

# Curriculum Vitae

1. **Name** : **Udaya Nepali Shrestha**
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4. **Academic Qualifications** : M.Com., M.A. (Eco.), P.G.D. (intl. Law); LL. B.
5. **Present Position Held** :
  - Executive Member, Nepal Council of Arbitration
  - Executive member, Nepal Law Society
  - Chairman – Janata Bank Nepal Ltd.
  - Chairman – International Development Lawyers’ Organization (IDLO).
  - Chairman – (DEAN) Democracy and Election Alliance for Nepal.
  - Chief Legal Advisor – Patan Academy of Health Science.
  - Chief Legal Advisor-Karnali Academy of Health Science
  - President – Rotary Club of Lalitpur Midtown (2011-2012)
6. **Past Employment Records** :
  - Member – Pratinidhisabha Ghosana Karyanwayan Samiti, 2063, (House of Representative Declaration Implementation Committee, June – September, 2006)
  - Vice-chairperson of Nepal Law Reform Commission (2003 – 2006)
  - Secretary/Special Secretary – Ministry of Law, Justice and parliamentary Affairs (1997 – 2003)
  - Joint Secretary – Ministry of Law and Justice ( 1997)
  - Parliament Secretariat (1993 – 1997)
  - Ministry of Finance (1995)
  - Registrar – (Joint Secretary) Appellate Court Butwal, Rupandehi (1992 – 1993)
  - Under Secretary – Ministry of Law and Justice (1983 – 1992)
  - Section Officer – (1978 – 1983) ILT Division, Ministry of Law, Justice and Parliamentary Affairs
  - Programmer – (1976 – 1978) National Computer Center
  - Lecturer in Business Law and Finance, T.U. (1975 – 1976)
7. **Professional Experiences and Affiliations:**
  - Legal counsel to HMG/N relating to its legal affairs, particularly in the field of international law including loan negotiations with World Bank (IDA), Asian Development Bank (ADB), IFAD, Saudi Fund, Kuwait Fund and other governmental and non-governmental agencies.
  - Drafting of bills, orders, bylaws etc. including treaties and agreements under national and international law perspectives.
  - Participation in many national and international conferences, training programmes, seminars, symposiums, talk programmes, lecture programmes etc. relating to law, alternative dispute resolution mechanisms and socio-legal aspects in different capacities as leader and member of delegation, participant, resource person, commentator, rapporteur, reporter, etc.
  - National Programme Director, Strengthening the Rule of Law Project, being jointly launched by the Ministry of Law, Justice and Parliamentary Affairs of HMG/N and the United Nations Development Programme, (2001 – 2003)
  - Chairman – Nepal Investment Bank Ltd. (2002 – 2003)
  - Chairman – Law Books Management Board (a government undertaking) – (1999 – 2003)
  - Chairman – Judicial Service Training Board (a government undertaking) – (1999 – 2003)
  - Chairman – Forensic Lab Management Committee (a government undertaking) (1999 – 2000)
  - Chairman – Nepal SBI Bank Ltd. (1999)
  - Chairman – National Mediation Center (NGO) – (2006 to date)
  - Chairman – Nepal Austria Friendship Association (NGO) (2004 to date)
  - Executive Member – International Commission of Jurists (ICJ) Nepal Chapter (2004 to date)
  - Policy Advisor – Rural Development Foundation (NGO) (2000 to date)
  - Member – Civil Service Reform Committee (a government undertaking) (1999 – 2003)
  - Member – Decentralization Implementation and Monitoring Committee (a statutory committee) - (1999 – 2003)
  - Board Member – Central Law Library Board (a government undertaking) – (1999 – 2003)
  - Member – Basic and Primary Education Programme Implementation Committee (Constituted by the government) – (1999 – 2003)
  - Member – Landless Settlers’ Problem Resolving Commission (a government undertaking) – (1999 – 2003)
  - Member – Working Committee for Study and Drafting of Penal Code and Criminal Procedures Code (Constituted by the government) (2000 – 2003)
  - Member – National Coordination Committee Relating to Build, Operate, Own and Transfer (BOOT) of Infra-structural Projects (constituted by the government) – (2000 – 2003).

- Member – Foreign Employment Advisory Committee (Constituted by the government) – (1999 – 2003)
- Member – Drugs Advisory Council (a government council) – (1999 – 2003)
- Member – National Committee on Civil Aviation Security (a statutory committee) – (1999 – 2003)
- Member – Privatization Committee (A statutory committee) – (1999 - 2003)
- Member – Financial Commission on Local Self-governance issues (a statutory commission) – (1999 – 2003)
- Board Member – Administrative Staff College (a statutory body) (1999 – 2003)
- Board Member – Nepal telecommunications Corporation (1995)
- Board Member – Rastriya Banijya Bank (1995)
- Member (Judge) – Administrative Court of Nepal (1994 – 2001)
- Legal Advisor – Karnali Multipurpose Power Project (Government Mega Power Project) Kathmandu (1987 – 1990)
- Board Member – Nepal Guthi Sansthan (An Autonomous Public Undertaking) Kathmandu (1987 – 1990)
- Member – Nepal Jurists Society (NGO) (1998 to date), so on so forth.

#### **8. Sessions, Seminars, Meetings, Courses Study, Trainings etc.**

- Head of Nepalese delegation to the 42<sup>nd</sup> session of Asian African legal Consultative Organization (AALCO) held in Seoul, Korea, (June 20-25, 2003)
- Head of Nepalese delegation to the 40<sup>th</sup> Session of the AALCO held in New Delhi, India, (June 20 – 25, 2001)
- Member of Nepalese delegation in different sessions of the AALCO held in New Delhi, Nairobi and other places
- Member of Nepalese delegation, Beyond Beijing Woman Conference – a Special UN Conference, New York, 2001.
- Member – A high level delegation headed by the then Home Minister (Special representative of the Prime Minister) to hold a negotiation with the Government of Bhutan about Bhutanese Refugees in Nepal (1999)
- Meeting attended – Asia Pacific Group on Money Laundering, Fifth Annual Meeting, Brisbane, Australia, (3-7 June, 2002)
- Member of Delegation of Nepalese Parliamentarians to study and observe Parliamentary Affairs of Israel, Russia and Thailand, (November 17 – 26, 2001)
- Team Leader – A study conducted by RDF with Cooperation of DANIDA/HUGOU on Judicial Power of local bodies under Local Self Governance Act, (LSGA), 1995 (2001-2002)
- Team Leader - A study conducted by RDF with the cooperation of DANIDA/DASU on Sectoral Devolution as envisaged by LSGA (2004)
- Workshop on Teaching and Scholarship in Asia: Challenges and Responses organized by the Society of International Law in Asia, Singapore (July 2001)
- Workshop on Organization and Management of Government Legal Services organized at the Headquarters of the Asian Development Bank, Manila (July 2001)
- UNAFEI Senior Officer Training Course on “Current Problems in the Combat of Transnational Organized Crime” held in Tokyo, Japan, (January – February 1998)
- National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners (NARUC) Annual Regulatory Studies Program at Michigan State University, USA (August 1995)
- Development Lawyers Course, IDLO Rome, Italy (March 4 – May 26, 1990)
- Workshop relating to Human Rights in Manila, Philippines, UNITAR (1986)
- Workshop on Humanitarian Law Organized by ICRC, Geneva and Nepal Red Cross Society in Kathmandu (1986)
- UNITAR Fellow in International Law, The Hague, Netherlands (1985)
- Regional Seminar on International Commercial Arbitration, Jointly organized by AALCO, UNCITRAL and Indian Council of Arbitration, New Delhi (March 1984)
- 1985 Course of International law held in the Hague, The Netherlands by Hague Academy of International Law in the World Court (ICJ) – (1995)
- Workshop on Petroleum Law held in Kathmandu by U.N. Center for Transnational Corporation (UNCTC) (1984)
- Workshop on Environmental Impact Study held in Kathmandu (1983 and 1984)
- Training Course on Loan Negotiation and Renegotiation held in Washington. D.C. by International Law Institute (1984).
- Seminar as training Course on International Law held in Geneva by UN International Law Commission, 1980.
- French Language Training (Diploma) World Language Campus, T.U. Kathmandu, (1979)

#### **9. Publications:**

- Foreign Borrowings: Prospects and its Legal Aspects, 1991, Kathmandu.
- Various articles on legal, economic, commercial, social and technical issues published in Nepalese papers and journals from time to time.

#### **10. Decoration:**

Prawal Gorkha Dakshina Bahu, Suprawal Gorkha Dakshina Bahu and Trishaktipatta decorated on behalf of the State in 1991, 1998 and 2002, respectively.

#### **11. Countries Visited:**

Australia, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Belgium, Bhutan, Burma, China, Egypt, France, Germany, Hong Kong, India, Israel, Italy, Japan, Kenya, North Korea, S. Korea, Luxembourg, Malaysia, The Netherlands, Oman, Pakistan, Philippines, Qatar, Russia, Singapore, Sri Lanka, Switzerland, Thailand, United Arab Emirates, UK and USA.