# 18-08-2018 CALL FOR PAPERS

The NLIU Media Law e-Journal is now accepting submissions for its 2<sup>nd</sup> Volume to be published in 2019. Submissions for scholarly, original and unpublished written works from people across the legal profession – students, academicians and practitioners – are invited, to be published in the Journal.

# ABOUT THE JOURNAL

The NLIU Media Law e-Journal is the flagship annual and peer-reviewed journal of the Cell for Studies in Media and Law (CSML), published under the aegis of National Law Institute University (NLIU), Bhopal. The primary aim of the Journal is to publish high-quality cutting-edge scholarship in the field of Media, Entertainment and Information Technology Laws. The previous volume of journal covered several vital issues ranging from Cyber-Terrorism, CCTV Surveillance of Court rooms to the problem of Fake news in contemporary media.

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#### **CATEGORIES FOR SUBMISSION**

Submissions must focus on aspects of law which impinge on and shape modern media practices - from regulation and ownership, to libel law and constitutional aspects of broadcasting such as free speech and privacy, obscenity laws, international media law and telecommunications policy. However, we have broad mandate and articles focusing on contemporary issues involving Media, Entertainment and Information Technology are also welcome. The submissions must be made only under the following categories:

Long Articles (3500-5000 words\*): The article must be a comprehensive and in-depth analysis of a contemporary issue and should include reference to a range of sources and contributions in the form of alternatives and suggestions.

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