

ST. SOLDIER LAW COLLEGE

A Trail-blazer In the Indian Legal Education Space

oresight is essential to ensuring sustained success and the same is true in the case of higher education institutions as well. Those who can evolve with the changing times can become trailblazers and nurture the next generation of passionate learners. St. Soldier Law College is one such pioneering educational institution which aspires to offer sustained quality education with modern tools for excellence in professional and social life. St. Soldier Law College is part of the famous St. Soldier Educational Society which runs a total of 33 Public Schools and 23 colleges in different streams including engineering, pharmacy, arts, hotel management, architecture, agriculture, polytechnics, ITIs, and physical education to name a few. St. Soldier Law College aspires to be a change bringer in the Indian legal education space and empower students who come from backwards sections of the society.

The college was established after realizing the increasing demand and untapped potential in legal education while still making it accessible for students who are under-privileged but have aspirations of succeeding. Operating in a rural area, St. Soldier Law College have taken conscious efforts to design its fee structure, modus operandi, and teaching pedagogies to offer high quality legal education to its students. This commitment for excellence has also helped the institute to develop into one of the most preferred higher education destinations in the state of Punjab and surrounding areas.

Creating new alleyways of development opportunities

Besides the normal three years LLB, and five years B.A.LLB programs, St. Soldier Law College also offer five years B.B.A, LLB and B.Com, LLB programs in order to offer more academic opportunities for its students. Over the years, St. Soldier Law College has also introduced a plethora of value-added courses which offers greater flexibility for students to opt for areas in which they



Dr. S.C. Sharma, Director

Dr. S.C. Sharma has immense teaching experience and has held respectable positions throughout his career. He aspires to guide his students to realize their true potentials and reach their career aspirations.

are interested in. The college has even established unique initiatives such as professional practice classes every day in the first period which trains and guides the students to hone their skills and knowledge on the area they want to build a career in. Providing student-centric practical education is a top priority for St. Soldier Law College and at a time when many educational institutions are struggling to prepare job-ready candidates, St. Soldier Law College through constant industry exposure aspires to better prepare its students for life after college. The institute regularly invite guest faculty who have immense experience of working in the legal profession to teach its students



and this helps them to get first-hand knowledge on what it takes to succeed in their careers.

With its aspirations to help students who are in need and help them realize their goals, St. Soldier Law College and its management has given major emphasis on the scholarship opportunities it offers to its students. Adding more on the same, Dr. S.C. Sharma, Director, St. Soldier Law College says, "We want to help those who are in need. So accordingly, our group is offering free transportation facilities for our students. For students who come from SC, ST background, the college doesn't even charge a single penny. Our management also funds two core every year for offering scholarships to other students as well. There are meritorious scholarships and many of the top performing students in the university are from our college".

Aspiring for educational excellence

St. Soldier Law College's faculty play a crucial role in helping its students to develop and realize their true potential. St. Soldier Law College also has a Center for Policy and Research where its faculty, alumni, and students join hands on conducting research on a myriad of important topics. Constantly working on

research also helps the students to gain valuable handson experience. Aside from this, St. Soldier Law College also leverages its industry connections to help students with their internships which are done after each semester examination. This allows the students to be in constant touch with the industry, gain knowledge, consistently update themselves, and build industry connections which can help them later in their careers.

Aside from this, St. Soldier Law College also focuses on incorporating the latest technologies into the student's education in order to create the perfect learning environment for them to thrive. Adding more about the modern-day infrastructural amenities offered by the institute, Dr. S.C. Sharma says "We have state of the art infrastructural facilities with classrooms, seminar halls, moot courts, library and auditorium where modern technologies are used. Aside from the university developed syllabi, we take various measures to incorporate modern day teaching pedagogies and technology into our curriculum as well. This will help them to be better prepared for the industry". By being passionate for consistent improvement, St. Soldier Law College have plans on creating more industry connections, and helping its students to enter the industry more seamlessly. **AER**