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# DURHAM-NLUJ CONFERENCE



**Day One: 24th June**  
**Day Two: 25th June**

# WELCOME TO DURHAM



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## **National Law University, Jodhpur**

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National Law University, Jodhpur, is one of India's most prestigious universities and a leading centre for legal education, research, and advocacy, ranked among the top ten law institutions in India in the NIRF India Rankings 2025 and recognised for its strong academic identity in areas such as commercial law.

# CONVENERS



**PROF BRUCE  
WARDHAUGH**

Professor Bruce Wardhaugh is a leading scholar in competition law, with particular expertise in collusion, cartels, and the relationship between law and economics. He joined Durham Law School in 2021, following academic posts at Manchester, Queen's University Belfast and Newcastle, and previously practised law in British Columbia. His major monographs, published by Cambridge University Press and Hart, have made significant contributions to debates on antitrust enforcement, economic shocks, criminalisation and the rule of law. He is also Editor-in-Chief of Legal Studies, a regular commentator on EU competition law, and Durham Law School's Deputy Dean for Internationalisation.

**Professor of Competition Law  
Durham University**



**PROF HARPREET  
KAUR**

Prof. (Dr.) Harpreet Kaur is Vice-Chancellor of National Law University, Jodhpur, having assumed office in September 2023. She previously served as Professor of Law and Registrar at National Law University Delhi, where she taught Company Law, Securities Regulation, Competition Law, Insurance Law and International Business Law. An internationally recognised scholar, she has held Fulbright appointments at Emory Law School and Miami Dade College, and served as Chair Professor of Indian Studies at Leibniz University Hannover. She directs the Centre for Corporate Law and Governance and leads the India Chapter of Daughters of Themis, an international network of women business scholars.

**Vice-Chancellor  
National Law University Jodhpur**

# DAY ONE: 24TH JUNE

9:15–9:45	Registration
9:45–10:15	Welcome
10:15–11:00	Dr Sayantani Bagchi: <i>Judicial recusal and the institutional dynamics of judicial impartiality in India</i> Commentator: Dr Elizabeth O'Loughlin
11:00 – 11:15	Break
11:15 – 12:00	Dr Bipin Kumar: <i>The role of India- EU Free Trade Agreement in shaping multilateral trade negotiations</i> Commentator: Prof. Ming Du
12:00–13:00	Lunch
13:00– 13:45	Dr Benedict Douglas: <i>The Balance of Identity within the UK and Indian Constitutions</i> Commentator: Dr Sayantani Bagchi/ Prof. Shilohu Rao
13:50–14:35	Dr Manoj Kumar Singh: <i>Evolution of India's international taxation jurisprudence</i> Commentator: Dr. Matt Nicholson
14:35–14:50	Break
14:50– 15:30	Prof. (Dr.) Harpreet Kaur: <i>Challenges faced by legal education in the era of agentic artificial intelligence law</i> Commentator: Dr Emma Milne
15:30–15:45	Break
15:45– 16:30	Prof. (Dr.) Shilohu Rao: <i>Invasive brain implants in criminal investigations and the protection of mental sovereignty under human rights law</i> Commentator: Dr. Karam Chadha
18:15 for 18:30	Conference Dinner, Bistro Café, Waterside Building

# DAY TWO: 25TH JUNE

9:30-10:00	Welcome Coffee
10:00-10:45	Dr Can Eken: <i>Confidentiality and Legitimacy of International Arbitration: Are They Mutually Exclusive?</i> Commentator: Dr Anand Kumar Singh
10:45 - 10:50	Break
10:50-11:35	Dr Anand Kumar Singh: <i>Commitment mechanisms in competition law by critically examining rule of law</i> Commentator: Prof Bruce Wardhaugh
11:35- 12:15	Dr. Arunabha Banerjee: <i>The need for revisiting traditional principles of fair use under copyright law in the UK, US and India in the wake of infringement challenges posed by generative AI</i> Commentator: Dr Mauricio Figueroa
12:15-13:15	Lunch
13:15- 14:00	Dr. Siddharth Balani: <i>Cross-border insolvency, with particular emphasis on a comparative analysis of the Indian framework with the United Kingdom Cross Border Insolvency Framework</i> Commentator: Ms Lana Ashby
14:00 - 14:15	Break
14:15-15:00	Dr Mauricio Figueroa: <i>The Limits of Artificial Companionship</i> Commentator: Prof Shilohu Rao
15:00-15:10	Break
15:10- 15:55	Dr Bipin Kumar: <i>Interpretation of cross-border contracts and the role of the Convention on International Sale of Goods in relation to good faith and uniformity</i> Commentator: Dr Lukas Simkus
16:00-16:15	Concluding Remarks: Prof. Harpreet Kaur and Prof. Bruce Wardhaugh

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A QUARTERLY REVIEW  
OF  
PSYCHOLOGY AND PHILOSOPHY

I.—COMPUTING MACHINERY AND  
INTELLIGENCE

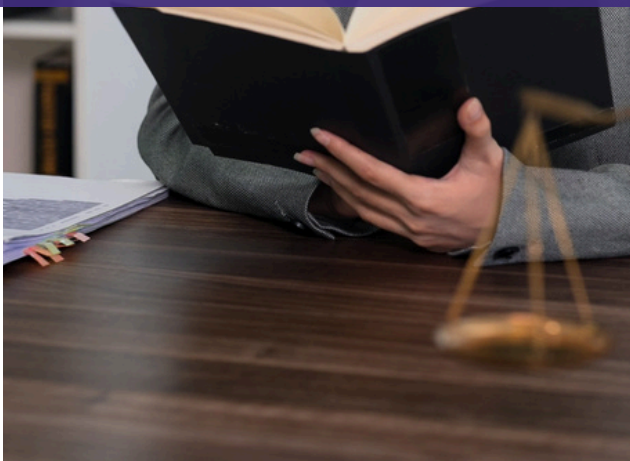
By A. M. TURING

1. *The Imitation Game.*

I PROPOSE to consider the question, 'Can machines think?' This should begin with definitions of the meaning of the terms 'machine' and 'think'. The definitions might be framed so as to reflect so far as possible the normal use of the words, but this attitude is dangerous. If the meaning of the words 'machine' and 'think' are to be found by examining how they are commonly



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