

COLLOQUIUM 6.0
Central Bank Digital Currency (CBDC): Trends and Future

INTRODUCTION

In celebration of the ILS Law College entering its **99th** year of imparting legal education, **the ILS Corporate Law Cell** is elated to announce the return of its marquee event, the **Colloquium 6.0** which will be held on **15th May, 2022**. This edition of the Colloquium will be centered on the emerging issues surrounding the “**Central Bank Digital Currency (CBDC): Trends & Challenges**”. It will feature an interactive panel discussion with esteemed professionals in the legal and financial sector from across the country. It will be hosted for students and professionals across the country.

EVENT SCHEDULE

Agenda	Topic	Speakers	Timings
Key note address	Overview of CBDCs	Mr. Nilanjan Sinha Head of Legal, India & SE Asia, ICICI Bank	9:50 AM - 10.10 AM
First Session (Fundamentals of CBDC)	CBDC vs. Cryptocurrency	Ms. Rashmi Deshpande Partner, Business Law Chamber	10:15 AM – 11:45 AM
	Use of Blockchain Technology	Mr. Prasanna Lohar Vice President, Technology, DCB Bank	
	Key Considerations for roll out of Retail CBDCs in India	Mr. Anuroop Omkar Partner, AK & Partners	
Break			
Second Session (Impact of CBDC)	Issues and Effects of Taxation on CBDCs	Mr. Subhash Garg Finance and Fiscal Policy Strategist, Former Finance and Economic Affairs Secretary, Government of India	12.10 PM – 01:40 PM
	Impact of Digital Currency on Financial Markets	Mr. Sudhakar Kulkarni Partner, Astute Securities	
	CBDC: Trends and Future	Mr. Anu Tiwari Partner, Cyril Amarchand Mangaldas	
Vote of Thanks and Closing			
Lunch (2:00 pm onwards)			