

PROFILE

Dr Mukund Sarda

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PART A - PERSONAL

Full Name:

Dr. Mukund Bhagirath Sarda

Qualification:

B.Sc, LL.M, NET, Ph.D (Gold Medalist)

Date and Place of Birth:

March 16, 1965, Nizamabad, (A.P)

Father's Name:

Dr. Bhagirath Sarda

Mother Name:

Mrs. Rukmani Sarda

Wife Name:

Dr. Bhagyashree Deshpande

LL.M., Ph.D., NET

Daughter Name:

Aditi Sarda

Nationality:

Indian

Current Position:

- *Member, Management Council, Bharati Vidyapeeth University*
- *Dean & Principal, New Law College, Bharati Vidyapeeth University*
- *Legal advisor and law officer at Bharati Vidyapeeth*
- *Member, Confederation of Indian Industry (CII)*
- *Member, Maratha Chamber Of Commerce (MCC).*
- *Member, Indian Merchants' Chamber (IMC)*

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PART B - EDUCATION

1. Educational Record :

<i>Year</i>	<i>Examination</i>	<i>University/Board</i>	<i>Percentage of Marks</i>
1980	<i>S.S.C</i>	<i>S.S.C Board A.P.</i>	66%
1982	<i>Intermediate</i>	<i>Int Board</i>	67%
1985	<i>B.Sc</i>	<i>Osmania</i>	82%
1989	<i>L.L.B.</i>	<i>Marathwada</i>	67% <i>(Gold Medalist)</i>
1991	<i>L.L.M.</i>	<i>Pune</i>	67% <i>(Gold Medalist)</i>
1998	<i>NET</i>	<i>U.G.C.</i>	
2000	<i>Ph.D</i>	<i>Osmania</i>	1st Class <i>(Gold Medalist)</i>

2. Certificate of Merit:

- 1996: Stood 1st in order of merit amongst all the successful candidates at the Pre-PhD examination of Osmania University, Hyderabad.
- April, 1991: Stood first in order of merit amongst all the successful candidates at the LLM examination of University of Pune
- June, 1989: Stood 1st in order of merit amongst all the successful candidates at the LLB Final examination of Marathwada University.
- June, 1988: Stood 3th in order of merit amongst all the successful candidates at the 2nd LLB examination of Marathwada University.
- June, 1987: Stood 4th in order of merit amongst all the successful candidates at the 1st LLB examination of Marathwada University.

Scholarships, Fellowships:

- 28th December, 1997: Junior Research Fellowship & Eligibility for Lectureship by University Grant Commission, India
- April 1991: 'Natu Foundation Public Charitable Trust Prize' for securing 1st Rank in the LL.M Examination conducted by University of Pune
- April 1989: Awarded 'Late Digambaradasji Choudhari Prize' for securing highest number of marks at LLB final examination conducted by Marathwada University.
- April 1989: 'Advocate Ramchandra Deshpande Vaijapurkar Prize' for securing highest number of marks at LLB Final examination conducted by Marathwada University
- April 1989: 'Vinayakrao Alias Dadasaheb Sawant Prize' for securing highest number of marks at LLB Final examination conducted by Marathwada University
- April 1989: 'Marathwada Legal Education Society's Prize' for securing highest number of marks at LLB Final examination conducted by Marathwada University
- April, 1989: Awarded by M P Law College, Aurangabad for participating in Maharashtra State Level Moot Court Competition and securing individual 1st prize
- 1988-89: Awarded by Shri Sharda Bhavan Education Society's Law College for participating in Extempore Speech and securing 1st rank in the Annual Social Gathering
- 1988-89: Awarded by Shri Sharda Bhavan Education Society's Law College for participating in Debate and securing 1st rank in the Annual Social Gathering
- April, 1989: Awarded by Shri Sharda Bhavan Education Society's Law College for participating in State Level Moot Court Competition and securing 1st rank

PART C - APPOINTMENTS

Appointments:

Present position Held:

- Member, Management Council, Bharati Vidyapeeth University
- Dean, Faculty of Law, Bharati Vidyapeeth University
- Principal of New Law College Pune, which is ranked 13th all India basis
- Chairman Board of studies at Bharati Vidyapeeth Law faculty
- Member, Confederation of Indian Industry (CII)
- Member, Maratha Chamber Of Commerce (MCC).
- Member, Indian Merchants' Chamber (IMC)
- Regional director Distance education, Bharati Vidyapeeth University, Pune
- Director for paper setting and central assessment programme
- Research guide for law students from Bharati Vidyapeeth University, Pune University and North Maharashtra University

Prior position Held:

- Legal advisor and law officer at Bharati Vidyapeeth
- Programme officer at N.S.S.
- 15th November, 1991: Appointed as Principal at Nizamabad Law College, Nizamabad, Andhra Pradesh and worked there for nine years.

- 24th April 2003: Recognized as the Post-Graduate Teacher by University of Poona
- Member Local inspection committee Pune University Law faculty
- Member of Legal aid Committee, Pune District

PART D - VISITS ABROAD

Honorary Visits Abroad:

- Presented Paper on 'Impact of Mumbai Terror Attacks on Media Accountability vis-a-vis Free Flow of Information during Crisis Situation- an Indian Perspective' at Oxford University in March 2009.
- Attended the 51st Prayer Break Fast with the President of America Hon. Mr. Barack Obama, in January 2009.
- Visited London to deliver a lecture on 'Human Rights' at Kings College, London & Law Society in May 2006 on the invitation of Law Society of England and Wales.
- Visited American Bar Association, Los Angeles Bar Association, Supreme Court of State of Hawaii and various Universities in Washington, New York and Los Angeles.
- Received by Justice Moon, the Chief Justice of Supreme Court of Hawaii, United States of America
- Visited Brigston after being appointed as Research Faculty on the Board of University of Sussex
- Attended the International Peace Conference in U.S.A

PART E – HONOURS & AWARDS

- Received the **National Bar Award-2008** of All India Bar Association at the hands Hon. Mr. Justice Dr. Laxmanan, Former Judge Supreme Court of India, and Chairman Law Commission of India for his excellence in Legal Education.
- Awarded '**Certificate of Honour**' for Presented Paper on 'Impact of Mumbai Terror Attacks on Media Accountability vis-a-vis Free Flow of Information during Crisis Situation- an Indian Perspective' at **Oxford University** in March 2009.
- Awarded, "**VIDHI VIDYA BHUSHAN,**" by Punyashlok Sadguru ShivParvati Pratishthan, Nashik for his contribution in legal education.
- Recipient of **Pune Municipal Corporation Best Teacher Award** for 2003
- Recipient of the **Rashtra Shakti foundation Award** at the National Convention on Peace and Non-Violence on 1st August 2004 organized by the Rashtra Shakti Foundation

- *Recipient of National Legal Development Award in 2006*
- *Youngest Principal in India at the age of 24 years at a professional college.*
- *Invited to attend the swearing ceremony of the then Chief Justice of India Hon. Mr. Justice R.C. Lahoti at Rashtrapati Bhavan*

PART F - PUBLIC LECTURES

1. Major Special Invited Lectures:

- *Dr. Mukund Sarda presented Paper on 'Impact of Mumbai Terror Attacks on Media Accountability vis-a-vis Free Flow of Information during Crisis Situation- an Indian Perspective' at Oxford University in March 2009.*
- *Dr. Mukund Sarda presented a report on "Human Rights and Terrorism" at 51st Prayer Break Fast with the President of America Mr. Barack Obama.*
- *Dr. Mukund Sarda presented paper in the seminar organized by Pune Bar Association on "Rights of accused".*
- *Dr. Mukund Sarda, Dean, , Prof. Ms. Smita Pandey attended the workshops on "International Perspective of Legal Teaching" at D&S Law College, Pune.*
- *Dean Dr. Mukund Sarda attended the International Peace Conference in U.S.A.*
- *Dean Dr. Mukund Sarda presented paper on "Legal Education – International Perspective & Challenges" at Modern Law College, Pune.*
- *Delivered a Lecture on 'Rights of Private Defence under I.P.C organized by Marathwada Mitra Mandal's Law College, Pune on 5th Aug, 2004.*
- *Delivered a Lecture on 'Environmental Protection & Judicial Activism' on 9th Sept 2004, organized by Modern Law College, Pune.*
- *Has been the Chief Guest for students Orientation Programme on 8th Aug 2004, organized by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India, Pune.*
- *Has been the Chief Guest at the 18th Secretarial Modular Training Programme (SMTTP). Delivered a Lecture on 'Pre-requisite of a good professional in today's corporate world' on 7th Sept 2004.*
- *Participated in National Seminar on Intellectual Property Rights with Hon'ble Mr. Justice S.S. Parkar, Judge, Bombay High Court & Hon'ble Dr. Vijay Chitnis, Member, State Human Rights Commission on 21st March, 2004.*

PART G - seminars / workshop conducted

- 7th Mar,2009; Dr A R Lakshamanan, Chairman, Law Commission of India (Former Judge,Supreme Court); (Women and Law)
- 21st Feb,2009; MP and Senior Advocate(Supreme Court) Dr. Abhishek Manu Singhvi (Terrorism-Legal & Non Legal Perspective)
- 25th Jan,2009; MP and Senior Advocate(Supreme Court) Ram Jethmalani (Right of Defence)
- 10th Jan,2009; Former Chief Justice of India, Justice P N Bhagwati (Administration of Justice & Terrorism)
- 18th Oct. 2008 Hon'ble Justice G.N. Ray (Media Accountability and Law)
- 12th Oct. 2008 President Hon'ble P. Patil (Convocation)
- 4th Oct. 2008 Shri. P.P. Rao Senior Adv. Supreme Court (Indian Constitution Then & Now)
- 27th Sept 2008 Lecture on "Media & law" By: Shri Rajat Sharma Chairman & Chief Editor India TV
- 24th Sept. 2008 Shri. Shankaracharya Dr. M. Katkar, Vasudev Joshi (Publication of Books Distribution of Certificates)
- 19th – 21st Sept 2008 Mohan Joshi , Varsha Usagaonkar (Youth Festival Cultural Programme)
- 31st Aug 2008 Inauguration of Moot Court Competition , By: Hon'ble Dr. Justice Mukundakam Sharma Judge of Supreme Court of India, Hon'ble Mr. Justice Swatanter Kumar C.J. Bombay High Court, Hon'ble Mr. Justice S.J. Kathwalla Judge Bombay High Court.
- 30th Aug 2008 Inauguration of Moot Court Competition , By: Hon'ble Shri. Madhu Goud Yakshi Member of Parliament.
- 23rd Aug 2008 Premier Show of Sa Re Ga Ma Pa
- 23rd Aug 2008 IPR, By: Adv Amit Jamsedkar
- 20th Aug 2008 Inauguration of "Inter College Table Tennis Tournament", By Mr. Kamlesh Metha
- 7th Aug 2008 Lecture on "Victim & Witness Protection: Global Problems & Perspective", By: Adv. Asim Sarodya.
- 1st Aug 2008 Lecture on "Management & Law", By: Prof Ranade Mukund.
- 1st Aug 2008 Lecture on "Legal Discourse & Legal Education", By: Prof. Dr Laxinath & Prof. Dr. Vijay Chitnis.
- 31st July 2008 Lecture on "Intellectual Property Rights", By: Adv. Hingmire Ganesh.
- 30th July 2008 Lecture on "Corporate Law", By: Adv. Rohas Nagpal.
- 24th July 2008 Lecture on "Global Warming", By: Adv. Murlidharn.
- 19th July 2008 Lecture on "Nuclear deal-Good for India", By: Shri Ram Jethmalani, Senior Advocate, Supreme Court and MP.
- Hon. Shri. Ram Jethmalani Former Union Law Minister ; Member of Parliament 6th January 2008 Legal Discourse
- Hon. Smt. Sunanda Joshi Principal Judge, Family Court Pune, 5th February 2008 National Seminar on Working of Family Courts in India.
- Hon. Mr. Justice V.C. Daga Judge, Bombay High Court 9th February 2008 National Seminar on Intellectual Property Rights: New Horizons & Challenges

- *Mr. Justice B.N. Srikrishna Former Judge, Supreme Court of India. 23rd February 2008 Inauguration of Judicial Colloquia 2008*
- *Hon. Mr. Justice P Sathasivam Judge, Supreme Court of India 8th March 2008 Judicial Colloquia 2008*
- *Hon. Shri. K Venkatapathy Minister of State for Law & Justice, Govt of India 8th March 2008 Judicial Colloquia 2008*
- *Hon. Smt. Justice V.K, Tahilramani Judge, Bombay High Court 8th March 2008 Judicial Colloquia 2008*
- *Adv. Smt. Pinky Anand Sr. Counsel Supreme Court of India 8th March 2008 Judicial Colloquia 2008*
- *Adv. Smt. Geetha Luthra Sr. Counsel Supreme Court of India 8th March 2008 Judicial Colloquia 2008*
- *Hon. Mr. Justice S.B. Mhase Judge, Supreme Court of India 15h March 2008 Judicial Colloquia 2008*
- *Hon. Mr. Justice Pradeep Nandarajog Judge, Delhi High Court 15h March 2008 Judicial Colloquia 2008*
- *Hon. Mr. Justice R.V. Raveendran Judge, Supreme Court of India 17h March 2008 Judicial Colloquia 2008*
- *Hon. Mr. Justice G.S. Singhvi Judge, Supreme Court of India 18h March 2008 Judicial Colloquia 2008*
- *Prof A. Laxminath Vice- Chancellor , Chanakya Law School, Patna 18th May 2008 Judicial Colloquia 2008*
- *Organized Seminar on Clinical Legal Education on 6th May 2007 graced by Hon. Mr. Justice V.S. Shirpurkar, Judge Supreme Court of India and Prof. Laxminath, Director, Chanakya Law School, Patna.*
- *Organized a National level Moot Court Competition hosted by Bharati Vidyapeeth, was inaugurated by Hon, Mr. Justice J.S. Verma, and Former Chief Justice of India.*
- *Organized "Jus Amicus- THE LAW FEST" on 28th January 2007 graced by graced Shri. H. R. Bharadwaj, Union Law Minister, Hon, Mr. Justice J.S. Verma, Former Chief Justice of India, Hon, Mr. Justice Tarun Chatterjee, Judge Supreme Court of India, Hon, Mr. Justice Rajendra Babu, Former Chief Justice of India, Hon, Mr. Justice A.K, Shrivastava, Judge Madhya Pradesh High Court, Shri. Adish C. Aggarwala, Senior Advocate & Chairman, All India Bar Association and Shri, Harshad Nimbalkar, Chairman, Bar Council of Maharashtra & Goa*
- *Organized 'New Horizons of Legal Profession ' on 18th June 2005 graced by Hon. Mr. Justice R.C. Lahoti, Former Chief Justice of India*
- *Organized Lecture on Anti-Dowry System on 1st September 2005 by D.B. Kulkarni, President, Anti-Dowry Movement Bombay at Bharati Vidyapeeth*
- *Organized Inter college street play competition on 2nd September 2005 wherein students participated at Bharati Vidyapeeth*
- *Organized Consumer Day celebration on 24th December 2006 . The programme was graced by Mr. Rajesh Singh, President Consumer Forum*

2. Seminars/Workshops Attended:

- *Attended seminar on strengthening of Indo-British legal ties at New Delhi in Sept.2005*
- *Attended the Workshop organized by Samabhavana Society on 'Human Rights & Law Issues around Sexuality & HIV/AIDS' on 30th March, 2004.*

- *Attended the Seminar on 'Human Rights & Terrorism' on 31st Jan 2002 organized by A.K. Khan Law College, Pune*
- *Attended the National Seminar on 'Human Rights under Indian Democracy and International Law' organized by the Manipur student's association Pune on 10th Dec. 2003.*
- *Participated in National Seminar on Intellectual Property Rights with Hon'ble Mr. Justice S.S. Parkar, Judge, Bombay High Court & Hon'ble Dr. Vijay Chitnis, Member, State Human Rights Commission on 21st March, 2004.*
- *Attended National Seminars with galaxy of judges including Hon'ble Justice P.N. Bhagwati, Chariman, UNHR Committee and Former Chief Justice of India/Hon'ble Justice A.M. Ahmadi, Former Chief Justice of India/Hon'ble Justice Ranganath Mishra, Former Chief Justice of India/Hon'ble Justice Y.V. Chandrachud, Former Chief Justice of India/ Hon'ble Justice R.C. Lahoti, Former Chief Justice of India/ Hon'ble Justice Shivraj Patil, Judge, Supreme Court of India/Hon'ble Justice N. Santosh Hegade, Judge Supreme Court of India/Hon'ble Justice Ms. Ruma Pal, Judge, Supreme Court of India/ Hon'ble Justice S.N. Variava Judge, Supreme Court of India/Hon'ble Justice K.G. Balakrishnan, Judge, Supreme Court of India/Hon'ble Justice S.B. Sinha, Judge, Supreme Court of India/Hon'ble Justice S.H. Kapadia, Judge, Supreme Court of India/ Hon'ble Justice G.P. Mathur, Judge, Supreme Court of India/ Hon'ble Justice C.K. Thakker, Chief Justice, Bombay High Court/ Hon'ble Justice Ranjana Desai, Judge, Bombay High Court/ Hon'ble Justice Dilip Karnik, Judge, Bombay High Court/ Hon'ble Justice Dilip Bhosale Judge, Bombay High Court/ Hon'ble Justice Ajay M. Khanvilkar, Judge, Bombay High Court/ Hon'ble Justice V.G. Palshikar, Judge, Bombay High Court/ Hon'ble Justice S. Radhakrishnan, Judge, Bombay High Court/ Hon'ble Justice S.S. Parkar, Judge, Bombay High Court/ Hon'ble Justice V.M. Kanade, Judge, Bombay High Court/ Hon'ble Advocate. Adish Aggarwala, Vice-Chairman, Bar Council of India, New Delhi/ Hon'ble Advocate Ujjwal Nikam, Special Public Prosecutor, CBI, Bombay Bomb Blast Case.*

PART H - OTHER COMMUNITY SERVICE

1. Community

- *2009: organized legal literacy and legal aid camp at "Savargaon, Tal – Mulshi Dist- Pune on 25th January 2009 which helped 150 villagers.*
- *26th December 2007 : Cleanliness activities on Parvati & its vicinity and helped in improving the environment of the city.*
- *19th January to 28th January 2008. :organized legal literacy and legal aid camp at village Sarole Tal Bhor, Dist Pune during The mission of legal aid and legal literacy camp was to solve the Family Law related matters and to create awareness of the Matrimonial Laws.*
- *organized NSS visit 'Matoshri Ashram' - a home of aged to render voluntary services to them & to inter-act with them.*
- *Sadbhavana Divas Celebration*

- *Organized legal literacy and legal aid camp at village Sarole Tal Bhor, Dist Pune during 19th January to 28th January 2008. The mission of legal aid and legal literacy camp was to solve the Family Law related matters and to create awareness of the Matrimonial Laws. Around 250 people participated and benefited in this camp. Around 100 cases were surveyed by the students, 48 cases were heard and Legal Advice was given by Legal Aid Committee of the College*

Work with NGO's

- 1. Documentary film on 'Hath se hath mila' was screened with famous cine actress Ms. Urmila Matondkar which was telecasted on DD1 concerning awareness on HIV Aids patients rights.*
- 2. Guided various projects undertaken by students with Human Rights Organisation such as Maharashtra State Human Rights Commission and National Human Rights Commission.*
- 3. Organized various Legal Aid Camps at nearby villages of Pune City to create legal awareness*