

Moot Court Society (June 2022 to May 2023)

RECENT INITIATIVES AND ACTIVITIES

Events:

June 2022:

Mooting Workshop Series

This workshop under the head of mooting workshop series was organised on June 4th, 2022 virtually. The speaker Mr. Madhav Goel, Advocate is a former student convener of the MCS. The topic of the workshop was, “Baics of Negotiation”, followed by a Negotiation Demonstration.

Mooting Workshop Series

This workshop was held on June 25th, 2022 virtually. The speaker Ms. Harshita Singhal, Advocate is a former student convener of the MCS. The topic of the workshop was, “The Art of Oral Advocacy.”

October 2022:

CIM: Workshop on How to Read & Approach a Moot Problem + Basics of Research

A series of interactive workshops were organised by the Moot Court Society (MCS) in the run up to the Common Induction Moot 2022. The purpose of the same was to acquaint the participants on the basics of research, drafting and oral advocacy.

The first workshop was organised, virtually on the topic- "How to Approach a Moot Problem and Basics of Research". The Executive Committee of the MCS

covered the fundamentals of reading a Moot Problem, how to identify key issues and highlighting key areas of research. The attendees were also introduced to the workings of various research portals such as SCCOnline, Manupatra, LexisNexis etc., including but not limited to how to access them, their functionality and how to use them efficiently.

CIM: Workshop on How to Draft a Memorial

The second workshop under the umbrella was held on the topic-"How to Draft a Memorial." The Executive Committee of the MCS guided the attendees on the essentials of a well-researched and framed memorial for the purposes of all types of Moot Court competitions. The attendees were also explained and suggested the ideal format that must be employed for the same.

CIM: Workshop on Oral Advocacy & Court Mannerisms

The third workshop took place on the topic- "Oral Advocacy and Court Mannerisms." The Executive Committee Members outlined in great detail the nuances of oral advocacy and how to address and approach a bench. Suggestions and tips were also shared on how to frame arguments and handle interventions by the judges.

Common Induction Moot (CIM) 2022

The society organised the Annual Common Induction Moot on October 30th, 2022 to induct new members into the society. It was held offline after 2 years. Second and Third year students participated enthusiastically, with 24 students being inducted into the society.

December 2023:

Mooting Workshop Series:

As part of the workshop series, this was organised on December 13th, 2023, in the offline mode. The speaker was Jayant Bhatt, Advocate. The workshop was

held on the topic, “The Art of Cross-Examination in the milieu of Trial Advocacy”. The event was successful as it saw huge participation from the students.

March 2023:

FIM: Workshop on How to Approach a Moot Problem and Basics of Research

A series of interactive workshops were organised by the Moot Court Society (MCS) in the run up to the Freshers Induction Moot 2023. The same was done to familiarize the participants with the fundamentals of research, writing, and oral advocacy. A session on "How to Approach a Moot Problem and Basics of Research" was organized as the first event. The MCS Executive Committee discussed the principles of reading a moot problem, how to recognize important issues, and how to emphasize significant areas of investigation. A variety of research portals, including but not limited to SCCOnline, Manupatra, LexisNexis, and others, were also explained to the guests, along with how to effectively access, use, and navigate them.

FIM: Workshop on How to Draft a Memorial

The second workshop under the aegis was organized and covered the subject of "How to Draft a Memorial." For the sake of all forms of moot court competitions, the Executive Committee of the MCS instructed the attendees on the fundamentals of a well-researched and framed memorial. The optimum format that should be used for the same was also presented to the audience.

FIM: Workshop on Oral Advocacy & Court Mannerisms

The third session was held and covered the subject of "Oral Advocacy and Court Mannerisms." The members of the Executive Committee went into great length on the specifics of oral advocacy as well as how to address and approach a bench. The best ways to structure arguments and deal with judge interventions were also discussed.

Freshers' Induction Moot (FIM) 2023

The society organised the Annual Freshers Induction Moot on March 26th, 2023 to induct new members into the society. It was held offline after 2 years. First year students participated enthusiastically, with 137 students being inducted into the society.

RECENT ACHIEVEMENTS

- 1. First Position, Best Memorial, Best Speaker:** Kritka Singh (Best Speaker), Aditya Sarin, Rupal Shah- National Moot Court Competition, 2022, Department of Law, Himachal Pradesh University.
- 2. First Position and Best Student Advocate:** Shashank Shekhar, Shikha Singh, Saurabh Rajput - 5th Surana and Surana Constitutional Law National Moot Court Competition, 2023.
- 3. First Position:** Gaurangi Verma, Abhishek Mittal, Karan Chaudhary - 5th Bennett National Moot Court Competition, 2023.
- 4. Best Researcher:** Abhinav Jha, Shefali Verma, Adarsh Shesha (Researcher) - 3rd National Moot Court Competition by ChristDelhi-NCR.
- 5. Second Position:** Liza Vohra, Esha Chandok - Virtual National Judgement Writing Competition 2022-23, by Faculty of Law, GLS University.
- 6. Best Speaker :** Aditya Sharma (Best Speaker), Sagun Chaturvedi, Aarya Vaish - 13th GIL National Moot Court Competition, 2023 by Geeta Institute of Law.
- 7. Winning Team and 2nd Best Speaker-** Akshay Luthra, Kritika Singh(Best Speaker), Kujhatika Ghosh, Rupal Shah - Pre Moot Sri Lanka 2023 by The Moot Court Bench.
- 8. First Position, Best Speaker and Best Researcher-** Liza Vohra, Easha

Chandok (Best Speaker), Kavya Arora (Best Researcher) - 2nd National Moot Court Competition by SVKM Narsee Monjee Institute of Management.

9. Eric E. Bergsten award for Best Team Orals, Honourable Mention, Martin Domke Award for Best Individual Oralist, Honourable Mention (Kujhatika Ghosh, Kritika Singh) : 30th Willem C VIS International Commercial Arbitration Moot 2023.

10.Runners-UP: Hardik Pathak, Deepanshi Gupta - 6th SYAR National Negotiation Competition 2023 by Luthra & Luthra Law offices, S&A Law offices and PRESOLV360.

11.Winners- Jyoti Shokeen, Vikrant Singh, Yash Verma - 1st Amity International Moot Court Competition 2023 by Amity Law School.

12.Semi-Finalists- Rachit Sethi, Ayushi Negi, Anuj Mishra - 2nd CNLU CCI National Moot Court Competition, 2023 held at the Chanakya National Law University.

FLAGSHIP EVENT

KK Luthra Memorial Moot Court- This Year, the 19th Edition of KK Luthra Memorial Moot Court was hosted from 17th-19th February 2023. It was held offline after more than 2 years. The competition has also garnered considerable prestige over the years, with the last 6 editions of the competition seeing participation from over 60 universities including participation from reputed International Universities. This competition is the only exclusive International Criminal Law Moot Court in India and since 2005, it has been held annually at the Campus Law Centre premises in the memory of Late Sh. K.K. Luthra, Senior Advocate, an eminent criminal lawyer.

PICTURES AND LOGO

ALL THE PICTURES OF THE FLAGSHIP EVENT AND THE LOGO IS
AVAILABLE ON THE FOLLOWING LINK -

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