation is a Pain for Gain”. (Nov. 23, 2017)
10. 8<sup>th</sup> Sat Paul Sahni Memorial Lecture on Challenges before Indian Media Today. (Jan. 20, 2018)
11. Panel Discussion on “Violence against Health Care Professionals in J&K”. (Mar. 17, 2018)
12. Special Lecture in Collaboration with Department of National Security Studies Central University of Jammu on Indo-Pak Relations lecture delivered by Amb. TCA Raghavan, Former Indian High Commissioner to Pakistan. (Mar.27, 2018)
13. 5<sup>th</sup> Shri Ram Sahai Memorial Lecture on Effectiveness of GST delivered by Jenab Khurshid Ahmed Ganai, Chief Information Commissioner J&K. (Mar. 28, 2018)
14. Training Programme on “Management Competencies”. (April 22, 2017)
15. IIPA J&K Regional Branch Newsletter Volume: VIII No. (June 2017)
16. IIPA J&K Regional Branch Newsletter Volume: VIII No. 2 (Nov. 2017)

2019-20

1. Seminar on “Monetary Policy” in collaboration with Reserve Bank of India of India (May 14, 2019)
2. Prelude Conference on “Good Governance and United Nation’s Sustainable Development Goals” (Oct.2, 2019)

3. Two day workshop on Consumer Protection & Consumer Welfare (Dec.16-17, 2019)
4. Lecture on “Clean Cities and Towns, A Way Forward” (April 8, 2019)
5. 6<sup>th</sup> Shri Ram Sahai Memorial Lecture on “Family Run Business – Challenges and Way Forward”, (April 27, 2019)
6. Lecture on “India’s Preparedness to Counter Unconventional Warfare Threats/Challenges”, (May 20, 2019)
7. Lecture on “Holistic Approach for Health & Happiness”, (June 29, 2019).
8. Flag Hosting Ceremony on 73<sup>rd</sup> Independence Day (August 15, 2019)
9. 18<sup>th</sup> Veeranna Aivalli Memorial Debate – 2019 on “In the opinion of the house, road accidents can be brought down only through stringent penalties for violations”, (Dec.6, 2019)
10. 41<sup>st</sup> Annual General Body Meeting 2020 (Jan. 4, 2020)
11. Flag Host ceremony on 71<sup>st</sup> Republic Day (Jan. 26, 2020)
12. 10<sup>th</sup> Sat Paul Sahni Memorial Lecture on the Menace of Fake News (Feb. 15, 2020)
13. Training programme on “Management Competencies” (April 20, 2019)
14. IIPA J&K Regional Branch Newsletter Volune: X No.1.