

CONSOLIDATED REPORT - ADVOCACY SKILLS ACTIVITIES 2023-24

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Advocacy Skills Activities include Moot Courts, Trials, Client Counseling, Alternative Dispute Resolution, Drafting, Judgment Writing Deliberation, Treaty Appreciation, Paper Presentation, Bill Analysis Competition, Parliamentary Debate, Group Discussion, Essay Competitions and Quizzes, and Law Fests.

Advocacy Skills Activities Report 2023-24

This academic year has witnessed achievements that made us all very proud!

- Moot Court Competitions: 32.
- Other Advocacy Skills Competitions: 16
- Wins: 02
- Runners-up: 04
- Semi-finalists: 05
- Quarter-finalists: 05

Other Prizes or Positions:

1. Team comprising Mr. Ojas Date (IV B.A.LL.B), Ms. Charvee Jha (IV B.A.LL.B), Ms. Aishwarya Tripathi (IV B.A.LL.B) and Ms. Asmi Borwake (III B.A. LL.B.) won the award for the 2nd Best Memorial and Spirit of Surana at the Surana & Surana SAARC Rounds of the 28th Stetson International Environmental Moot Court Competition 2023-24.
2. Mr. Utkarsh Vyas (IV B.A.LL.B) won the award for the “Best Speaker” in the Fourth Edition of THEMIS National Moot Court Competition 2024 held in Lavasa organized by CHRIST (Deemed to be University), Pune Lavasa Campus.
3. Mr. Vansh Thapliyal (III B.A.LL.B) won the award of the “Best Researcher” in the XIII ILNU Antitrust Moot Court Competition, 2024 held in Ahmedabad organized by Institute of Law, Nirma University.
4. Mr. Akshobhya Pol (IV B.A.LL.B) won the award for the “Best Researcher” in the Fourth Edition of THEMIS National Moot Court Competition 2024 held in Lavasa organized by CHRIST (Deemed to be University), Pune Lavasa Campus.

5. Ms. Anuprita Jadhav (IV B.A.LL.B), Ms. Riya Mohan Das (IV B.A.LL.B), Mr. Viraj Yeole (IV B.A.LL.B), Mr. Mayoorn Salunkhay (IV B.A.LL.B), and Ms. Sana Kulkarni (III B.A.LL.B), Ms. Tanvi Jambhulkar (III B.A.LL.B) won the award for the “Best Memorial” in the 3rd Amity National Trial Advocacy Tournament, 2024 held at Noida and organised by Amity Law School, Noida.
6. Mr. Soumik Ghosh (III B.A.LL.B.) and Ms. Zainab Bhanpurwala (III B.A.LL.B.) won the award for “Best Negotiating Pair” in the 2nd National Med-Arb Competition, 2024 held at Nagpur and organised by SLS, Nagpur.
7. Ms. Ananya Chohan (IV B.A. LL.B.) and Mr. Pratyaksha Chandra (IV B.A. LL.B.) won the award for the “Best Client Counseling pair” in the 4th AZB-GLC National ADR Triathlon, 2024 held at Mumbai organized by Government Law College, Mumbai.

Advocacy Skills Activities and Student Involvement

More than 130 students represented ILS Law College as speakers, researchers and participants in 32 Moot Court Competitions, 4 Client Counseling Competitions, 3 Negotiation Competitions, 6 Trial Advocacy Competitions. The number of students participating in various competitions and selections held in college was as follows:

Annual Intra-College Raghavendra Phadnis Moot Court Competition	611 Participants
The 12th Negotiation Challenge	96 Participants (48 teams)
11th Annual Intra-College Client Counselling Competition	72 Participants (36 teams)
Annual Intra-College Public International Law Qualifier Moot Court Competition	80 Participants
13th Annual Intra-College Trial Advocacy Competition	144 participants (48 teams)
Annual Intra-College Novice Moot Court Competition	280 Participants

More than 25 students drafted well-balanced problems for various intra-college moot and trial advocacy competitions. Senior students and especially senior mooters very enthusiastically

encouraged, supported and guided all the moot teams, and judged preliminary rounds of intra college competitions.

THE 12TH INTRA-COLLEGE NEGOTIATION CHALLENGE 2023

Faculty in-charge - Dr. Tejaswini Malegaonkar and Dr. Banu Vasudevan

Student Coordinator – Sanaya Khadiwala (V BALLB), Gautam Garg (V BALLB), Krishna Purwar (V BALLB), Tejita Wadode (V BALLB), Khushi Patel (IV BALLB), Savani Budhkar (IV BALLB), Mudita Maggu (IV BALLB), Tanvi Sonawane (IV BALLB), Gaurisha Khot (III BALLB), Utkarsha Ranaware (III BALLB) and Shubham Mahadik (I LLB)

Date – 21st and 23rd October 2023

Report - The Negotiation Challenge is an annual intra-college competition aimed at inculcating students with negotiation skills, and acts as the qualifying contest for subsequent national and international negotiation competitions. The 12th ILS Intra-College ‘The Negotiation Challenge, 2023’ was conducted on campus through three rounds held over the course of three days, i.e., from October 21 to 23, 2023. A total of 48 teams, consisting of two members each, participated in the preliminary rounds on October 21, 2023. Six slots were reserved for students from the 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th year batches of BA LLB and the 2nd and 3rd year batches of LLB each.

Orientation and Demonstration

The orientation and demonstration for the 12th ILS Intra-College ‘The Negotiation Challenge, 2023’ were held on October 4, 2023 Wednesday at 4.30 pm. The demo session was conducted by two teams, comprising Krishna Purwar, Tejita Wadode (V BA LLB), Khushi Patel and Savani Budhkar (IV BALLB). The guest judge invited to grace the occasion was Mr. Shripad Thaware, who gave his feedback on the demo conducted and discussed the nuances of negotiation with the participants. The comprehensive orientation was briefed by our Faculty Coordinator, Dr. Tejaswini Malegaonkar.

The Strategy Paper

The 48 teams submitted their strategy papers from both sides of the preliminary problem by October 15, 2023. The same was evaluated and marked by Dr. Deepa Parturkar, Principal-in-charge of ILS Law College.

The Preliminary Round

A total of 48 teams, consisting of two members each, participated in the preliminary rounds of the competition held on October 21, 2023 in eight conference rooms. The problem for the

preliminary round was based on a fictional family dispute involving the division of a large business conglomerate.

The Preliminary rounds were judged by the following judges:

1. Ms. Aditi Athavale,
2. Ms. Pratibha Ranave,
3. Ms. Kiran Patil,
4. Ms. Rucha Neelkanth,
5. Mr. Akash Nadkarni,
6. Ms. Jenil Shah,
7. Mr. Vaibhav Chitlangia,
8. Mr. Vishal Pande,
9. Ms. Jeevita Pillai,
10. Mr. Siddeshwar Choudhary,
11. Mr. Harpreet Punj,
12. Ms. Priyanka Jadhav,
13. Ms. Ramneet Arora,
14. Ms. Bhavya Pankaj,
15. Ms. Jeffy Jacob,
16. Mr. Pratik Sharma.

The Semi Final Round

A total of eight teams, consisting of two members each, qualified for the semi-final round that was held on October 21, 2023. The problem for the semi-final round was based on a negotiation over the collective bargaining agreement (CBA) between a professional basketball players' union and a professional basketball league.

The semi-final rounds were judged by the following judges:

1. Mr. Shripad Thaware,
2. Mr. Ashish Nilkanth,
3. Mr. Tejas Hartalkar,
4. Ms. Priya Dangare,
5. Mr. Nikhil Dongre,
6. Mr. Amar Sonkawade,
7. Mr. Pushkaraj Tambat,
8. Mr. Vishal Kolekar.

The Final Round

The final round was held on October 23, 2023. The problem for the final round was based on a negotiation over an animal conservation scheme between the governments of two countries. The judges for this round were Mr. Samir Kukade (Director, Navigate HR Consultants) with over 32 years of experience as an HR specialist for various multinational companies and Ms. Alpana Srivastava (Partner, Desi & Diwanji) who has worked on various cross-border litigation and shareholder disputes for over 12 years.

Results:

Winners: Kashvi Jayasimhan and Tanushree Pateriya (II BALLB)

Runners up: Ria Nikhilesh Rathi and Yana Pradeep Bafna (III BA LLB)

Best Strategy Paper: Devansh Bhat and Palak Sinha (IV BALLB)

Organizing Committee:

The competition was organised by Gautam Garg, Sanaya Khadiwala, Krishna Purwar, Tejita Wadode (V BALLB), Khushi Patel, Savani Budhkar, Mudita Maggu, Tanvi Sonawane (IV BALLB), Gaurisha Khot, Utkarsha Ranaware (III BALLB) and Shubham Mahadik (I LLB). The problems and confidential information for every round were drafted jointly by the organising committee.

11TH ILS INTRA-COLLEGE CLIENT COUNSELING COMPETITION, 2023-24

Faculty Coordinator: Dr. Tejaswini Malegaonkar ,Ms. Bhumika Rathod, Mr. Akshay Ugale

Student Coordinator: Saday Mondol (III LLB), Yash Jain (V BA LLB), Samiksha Patni (V BA LLB), Yukta Duragkar (V BA LLB), Somil Jain (II LLB), Eesha Kaul (II LLB), Ojaswi Gupta (IV BA LLB) Ojas Date (IV BA LLB), Anoushka Singh (IV BA LLB), Urshita Wadhvani (III BA LLB), Umar Shaikh (III BA LLB), and Bhakti Handifod (III BA LLB).

Date: 13th,14th and 26th October 2023

Report: The 11th ILS Intra-College Client Counseling Competition was conducted in 3 rounds on 13th,14th and 26th October 2023. A total of 36 teams participated in the Preliminary Rounds on 13th October. 6 teams shortlisted for the Semi-Final Rounds on 14th October and 2 teams proceed to the Final Rounds. The schedule and rulebook were released on 13th September and 25th September respectively.

Orientation and Demonstration:

A general orientation and demonstration for the competition was held on 16th September. A demo session was conducted by a team of Yash Jain (V BA LLB), Yukta Duragkar (V BA LLB) as counsels, and Umar Shaikh (III BA LLB) who acted as the client. The rules of the competition were explained by the Organizing Committee to those attending. A clarification session was also followed by the demonstration.

An orientation and demonstration for the selected counsels and clients took place on 5th October 2023 which was headed by Adv. Ishwari Pendse, and the Organizing Committee explained the role and importance of the clients to those attending. This was followed by a Group Discussion on 7st October 2023 for the selection of clients. The selected clients were informed on 11th October 2023.

The registration for the counsel teams took place on 25nd September 2023 and the list of selected counsel teams was released on 26th September 2023.

The Preliminary Rounds:

The Preliminary Rounds were conducted on the 14th of October, 2023 amongst 36 teams in 6 chambers each containing 6 teams. 6 sets of problems were drafted for each chamber based on

Contract Law, Family law, Law of Crimes, IPR, Law of Torts and Competition Law. These cases were drafted by the Organising committee members –Yukta Duragkar (V BA LLB), Somil Jain (II LLB), Eesha Kaul (II LLB), Umar Sheikh (III BA LLB), Urshita Wadhvani (III BA LLB), Bhakti Handifod (III BA LLB). A total of 6 teams, one from each chamber, were selected for the semi-final rounds.

The judges for the preliminary rounds were-

Chamber 1 – Labour Law: Adv. Varadraj Jadhav and Adv. Kunal Pagar

Chamber 2 – Law of Crimes: Adv. Vaishnavi Pawar and Adv. Mahesh Sadaphale

Chamber 3 – IPR: Adv. Tanya Kukade and Adv. Fatema Lunawadawala

Chamber 4 – Property Law: Adv. Mayur Avhad and Adv. Atharva Kamble

Chamber 5 – Law of Contracts: Adv. Atharva Golwalkar and Adv. Hrucha Dhamdhare

Chamber 6 – Family Law: Adv. Prerna Bawasikar and Adv. Anuja Mule

Semi-Final Rounds:

The semi-final rounds were held on 14th October 2023. There were two chambers comprising three teams each. The cases were based on Arbitration drafted by Adv. Ayaan Yusufzai; and Securities Law drafted by Adv. Rashmi Birmole. One team from each chamber was selected for the Finals.

Judges for the Semi-Final Round –

Adv. Nidhi Kukade and Adv. Shraddha Jadhav in the Arbitration Chamber

Adv. Rashmi Birmole and Adv. H. B. Keshava in the Securities Chamber

Final Rounds:

The final rounds of the 11th ILS Intra College Client Counseling Competition were held on 26th October 2023. 2 teams were selected for the Final Rounds – Kashish Chadha (III LLB) & Ashish Rathod (III LLB); and Aditya Vinayak Shete (V BA LLB) and Samakshi Pandey (V BA LLB). The problem was on Administrative Law which was drafted by Adv. Nihal Chitre.

Judges for the final rounds -Adv. Amit Girme and Adv. Priyanka Jadhav Katkar.

Winners:

Winner: Aditya Vinayak Shete (V BA LLB) and Samakshi Pandey (V BA LLB).

Runners-up: Kashish Chadha (III LLB) & Ashish Rathod (III LLB).

Best Client: Kaveri Nanduri (I BA LLB)

13TH ILS INTRA-COLLEGE TRIAL ADVOCACY COMPETITION, 2023-24

Faculty Coordinator -Dr. Tejaswini S. Malegaonkar and Dr. Nitish Nawsagaray

Student Coordinators - Aayush Ramachandran (V B.A.LL.B.), Ankit Trivedi (V B.A.LL.B.), Anushka Tasgaonkar (V B.A.LL.B.), Siddhant Chhabra (V B.A.LL.B.), Ananya Upadhye (IV B.A.LL.B.), Chetan Charitra (IV B.A.LL.B.), Priyam Bajaj (IV B.A.LL.B.), Som Dhirwani (IV B.A.LL.B.), Akshata Kolte (III B.A.LL.B.) and Varad Joshi (III B.A.LL.B.).

Date - 17th, 20th and 21st February, 2024

Report – The Trial Advocacy Competition was established to familiarize students with the intricacies of a criminal trial. Each team has to present opening statement, conduct examination-in-chief and cross-examination, and deliver the closing statement. The competition aims to equip students with the ability to synthesize facts, evidence, and legal principles into a coherent and persuasive presentation. This prepares them to effectively advocate for their clients' interests, construct compelling arguments, navigate legal intricacies, and uphold the principles of justice as future lawyers.

After extensive planning and dedicated effort, the 13th ILS Trial Advocacy Competition, 2023-24 was successfully conducted on February 17th, 20th, and 21st, 2024, encompassing the Preliminary Round, Semi-final Round, and Final Round, respectively. The case, titled State of Maharashtra (CBI) v Anushka Bajaj, centred around the assassination of three IB directors, alleged espionage and corruption, involving statutes such as the Official Secrets Act, 1923, Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988, Indian Penal Code, 1860, and the Convention on Chemical Weapons Act, 2000.

The problem was drafted by the Organising Committee, comprising of Aayush Ramachandran, Ankit Trivedi, Anushka Tasgaonkar, Siddhant Chhabra, Ananya Upadhye, Chetan Charitra, Priyam Bajaj, Som Dhirwani, Akshata Kolte and Varad Joshi.

Registration witnessed a remarkable response, with 48 teams, totalling 144 participants, eventually enrolled. Additionally, 120 students from I BALLB, I BBALLB, and I LLB participated as witnesses, bringing the case's characters to life.

Demonstration and Orientation – Prior to the competition, a Demo Trial was conducted with the assistance of previous edition’s finalists and participants to familiarize students with trial concepts and procedures. The Demo Trial was conducted by Aayush Ramachandran (V B.A.LL.B.), Anish Kikle (V B.A.LL.B.), Ajinkya Bile (V B.A.LL.B.), Ananya Upadhye (IV B.A.LL.B.), Priyam Bajaj (IV B.A.LL.B.) and Som Dhirwani (IV B.A.LL.B.) as counsels. The rules and structure of the competition were explained by the Organizing Committee to the attendees.

To prepare witnesses group discussions were organized, followed by tailored training sessions. A special session, organized in collaboration with the Criminal Law Cell of ILS Law College, elucidated chief and cross-examination procedures. Despite the challenge of managing a large participant pool, all rounds proceeded seamlessly, thanks to the coordination of the faculty coordinator, admin OC, and volunteers.

Preliminary round - The preliminary round, comprising of 8 courtrooms and 3 rounds each, took place on February 17th, 2024, judged by practicing advocates who also enjoyed provided meals. The preliminary round was judged by various practicing advocates. As judges, Advocates Manish Pathak, Abhay Jaju, Ronak Utagikar, Prerna Baviskar, Devika Tavade, Shivam Hartalkar, Aakash Nadkarni, Shraddha Jadhav, Mehul Hartalkar, Renuka Chaudhary, Shiavni Dhaytadak, Rohan Marathe, Raghav Puranik, Tejas Hartalkar, Nikhil Dongare and Atharva Kamble impeccably navigated the courtrooms thereby, contributing to the success of our event.

Semi-final Round - The semi-final round, was held on February 20th, featured 2 courtrooms and 2 rounds, with a similar provision of refreshments. Advancing teams faced evaluation from Advocates Viraj Patole, Ankita Sarkar, Pushkar Durge, and Priyanka Jadhav.

Final Round - The final round on February 21st, 2024, hosted one round in a single, open courtroom, prefaced by a welcome speech. Dr. Tejaswini Malegaonkar and Dr. Nitish Nawsagaray announced the results post the rounds, with judges Advocate Rishabh Gandhi, Adv. Shubhash Hartalkar, and Dr. Prakashkumar Rahule providing feedback and congratulations to all participants.

1. Winning Team: Surbhi Mundhe, Digvijay Mankar, and Aditya Jaybhay;
2. Runners-up Team: Tejas Kasar, Sagar Lalwani, and Sanya Solanki;

3. List of Witnesses in the Final Round: Prakhar Pandey, Nidhi Yadav, Kushagra Mishra, Atharva Vaibhav Joshi, Jigisha Bhide, Divya Singh, Riya Pimputkar and Avantika Patra
4. Best Memorial Team Prosecution: Aashansa Ann Rajeev, Siddharth Ganesh Bagul and Anusha Mishra
5. Best Memorial Team Defence: Aashansa Ann Rajeev, Siddharth Ganesh Bagul and Anusha Mishra
6. Best Opening Statement Award: Varadraj Patil;
7. Best Chief Examination Award: Varadraj Patil;
8. Best Cross Examination Award: Divyarth Goyal;
9. Best Closing Statement Award: Sejal Zanwar

14TH JUDGMENT WRITING COMPETITION IN MEMORY OF JUDGE P. N. BEHERE

Faculty Coordinator: Ms Rajalaxmi Joshi

Student Coordinator: Mr. Aharon Pardhe (IV BA LLB)

Date: March 9, 2024

No. of Participants: 51

Report : The 14th Judgment writing competition was organized on March 9, 2024, at ILS Law College; in the memory of Judge Shri. P.N. Behere, a former District and Sessions Judge of Pune, and President of the Pune District Consumer Forum.

The Competition was open for students of IV and V BA LLB and II and III LLB and for LLM. students. Out of total 51 students, 49 students wrote judgments in English and 2 wrote in Marathi. Justice Mridula Bhatkar (Retired Judge Bombay High Court) has instituted a prize in memory of Judge Shri. P.N. Behere. She was present throughout the competition and shared her thoughts. Hon'ble Justice Revati Mohite Dere (Judge, Bombay High Court) was the Chief Guest. She inaugurated the Competition, presided over the proceedings as a judge and guided the students. Smt. Shirin Merchant (Advocate) presented an argument for the Plaintiff and Shri. Bhalchandra Patwardhan (Advocate) presented arguments for the Defendants. Justice Dr. Shalini Phansalkar Joshi (Retired Judge, Bombay High Court) was present throughout the competition and assessed the judgments. She also expressed her views and guided the students in writing the judgment.

The case for the competition this year was related to a petition before Family Court seeking declaration as to the validity of marriage. The brief consisting of a plaint, a written Statement, documents and affidavits was circulated to the participants a few days before the competition. The imaginary case and brief were created for this competition by Dr Nilima Bhadbhade (former Associate Professor, ILS Law College, Pune) , Dr. Varsha Khandagale and Dr Swatee Yogesh (Assistant Professors, ILS Law College, Pune). Aharon Pardhe, (IV BA LLB)assisted in making the compilation of the brief and overall organization of the competition. Mr. Swaraj Dhupal (I BA LLB) volunteered on the day of the competition.

Winners:

Prize	Name of Student	Class	Prize details
1st	Ms. Smitha Khandige	V BA LLB	Certificate and cash prize
2nd	Ms. Purva Hargude	IV BA LLB	Certificate and cash prize
Marathi Judgment: Special Prize	Mr. Vishwajeet Deshmukh	V BA LLB	Certificate and cash prize

Faculty Coordinator: Ms. Divya Mittal

The Core Committee: Ms. Khushi Agarwal, Ms. Shweta Shukla, Mr. Harsh Arora (V B.A.LL.B.), Ms. Pooja Bhide, Mr. Rahul Joshi, Ms. Tanisha Kedari (IV B.A.LL.B.), Mr. Shreyank Yembarwar (II LL.B.), Ms. Manaswi Kedar, Ms. Aarya Balte, and Ms. Tanvi Srivastava (III B.A.LL.B.).

The exercise of mooting is one of the highlights of every law curriculum. It teaches students skills quintessential for solving legal problems. These skills encompass both soft skills as well as writing skills. It is one of the apparent collaterals of any law school's curriculum and one which is most relished by most students.

The ILS Moot Court Society ("MCS") was founded in the academic year 2014-15 to burgeon the interests of students in the activity of mooting, facilitate students to understand intricacies of legal research, acquire sufficient stronghold over the utilization of online legal databases, organize research to crisp and clear legal propositions on the issues presented in a moot proposition which finally culminates in to a clinching argument in a moot court competition. This is achieved with our student members hosting weekly sessions throughout the academic year on various aspects of mooting which range from introduction to mooting, use of research operators, tenets of legal reading and research, interpretation of statutes, moot demonstrations, drafting moot problems, drafting memorandums, formatting memorandums and mechanics of oral advocacy.

Every year, MCS also hosts the Raghavendra Phadnis Moot Court Competition and the Annual Public International Law Qualifier Moot Court Competition, which serve as selection rounds for students inclined to represent ILS Law College at National, State level, and International moot court competitions, respectively. This competition is a highly awaited event of the year and witnesses massive participation from students across all batches. In addition, MCS organizes the Novice Moot Court Competition to assist students in their first year of law school to acquaint them with the exercise of mooting.

Furthermore, MCS deals with all specific and ancillary aspects of organization of moot court competitions, circulation of invitations of national and international moot court competitions, client counseling competitions, mediation and negotiation competitions, trial advocacy

competitions, allotment of the teams and assistance to students in completing respective registration processes of competitions.

The ILS Moot Court Society consists of student members from every batch who are selected every year based on defined criteria by inviting applications and conduct of interviews. Once the core committee is formulated, the tasks at hand are democratically distributed within the members of the committee.

SESSIONS CONDUCTED BY MCS

Date	Session	Resource Person
11/08/2023	How to do legal research and how to present oral arguments	Student Coordinators of ILS Moot Court Society
12/08/ 2023	How to use legal database	Student Coordinators of ILS Moot Court Society
4/09/2023	Rankholder's session	Faculty Coordinator of ILS Moot Court Society - Ms. Divya Mittal
8/09/2023	General Orientation Session of Moot Court Society for I st B.A. LL.B and BBA.LL.B	Student Coordinators of ILS Moot Court Society
22/09/2023	Session on Competition Law Moots	Student Coordinators of ILS Moot Court Society
6/10/2023	General Orientation Session for I st LL.B.	Student Coordinators of ILS Moot Court Society
25/11/2023	Basics of Mooting	Dr. Nilima Bhadbade
7/02/2024	Post-Phadnis Briefing with Rankholders of Annual Raghavendra Phadnis Moot Court Competition 2023	Faculty Coordinator of ILS Moot Court Society - Ms. Divya Mittal

PRACTICE MOOTS CONDUCTED BY MCS

Two practice moots were conducted by the ILS MCS on 14th May, 2023 and 22nd October, 2023. Both the moots witnessed enthusiastic participation from the students. The moots were judged by students of V B.A.LL.B. and III LL.B.

ANNUAL RAGHAVENDRA PHADNIS MOOT COURT COMPETITION 2023-24

Faculty in-charge: Ms. Divya Mittal

The Annual Raghavendra Phadnis Moot Court Competition is a highly celebrated competition which is conducted to encourage mooting among the students and select the students who shall represent ILS Law College at national and state level moot court competitions.

The Preliminary round of the Competition was conducted in an online mode on 22nd July, 2023. The Semi-Final and Final Rounds were conducted in an offline mode on 27th August, 2023 and 28th August, 2023 respectively.

The Core Committee consisted of: Ms. Khushi Agarwal, Ms. Shweta Shukla, Harsh Arora, Mr. Amol Gupta, Ms. Abha Dalal, Mr. Drishey Chugh, and Ms. Pallavi Kolarkar (V B.A.LL.B.).

The Moot Propositions and the Registration form were released on 7th July 2023.

PRELIMINARY ROUND

The preliminary round of the Competition saw an overwhelming participation of around 611 students. The participants were divided into 52 Courtrooms which were divided into morning and afternoon sessions. The Courtrooms were overseen by Courtroom Facilitators who played a key role in the successful conclusion of the competition. The Competition was adjudicated by ILS Alumni who were experts in their respective subject matter.

The Moot Propositions for the 2023 edition were on five subject matters:

- The Law of Crimes propositions was drafted by Ms. Ishika Choudhary, Assistant Professor, ILS Law College, and Ms. Isha Saxena, Assistant Professor, ILS Law College, with assistance from Ms. Khushi Agarwal and Ms. Shweta Shukla (V B.A.LL.B.);
- The Arbitration Law proposition was drafted by Ms. Srishti Kumar Technology and Disputes Law (New York University School of Law 2022, ILS Law College, Batch of 2018) and Mr. Raghvendra Pratap Singh Senior Associate, JSA Advocates & Solicitors (Batch of 2017);

- The Family Law proposition was drafted by Adv. Samar Mavinkurve (BSL, LLM), with assistance from Ms. Shweta Shukla (V B.A.LL.B.);
- The Competition Law proposition was drafted by Mr. Soham Goswami, Senior Associate P&A Law Offices, New Delhi (Batch of 2018); and
- The Constitutional Law proposition was drafted by Adv. Nauman Beig, Law Clerk-cum-Research Associate to Chief Justice of India D. Y. Chandrachud, Supreme Court of India (Batch of 2022).

SEMI-FINAL ROUND

After the highly competitive preliminary rounds, 96 participants qualified to the Semi-Final Round. The Participants had to argue a different Moot Proposition for the Semi-Final Round and the same proposition was to be argued in the Final Round. The proposition was drafted by Mr. Zacarias Joseph, Advocate, Bombay High Court, Khaitan & Co. (Batch of 2015), with assistance from Mr. Harsh Arora and Mr. Drishey Chugh (V B.A.LL.B.) based on the Securities Law.

The Semi-Final Round was adjudicated by the notable alumni of the college. The judges for the Semi-Final Round were Ms. Vindhya Gupta, Mr. Raturaj Jere, Mr. Amit Agarwal, Ms. Saranya Mishra, Ms. Ragini Jaitha, Ms. Vibha Joshi, Ms. Siddhi Sabne, Ms. Jeevita Pillai, Mr. Saransh Dey, Mr. Amit Singh, Ms. Pooja Baghel, Ms. Ipshita Dey, Ms. Partha Pati, Ms. Renuka Chaudhari, Ms. Rupali Panganti, Mr. Tejas Kapre, Ms. Anjali Valsankar, Mr. Biswadeep Chakravarty, Ms. Pooja Batra, Mr. Xerxes Bharucha, Ms. Padmaja Kathikar, Ms. Aishwarya Dixit, Mr. Aayush Mishra, and Mr. Aman Kumar.

The Participants were also marked on the basis of the Memorandum submitted by them to support their arguments. The Memorandums were evaluated by Mr. Soham Bhalerao (Batch of 2021), Ms. Rashmi Birmole (Batch of 2022), Mr. Subodh Singh (Batch of 2022), Ms. Priyanka Limaye (Batch of 2022), Ms. Onjula Chatterjee (Batch of 2022), Ms. Swati Singh (Batch of 2022), Ms. Yamini Jain (Batch of 2022), Ms. Anushri Shukla (Batch of 2022), Ms. Anukriti Anand (Batch of 2022), Ms. Sakshi Kapadia (Batch of 2022), Ms. Aditi Mishra (Batch of 2023), Ms. Aakanksha Ranjan (Batch of 2023), Ms. Anoushka Gahilot (Batch of 2023), Mr. Anubhav Sinha (Batch of 2023), Mr. Mihir Govande (Batch of 2023), Mr. Nishant Bajoria (Batch of 2023), Mr. Sagar Agarwal (Batch of 2023), Ms. Maitreyee Borse (Batch of 2023), Ms. Kashish Singhal (Batch of 2023), Ms. Niyati Dosandi (Batch of 2023), Mr. Tejas Bhonge (Batch of 2023), Mr. Hitanshu Patil (Batch of 2023), Mr. Shantanu Sohoni (Batch of

2023), Ms. Prachi Kaushik (Batch of 2023), Ms. Aarzo Gulani (Batch of 2023), and Ms. Samraggi Debroy (Batch of 2023)

FINAL ROUND

Twelve students from the Semi-Final Round qualified to the Final Round of the Competition were as follows: Yash Jain (V B.A.LL.B.), Charvee Jha (IV B.A.LL.B.), Manas Kelkar (IV B.A.LL.B.), Anoushka Kaulgekar (IV B.A.LL.B.), Aditya Shete (V B.A.LL.B.), Yana Bafna (III B.A.LL.B.), Yash Deshmukh (II B.A.LL.B.), Som Dhirwani (IV B.A.LL.B.), Rituraj Tripathi (II LL.B.), Ria Rathi(III B.A.LL.B.), Keshav Paliwal (IV B.A.LL.B.), and Arya Mitkari (II B.A.LL.B.).

Adv. Zacarias Joseph , Bombay High Court, Khaitan & Co. (Batch of 2015), Adv. Deepti Dole, and Dr. Gaurav Pingle Company Secretary and Corporate Law Advisor were the judges for the Final Round. Mr. Yash Jain (V B.A.LL.B.) was adjudged as the winner of the Competition. Ms. Charvee Jha (IV B.A.LL.B.), emerged as the first runner-up and Mr. Manas Kelkar (IV B.A.LL.B.) secured the second runner-up position. Ms. Yana Bafna (III B.A.LL.B.) received the award for Best Memorial.

SESSIONS CONDUCTED PRIOR TO THE ANNUAL RAGHAVENDRA PHADNIS MOOT COURT COMPETITION 2023

The Organizing Committee organized and conducted several sessions for the benefit of the participants of the competition. These are as follows: _

1. General Orientation Session

Date: 5th July, 2023

Mode: Online

Resource Persons: Phadnis OC

Purpose: This session was for the purpose of introducing the Organizing Committee and acquainting the participants with the general rules, format and schedule of the competition. The session also aimed to provide details about the subsequent session, orientations and general Dos and Don'ts of the competition.

0. Session on How to Use Legal Databases for Moot Research

Date: 13th July 2023

Mode: Online

Resource Person: Ms. Khushi Agarwal (V B.A. LL.B.)

Purpose: This Session was for the purpose of acquainting the participants with the basics of researching for a Moot Proposition. The Organizing Committee focused on the process of reading a Moot Proposition, applicable legislations, case laws, etc. The session also covered the essentials of formulating moot arguments, its oral presentation and the preparation of a compendium. A general overview of the various databases that could be used for research activities was also provided during the course of the session.

0. Drafter's Case Orientation Sessions

Date: 9th and 10th July 2023

Mode: Online

Resource Persons:

Arbitration: Ms. Srishti Kumar

Constitutional Law: Adv. Nauman Beig

Family Law: Adv. Samar Mavinkurve

Law of Crimes: Ms. Isha Saxena

Competition Law: Mr. Soham Goswami

Purpose: This Session was conducted by the respective drafters of the Moot Propositions of each subject area. The Sessions intended to give the participants a better insight into the basics of the Moot Propositions and the approach that must be adopted by participants while carrying out their research.

0. General Subject Orientation Sessions

Date: 10th, 11th, and 12th July 2023

Mode: Online

Resource Persons:

Competition Law: Ms. Khushi Agarwal (V B.A.LL.B.)

Arbitration Law: Ms. Pallavi Kolarkar (V B.A.LL.B.)

Family Law: Adv. Samar Mavinkurve and Ms. Shweta Shukla (V B.A.LL.B.)

Purpose: The Sessions intended to give the participants a better insight into the basics of the subject areas of law based on which the propositions were drafted and to introduce them with the approach that must be adopted by participants while carrying out their research.

0. General Orientation Session (for the Semi-Finalist Participants)

Date: 27th July, 2023

Mode: Online

Resource Persons: Ms. Khushi Agarwal and Ms. Shweta Shukla (V B.A.LL.B.)

Purpose: The session was conducted to acquaint the participants with the basics of Securities Law and the appropriate approach while researching for the Moot Proposition. The Case Orientation for the Semi-Finals Round was conducted by the drafter of the Moot Proposition, Mr. Zacarias Joseph.

0. Session on How to Draft a Memorandum

Date: 30th July, 2023

Mode: Online

Resource Person: Ms. Shweta Shukla (V B.A.LL.B.)

Purpose: This Session aimed to provide a detailed understanding of how to draft a Memo for a Moot Proposition. The Organizing Committee explained the various essential components of a memo, the art of articulation and compilation of information and the rules attached to memo drafting.

0. Session on How to Format a Memorandum

Date: 31st July, 2023

Mode: Online

Resource Person: Ms. Khushi Agarwal (V B.A.LL.B.)

Purpose: This Session was conducted by the ILS Memo Formatting Committee to explain to the participants the intricacies of formatting a memo and the various essential steps and processes that must be adhered to for the same.

ANNUAL PUBLIC INTERNATIONAL LAW QUALIFIER MOOT COURT COMPETITION, 2023

Faculty in-charge: Ms. Divya Mittal

The Annual Public International Law Qualifier Moot Court Competition is a highly celebrated competition which is conducted

The Preliminary round of the Competition was conducted in an online mode on 10th September, 2023. The Final Rounds was conducted in an offline mode on 16th September, 2023.

The Core Committee consisted of: Ms. Khushi Agarwal, Ms. Shweta Shukla, Mr. Harsh Arora, Ms. Shreya Patni (V B.A.LL.B.), Mr. Rahul Joshi, Ms. Tanisha Kedari, Ms. Pooja Bhide, and Mr. Parth Paliwal (IV B.A.LL.B.).

The Moot Proposition and the Registration form were released on 29th August 2023.

PRELIMINARY ROUND

The preliminary round of the Competition saw a participation of 80 students. The participants were divided into 6 Courtrooms. The Courtrooms were overseen by Courtroom Facilitators who played a key role in the successful conclusion of the competition. The Competition was adjudicated by 12 ILS Alumni who were experts in their respective subject matter.

The Moot Proposition for the 2023 edition was drafted by Ms. Tulika Gupta, Research Analyst at the Council of Energy, Environment, and Water (Batch of 2018) and Mr. Atharv Joshi, Trade Compliance Team, On AG Zurich (Batch of 2021). The Participants were also marked on the basis of the Memorandum submitted by them to support their arguments. The Memorandums were evaluated by , Ms. Avanti Deshpande (Batch of 2022), Ms. Sakshi Kapadia (Batch of 2022), Mr. Subodh Singh, Ms. Rashmi Birmole (Batch of 2022), Mr. Bhargav Bhamidipati (Batch of 2022), Ms. Anushri Shukla (Batch of 2022), Ms. Shalanki Prasad (Batch of 2022), Ms. Neha Dhavalikar (Batch of 2022), Mr. Ashutosh Ghag (Batch of 2023), Ms. Meenal Bhagat (Batch of 2023), Mr. Nishant Bajoria (Batch of 2023), Mr. Mihir Govande (Batch of 2023), Ms. Kashish Singhal (Batch of 2023), Mr. Sagar Agrawal (Batch of 2023), Mr. Hitanshu Patil (Batch of 2023), Namita Pandey (Batch of 2023), Ms. Shrawani Mohani (Batch of 2023), Ms. Aditi Mishra (Batch of 2023), Ms. Dewangi Sharma (Batch of 2023), Ms. Maitreyee Borse (Batch of 2023), and Ms. Devanshi Masand (Batch of 2023).

FINAL ROUND

Twelve students from the qualified to the Final Round of the Competition were as follows: Tejas Joshi (IV B.A.LL.B), Ojas Date (IV B.A.LL.B), Charvee Jha (IV B.A.LL.B), Sejal Patil (IV B.A.LL.B), Aishwarya Tripathi (IV B.A.LL.B.), Asma Khan (III B.A.LL.B), Sana Kulkarni (III B.A.LL.B), Tanvi Srivastava (III B.A.LL.B), Vrunda Nabira (III B.A.LL.B), Pratyaksha Chandra (IV B.A.LL.B), Manaswi Kedar (III B.A.LL.B), and Tanishq Mishra (III B.A.LL.B.).

RESULT

Mr. Abhijeet Dhere, Program Director, School of Law, MITWPU, Ms. Mukta Sathe, PhD Law, National University of Juridical Sciences, Kolkata, and Ms. Tulika Gupta, Research Analyst at the Council of Energy, Environment, and Water, were the judges for the Final Round.

Mr. Tanishq Mishra (III B.A.LL.B.) was adjudged as the winner of the Annual Public International Law Qualifier Moot Court Competition, 2023. Mr. Ojas Date (IV B.A.LL.B.) emerged as the first runner-up and Mr. Tejas Joshi (IV B.A.LL.B.) secured the second runner-up position. Ms. Aishwarya Tripathi (IV B.A.LL.B.) received the award for Best Memorial.

SESSIONS CONDUCTED PRIOR TO THE COMPETITION:

The Organizing Committee organized and conducted several sessions for the benefit of the participants of the competition. These are as follows: _

1. Drafters' Orientation Session

Date: 30th August, 2023

Mode: Online

Resource Person: Mr. Atharv Joshi

Purpose: This Session was conducted by the drafters of the Moot Proposition. The Sessions intended to give the participants a better insight into the basics of the Moot Proposition and the approach that must be adopted by participants while carrying out their research.

0. Session on Introduction to International Law

Date: 31st August 2023

Mode: Online

Resource Persons: Ms. Shweta Shukla (V B.A.LL.B.) and Ms. Tanisha Kedari (IV B.A.LL.B.)

Purpose: To familiarise students with the sources and nuances of International Law.

0. Session on How to Use International Law Databases

Date: 2nd September, 2023

Mode: Online

Resource Persons: Ms. Shweta Shukla (V B.A.LL.B.), Ms. Pooja Bhide, and Mr. Rahul Joshi (IV B.A.LL.B.)

Purpose: To familiarise the participants on how to use the various databases equipped in International Law.

PARTICIPATION IN INTER-COLLEGE COMPETITIONS

INTERNATIONAL MOOT COURT COMPETITIONS

Mr. Pritesh Shende (IV B.A.LL.B) and **Ms. Nikhita Sukheja** (IV B.A.LL.B) with **Ms. Anugraha Jose** (IV B.A.LL.B) represented the College at the Annual Oxford International Intellectual Property Law Moot Competition held at Oxford organized by The Oxford Intellectual Property Research Centre (OIPRC). They participated in the memo rounds.

Mr. Tanishq Mishra (III B.A.LL.B) and **Ms. Manaswi Kedar** (III B.A.LL.B) with **Ms. Tanvi Srivastava** (III B.A.LL.B), **Ms. Vrunda Nabira** (III B.A.LL.B) and **Mr. Reuben Fernandes** (III B.A.LL.B) represented the College at the India National Rounds of the Philip C. Jessup International Law Moot Court Competition held in Noida organized by Amity Law School, Noida. They argued a case relating to public international law.

Mr. Tejas Joshi (IV B.A.LL.B), **Ms. Sejal Patil** (IV B.A.LL.B), and **Ms. Sana Kulkarni** (III B.A.LL.B) represented the College at the 9th India National rounds of the IBA International Criminal Court Moot Court Competition, 2024 held in New Delhi organized by National Law University, Delhi. They argued a case relating to international criminal law.

Ms. Anoushka Kaulgekar (IV B.A.LL.B.) and **Ms. Khushi Patel** (IV B.A. LL.B.) with **Mr. Sahil Bhatia** (IV B.A.LL.B.) and **Mr. Atharva Bhilare** (IV B.A.LL.B.) represented the College at XVII National Law School Trilegal International Arbitration Moot, 2024 held in Bengaluru organized by National Law School of India University, Bengaluru. They emerged as quarter finalists. They argued a case relating to international arbitration law.

Mr. Yash Deshmukh (II B.A.LL.B) and **Ms. Mimansa Mishra** (II B.A.LL.B) with **Ms. Srushti Gokak** (II B.A.LL.B) and **Ms. Mitali Tikyani** (II LL.B) represented the College at the 9th NLIU Justice R.K. Tankha Memorial International Arbitration Moot, 2024 held in Bhopal organized by NLIU, Bhopal. They argued a case relating to international arbitration law.

Ms. Sheetal Potale (III LL.B) and **Mr. Aayush Balduwa** (III LL.B) with **Mr. Manthan Palsande** (III LL.B) represented the College at the 5th GNLU International Moot Court Competition, 2024 held in Gandhinagar organized by GNLU, Gandhinagar. They argued a case relating to international trade law.

Mr. Rituraj Tripathi (II LL.B) and **Mr. Somil Jain** (II LL.B) with **Mr. Shreyank Yembarwar** (II LL.B) represented the College at the Remembering Professor S.P. Sathe 18th

International Moot Court Competition, 2024 held in Pune organized by ILS Law College, Pune. They argued a case relating to public international law.

Mr. Ojas Date (IV B.A.LL.B), **Ms. Charvee Jha** (IV B.A.LL.B), **Ms. Aishwarya Tripathi** (IV B.A.LL.B), and **Ms. Asmi Borawake** (III B.A.LL.B) represented the College at the Surana & Surana SAARC Rounds of the 28th Stetson International Environmental Moot Court Competition 2023-24 organised by SRM University, Delhi NCR, Sonapat. The team won the 2nd Best Memorial and Spirit of Surana. They argued a case relating to international environmental law.

Ms. Avani Bhore (IV B.A.LL.B), **Ms. Tanisha Patil** (IV B.A.LL.B), and **Ms. Tejas Kasar** (IV B.A.LL.B) represented the College at the 4th NALSAR UNHCR Public International Law Moot Court Competition 2024 organised by NALSAR, Hyderabad. They argued a case relating to international humanitarian law.

Mr. Aditya Shete (V B.A.LL.B), **Mr. Parth Paliwal** (IV B.A.LL.B), and **Ms. Priyam Bajaj** (IV B.A.LL.B) represented the College at the 1st Hidayatullah International Moot Court Competition, 2024 organised by Hidayatullah National Law University (HNLU), Raipur. They argued a case relating to competition law.

Ms. Asma Khan (III B.A.LL.B), **Mr. Utkarsh Singh** (III B.A.LL.B), and **Ms. Mrunmayee Nagdive** (III B.A.LL.B) represented the College at the IISL Manfred Lachs Space Law Court Moot Court Competition 2024 organised by International Institute of Space Law, Tokyo Japan. They argued a case relating to international space law.

NATIONAL MOOT COURT COMPETITIONS

Ms. Parul Trivedi (III B.A.LL.B) and **Mr. Atharva Limaye** (III B.A.LL.B) with **Mr. Vansh Thapliyal** (III B.A.LL.B) represented the College at the XIII ILNU Antitrust Moot Court Competition, 2024 held in Ahmedabad organized by Institute of Law, Nirma University. They argued a case relating to antitrust law. **Mr. Vansh Thapliyal** won the award for the Best Researcher.

Ms. Mahek Saraf (III B.A.LL.B) and **Ms. Chanchal Singh** (III B.A.LL.B) with **Mr. Abhishek Joshi** (III B.A.LL.B) represented the College at 20th K.K. Luthra Memorial Moot Court, 2024 held in New Delhi organized by Campus Law Centre, University of Delhi. They argued a case relating to criminal law.

Mr. Rahul Agrawal (IV B.A.LL.B) and **Ms. Navnisha Patni** (IV B.A.LL.B) with **Ms. Akshata Kolte** (III B.A.LL.B) represented the College at the 16th NUJS-HSF National Corporate Law Moot Court Competition, 2024 held at Kolkata organized by West Bengal

National University of Juridical Sciences, Kolkata. They argued a case relating to corporate law.

Mr. Yash Jain (V B.A.LL.B) and **Ms. Sanaya Khadiwala** (V B.A.LL.B) with **Ms. Aarya Padhye** (IV B.A.LL.B) represented the College at the 15th NLU Antitrust Law Moot Court Competition, 2024 held at Jodhpur organized by National Law University, Jodhpur. They argued a case relating to competition law. The team emerged as semi-finalists.

Ms. Ayushi Chauhan (II B.A.LL.B) and **Ms. Anuradha Lawankar** (II B.A.LL.B) with **Ms. Gaurishaa Khot** (III B.A.LL.B) represented the College at VI TNNLU-CCI National Moot Court Competition 2024 organized by Tamil Nadu National Law University. They argued a case relating to competition law. The team emerged as quarter-finalists.

Mr. Som Dhirwani (IV B.A.LL.B) and **Mr. Mayoorr B Salunkhay** (IV B.A.LL.B) with **Mr. Varad Joshi** (III B.A.LL.B) represented the College at 3rd NALSAR-CCI Antitrust Moot Court Competition, 2024 held at Hyderabad organized by NALSAR, Hyderabad. They argued a case relating to competition law.

Mr. Arya Doshi (IV B.A.LL.B) and **Mr. Akshobhya Pol** (IV B.A.LL.B) with **Mr. Utkarsh Vyas** (IV B.A.LL.B) represented the College at the Fourth Edition of THEMIS National Moot Court Competition 2024 held in Lavasa organized by CHRIST (Deemed to be University), Pune Lavasa Campus. They argued a case relating to constitutional law. **Mr. Utkarsh Vyas** bagged the prize for the Best Speaker and **Mr. Akshobhya Pol** for the Best Researcher.

Mr. Rahul Joshi (IV B.A.LL.B), **Mr. Chirayu Rushiya** (V. B.A.LL.B), And **Ms. Chandrama Raje** (IV B.A.LL.B) represented the College at the 16th NALSAR - Justice B.R. Sawhney Memorial Moot Court Competition 2023 held at NALSAR at Hyderabad. They argued a case relating to constitutional law.

Mr. Pruthviraj Desale (III B.A.LL.B), **Mr. Digvijay Mankar** (III B.A.LL.B), and **Ms. Zainab Bhanpurawala** (III B.A.LL.B) represented the College at the NHRC-CNLU National Moot Court Competition 2023 held at Patna and organised by Chanakya National Law University, Patna. They argued a case relating to constitutional law.

Ms. Yashaswini Joshi (III B.A.LL.B) and **Mr. Digvijay Salunkhe** (III B.A.LL.B) represented the College at the 11th Annual Adv. B.P Apte Memorial National Mock Trial, Moot Court and Judgement Writing Competition, 2023 held at Mumbai and organised by Adv. Balasaheb Apte College of Law, Mumbai. They emerged as 1st Runners-up. They argued a case relating to criminal law.

Mr. Aditya Kor (II B.A.LL.B), **Mr. Aarish Khan** (III B.A.LL.B), and **Mr. Satyajit Khairnar** (IV B.A.LL.B) represented the College at the 2nd RMLNLU- Kochhar & Co.

Arbitration Moot Court Competition, 2024 held at Lucknow and organised by Dr. Ram Manohar Lohiya National Law University, Lucknow. They argued a case relating to arbitration law.

Ms. Bushra Tupke (III B.A.LL.B), **Ms. Pritika Barnwal** (III B.A.LL.B), and **Mr. Apnatva** (II B.A.LL.B) represented the College at the 1st National Chamber of Tax Consultants Indirect Tax Moot Court Competition, 2024 in collaboration with ILS Law College, Pune, held at Pune and organised by ILS Law College, Pune. They argued a case relating to indirect tax law.

Mr. Keshav Paliwal (IV B.A.LL.B), **Ms. Avani Panchbhai** (IV B.A.LL.B), and **Ms. Tanishka Chavan** (IV B.A.LL.B) represented the College at the 5th National Moot Court Competition, 2024 held at Kharagpur and organised by Rajiv Gandhi School of Intellectual Property Law, IIT Kharagpur. They argued a case relating to intellectual property law.

Mr. Arya Mitkari (II B.A.LL.B), **Mr. Vivek Singh** (IV B.A.LL.B), **Ms. Ojaswi Gupta** (IV B.A.LL.B) represented the College at the 12th RGNUL National Moot Court Competition, 2024 (Virtual) organised by Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law, Patiala. They argued a case relating to constitutional law.

Mr. Maanas Kelkar (IV B.A.LL.B), **Ms. Samiksha Patni** (V B.A.LL.B), and **Ms. Tejita Wadode** (V B.A.LL.B) represented the College at the 8th National Moot Court Competition held at Hyderabad and organised by Symbiosis Law School, Hyderabad. They argued a case relating to constitutional law. They emerged as Quarter-finalists.

Ms. Ananya Chohan (IV B.A.LL.B), **Mr. Ahaan Verma** (IV B.A.LL.B), and **Ms. Shruti Nair** (IV B.A.LL.B) represented the College at the Justice U.P. Singh Memorial 3rd CNLU-CCI National Moot Court Competition, 2024 held at Patna, organised by Chanakya National Law University, Patna. They argued a case relating to competition law.

Ms. Swara Chaudhari (III B.A.LL.B), **Mr. Avaneesh Abhyankar** (II B.A.LL.B), and **Mr. Soham Lambe** (II B.A.LL.B) represented the College at the 3rd AIU National Moot Court Competition, 2024 held at Navi Mumbai and organised by DY Patil University, Navi Mumbai. They argued a case relating to constitutional law. The team emerged as Semi-finalists.

Mr. Chetan Charitra (IV B.A.LL.B), **Mr. Devansh Bhatt** (IV B.A.LL.B), and **Ms. Charis Yadav** (IV B.A.LL.B) represented the College at the 4th ADYPU National Moot Court Competition, 2024 held at Pune and organised by Ajeenkya D Y Patil University, Pune. They argued a case relating to constitutional law. The team emerged as Winners.

Ms. Tanaya Devadhe (III B.A.LL.B), **Mr. Samyak Wankhede** (III B.A.LL.B), and **Mr. Ganesh Kotwal** (III B.A.LL.B) represented the College at the Late Justice P. B. Sawant 10th National Moot Court Competition held at Pune and organised by MM's Shankarrao Chavan

Law College, Pune. They argued a case relating to constitutional law. They finished as Finalists.

Mr. Sagar Lalwani (IV B.A.LL.B), **Ms. Utkarsha Rananaware** (III B.A.LL.B), and **Mr. Ajay Sahani** (III B.A.LL.B) represented the College at the 1st Vishwakarma University National Moot Court Competition, 2024 held at Pune and organised by Vishwakarma University, Pune. They argued a case relating to constitutional law. The team emerged as Semi-finalists.

Mr. Atharv Desai (II B.A.LL.B), **Mr. Madhur Tiwari** (II B.A.LL.B), and **Mr. Sudhanshu Gupta** (II B.A.LL.B) represented the College at the 4th Edition Bal Gangadhar Tilak National Moot Court Competition held at Pune and organised by Lokmanya Tilak Law College, Pune. They argued a case relating to constitutional law.

Mr. Vedant Labade (III B.A.LL.B), **Mr. Kartik Kadukar** (III B.A.LL.B), and **Ms. Dakshayani Donthu** (IV B.A.LL.B) represented the College at the IX Edition of the National Moot Court Competition, 2024 held at Gurgaon and organised by The NorthCap University, Gurgaon. They argued a case relating to constitutional law. They emerged as Semi-finalists.

Ms. Megha Deshpande (II B.A.LL.B), **Ms. Ritu Karwa** (II B.A.LL.B), and **Mr. Malhar Joshi** (III B.A.LL.B) represented the College at the Smt. Kashibai Navale 10th National Moot Court Competition, 2024 held at Pune and organised by Sinhgad Law College, Pune. They argued a case relating to constitutional law.

Mr. Umar Shaikh (III B.A.LL.B), **Mr. Anish Padhye** (II B.A.LL.B), and **Ms. Srikrishna Samhita** (II B.A.LL.B) represented the College at the 3rd online National Moot Court Competition, 2024 organised by Dr. D.Y. Patil Law College, Pimpri, Pune. They argued a case relating to constitutional law. They emerged as Quarter-finalists.

INTERNATIONAL ADR COMPETITIONS

Ms. Kashvi Jayasimhan (II B.A.LL.B.) and **Ms. Tanushree Pateriya** (II B.A.LL.B) represented the College at 2nd Allen & Overy - NLU Jodhpur International Deal Negotiation Competition, 2024 at Jodhpur organized by National Law University, Jodhpur.

Ms. Aashansa Ann Rajeev (II LL.B) and **Ms. Anusha Mishra** (II LL.B) represented the College at the National Rounds of Louis M. Brown and Forrest S. Mosten International Client Consultation Competition, 2024 held at Jabalpur organized by DNLU, Jabalpur.

Ms. Shreya Patni (V B.A.LL.B) and **Ms. Manasi Barve** (V B.A.LL.B) represented the College at the HSF - NLU Delhi International Negotiation Competition, 2023 held at Delhi and organised by National Law University, Delhi.

NATIONAL ADR COMPETITIONS

Ms. Anoushka Singh (IV B.A.LL.B) and **Ms. Ananya Chohan** (IV B.A.LL.B) with **Mr. Pratyaksha Chandra** (IV B.A.LL.B) represented the College at the 4th AZB-GLC National ADR Triathlon, 2024 held at Mumbai organized by Government Law College, Mumbai. Ananya Chohan and Pratyaksha Chandra emerged as the Best Client Counseling pair in the Competition.

Ms. Payal Kabra (IV B.A.LL.B) and **Ms. Samruddhi Darakh** (IV B.A.LL.B) with **Ms. Esha Lalwani** (IV B.A.LL.B) represented the College at 12th Nyayavalokan: National Trial Advocacy and Judgment Writing Competition, 2023 held at Mumbai organized by SVKM's Pravin Gandhi College of Law, Mumbai.

Mr. Gautam Garg (V B.A.LL.B) and **Ms. Hardi Satta** (V B.A.LL.B) with **Mr. Krishna Purwar** (V B.A.LL.B) represented the College at the 6th TNNLU National Mediation-Arbitration Competition, 2024 held at Tamil Nadu organized by Tamil Nadu National Law University. The team emerged as Runners-up in the Best Client- Counseling Pair category.

Mr. Kashish Chadha (III LL.B) and **Mr. Ashish Rathod** (III LL.B) represented the College at the 5th NLIU - Singhanian & Partners National Client- Counseling Competition, 2023 held at Bhopal and organised by NLIU Bhopal.

Ms. Asmita Choudhary (II LL.B) and **Ms. M. Nandana** (II LL.B) represented the College at the 2nd Senior Advocate Late Shri. P. M Shah MNLUA National Client -Counseling Competition 2024 held at Aurangabad and organised by Maharashtra National Law University, Aurangabad.

Ms. Zainab Bhanpurawala (III B.A.LL.B), **Mr. Soumik Ghosh** (III B.A.LL.B), and **Ms. Bibisarah Shaikh** (III B.A.LL.B) represented the College at the 2nd National Med-Arb Competition, 2024 held at Nagpur and organised by SLS, Nagpur. The team emerged as the Best Negotiating Pair.

Mr. Spandan Das (II B.A.LL.B) and **Ms. Saniya Bhat** (II B.A.LL.B) represented the College at the SYMBHAV Symbiosis Law School Pune - Client Counseling, Mediation Deal and Negotiation Competition, 2024 (Negotiation Segment) held at Pune and organised by Symbiosis Law School, Pune. Mr. Spandan Das emerged as the Semi-finalist in the Negotiation segment of the competition.

Ms. Shruti Nair (IV B.A.LL.B) and **Ms. Sanika Raut** (IV B.A.LL.B) represented the College at the X National Law School - Negotiation, Mediation and Client -Counseling Competition (NLS NMC) [Negotiation segment] held at Bengaluru and organised by NLSIU, Bangalore.

International Trial Advocacy Competitions:

Mr. Madhav Chandra Birari (II B.A.LL.B) and **Mr. Rachit Agrawal** (II B.A.LL.B) with **Mr. Vedant Sanap** (II B.A.LL.B) represented the College at the 9th Symbiosis Law School, Pune - International Criminal Trial Advocacy Competition 2024 held at Pune and organized by SLS Pune. They argued a case relating to international criminal law.

National Trial Advocacy/Judgement Writing Competition-

Ms. Anushka Tiwari (IV B.A.LL.B) and **Ms. Manaya Singh** (IV B.A.LL.B) with **Ms. Insha Khan** (IV B.A.LL.B) represented the College at the 9th National Trial Advocacy and Judgment Writing Competition, 2024 held at Bengaluru organized by School of Law, CHRIST. They emerged as quarter- finalists.

Mr. Vedant Lathi (V B.A.LL.B), **Ms. Lakshmi Pratyusha Susarla** (V B.A.LL.B), and **Mr. Dishant Deshmukh** (IV B.A.LL.B) represented the College at the 8th National Trial Advocacy and Judgment Writing Competition, 2023 held at Bengaluru and organised by School of Law, CHRIST University.

Ms. Anuprita Jadhav (IV B.A.LL.B), **Ms. Riya Mohan Das** (IV B.A.LL.B), **Mr. Viraj Yeole** (IV B.A.LL.B), **Mr. Mayoorn Salunkhay** (IV B.A.LL.B), **Ms. Sana Kulkarni** (III B.A.LL.B), and **Ms. Tanvi Jambhulkar** (III B.A.LL.B) represented the College at the 3rd Amity National Trial Advocacy Tournament, 2024 held at Noida and organised by Amity Law School, Noida. They won the Best Memo award.

LIST OF MENTORS

The following faculty, alumni, and students mentored the teams during their preparation for the respective moot courts and other advocacy skill competitions:

Sr. No.	Name of the Competition	Mentors
1.	15th GNLU International Moot Court Competition, 2024	Alumni Mentor: Ms. Sonya Mohan (Batch of 2020)
0.	Philip C. Jessup International Law Moot Court Competition, 2024	Faculty Mentor: Ms. Divya Mittal Alumni Mentors: Mr. Bhargav Bhamidipati (Batch of 2022) and Mr. Mihir Govande (Batch of 2023)

		Student Mentor: Ms. Shweta Shukla (V B.A.LL.B.)
0.	K.K. Luthra Memorial Moot Court, 2024	Faculty Mentor: Ms. Renu Kushram, Alumni Mentor: Mr. Saahas Arora (Batch of 2023)
0.	HSF - NLU Delhi International Negotiation Competition, 2024	Faculty Mentor: Ms. Jeevita Pillai, Alumni Mentor: Ms. Devanshi Masand (Batch of 2023)
0.	Annual Oxford International Intellectual Property Law Moot Competition 2024	Faculty Mentor: Ms. Vindhya Gupta
0.	XIII ILNU Antitrust Moot Court Competition, 2024	Faculty Mentor: Ms. Vindhya Gupta, Ms. Siddhi Joshi, Student Mentor: Ms. Khushi Agarwal (V B.A. LL.B.)
0.	16th NUJS-HSF National Corporate Law Moot Court Competition, 2024	Alumni Mentor: Ms. Avanti Deshpande (Batch of 2022)
0.	9th India National Rounds of the IBA International Criminal Court Moot Court Competition, 2024.	Faculty Mentor: Mr. Rohit Bokil, Alumni Mentor: Mr. Ashutosh Ghag (Batch of 2023), Student Mentor: Shweta Shukla (V B.A.LL.B)
0.	10th National Law University Odisha Bose & Mitra & Co. International Maritime Arbitration Moot 2023	Faculty Mentor: Ms. Siddhi Joshi, Alumni Mentor: Ms. Sarab Lamba
0.	NHRC-CNLU National Moot Court Competition, 2023	Alumni Mentor: Adv. Nihar Chitre (Batch of 2021), Student Mentor: Mr. Rahul Joshi (IV B.A. LL.B.)
0.	11th Annual Adv. B.P Apte Memorial National Mock Trial, Moot Court and Judgement Writing Competition, 2023	Alumni Mentor: Mr. Varad Partani (Batch of 2023)

0.	Remembering Professor S.P. Sathe 18th International Moot Court Competition, 2024	Faculty Mentor: Ms. Divyashree R Dacha, Alumni Mentor: Ms. Ananya Krishnan (Batch of 2022)
0.	9th NLIU Justice R.K. Tankha Memorial International Arbitration Moot, 2024	Faculty Mentor: Ms. Jeevita Pillai, Alumni Mentor: Ms. Ananya Krishnan (Batch of 2022), Student Mentors: Mr. Aditya Shete (V B.A. LL.B.) and Mr. Keyur Jaju (V B.A. LL.B.)
0.	Surana & Surana SAARC Rounds of the 28th Stetson International Environmental Moot Court Competition 2023-24	Alumni Mentor: Mr. Bhargav Bhamidipati (Batch of 2022)
0.	4th AZB-GLC National ADR Triathlon, 2024	Alumni Mentor: Mr. Anshu Deshpande (Batch of 2021)
0.	THEMIS National Moot Court Competition 2024	Faculty Mentor: Dr. Shashikant Hajare, Ms. Divya Mittal, Student Mentor: Mr. Chirayu Rushiya (V B.A. LL.B.)
0.	4th NALSAR UNHCR Public International Law Moot Court Competition 2024	Student Mentors: Ms. Shreya Patni (V B.A. LL.B.) and Ms. Abha Dalal (V B.A. LL.B.)
0.	2nd Senior Advocate Late Shri. P. M Shah MNLU National Client Counselling Competition 2024	Alumni Mentor: Mr. Hitanshu Patil (Batch of 2023)
0.	11th RGNUL National Moot Court Competition 2023	Faculty Mentor: Ms. Ishika Chaudhary
0.	IISL Manfred Lachs Space Law Court Moot Court Competition 2024	Alumni Mentor: Mr. Atharv Joshi (Batch of 2021)
0.	3rd Amity National Trial Advocacy Tournament, 2024	Faculty Mentors: Ms. Isha Saxena, Ms. Sai Tamhankar, Student Mentor: Ms. Anushka Tasgoankar (V B.A. LL.B)

22.	2nd Allen & Overy-NLU Jodhpur International Deal Negotiation Competition, 2024	Student Mentor: Ms. Khushi Agarwal (V B.A. LL.B.)
23.	2nd RMLNLU- Kochhar & Co. Arbitration Moot Court Competition, 2024	Student Mentor: Mr. Keyur Jaju (V B.A. LL.B.)
24.	3rd NALSAR-CCI Antitrust Moot, 2024	Faculty Mentors: Ms. Vindhya Gupta; Ms. Siddhi Joshi, Student Mentor: Mr. Aaryaman Pathare (V B.A. LL.B.)
25.	1st National Chamber of Tax Consultants Indirect Tax Moot Court Competition, 2024	Faculty Mentor: Mr. Jeevan Patil, Student Mentor: Mr. Drishey Chugh (V B.A. LL.B.)
26.	2nd National Med-Arb Competition, 2024	Faculty Mentor: Mr. Aman Dutta, Student Mentor: Mr. Nachiket Kulkarni (V B.A. LL.B.)
27.	5th National Moot Court Competition, 2024	Faculty Mentor: Mr. Anand Deshpande, Student Mentors: Ms. Nihaarika Singh (V B.A. LL.B.) and Ms. Manasi Barve (V B.A. LL.B.)
28.	6th TNNLU-CCI National Moot Court Competition, 2024	Faculty Mentor: Ms. Vindhya Gupta, Alumni Mentor: Mr. Akshat Dahate (Batch of 2023) and Student Mentor: Ms. Khushi Agarwal (V B.A. LL.B.)
29.	Justice U.P. Singh Memorial 3rd CNLU-CCI National Moot Court Competition, 2024	Alumni Mentor: Mr. Akshat Dahate (Batch of 2023)
30.	Symbiosis Law School International Criminal Trial Advocacy Competition (SICTA)	Faculty Mentor: Mr. Rohit Bokil, Student Mentors: Ms. Pooja Bhide (IV B.A. LL.B.) and Ms. Tanisha Kedari (IV B.A. LL.B.)

31.	3rd AIU National Moot Court Competition, 2024	Faculty Mentor: Ms. Divyashree Dacha, Alumni Mentor: Ms. Rashmi Raghavan (Batch of 2022), Student Mentor: Ms. Vidhi Khimavat (V B.A. LL.B.)
32.	Late Justice P. B. Sawant 10th National Moot Court Competition, 2024	Faculty Mentor: Ms. Sai Tamhankar
33.	17th Edition National Law School Trilegal International Arbitration Moot, 2024	Faculty Mentor: Dr. Medha Kolhatkar, Alumni Mentor: Adv. Nauman Beig (Batch of 2022), Student Mentors: Mr. Gautam Garg (V B.A. LL.B.) and Mr. Keyur Jaju (V B.A. LL.B.)
34.	IX Edition of the National Moot Court Competition, 2024	Faculty Mentor: Dr. Suvarna Nilakh, Student Mentor: Mr. Nachiket Kulkarni (V B.A. LL.B.)
35.	Smt. Kashibai Navale 10th National Moot Court Competition, 2024	Faculty Mentor: Adv. Saeed Tamhankar, Student Mentor: Mr. Shaunak Parulekar (V B.A. LL.B.)
36.	3rd Online National Moot Court Competition, 2024	Faculty Mentor: Ms. Divyashree Dacha

LIST OF COLLEGE RESEARCHERS

The following students assisted teams with their research for the respective moots:

Sr. No.	Name of the Competition	College Researcher
1.	India National Rounds, 2024 Philip C. Jessup International Law Moot Court Competition	Mr. Anish Padhye (II B.A.LL.B.) and Ms. Anuradha Lawankar (II B.A.LL.B.)
2.	9th India National Rounds of the IBA International Criminal Court Moot Court Competition 2024	Ms. Shreya Basu (III B.A.LL.B.), Ms. Anuradha Lawankar (II B.A.LL.B.), and Mr. Arya Mitkari (II B.A.LL.B.)
3.	16th NUJS-HSF National Corporate Law Moot Court Competition, 2023-24	Ms. Charvee Jha (IV BALLB)

4.	6th TNNLU-CCI National Moot Court Competition, 2024	Ms. Kashvi Jayasimhan (II B.A. LL.B.)
5.	Justice U.P. Singh Memorial 3rd CNLU-CCI National Moot Court Competition, 2024	Ms. Sanchita Dhupar (IV BALLB)
6.	17th Edition National Law School Trilegal International Arbitration Moot, 2024	Aharon Pardhe (IV B.A.LL.B.)

MEMORIAL FORMATTING TEAM 2023-24

The Memorial Formatting Team plays a significant role in making written submissions of the teams representing the College at various International, National and State level moot court competitions adhering to technical and computational specifications.

The Memo Formatting Team consisted of: Ms. Khushi Agarwal (V B.A.LL.B), Mr. Keyur Jaju (V B.A.LL.B), Mr. Yash Jain (V B.A.LL.B), Ms. Vidhi Khimavat (V B.A.LL.B), Ms. Ojaswi Gupta (IV B.A.LL.B), Ms. Mrunmai Pimparkar (IV B.A.LL.B), Ms. Akshata Kolte (III B.A.LL.B), Ms. Parul Trivedi (III B.A.LL.B), Mr. Aayush Shah (II B.A.LL.B), Ms. Srijan Mukhopadhyay (II B.A.LL.B), and Ms. Pakhi Rawat (I B.A.LL.B).

Sr. No.	Name of the Competition	Formatter
1	NHRC-CNLU National Moot Court Competition 2023	Mr. Yash Jain (V B.A.LL.B)
2	11th Annual Adv. B.P Apte Memorial National Mock Trial, Moot Court and Judgement Writing Competition, 2023	Ms. Akshata Kolte (III B.A.LL.B)
3	India National Rounds, 2024 Philip C. Jessup International Law Moot Court Competition	Ms. Vidhi Khimavat (V B.A.LL.B)
4	Surana & Surana SAARC Rounds of the 28th Stetson International Environmental Moot Court Competition 2023-24	Ms. Akshata Kolte (III B.A.LL.B)

5	9th India National Rounds of the IBA International Criminal Court Moot Court Competition 2024	Ms. Mrunmai Pimparkar (IV B.A.LL.B)
6	4th NALSAR UNHCR Public International Law Moot Court Competition 2024	Ms. Vidhi Khimavat (V B.A.LL.B)
7	1st Hidayatullah International Moot Court Competition 2024	Mr. Keyur Jaju (V B.A.LL.B)
8	IISL Manfred Lachs Space Law Court Moot Court Competition 2024	Mr. Keyur Jaju (V B.A.LL.B)
9	16th NUJS-HSF National Corporate Law Moot Court Competition, 2023-24	Ms. Ojaswi Gupta (IV B.A.LL.B)
10	Annual Oxford International Intellectual Property Law Moot Competition 2024	Ms. Mrunmai Pimparkar (IV B.A.LL.B)
11	5th GNLU International Moot Court Competition, 2024 (GIMC 2024)	Ms. Ojaswi Gupta (IV B.A.LL.B)
12.	3rd NALSAR-CCI Antitrust Moot, 2024	Ms. Vidhi Khimavat (V B.A.LL.B)
13.	9th NLIU-Justice R.K. Tankha Memorial International Arbitration Moot, 2024	Ms. Akshata Kolte (III B.A.LL.B)
14.	Fourth Edition of THEMIS National Moot Court Competition 2024	Ms. Ojaswi Gupta (IV B.A.LL.B)
15.	6th TNNLU-CCI National Moot Court Competition, 2024	Ms. Manaswi Kedar (III B.A.LL.B) and Ms. Parul Trivedi (III B.A.LL.B)
16.	17th Edition National Law School Trilegal International Arbitration Moot, 2024	Ms. Parul Trivedi (III B.A.LL.B)
17.	IX Edition of the National Moot Court Competition, 2024	Ms. Srijan Mukhopadhyay (I B.A.LL.B)

ANNUAL INTRA-COLLEGE NOVICE MOOT COURT COMPETITION, 2024

INTRODUCTION:

The Intra-College Novice Moot Court Competition is an Annual Moot Court Competition that is conducted with the motive of introducing the First Year B.A.LL.B and LL.B students to the practice of mooting. Through this competition, we aim to develop the students' interest in mooting and help them polish their legal research and oratory skills.

FACULTY COORDINATORS:

Dr. Varsha Khandagale, Assistant Professor at ILS Law College, Pune and Ms. Isha Saxena, Assistant Professor at ILS Law College, Pune.

ORGANISING COMMITTEE:

Ms. Manaswi Kedar (III B.A.LL.B), Mr. Shreyank Yembarwar (II LL.B), Ms. Aarya Balte (III B.A.LL.B), Ms. Tanvi Srivastava (III B.A.LL.B), Ms. Koonjal Hatewar (III B.A.LL.B), Mr. Anish Padhye (II B.A.LL.B), Mr. Madhur Tiwari (II B.A.LL.B), Ms. Poorvi Joshi (II B.A.LL.B), Ms. Mimansa Mishra (II B.A.LL.B)

ELIGIBILITY:

The Annual Intra-College Novice Moot Court Competition 2023 was open for participation by students in First Year B.A.LL.B. & First Year LL.B. at ILS Law College, Pune.

STRUCTURE AND DATES OF THE COMPETITION:

The competition was conducted in three rounds viz. Preliminary Round [28th February 2024 (Wednesday)], Semi-Final Round [7th March 2024 (Thursday)] and the Final Round [9th March 2024 (Saturday)].

CASES FOR THE COMPETITION:

Participants were given the option to choose one among the following five moot propositions released on 14 February 2024 (Wednesday) for the preliminary round based on different areas of law:

1. The Law of Contracts proposition was drafted by Mr. Debargha Mukherjee (V B.A.LL.B.) and Ms. Aastha Sarda (V B.A.LL.B.);

2. Law of Crimes proposition was drafted by Mr. Rahul Joshi (IV B.A.LL.B) with contributions from Mr. Shreyank Yembarwar (II LL.B.), Ms. Aarya Balte (III B.A.LL.B), Ms. Koonjal Hatewar (III B.A.LL.B) and Mr. Anish Padhye (II B.A.LL.B);
3. The Constitutional Law proposition was drafted by Mr. Rahul Joshi (IV B.A.LL.B).
4. The Public International Law proposition was drafted by Ms. Tanisha Kedari (IV B.A.LL.B).
5. The Arbitration Law proposition was drafted by Mr. Keyur Jaju (V B.A.LL.B.) and Mr. Aditya Shete (V B.A.LL.B.)

For the semi-final and final rounds of the Competition, a new case based on Competition Law was drafted by Ms. Khushi Agarwal (V B.A.LL.B.) was released on 29th February 2024 (Thursday).

Students were assigned their sides at random by the Organising Committee.

NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS: 291

NUMBER OF JUDGES: 47

PRELIMINARY ROUND-

In the Preliminary Round of the Competition, a total of 280 students participated who were divided between 34 Courtrooms. Each courtroom consisted of 10/12 participants and was assigned two judges from V B.A.LL.B./III LL.B., who presided over the Round and provided valuable personal feedback to the participants. Each courtroom had one court clerk who kept a tab of the entry of participants as well as the time taken per participant.

The preliminary round saw enthusiastic participation from the first year as well as the final year students.

SEMI-FINAL ROUND-

Upon the completion of the Preliminary Round, the top two scorers in every courtroom qualified for the Semi-Final Round of the Competition. A total of 64 semi-finalists were divided between 5 courtrooms. Each Courtroom had two esteemed Judges, who were learned persons from the field of law, either practicing or professing the subject.

FINAL ROUND-

Round upon the completion of the Semi-Final Round, the top two scorers in every courtroom qualified for the Final Round of the Competition. There were a total of 10 finalists arguing the same case in a single courtroom. The Final Round was judged by 3 esteemed judges – Mr.

Vasudevan G, Manager at Globeview Advisors LLP, Ms. Nishi Agarwal, Partner, Principle Legal and Mr. Shrenik Gandhi, Counsel, SRG Legal. After long hours of a grueling round, the top three scorers were declared the Winner, the First runner-up and the Second runner-up:

RESULT

1. Winner - Ms. Kaveri Nanduri (I BA LLB)
2. First Runner-Up - Ms. Ishwaree Mahajan (I BBA LLB)
3. Second Runner-Up – Mr. Shardul Khanolkar (I BA LLB)

SESSIONS CONDUCTED:

Comprehensive and instructive orientations and sessions were organized for the benefit of the students by the Organizing Committee. The details of the sessions conducted are as follows:

1. 7th February 2023- General Orientation about the Competition was conducted by Organizing Committee Members
2. 7th February 2023 - Demo Moot was conducted by Mr. Shreyank Yembarwar (II LL.B; MCS Member), Ms. Aarya Balte (III B.A.LL.B; MCS Member) and Anish Padhye (II B.A.LL.B), Koonjal Hatewar (III B.A.LL.B), Poorvi Joshi (II B.A.LL.B), Mimansa Mishra (II B.A.LL.B) (OC members)
3. 15th to 18th February 2023 - Case Orientations were conducted by the Drafters of the Moot Propositions
4. 19th February 2023 - General Understanding of Moot was conducted by Ms. Shweta Shukla (V B.A.LL.B; MCS Member)
5. 20th February 2023 - How to do Legal Research was conducted by Ms. Khushi Agarwal (V B.A.LL.B; EBC-SCC Online Student Ambassador at ILS Law College) and Mr. Shreyank Yembarwar (II LL.B; MCS Member)
6. 26th February 2023 – General Doubts Clarification Session (OC Members)