

CRIMINAL LAW CELL (estb. 2015)

(A) Brief Introduction

The Criminal Law Cell sets a platform for students to have insightful discussions pertaining to the field of criminal law and aims to impart extensive knowledge and increase the interest of the students in criminal law by focusing on all aspects of it and giving them a more pragmatic view of the field, which cannot always be covered in regular lectures.

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(D) Details of the activities conducted:

Sr. no	Title of the Activity	Name of Resource Persons	Brief Overview of the Activity	Date of the activity
1.	Inaugural Session	All Members of the Cell	-	24 th July, 2019
2.	Fugitive Economic Offenders Act, 2018	Adithi Rao and Debayan Gangopadhyay	-	2 nd September, 2019
3.	Aspects of Trial Advocacy	Sanam Kabre (Practicing Advocate, Alumni ILS Law College, Pune)	-	19 th September, 2019
4.	Examination of Witnesses	Vibha Joshi	-	28 th September, 2019
5.	Introductory Session for first year students	Vibha Joshi	-	10 th October, 2019
6.	UAPA Amendment Act , 2019	Adithi Rao and Debayan Gangopadhyay	-	15 th October, 2019

7.	MCOCA, 1999	Tanvi Mate	-	15 th January, 2020
8.	Section 144 of Criminal Procedure Code, 197	Vibha Joshi	-	25 th January, 2020
9.	Marital Rape: Section 375 IPC	Advait Helekar	-	9 th March, 2020
10	Domestic Violence in the light of COVID 19	Adv Chandni Chawla	Webinar conducted by Alumni	27 th May, 2020
11.	Bribery and Corruption	Ms Lavanya Chopra	Webinar conducted by Alumni	5 th June, 2020

1st CRIMINAL LAW EXTEMPORE MOOT COMPETITION:

The Criminal Law Centre hosted first Criminal law Extempore Moot on the 5th March, 2020.

The case was released on the same day and the participants were given five hours for preparation. The case was based on culpable homicide and murder. There were a total of 32 students who participated and were judged by Lisa Misra and Anshritha Rai (V BA LLB) and Huzan Bhumgara and Himalaya Chaudhari (III LLB).

A total of four students qualified for the final rounds which was held on 9th March, 2020. The case was based on Sections 351/ 354 IPC and Sections 295A and 298 IPC. The final round was judged by Lisa Misra (V BA LLB) and Huzam Bhumgara (III LLB). Karishma Rajesh emerged as the winner of the competition and Anushi Nayak as the runner up.