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**RGNUL organises 6th edition of Surana and Surana and RGNUL International Law
Moot Court Competition
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Symbiosis Law School, Noida won the first prize. They were awarded a cash prize of Rs. 21,000. Jindal Global Law School, Sonipat was declared as runner-up. They were awarded a cash prize of Rs. 15,000. The best memorial prize was won by Symbiosis Law School, Noida and their team was awarded a cash prize of Rs. 8,000. The best student advocate was awarded to Ms. Ankita Kalita from Symbiosis Law School, Pune and she was awarded a cash prize of



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Rs. 8000. Mr. Mayank from Symbiosis Law School, Noida was adjudged as the best speaker of finals.

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