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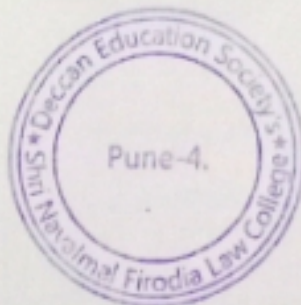
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6.1.2 - The effective leadership is visible in various institutional practices such as decentralization and participative management

In this regard, activities of our moot court society have been mentioned as a case study.

Following documents have been enclosed herewith in this regard.

1. Moot court society – Policy Document
2. Moot court society – Annual Report (A.Y. 2021-22)
3. Conduct of “Lokmanya Tilak National Appellate Moot Court Competition along with photos of A.Y. 2021- 22
4. Moot court initiatives – Novice moot court competition & intra – moot court competition
5. Moot court society – Annual Report (A.Y. 2020-21)
6. Conduct of “Lokmanya Tilak National Appellate Moot Court Competition along with photos of A.Y. 2020-21
7. Academic calendars, highlighting conduct of Lokmanya Tilak National Appellate Moot Court Competition
8. Department distribution highlighting faculty coordinators of Moot Court Society for the last 5 years



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MOOT COURT SOCIETY POLICY DOCUMENT

AIMS & OBJECTIVES:

1. To introduce students to the experience of real life court proceedings.
2. To hone their public speaking skills.
3. To imbibe research and writing skills.
4. To build confidence in them.
5. To imbibe advocacy and argumenting skills amongst them.
6. It teaches them to work well in a team.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERION:

1. Students from II BA LL.B to V BA LL.B
2. Students from I LL.B to III LL.B

SCREENING MECHANISM:

1. Each academic year, an intra moot court competition is conducted to shortlist students. The shortlisted students become members of Moot Court Society.
2. A moot court proposition is circulated amongst the students and they are given time to prepare for their oral arguments.
3. They are judged by external Judges based on a fixed criterion.
4. The members of MCS further represent college at various moot court competitions conducted by different colleges.



5. To choose students to represent college, an internal selection procedure is followed.
6. The detailed functioning is explained later in the point 'Overall functioning'.

MAXIMUM CAPACITY

Through the screening process every year 60-70 students are admitted to moot court society.

OVERALL FUNCTIONING

1. The following shall be the rules for the functioning of MCS:
 - a. Participation in Moot Court Competitions shall be first open to the students of Moot Court Society.
 - b. If MCS students do not wish to contest, in that event, it shall be open to all other non MCS students.
 - c. Moot Court Invitations shall then be circulated via whatsapp groups to non MCS students.
 - d. All those who are interested to participate will be required to send a confirmation mail to the faculty coordinator of the Moot Court Society.
 - e. For every single Competition, an intra collegiate moot court selection will be conducted.
 - f. A date shall be fixed for conducting such intra and will be notified in advance.
 - g. The following shall be the nature of the intra:
 - i. Presentations shall be conducted virtually, via Teams App by providing links scheduled from time to time.
 - ii. The presentations shall be on the same Moot Court Problem which Colleges hosting competitions send us.
 - iii. Students have to be thorough with the facts of the case, the issues raised and are at liberty to choose any side.
 - iv. They will be given a time of 10 minutes for presentation.
 - v. They will be heard by a panel of 2 faculty members.
 - vi. On the basis of higher scores obtained, a team of three shall be shortlisted; 2 speakers and 1 researcher.



- vii. The participation shall be on individual basis. The Best Team shall be selected and hence no one should request for any change in the team only for the sake of having a companion or friend. We are not bound by your comfort and convenience with a particular friend.
 - h. The decision of Judges shall be final and a team once chosen shall in no case be altered and has to represent the college.
 - i. In case they back up for any arbitrary reason, they shall face disciplinary action. In that case the Moot Court Faculty coordinator shall have the authority to nominate others and fill up the vacancy.
2. Any other rule, depending upon the exigencies shall be notified.

SCOPE

- 1. Participation in in-house moot court competitions.
- 2. Participation in inter moot court competition; National / International.
- 3. Improve research skills.
- 4. Team Building.
- 5. Social Networking.

LIMITATION

- 1. Time Management.
- 2. Sufficiency of funds.
- 3. Fixed Panel for judging Intra Selection rounds.
- 4. Availability of classrooms without disturbing lectures.

ANY PLANS WITH FUTURISTIC APPROACH

Arbitral Tribunal proceedings Competition.

Moot Court Competition for teachers.



Moot Court Society

Faculty Coordinator
Asst. Prof. Kaveri Deo

I. LokmanyaTilak National Appellate Moot Court Competition 2021-2022

LokmanyaTilak National Appellate Moot Court Competition is a prestigious and unique moot court competition that our college has been organising for the past 13 years. In LTNA, participants are supposed to argue appeals based on real life court cases in both civil and criminal domains, which emphasizes the development of advocacy skills through a realistic appellate advocacy experience.

This year, moot court competition was organized on 11th April and 12th April, 2022 through online mode. The event heads for this year were Shubhankar Malegaonkar, Atharva Golwalkar, Tanaya Kulkarni, Soumya Sharma and Kayomard Irani who ensured smooth conduct of the entire event. This time the participants were given a problem based on an ongoing criminal case. It was drafted under the guidance of faculty coordinator Asst. Prof Kaveri Deo and Adv. Susheel Atre. The case focused on criminal negligence occurring out of an accident resulting in a person's death. The participants were to argue from both the sides.

The competition was scheduled for 2 days and divided into three rounds, preliminary, semi-final and final. The participants were given 20 minutes, 30 minutes and 40 minutes respectively, including the Rebuttal. Like every year, teams across India registered for the event. A total of 10 teams participated in the competition, from all over India.

Day-1:

The 14th edition of the competition was inaugurated with the welcome and motivational address by the Chief Guest, Adv. Susheel Atre. The competition commenced with the orientation of the teams followed by the preliminary round. These teams were judged by 6 Judges in 3 court rooms, Adv. Khushboo Oswal, Adv. Viraj Patole, Adv. Aakash Katawati, Adv. Soham Panse, Adv. Hitesh Sonar, Adv. Sarthak Mehta. After fierce competition on day 1, four teams reached the semi-final round. After every participant argued his case in front of the counsel, the judges were keen to give feedback which would help the participants in their future endeavours.



Day-2:

The Semi-finals and the Finals were scheduled on the second day. The cutthroat competition in the Semi-final round was judged by Adv. Prasad Kulkarni and Adv. Rishabh Gandhi. The same day, the final round was also conducted. The teams qualifying for the finals were O P Jindal Global Law School, Haryana and Government Law College, Trichy. Mooters from both the sides argued vehemently, rebutting each other's arguments and answering the queries posed by the Judge. After an enthralling battle among the finalists, the judge for the final round, Adv. Marzaban Irani ruled the case in favour of the OP Jindal Global Law School. At the end of the Day 2, the final round was followed by the Valedictory Ceremony. The chief guest, Adv. N.D Patil announced the winners and encouraged everyone through his speech. The following awards were awarded:

- **Winning Team** – OP Jindal Global Law School, Haryana
- **Runners-Up Team** – Government Law College, Trichy.
- **Best Advocate** – Armesh Krishnan (Government Law College, Trichy)
- **Best Memorial** – Lloyd Law College, Greater Noida

Even after all the challenges posed by the pandemic for the past 2 years the competition was conducted successfully through online mode owing to all the efforts of the teachers, the Moot court society and student - volunteers; Smruti Dhoot, Shreya Bansal, Esha Udavant, Sejal Lahane, Poorva Joshi, Raunak Agrawal, Nishtha Wadhwa, Jwala Jose, Parul Thadani, Vidhi, Pooja, Sairaj Ghapande, Satyajit Pawar, Harsha Vispute etc.

2. Intra Moot Court competition:

Intra Moot Court Competition was conducted on 27th November 2021 for the students of 3rd B.A.LL. B; 4th B.A.LL. B; 5th B.A.LL. B; 3rd B.B.A.LL. B; 2nd LL. B and 3rd LL. B. Different team codes were allotted to the participants. The participants were supposed to submit the memorials. Total 21 students qualified Intra Moot Court Competition.

3. Orientation Session:

Moot Court Society had organized Lexa Juris Session on 17th Nov. 2021. It was an orientation session specially designed for the intra moot court students and novice moot court students.



4. Mooting Skills Programme:

On 7th Sep. 2021, Moot Court Society had organized programme on Mooting Skills. The speaker of the session, Adv. Shreyas Lele- alumnus, enlighten the students on different topics such as memorial preparation, research, oral round preparation and delivery and structure of competition followed by question-and-answer round.

5. Novice Moot Court Competition:

This year our college, for the first time, has conducted the Novice Moot Court Competition for the academic year 2021-22 which is unique and enriching learning experience for everyone associated with it. The competition was conducted in an online mode on the Microsoft Teams App. It was open for the students of 2nd B.A.LL. B&2ndB.B.A. LL.B.The oral round was held on 27th November 2021. The language of the court was English. Each speaker had been given 8 minutes to advance their arguments. An additional 2 minutes were provided to each participant to answer questions posed by the judges. Total 19 students qualified Novice Moot Court Competition 2021-22.

6. Moot Court competition achievements:

Participants	Name of competition	Date	Position
1) Deeksha Dev Singh 2) Abhishek Mookherjee	XXI National Moot Court Competition- 2021 organized by Manikchand Pahade Law College, Aurangabad	28 th August- 29th August 2021	Runner Up and Best Memorial Award.
1) Esha Udavant 2) Smruti Dhoot 3) Tanvi Pilane	Hon'ble Late Justice P. B. Sawant Eighth National Moot Court Competition, 2022, organised by	25 th March- 26th March, 2022	Preliminary Round Participation



	Marathwada Mitra Mandal's Shankarrao Chavan Law College, Pune.		
Urja Mishra	National Level Moot Court Competition organised by Balasaheb Thackeray Law College	25 January 2022	Best Mooter
1) Urja Mishra 2) Smruti Dhoot 3) Aditya Kathare	S.P Sathe Moot Court Competition organised by ILS	10 th March to 12 th March 2022	Preliminary Round Participation
1) Yugandhara Wakde 2) Satyajit Pawar 3) Sejal Dugad	16th Shankarrao Kanitkar National Moot Court Competition	22 nd January 2022	Preliminary Round Participation
1) Satyajit Pawar 2) Smruti Dhoot	Yashwantrao Chavan National Moot Court Competition, 2022	-	Preliminary Round Participation
Speaker 1: Hanah Varghese Speaker 2: Deepraj Bagate Researcher: Ninad Senad	CCI MIT-WPU 2nd National Moot Court Competition, 2022.	28th-30th April, 2022	Preliminary Round Participation



Speaker 1: Somya Sharma Speaker 2: Mayur Pokale Researcher: Siddharth Sharma	Navrachna University National Moot Court Competition, 2021.	22nd October-23rd October, 2021	Preliminary Round Participation
Speaker 1: Somya Sharma Speaker 2: Rajlaxami Nimbalkar Researcher: Devendra Banker	St. Joseph's College of Law National Moot Court Competition, 2021.	17th July-18th July, 2021	Preliminary Round Participation
Speaker 1: Hanah Varghese Speaker 2: Samiksha Malvade Researcher: Sanskar Goyal	National University of Legal Sciences, Ranchi 2022 1st Cyber Law Moot Court Competition.	10th February 2022	Preliminary Round Participation





**DECCAN EDUCATION SOCIETY'S
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MOOT COURT SOCIETY ORGANISES**

**LOKMANYA TILAK NATIONAL APPELLATE
MOOT COURT COMPETITION.**

(14th EDITION)

11th and 12th April, 2022.

RULES

Docket:

The Docket contains the Paper Book, Invitation Card and the Registration Form & Undertaking. It must be noted that no separate fact dossier would be provided. The facts of the case are to be ascertained from the Paper Book which contains the all required documents of the case.

On the basis of the documents provided in the Paper Book, participants shall prepare an Appeal Memorial (for the Appellant) and a Reply Memorial (for the Respondent).



Eligibility for participation:

Students pursuing the 3-year LL.B. course or the 5-year integrated law course from any recognised law school/college/university within India in the academic year 2021- 22 shall be eligible to participate.

Registration and Fees:

A scanned copy of a duly filled Registration Form must be sent via e-mail to desmcs2019@gmail.com

Only one team is allowed to participate on behalf of any recognised law school/college/university. In the event that more than one team registers on behalf of one law school/college/university, the team which submits a letter from the Dean/Head or the authorised signatory thereof of the concerned institution shall be registered for the competition on behalf of that particular institution.

Last date for registration is 25th March, 2022.

Registration fees of Rs. 2500/- (Rupees two thousand five hundred inclusive of GST only) is to be paid by every participating team, by NEFT drawn in favour of **"D.E.S's Navalmal Firodia Law College"**, Payable at Pune and the payment shall reach by **25th March, 2022.** The Account details are as follows: **Account Number (A/C: 50100302351126) and IFSC code (IFSC: HDFC0000103)** The said registration fees, once paid, shall not be refunded under any circumstances. (Payment must be only in the form of NEFT only. No Cash shall be accepted under any circumstances)

Upon successful online submission of the scanned copies of the duly filled Registration Form and the NEFT, the participating team shall receive an acknowledgment mail from the Organisers notifying the participating team of a unique four- digit **Registration Code**.



After the said Registration Code has been allotted to a team, only the said code shall be used in all future communications between the team and the Organisers. Apart from the Registration Code, no names, logos, seals or any such symbolic or other representation which may reveal the identity of a law school/college/university are to be used in any communications with the Organisers.

Team Composition:

Every team shall consist either of three members (two speakers and one researcher) or four members (two speakers and two researchers)

Only the speakers shall be allowed to address the judges in their rounds. The researchers may speak only at the discretion of the judges. In any case, it is hereby clarified that Researcher no.2 in no circumstances shall be eligible to address the bench.

The above mentioned registration fee does not include the cost for travelling/food services for such fourth member.

Conduct of the Competition:

The Competition shall be conducted in an online mode on the Microsoft Teams App.

Preliminary rounds (to be conducted on **11th April, 2022**);
Semi-final rounds and Final round (to be conducted on **12th April, 2022**).

The draw of lots shall take place virtually on the (**10th April, 2022**) i.e. one day prior to the dates of the competition. The lots decided shall be final and binding on the participants.



Format of the rounds

In the Preliminary rounds, each team shall argue twice; once for the Appellant and once for the Respondent. Each team shall be judged by a panel of two judges. A team earning the higher aggregate speaking score as against their opponents shall be deemed to have won that round. The teams earning two wins in the Preliminary rounds shall advance to the Semi-final round.

In the event that there are more than four teams each having two wins each, the teams with the top four aggregate speaking scores shall progress to the Semi-final rounds.

In the event that there are fewer than four teams each having two wins each, the teams with two wins shall automatically advance to the Semi-final rounds.

The remaining slots shall be determined by the aggregate speaking scores of the teams with one win each.

If there is a tie between the aggregate scores of any two teams, the rank shall be decided by the memorial scores of the concerned teams. The Semi-final and Final rounds shall be knockout rounds.

In the event of any confusion/conflict/dispute, the decision of the Organisers shall be final.

Oral rounds

The language of the court shall be English.

For the Preliminary rounds, each team shall be given 20 minutes to advance their oral arguments. The two speakers may divide between themselves the said time period at their discretion, subject to a maximum of 13 minutes per speaker. Each team may reserve a maximum of 3 minutes for rebuttal, which shall be included in the main speaking time of 20 minutes.

For the Semi-final rounds, each team shall be given 30 minutes to advance their oral arguments. The two speakers may divide between



themselves the said time period at their discretion, subject to a minimum of 10 minutes per speaker. Each team may reserve a maximum of 5 minutes for rebuttal, which shall be included in the main speaking time of 30 minutes.

For the Final round, each team shall be given 45 minutes to advance their oral arguments. The two speakers may divide between themselves the said time period at their discretion, subject to a minimum of 18 minutes per speaker. Each team may reserve a maximum of 5 minutes for rebuttal, which shall be included in the main speaking time of 45 minutes.

All teams shall notify the Court masters, before their round begins, of the amount of time which they intend to set aside for the rebuttal/sur-rebuttal, subject to the aforementioned limits.

The Appellants shall exercise their right of rebuttal only after the completion of the main arguments of the Respondents. The Respondents shall exercise their right of sur-rebuttal only after the completion of the rebuttal conducted by the Appellants.

Teams are expected to carry with themselves in printed form, all the authorities on which they intend to rely in the course of their arguments.

During the course of the oral rounds, no team shall be allowed to submit to the judges, any material containing a pictorial/audio/visual representation, except that material which forms part of the Paper Book for Criminal Appeal.

No team shall be allowed to use laptops/tabs/mobile phones or any other electronic device for any kind of assistance in the course of the rounds. Electronic devices will only be explicitly permitted to connect and join the link of the Microsoft Teams App to virtually participate for the competition.



Memorials:

Each team must submit the soft copies of the Memorials for Appellant and Respondent in PDF format (".pdf" file extension) and Microsoft Word format (".doc" or ".docx" file extension) by **1st April, 2022** by e-mail to *desmcs2019@gmail.com*. The Organisers shall not be responsible for non- receipt or non-compatibility of the soft copies sent by them. The Organisers shall acknowledge the receipt of those mails in which the attachments can be viewed.

Soft copies of memorials submitted after the deadline for submission shall incur a deduction of one mark per day.

Soft copies of memorials submitted after **1st April, 2022** shall not be taken in consideration for the Best Memorial award.

The teams are responsible for ensuring that the correct numbers of copies reach within time and an acknowledgement for the same has been obtained.

Teams shall adhere to the following requirements while submitting their Memorials:

1. The language of written pleadings in the Memorials shall be English.
2. The text of the main body of the Memorial must be in Times New Roman, font size 12, with 1.5 line spacing with paper size A-4.
3. The text of the footnotes (if any) must be in Times New Roman, font size 10, single line spacing. A uniform method of citation of authorities must be used.
4. Each page must have a margin of 1 inch (2.54 cm) from all sides. The total page count of the Memorials must not exceed 50 pages (including the cover page).
5. The cover page of every memorial should adhere to the following colour scheme : **Blue for Appellant Memorial and Red for Respondent Memorial.**

Every Memorial shall consist of the following pages:



6. Cover Page:

a. Registration Code in the upper-right corner with the first letter of the side to which that Memorial pertains. For example, if a team has been allotted Registration Code: 1111, their Memorials shall contain the marking "1111A" for their Appellant Memorial and "1111R" for their Respondent Memorial.

b. The name and year of the competition.

c. The case title, number and year of Appeal.

d. The party/side for which the Memorial has been prepared.

e. The name of the Court/Tribunal hearing the Appeal.

Table of Contents.

➤ Index of Authorities.

➤ Statement of Jurisdiction.

➤ Statement of Facts (not exceeding 2pages).

➤ Statement of Issues.

➤ Summary of Arguments (not exceeding 3pages).

➤ Arguments Advanced.

➤ Prayer.

Failure to adhere to the aforementioned Memorial pattern shall attract negative marking.

There shall be a deduction of one mark for every page exceeding the set limit of 50 pages.

Scoring:

The Memorials shall not contain any information concerning the names or display of logos of their colleges/universities/participating members etc.



Memorials:

Every Memorial shall be scored out of a total of 40 marks.

The Memorials shall be evaluated based on the following criteria:

- Research and analysis (10 marks)
- Clear and persuasive writing (10 marks)
- Use of authorities and precedents (10 marks)
- Adherence to the given format (10 marks)

Oral rounds :

Every Speaker shall be scored out of a total of 60 marks.

Every Speaker shall be evaluated based on the following criteria:

- Clarity of facts and procedure (20 marks)
- Articulation, structure and content of argument (20marks)
- Use of authorities (10 marks)
- Advocacy skills and court etiquette (10 marks)

Dress Code:

All participants must wear black and white formal attire prescribed as follows:

Men must be dressed in Western formal attire, i.e. white shirt, black trousers, black blazer and black tie.

Women must be dressed in Western formal attire, i.e. white shirt, black trousers and a black blazer, or Indian formal attire, i.e. white *kurti*, black leggings and a black blazer.

All participants are required to adhere to the aforementioned dress code while participating in or being audience to any round of the competition.



Prizes:

The following prizes along with their rewards form part of the competition:

Winning Team – Cash Prize of ₹10,000/-, and E-Certificates.

Runners-up Team – Cash Prize of ₹ 8,000/-, and E-Certificates.

Best Advocate – Cash Prize of ₹ 4,000/-, and E-Certificates.

Best Memorial – Cash Prize of ₹ 4,000/-, and E-Certificates.

Miscellaneous:

- No team shall indulge in any act of misconduct in during audio-visual recording or virtual conferencing, undermining the credibility of judges or that of the competition. Any act to the contrary may lead to immediate disqualification from the competition without scope of appeal.
- No team shall try to disclose their identity or ask the Judges of their identities, if the team is found violating this rule, strict actions will be taken by the Coordinators of the Competition.
- Any behaviour of indiscipline with the Coordinators or any other staff member or student volunteer shall be dealt with strictly and may lead to immediate disqualification from the competition without scope of appeal.
- No team shall ask for feedback immediately on completion of any round. However, at the end of all the rounds the participants may talk to the judges, with minimum inconvenience caused to them.
- Any attempt to approach the framer of the moot problem or the panel of judges of the competition, prior to the competition shall be dealt



with strictly and may lead to immediate disqualification from the competition without scope of appeal.

- The organising committee reserves the right to amend, modify or repeal any of the rules if so required and as they deem appropriate. Participating teams shall receive adequate notice of any/all such amendments or modifications to the rules.
- If anything, not covered by rules the decision of organising committee will be binding
- Participants are expected to have a Laptop/ PC and a stable internet connection for the purpose of the oral rounds. Any technical failure on the part of the participant shall not be considered, unless expressly provided under the current rules & regulations. (MOBILE PHONES WILL BE STRICTLY PROHIBITED)
- During the oral rounds, the microphones of all the participants in the court room shall be muted. The team authorised to speak shall be eligible to unmute themselves and address the bench..
- No team is allowed to use mobile phones during any of the oral rounds, for the purposes of research, phone call, texting, or any other purposes.
- The platform will be informed beforehand; therefore, the teams must have knowledge of using the platform. Also, all the queries regarding anything related to use of app, or any other issues related to the platform being used shall be notified.
- The Participant(s) shall at all times during the rounds must have their cameras on, if in case of connectivity issues, a frame of 5minutes will be provided to re- join. In case the problem persists, the Participant(s) will lose their chance, or will be subjected to disqualification. Therefore, it is advisable to check the working of Camera and Internet connectivity beforehand.



- It is hereby clarified to all the participants that the final scoresheets of the oral rounds shall not be disclosed to any participant/ any organisation in the event of any query in regard to the demand of the scoresheets, it shall not be obligatory on the organisers to address or redress the same. (Format of undertaking)
- Annexure 1- Registration Form;
- Annexure 2- Undertaking.

All queries regarding the competition or the Paper Book for Criminal Appeal shall be sent to desmcs2019@gmail.com on or before (30th March, 2022.)

These rules are not exhaustive and the Organisers reserve the right to modify/alter/ repeal any rules contain herein, for which a prior notice shall be given to the participants.



List of Important Dates:

Sr. No	Particulars (Deadlines)	Dates (All in 2022)
1.	Online registration (with scanned copies of duly filled registration form and demand draft)	25 th March.
2.	Submission of queries for clarification	30 th March.
3.	Soft copies of registration forms along with the NEFT, scanned copy or photo to be mailed on desmcs2019@gmail.com	25 th March.
4.	Soft copies of memorials	1 st April.
5.	Draw Of Lots	10 th April
6.	Registration & Preliminary rounds	11 th April
7.	Semi-final rounds, Final round & Valedictory Function	12 th April



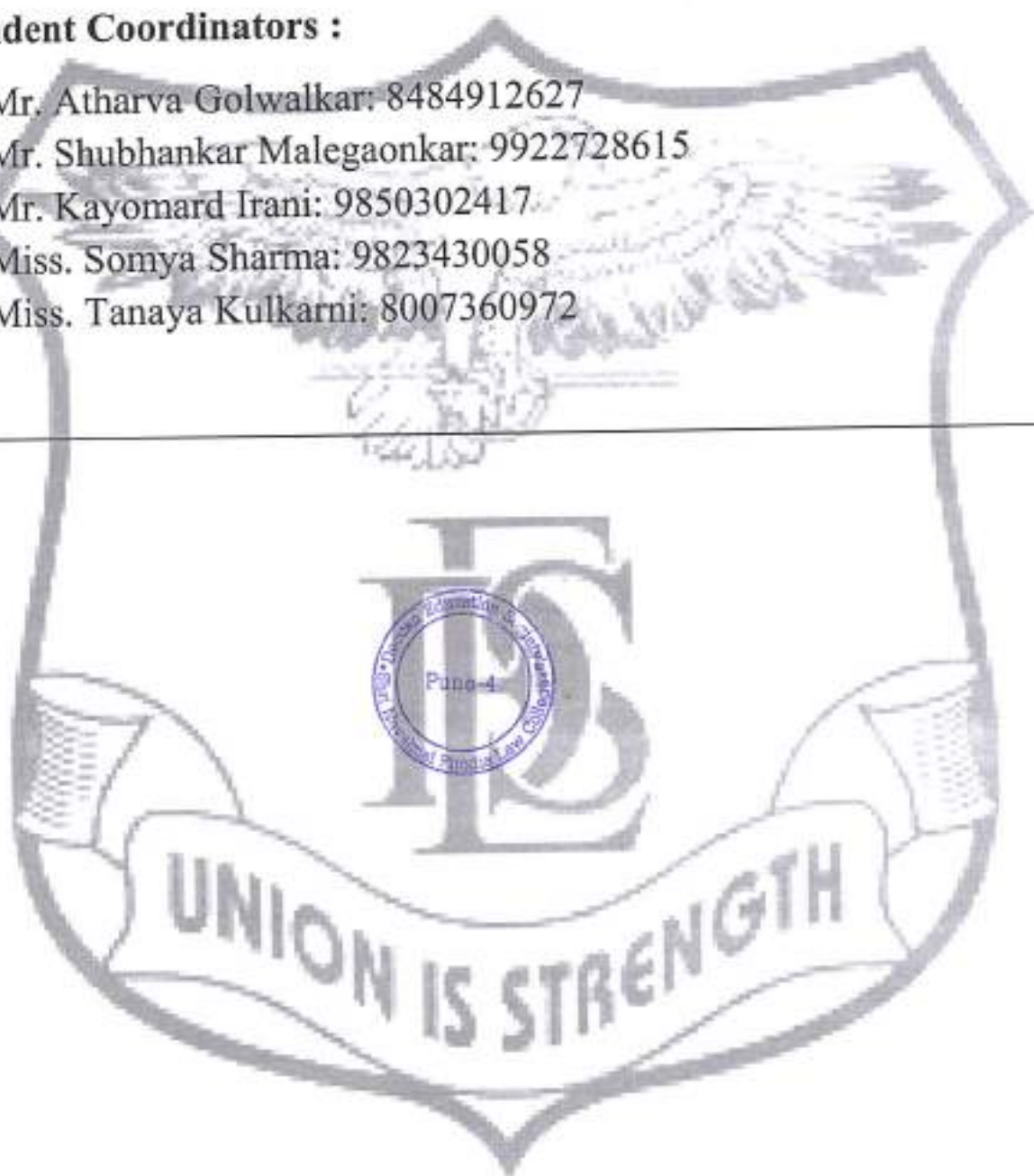
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Moot Court Society

1. Lokmanya Tilak National Appellate Moot Court Competition (AY 2021 – 22)



DES's Shri Navalmal Firodia Law College, Pune

MOOT COURT SOCIETY

'LEXA JURIS'

(A forum for shaping your Mooting Skills)

Novice Moot Court Competition Report:

The Moot Court Society endeavours to develop the legal acumen and research skills of the students and provide a platform to explore emerging issues of law. This year DES'S SNFLC's Moot Court Society has conducted the Novice Moot Court Competition for the academic year 2021-22 which is unique and enriching learning experience for everyone associated with it.

For improvising drafting skills and also to understand and know different tips and techniques to enhance the memorial different sessions were conducted through online mode. One of the sessions was conducted on 17th Nov. 2021.

The Competition was conducted in an online mode on the Microsoft Teams App. It was open for the students of 1st & 2nd BA & BBA LLB & 1st LLB. On the basis of the moot problem provided, participants were supposed to prepare a memorial either for the Appellant or for the Respondent and shall argue on behalf of the side they have prepared the memorial for.

In Memorial Round each team was supposed to submit the soft copies of the Memorials for the Appellant or the Respondent in PDF format (".pdf" file extension) and Microsoft Word format (".doc" or ".docx" file extension) by e-mail till 25th Nov. 2021 and proper instructions were provided regarding the submission of the same.

In the Oral Round, each participant was supposed to speak either for the Appellant or for the Respondent, depending upon the side they have prepared the memorial from. Each participant was judged by a panel of judges as decided by the MCS committee. The oral round was held on 27th November 2021. The language of the court was English. Each speaker had been given 8 minutes to advance their arguments. An additional 2 minutes were provided to each participant to answer questions posed by the judges. However, it was the discretion of judges to extend the time limit further. Total 19 students were qualified for Novice Moot Court Competition 2021-22. This is how Intra College Moot Court Competition was conducted for the academic year 2021-22



DES's Shri. Navalmal Firodia Law College, Pune

Report of Intra – moot court competition

Date: 27/11/2021

Venue: Microsoft Teams Applications

DES' Shri Navalmal Firodia Law College, Pune, believes that moot court competitions are integral to the holistic development of a law student to help them succeed in their professional sphere by offering hand-on research and presentation experience in front of qualified law professionals and judges. Our Moot Court Society is testamentary to the importance we give to this extra-curricular activity of mooting.

On the 17th of November, 2021, Deeksha Dev Singh, Abhishek Mookherjee and Shubhankar Malegaonkar, from the Moot Court Society, conducted an orientation session discussing how students can go about researching for their moot court propositions and drafting a memorial subsequent to that. This moot court competition was scheduled to be held on 27th of November, 2021.

For the intra moot court competition, the Moot Court Society invited Advocate Ziauddin Sherkar (Bombay High Court), Advocate Sanam Kabre (Bombay High Court), and Nitish Choubale (Bombay High Court) as judges. While we had 72 registrations from the pool of students from II Year onwards (5 year course) and LLB students, we received 27 memorial submissions within the given the deadlines.

The intra moot court competition was executed with resounding success wherein students experienced no technical issues from our technical team's end.

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DES SHRI NAVALMAL FIRODIA LAW COLLEGE, PUNE
INTRA MOOT COURT COMPETITION 2021-2022 (QUALIFIED STUDENTS)

TEAM CODE	SCORE	STUDENT'S NAME
TC 09	108	NISHTHA WADHWA
TC 63	100	TUSHAR YAWALKAR
TC 68	98	URJA MISHRA
TC 49	94	SWASTIK MADAKE
TC 50	94	MUSKAN KALRA
TC 47	90	ASHITA AGGARWAL
TC 23	87	AARYA RAJEBHOSALE
TC 69	87	TANMAY DHAKRAS
TC 15	85	ANNA TOMEY
TC 27	85	KETAKI PATIL
TC 61	84	ARGHISH AKOLKAR
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TC 29	82	SWATI RAGHUWANSHI
TC 64	80	MUSKAN CHHUGANI
TC 56	72	MANASVI PATIL
TC 03	68	PUJA TUPERE
TC 28	65	TANAYA KULKARNI
TC 48	65	DURGESH NANDINI
TC 62	64	TAHREEM ZAIDI
TC 66	64	RUCHIKA JAIN
TC 11	63	SEJAL DUGAD



NOVICE MOOT COURT COMPETITION, 2021-22

MOOT PROBLEM

1. Central Perk is considered to be the fastest growing country and was ranked fifth in terms of area and population according to the recent census. Central Perk is a newly established democratic state which is recently formed after the collaboration of different states.
2. After borrowing different aspects and laws and amending them according to its suitability, the law makers of Central Perk framed World's lengthiest Constitution for the welfare of its citizens in order to promote parity among the citizens of the country.
3. The country was already excelling in the agriculture sector and wanted to promote trade and economy of the country. The lawmakers of the country had strengthened the different laws relating to it to promote such trade and encourage employment. The country was following westernisation in almost every aspect.
4. A well-known pharmaceutical company named PLUS PHARMA Ltd. has captured the greatest share of the targeted market. It was a government company. The company produced medicine in three forms, Liquid, capsules and tablets after ten years of its successful work, released advertisement on 1st February 2016, to hire qualified Medical Representatives in order to extend their trade.
5. A person X proficient in the field of medicine got appointed as an MR with nine others, through a letter of appointment after passing an interview session and meeting rest of the criteria. The joining date according to the contract was 18th February 2016.
6. Mr. X joined on the said date and started representing his company. He increased the sales by 3% in first two months, proving himself to be efficient and effective. He received great appreciation and applause from his employer Mr. Y who was the director of the company.
7. On one occasion he received recognition for handling a situation, where the company supplied mislabelled medicines to a retailer because of which the sleep cycles of the people purchasing the cough syrup with the label of stomach ache syrup got disturbed. The company had great chances of getting sued by that retailer. The goodwill of the company was restored back because of Mr. X's good behaviour towards the owner of the retail shop.
8. Mr. X was jolly by nature and liked interacting with people around him. His way of working was different. He used his good communication skills and persuasive power to grab orders from other small pharmacies and wholesalers. His actions were misconstrued by rest of the employees and were communicated in a distorted manner to the employer.
9. After listening to all this, Mr. Y the director of the company who employed Mr. X called him and blamed him for having unnatural relations in his course of employment. He blamed him for the decrease in sales of the company because of his attempts of having such relations with the owners of other pharmaceuticals with whom the company dealt.
10. After, sometime when Mr. X was supposed to receive his salary by 1st April 2016. He sent several reminders to the employer but his efforts went unrecognised. No reason was given to him for not updating his salary account even by 30th April 2016. But eventually, his employer started disgracing him because of the aforementioned allegations.



11. On 20th May 2016, at 9:30 pm, Mr. X posted some statements on twitter and other social networking platforms, stating that- "It's funny how a person like Mr. Y who already has unnatural relations with other colleagues can blame me for the same when I didn't entertain his advances of having a similar relation with him. He is misusing his position by not providing me the salary because of his personal grudges."
12. As, Mr. Y was a famous personality because of which Many people started sharing the post and Mr. Y faced criticism in the society for the same which resulted in downfall of the company's sale as the company's goodwill was affected. No other company wanted to enter into new contracts with that of Mr. Y's Company. The value of market share of the company also went down.
13. Mr. Y dragged Mr. X to the district court on 10th June 2016, for such defamation and asked him to pay compensation for the loss occurred to the company and also for the criticism he had to face from the society. He used a statement mentioned in the non-negotiable contract where it was mentioned that "If the sales of the company decreases because of any employee, directly or indirectly, would lead to the termination of such contract with that employee and the employee will be fired" The district court held on 10th September 2016 that the termination is valid because of the non-negotiable terms and conditions of the employment contract. Also, the District court asked Mr. X to pay a compensation of Rs. 5 lakhs for personal defamation of Mr. Y, and a subsequent amount of Rs. 10 lakhs for losses incurred by the company and its social image.
14. Subsequent to this, a major incident was noted in which Mr X revealed in an exclusive interview scheduled on 5th October 2016 that even if he had relations with other males it had no concern with Mr. Y and his employment contract. He talked of exercising his right to privacy and Right of not being discriminated on such basis.
15. The dissatisfaction of Mr. X lead him to file a writ petition on 10th December 2016, in the honourable Supreme Court contending that there has been a breach of his fundamental rights, by the decisions of the district court. He further contented that, he had faced huge social ostracization and had lost his means of living as well, owing to unconstitutional statutes.
16. The Supreme court took the matter under its powers and agreed to hear and adjudicate on the following issues only.

1. Whether the writ petition filed by Mr. X is maintainable or not?
2. Whether the termination of employment of Mr. X, based on contract is valid or not?

The laws used in this particular proposition are in *pari materia* to the Indian Laws



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NOVICE MOOT COURT COMPETITION 2021-2022

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TC 43	102	TRIPTI VISHNOI
TC 28	101	SAMIKSHA MALVADE
TC 22	101	DEEPAJ BAGATE
TC 02	100	PARUL THADANI
TC 04	100	ADITYA VIVEK KATHARE
TC 11	100	YUGANDHARA WAKDE
TC 23	100	SATYAJEET PAWAR
TC 50	100	ESHA UDAVANT
TC 21	100	ISHITA BANSAL
TC 25	100	TANVI PILANE
TC 58	96	NINAD
TC 16	95	RUTIKA MULIK
TC 26	95	NUPUR SINGH
TC 34	95	HANAH VARGHESE
TC 03	94	SMRUTI DHOT
TC 08	93	MEETU SHARMA
TC 44	92	PUSHPIT MATHUR
TC 19	80	SRUSHTI DUBEY
TC 20	78	BHAVIKA MITTAL
TC 47	77	PRATHAM BAGANI
TC 56	75	SHRINIWAS KANAKDANDE
TC 46	59	RUTUJA JADHAV
TC 61	46	SIDDHANT VASHISHT
TC 53	42	FAISAL SHAH
TC 60	12	ISHA BORIKAR



Moot Court Society

(A.Y. 2020 -21)

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Amidst corona challenges, Moot Court Society drastically changed its modus operandi to meet the challenges posed by the pandemic. Moot Court Society geared itself to turn all its activities online. Academic year 2020-2021 was unique in a way where all major activities of the Society were conducted online through Microsoft Teams App.

It's a tradition to conduct Intra Moot Selection Competition for being a member to the Moot Court Society. This year however, the previous MCS was retained and it continued to function for the next academic year as well.

During the academic year, the Moot Court Society conducted a session on **"How to prepare for Moot Court Competitions"** on **9th February 2021**. The Session was conducted by Ms. Anuya Deokar, IV BA LL.B. She briefed the students about the nuances of the moot court.

One of the major events of the Moot Court Society is hosting the **13th Lokmanya Tilak National Appellate Moot Court Competition**. The Competition was conducted virtually on **27th and 28th February 2021**. The Event was smoothly coordinated with the enthusiastic participation of members of MCS as well as other students of our college. Through the determined efforts of member of MCS, the Competition received eight participations. They were from all over the country including various National Law Schools.

The event was inaugurated by Shri.Vinay Navare, Senior Advocate, Supreme Court of India. He in his address emphasized on the importance of participation in moot court activities and encouraged the students of DES's Shri Navalmal Firodia Law College, Pune to participate in such beneficial activities.

This year, a civil moot problem was drafted. It tried to serve the purpose of an Appellate Moot Court Competition since the aspects of the case involved appealing to higher court and arguing the matter after a decree was passed by a lower court. The Moot Problem was a 60 paged



problem based on a real case pending before the Hon'ble District Court, drafted with an intention to give students a true feel and exposure of the Appellate Court Practice.

The Preliminary Round was conducted on 27th February 2021. The Judges to the preliminary round were eminent lawyers from Pune and Mumbai. Adv Aditya Kanetkar, Adv Vaishali Bapat, Adv Namit Muthiyan, Adv Shreenivas Joshi, Adv Pragya Sharma, Adv Ashlesha Raut, Adv Shreevallabh Panchpor and Adv Soham Panse judged the preliminary round.

The Moot Court Memorials were assessed by Adv Niyati Shah.

The semi-final round was conducted on 28th February and was judged by Shri Girish Dange, Advocate, District & Sessions Court and Shri Pramod Bendre, Advocate, District & Sessions Court, Pune. The Moot Court Society was blessed to have Hon'ble Justice Smt Anjali Apte, Retd Judge, District Court, Pune as the Judge for final round and also guest of honor for Valedictory Session.

The event was headed by a team of efficient volunteers viz. Aditya Bendre, Shubhankar Malegaonkar, Sukanya Joshirao, Atharva Bangale, Aswathy Roy, Zenia Irani, Nihal Singh, Atharva Golwalkar, Soumya Sharma, Tanaya Kulkarni and others.

The Winners and Runners Up were St. Joseph's College of Law, Bangalore and Maharashtra National University, Aurangabad respectively.

Following is the list of Participation of the Members as well as Non Members of Moot Court Society:

Sr.no	Name of Competition	Name of the Participants	Date	Position
1.	MIT World Peace University, Pune	Deeksha Dev Singh, III BA LLB	8th August 2020	Participation
		Ashish Shewale, III LL.B		
	Moot Competition- RDS Legal and Co. National Moot Court Competition.	Raunak Gautam, III LL.B	6th September 2020	Finalist
2		Ashish Shewale, III LL.B		Ashish Shewale, III LL.B Best Mooter



3	2nd Model Virtual Moot Court Competition		9th to 11th Oct 2020	Winners
		Tanya Agrawal, V BA LL.B		
		Aswathy Roy, V BA LL.B		
4	Law Internships & Atharva Legal LLP's Virtual Moot Court Competition	Siddharth Kaushik, V BA LL.B	31 Oct 2020 and 1 Nov 2020	Winners
		Anushka Chakravarthy, V BA LL.B		
		Rahul Unecha, V BA LL.B		
5	Symbiosis Hyderabad 5th National Moot Court Competition	Ashish Shewale, III LL.B	January 8 to 10 2021	Reached 2nd Round
		Siddhi Mehta, IV BA LL.B		
		Shreya Mindhe, III LL.B		
6	15th K.K Luthra International Moot Court Competition	Adhit Kulkarni, IV BA LL.B	15th to the 17th of January 2021	Participation
		Savery Chaubey, V BA LL.B		



		Isha More, V BA LL.B		
7	3rd Surana & Surana and UPES National Insolvency Law Moot Court Competition, 2021	Gayatri Nimbalkar, III BA LL.B	29th-31st, January 2021	Participation
		Durgesh Nandini, III BA LL.B		
		Swati Raghuwanshi, III BA LL.B		
		Adhit Kulkarni, IV BA LL.B		1st Runner Up
8	Legis Centrum, K.C Law College's National Moot Court Competition	Aditya Moghe, IV BA LL.B	28th and 29th March 2021	Adhit Kulkarni - Best Mooter
		Sakshi Mehta, III BA LL.B		
		Isha More, V BA LL.B		
9	Brihan Maharashtra College of Commerce, Pune, Late Prof. Vijay A. Chavan Memorial Moot Court	Esha Shedge, III BA LL.B	27th March 2021	Winners
		Ashish Shewale, III LL.B		



10	2nd Surana & Surana and Army Institute of Law Family Law Moot	Siddharth Kaushik, V BA LL.B	08th – 10th April 2021	Runner up
		Anushka Chakravarthy, V BA LL.B		
		Siddhi Mehta, IV BA LL.B		
11	4th DME National Moot Court Competition (2021) by Delhi Metropolitan Education , Noida	Gayatri Nimbalkar, III BA LL.B Durgesh Nandini, III BA LL.B Swati Raghuwanshi, III BA LL.B	9th April to 11th April 2021	Quarter Finalists





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Rs.8000+E-Certificate

BEST ADVOCATE

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RULES

Docket:

The Docket contains the Paper Book, Invitation Card and the Registration Form. It must be noted that no separate fact dossier would be provided. The facts of the case are to be ascertained from the Paper Book which contains all the required documents of the case.

On the basis of the documents provided in the Paper Book, participants shall prepare an Appeal Memorial (for the Appellant) and a Reply Memorial (for the Respondent).



Eligibility for participation:

Students pursuing the 3-year LL.B. course or the 5-year integrated law course from any recognized law school/college/university within India in the academic year 2020- 21 shall be eligible to participate.

Registration and Fees:

A scanned copy of a duly filled Registration Form must be sent via e-mail to desmcs2019@gmail.com and a hard copy of the same must be posted to the following postal address: **DES's Shri Navalmal Firodia Law College, Gate No. 3, Fergusson College Campus, Fergusson College Road, Pune- 411 004.**

Only one team is allowed to participate on behalf of any recognized law school/college/university. In the event that more than one team registers on behalf of one law school/college/university, the team which submits a letter from the Dean/Head or the authorized signatory thereof of the concerned institution shall be registered for the competition on behalf of that particular institution.

Last date for registration is 31st January, 2021.

Registration fees of Rs. 1500/- (Rupees one thousand five hundred only , inclusive of GST) is to be paid by every participating team, by NEFT drawn in favour of "**D.E.Society's Navalmal Firodia Law College**", Payable at Pune and the payment shall reach by **31st January 2021.**" The Account details are as follows: **Account Number (A/C: 50100302351126) and IFSC code (IFSC: HDFC0000103)** The said registration fees, once paid, shall not be refunded under any circumstances. (Payment must be in the form of NEFT only. No Cash shall be accepted under any circumstances)

Upon successful online submission of the scanned copies of the duly filled Registration Form and the NEFT, the participating team shall receive an acknowledgment mail from the Organizers notifying the participating team of a unique four- digit **Registration Code**.

After the said Registration Code has been allotted to a team, only the said code shall be used in all future communications between the team and the Organizers. Apart from the Registration Code, no



names, logos, seals or any such symbolic or other representation which may reveal the identity of a law school/college/university are to be used in any communications with the Organisers.

Team Composition:

Every team shall consist either of three members (two speakers and one researcher).

Only the speakers shall be allowed to address the judges in their rounds. The researchers may speak only at the discretion of the judges.

Conduct of the Competition:

The Competition shall be conducted in an online mode on the Microsoft Teams App.

Preliminary rounds (to be conducted on 27th February, 2021);
Semi-final rounds and Final round (to be conducted on 28th February, 2021).

The draw of lots shall take place virtually on 26th of February, 2021 i.e. one day prior to the dates of the competition. The lots decided shall be final and binding on the participants.

Format of the rounds

In the Preliminary rounds, each team shall argue twice; once for the Appellant and once for the Respondent. Each team shall be judged by a panel of two judges. A team earning the higher aggregate speaking score as against their opponents shall be deemed to have won that round. The teams earning two wins in the Preliminary rounds shall advance to the Semi-final round.

In the event that there are more than four teams each having two wins each, the teams with the top four aggregate speaking scores shall progress to the Semi-final rounds.

In the event that there are fewer than four teams each having two wins each, the teams with two wins shall automatically advance to the Semi-final rounds.



The remaining slots shall be determined by the aggregate speaking scores of the teams with one win each.

If there is a tie between the aggregate scores of any two teams, the rank shall be decided by the memorial scores of the concerned teams. The Semi-final and Final rounds shall be knockout rounds.

In the event of any confusion/conflict/dispute, the decision of the Organisers shall be final.

Oral rounds

The language of the court shall be English.

For the Preliminary rounds, each team shall be given 20 minutes to advance their oral arguments. The two speakers may divide between themselves the said time period at their discretion, subject to a maximum of 13 minutes per speaker. Each team may reserve a maximum of 3 minutes for rebuttal, which shall be included in the main speaking time of 20 minutes.

For the Semi-final rounds, each team shall be given 30 minutes to advance their oral arguments. The two speakers may divide between themselves the said time period at their discretion, subject to a minimum of 10 minutes per speaker. Each team may reserve a maximum of 5 minutes for rebuttal, which shall be included in the main speaking time of 30 minutes.

For the Final round, each team shall be given 45 minutes to advance their oral arguments. The two speakers may divide between themselves the said time period at their discretion, subject to a minimum of 18 minutes per speaker. Each team may reserve a maximum of 5 minutes for rebuttal, which shall be included in the main speaking time of 45 minutes.



All teams shall notify the Court masters, before their round begins, of the amount of time which they intend to set aside for the rebuttal/sur-rebuttal, subject to the aforementioned limits.

The Appellants shall exercise their right of rebuttal only after the completion of the main arguments of the Respondents. The Respondents shall exercise their right of surrebuttal only after the completion of the rebuttal conducted by the Appellants.

No team shall be allowed to use laptops/tabs/mobile phones or any other electronic device for any kind of assistance in the course of the rounds. Electronic devices will only be explicitly permitted to connect and join the link of the Microsoft Teams App to virtually participate for the competition.

Memorials:

Each team must submit the soft copies of the Memorials for Appellant and Respondent in PDF format (".pdf" file extension) and Microsoft Word format (".doc" or ".docx" file extension) by **22nd February 2021** by e-mail to *desmcs2019@gmail.com*. The Organisers shall not be responsible for non- receipt or non-compatibility of the soft copies sent by them. The Organisers shall acknowledge the receipt of those mails in which the attachments can be viewed.

Soft copies of memorials submitted after the deadline for submission shall incur a deduction of one mark per day.

Soft copies of memorials submitted after **22nd February, 2021** shall not be taken in consideration for the Best Memorial award. Each team must submit hard copies of their Memorials (1 copy of the Appellant Memorial and 1 copy of the Respondent Memorial, each) to **Deccan Education Society's Shri. Navalmal Firodia Law College, Gate No. 3, Fergusson College Campus, Fergusson College Road, Pune – 411 004** on or before **20th February, 2021**. The Organizers shall not be responsible for any loss/damage/delay caused to the receipt of the Memorials.

- The teams are responsible for ensuring that the correct numbers of copies reach within time and an acknowledgement for the same has been obtained.
- Teams shall adhere to the following requirements while submitting their Memorials (both soft and hard copies):



- The language of written pleadings in the Memorials shall be English.
- Memorials must be printed on A-4 size white paper (on one side) with blank ink and must be neatly paper bound.
- The text of the main body of the Memorial must be in Times New Roman, font size 12, with 1.5 line spacing.
- The text of the footnotes (if any) must be in Times New Roman, font size 10, single line spacing. A uniform method of citation of authorities must be used.
- Each page must have a margin of 1 inch (2.54 cm) from all sides. The total page count of the Memorials must not exceed 50 pages (including the cover page).
- The cover page of every memorial should adhere to the following colour scheme : **Blue for Appellant Memorial** and **Red for Respondent Memorial**.
Every Memorial shall consist of the following pages:

- Cover Page:

1. Registration Code in the upper-right corner with the first letter of the side to which that Memorial pertains. For example, if a team has been allotted Registration Code: 1111, their Memorials shall contain the marking "1111A" for their Appellant Memorial and "1111R" for their Respondent Memorial.
2. The name and year of the competition.
3. The case title, number and year of Appeal.
4. The party/side for which the Memorial has been prepared.
5. The name of the Court/Tribunal hearing the Appeal.
 - Table of Contents.
 - Index of Authorities.
 - Statement of Jurisdiction.



- Statement of Facts (not exceeding 2pages).
- Statement of Issues.
- Summary of Arguments (not exceeding 3pages).
- Arguments Advanced.
- Prayer.

Failure to adhere to the aforementioned Memorial pattern shall attract negative marking.

There shall be a deduction of one mark for every page exceeding the set limit of 50 pages.

Scoring:

The Memorials shall not contain any information concerning the names or display of logos of their colleges/universities/participating members etc.

Memorials:

Every Memorial shall be scored out of a total of 40 marks.

The Memorials shall be evaluated based on the following criteria:

- Research and analysis (10 marks)
- Clear and persuasive writing (10 marks)
- Use of authorities and precedents (10 marks)
- Adherence to the given format (10 marks)

Oral rounds :

Every Speaker shall be scored out of a total of 60 marks.

Every Speaker shall be evaluated based on the following criteria:

- Clarity of facts and procedure (20 marks)
- Articulation, structure and content of argument (20marks)



- Use of authorities (10 marks)
- Advocacy skills and court etiquette (10 marks)

Dress Code:

All participants must wear black and white formal attire prescribed as follows:

Men must be dressed in Western formal attire, i.e. white shirt, black trousers, black blazer and black tie.

Women must be dressed in Western formal attire, i.e. white shirt, black trousers and a black blazer, or Indian formal attire, i.e. white *kurti*, black leggings and a black blazer.

All participants are required to adhere to the aforementioned dress code while participating in or being audience to any round of the competition.

Prizes:

The following prizes along with their rewards form part of the competition:

Winning Team – Cash Prize of ₹10,000/-, and E-Certificates.

Runners-up Team – Cash Prize of ₹ 8,000/-, and E-Certificates.

Best Advocate – Cash Prize of ₹ 4,000/-, and E-Certificates.

Best Memorial – Cash Prize of ₹ 4,000/-, and E-Certificates.

Miscellaneous:

- No team shall indulge in any act of misconduct in during audio-visual recording or virtual conferencing, undermining the credibility of judges or that of the competition. Any act to the contrary may lead



to immediate disqualification from the competition without scope of appeal.

- No team shall try to disclose their identity or ask the Judges of their identities, if the team is found violating this rule, strict actions will be taken by the Coordinators of the Competition.
- Any behaviour of indiscipline with the Coordinators or any other staff member or student volunteer shall be dealt with strictly and may lead to immediate disqualification from the competition without scope of appeal.
- No team shall ask for feedback immediately on completion of any round. However, at the end of all the rounds the participants may talk to the judges, with minimum inconvenience caused to them.
- Any attempt to approach the framer of the moot problem or the panel of judges of the competition, prior to the competition shall be dealt with strictly and may lead to immediate disqualification from the competition without scope of appeal.
- The organising committee reserves the right to amend, modify or repeal any of the rules if so required and as they deem appropriate. Participating teams shall receive adequate notice of any/all such amendments or modifications to the rules.
- If anything, not covered by rules the decision of organising committee will be binding
- Participants are expected to have a Laptop/ PC and a stable internet connection for the purpose of the oral rounds. Any technical failure on the part of the participant shall not be considered, unless expressly provided under the current rules & regulations. (MOBILE PHONES WILL BE STRICTLY PROHIBITED)
- During the oral rounds, the microphones of all the participants in the court room shall be muted. The team authorised to speak shall be eligible to unmute themselves and address the bench.
- No team is allowed to use mobile phones during any of the oral rounds, for the purposes of research, phone call, texting, or any other purposes.



- The platform will be informed beforehand; therefore, the teams must have knowledge of using the platform. Also, all the queries regarding anything related to use of app, or any other issues related to the platform being used shall be notified.
- The Participant(s) shall at all times during the rounds must have their cameras on, if in case of connectivity issues, a frame of 5 minutes will be provided to re-join. In case the problem persists, the Participant(s) will lose their chance, or will be subjected to disqualification. Therefore, it is advisable to check the working of Camera and Internet connectivity beforehand.
- It is hereby clarified to all the participants that the final scoresheets of the oral rounds shall not be disclosed to any participant/ any organisation in the event of any query in regard to the demand of the scoresheets, it shall not be obligatory on the organisers to address or redress the same. (Format of undertaking)
- ANNEXURE 1- REGISTRATION FORM; ANNEXURE 2- UNDERTAKING

All queries regarding the competition or the Paper Book for Civil Appeal shall be sent to desmcs2019@gmail.com or before **10th February, 2021**.

These rules are not exhaustive and the Organisers reserve the right to modify/alter/ repeal any rules contain herein, for which a prior notice shall be given to the participants.



List of Important Dates:

Sr. No	Particulars (Deadlines)	Dates (All in 2021)
1	Online registration (with scanned copies of duly filled registration form and demand draft)	31 st January.
2	Submission of queries for clarification	10 th February.
3	Soft copies of registration forms along with the NEFT, scanned copy or photo to be mailed on desmcs2019@gmail.com	31 st January
4	Soft copies of memorials	22 nd February
5	Hard copies of memorials	20 th February
6	Draw Of Lots	26 th February
7	Registration & Preliminary rounds	27 th February
8	Semi-final rounds, Final round & Valedictory Function	28 th February

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2. Lokmanya Tilak National Appellate Moot Court Competition (AY 2020 – 21)

Date: 27th February & 28th February 2021



DES SHRI NAVALMAL FIRODIYA LAW COLLEGE

Tentative Academic Calendar 2021-2022

First Semester

Sr. no.	Schedule	Date
1.	International Yoga Day	21 st June
2.	Defaulter backlog and equivalence internal viva voce BALLB I, BALLB II, BBALLB I, BBALLB II	6 th and 7 th July
3.	Late V. B. Godake	22 nd July
4.	Savarkar Vyaspeeth	20 th August
5.	Commencement of lectures LLM II	30 th August
6.	Late Gopal Ganesh Agarkar National Level Moot Court Competition	4-5 September
7.	Mooting Skills Workshop	7 th September
8.	Awareness program on PCO's	21 st September
9.	Registration last date Article Review and Book Review LLM II	30 th September
10.	PAN India Movement Poster making Competition	2 nd October
11.	LL.B I, BBALLB I internal exam	4 th October - 8 th October
12.	Book/Article Review proposal (Specialization and law and social transformation) LLM II	4 th October
13.	Book/Article Review proposal (Law, Science and technology and Criminology Penology) LLM II	5 th October
14.	Orientation on Internship program	11 th October
15.	First Written Test LLM II	11 th October and 12 th October
16.	Assignment Submission (Specialization and law and social transformation) LLM II	15 th October
17.	Assignment Submission (Law, Science and technology and Criminology Penology) LLM II	18 th October
18.	Open Book Test Submission (Specialization and law and social transformation) LLM II	25 th October
19.	Commencement of lectures LLM I,	26 th October



	L.T.P. /Seminar Topic Distribution (L.T., Specialization, Constitutional Law), Research Methodology Topic Registration	
20.	Interview for Internship program	27 th October
21.	Street Play on Women Empowerment	28 th October
22.	Open Book Test Submission (Law, Science and technology and Criminology Penology) LLM II	28 th October
23.	LRC orientation	30 th October
24.	Second Written Test	1 st November and 2 nd November
25.	Draft Submission (Specialization and law and social transformation) LLM II	8 th November
26.	Draft Submission (Law, Science and technology and Criminology Penology) LLM II	9 th November
27.	Guest lecture on Fundamental duties and its importance	12 th November
28.	Awareness Campaign Beti Bachao Beti Padhao	13 th November
29.	Orientation on Intra collegiate Moot Court Competition	17 th November
30.	Constitution Day Celebration	26 th November
31.	Intra collegiate Moot Court Competition	27 th November
32.	Abstract Submission Business/International Law	29 th November
33.	Abstract Submission L.T. , Constitution) LL.M. I	29 th November
34.	First Written Test LL.M. I	3 rd and 4 th December
35.	L.T.P. Proposal (Constitution, L.T.) LL.M. I	6 th December
36.	L.T.P. Proposal (R.M.) LL.M. I	7 th December
37.	Paralegal internship with Vanvasi Kalyan Ashram	9 th December
38.	Guest lecture on Professional Ethics	10 th December
39.	Open Book Test LL.M. I	10 th and 11 th December
40.	Last date for submission of Assignment (Constitution, L.T.) LL.M. I	14 th December
41.	Last date for submission of Assignment (Business/International Law) LL.M. I	15 th December
42.	Second Written Test LL.M. I	20 th December and 21 st December



43.	Draft Submission L.T.P. (Constitution, L.T.)	23 rd December
44.	Draft Submission L.T.P. (R.M.), Specialization Seminar Paper	24 th December
45.	Viva LL.M. I	First Week of January
46.	Atal Wallet National Fest	7 to 9 th January
47.	Gender Sensitisation program with special reference to LGBTQ+	22 nd January
48.	BBALLB II Internal Exam	25 th January to 1 st February
49.	Launching e-journal Vedhas	26 th January
50.	Intra Collegiate panel discussion	19 th February
51.	Internal Exam Law	24 th February to 5 th March
52.	Marathi Rajbhasha Din celebration	27 th February
53.	Webinar for post graduation department on cyber security	3 rd March
54.	Empowering women in cyber security and digital literacy	8 th March
55.	IPR awareness session by NIPAN	16 th March
56.	Disaster management workshop	25 th and 26 th March
57.	LTNA 14 th edition	11 th and 12 th April
58.	Awareness workshop on prevention of sexual harassment at workplace	13 th April
59.	Mock MUN conference	14 th and 15 th April
60.	Traffic rules awareness program	19 th April
61.	Water reuse cycle	20 th April
62.	Indradhanush	28 th April
63.	Cultural Moot	30 th April
64.	Guest lecture on recent trends in Jurisprudence	4 th May
65.	12 th edition of two day national webinar on data privacy and national Bill analysis competition 12 th Ed.	6 th and 7 th May
66.	Internal exam law students LLB II, LLB III, BALLB III, BALLB IV, BALLB V, BBALLB III	9 th May to 18 th May
67.	Internal exam pre law students BALLB II, BBALLB II	11 th May to 18 th May



68.	Practical training session on Alternate Dispute Resolution	20 th May
69.	BBALLB II Exam	26 th July to 6 th August



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Tentative Academic Calendar 2020-2021

Second Semester

Sr No	Schedule	Date
1.	National Youth Day celebration	14th January 2021
2.	Marathi Bhasha Sanvardhan Pandharvada	14th-30th January 2021
3.	Inauguration of Centre for legal excellence	16th January 2021
	a. Commencement of Lectures	19th January 2021
4.	Discussion on Perry Mason	19th January 2021
5.	Outcome based learning training programme for teachers	February 2021
6.	Moot court cell activity	9th February 2021
7.	Lokamanya Tilak National Appellate Moot Court Competition	27th and 28th February 2021
8.	Muktak	21st March 2021
9.	Book review-The war of Art	23rd April 2021
10.	Orientation Programme for LL.B -I and B.A. LL.B. -I	24th April 2021
11.	Krutadyanta- alumni guest lecture series	17th-21st May 2021
12.	'Lawrence of academia	25th May 2021
13.	National Webinar on Agricultural laws Krushimanthan-A review of Agricultural laws and Judgement Writing competition	28th and 29th May 2021
14.	Revisiting the bench: Judgement writing competition	28th May 2021
15.	National Statute Analysis Competition	29th May 2021
16.	Completion of Syllabus	31st May 2021
17.	Remedial/Revision Lectures	2nd June to 7th June 2021
18.	Involvement of Youth in Disaster Management	7th June 2021
19.	Indradhanush	8th June- 13th June 2021
20.	Manifesto of a crooked mind	16th June 2021



	International Yoga Day	21st June 2021
22.	Internal assessment	5th June to 5th July 2021
23.	Conclusion of term	31st May 2021

Note : - The above schedule is subject to any changes in dates of Examination by the University.





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(A.Y. 2021 - 22)

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DES Centre for Legal Excellence	Dr. Anagha Baldota, Honorary Director
Students' Development Cell	Dr. Priya Chopde, Student Welfare Officer
Moot Court Society	Asst. Prof. Kaveri Deo
Seminar & Guest Lecture	Asst. Prof. Sonali Renuse
Legal Research Cell	Dr. Priya Chopde Asst. Prof. Janhavi Ghodke Asst. Prof. Anuja sharma
NSS Department	Dr. Archana Lahoti
Legal Aid Centre	Asst. Prof. Neeta Ahir Asst. Prof. Saurabh Jadhav
Alumni	Dr. Aishwarya Yadav
Debate	Asst. Prof. Kaveri Deo
Sports	Asst. Prof. Sandip Borse
Cultural	Dr. Anagha Baldota
Placement	Asst. Prof. Pooja Deo
DES Internship Program	Dr. Aishwarya Yadav
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Legal Research Cell	Dr. Priya Chopde Asst. Prof. Pooja Baghel
NSS Department	Dr. Sudhir Tarote
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Sports	Asst. Prof. Sandip Borse Asst. Prof. Saurabh Jadhav
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Club Aesthetica, MUN club, & Parliamentary Debate Club	Dr. Anagha Baldota
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Legal Research Cell	Dr. Madhushree Joshi
NSS Department	Dr. Sudhir Tarote
Legal Aid Centre	Asst. Prof. Sonali Renuse
Debate	Asst. Prof. Neeta Ahir
Sports	Asst. Prof. Sandip Borse Asst. Prof. Saurabh Jadhav
Cultural	Asst. Prof. Janhavi Ghodke
Placement	Asst. Prof. Pooja Deo
DES Internship Program	Dr. Aishwarya Yadav
Magazine	Dr. Priya Chopde Asst. Prof. Pooja Joshi
Study Tour Department	Dr. Sudhir Tarote Asst. Prof. Madhura Apte Asst. Prof. Mohd. Zama
Club Aesthetica, MUN club, & Parliamentary Debate Club	Dr. Anagha Baldota
Legal History Club	Asst. Prof. Sonali Renuse
Women's Study Cell	Dr. Priya Chopde Dr. Aishwarya Yadav
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Seminar & Guest Lecture	Asst. Prof. Sourabh Ubale
Legal Research Cell	Dr. Pratapsinh Salunkhe Asst. Prof. Sourabh Ubale
NSS & Legal Aid	Dr. Sukhdeo Ingale Asst. Prof. Ashwini Ingole
Debate	Asst. Prof. Neeta Ahir
Sports	Asst. Prof. Janhavi Ghodke Asst. Prof. Sandip Borse
Cultural	Asst. Prof. Atul Ingole Asst. Prof. Mayura Sabne
Placement	Asst. Prof. Mayura Sabne Asst. Prof. Aishwarya Kadam
Mentorship Program	Dr. Anagha Baldota Asst. Prof. Prachi Kachare
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Seminar & Guest Lecture	Asst. Prof. Sudhir Tarote Asst. Prof. Madhura Apte
Legal Research Cell	Dr. Madhushree Joshi
NSS & Legal Aid	Dr. Sukhdeo Ingale
Debate	Asst. Prof. Nalini Ambad Asst. Prof. Atul Ingole
Sports	Asst. Prof. Sourabh Ubale
Cultural	Asst. Prof. Priya Dhanokar Asst. Prof. Pratik Salgar
Placement	Asst. Prof. Neeta Ahir
Mentorship Program	Asst. Prof. Neeta Ahir Asst. Prof. Shweta Pawar
Magazine	Asst. Prof. Aishwarya Yadav Dr. Anagha Baldota
Study Tour Department	Asst. Prof. Janhavi Ghodke

