



**6th SURANA & SURANA and RGNUL
INTERNATIONAL LAW MOOT COURT COMPETITION, 2023
6th October- 8th October 2023**



MOOT REPORT

The Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law has always envisioned serving the society through reforms in legal services by way of preparing professionally competent lawyers. The 6th edition of Surana and Surana and RGNUL International Law Moot Court Competition was organised in continuance to fulfil this vision and keep the essence of learning in RGNUL alive. Mooting being an integral part of a law student's life finds a regular mention at RGNUL. This year RGNUL was awarded the Richard R. Baxter Award for the Respondent Memorial and the Alona E. Evans Award for the second best overall memorial at the 63rd edition of the Philip C. Jessup International Law Moot Court Competition. We also won the South-Asia Regional Rounds of 16th Foreign Direct Investment International Arbitration Moot & qualified for the octa finals at the 20th Willem C. Viz East Commercial Arbitration Moot. To further the mooting culture at a national level, the University organized the 6th edition of Surana and Surana and RGNUL International Law Moot Court Competition.

Surana & Surana International Attorneys, Chennai, India has consistently demonstrated a commitment to delivering prompt relief to its clientele. It has earned the esteemed reputation of being the “first choice” and the “go-to” firm for legal advice by top clients from “MSME to MNC” in South India. Actively contributing to the sustenance of the mooting culture, Surana and Surana International Attorneys have established a benchmark of excellence.

In the 6th edition of this moot a total of 31 teams registered for the moot which was reflective of the enthusiasm, interest and preparedness exhibited by young mooters. This prompted us to conduct the moot from 6th October - 8th October, 2023. This 6th edition of Surana and Surana and RGNUL International Law Moot Court Competition was conducted virtually from 6th October - 8th October, 2023.

Under the guidance of our Hon'ble officiating Vice Chancellor and Respected Registrar, Prof (Dr.)Anand Pawar, Respected Mr. Preetam Surana, Advocate and Head Academic Initiatives, Surana & Surana International Attorneys, and the Faculty Coordinator of the Moot Court

Committee, Dr. Geetika Walia, the 6th edition sought to test the oratory and research skills of the participating teams.

The Moot Court Competition witnessed the participation of 30 teams from institutes across the nation. The event was spread over three days, i.e., from 6-8 October, 2023. The draw of lots and exchange of memorials was conducted on October 6 for the preliminary rounds was conducted on October 7.

On October 7, the teams participated in two intellectually demanding and gruelling preliminary rounds which were adjudged by an eminent panel of academicians & practising advocates who are our Alumni. The Preliminary Rounds were followed by the Quarter-Final Rounds which were organized in the afternoon of October 7, wherein the top 8 teams qualified were adjudged by a highly specialised panel of academicians and lawyers.

These rounds were then followed by the Semi-finals wherein the top 4 teams qualified. The quarter final and semi-final rounds were knock out rounds where the teams pushed hard for a straight win against their opponents.

The top 4 teams which advanced to the semi-finals after an interesting round of quarter finals were:

1. IL 03 OP Jindal Global University
2. IL 07 Asian Law College, Noida
3. IL 10 Maharashtra National Law University, Nagpur
4. IL 31 Symbiosis Law School, Noida

The rounds were adjudged by three judge benches each consisting of our Alumini, senior professors and practicing lawyers. The teams were thoroughly tested on their knowledge of law and facts. The two teams which sustained the thrilling semi-finals were:

1. IL31 Symbiosis Law School, Noida
2. IL03 OP Jindal Global University, Sonipat

The Riveting final rounds were organised on October 8, 2023 and were presided over by a three Judge Bench consisting of:

1. Hon'ble Mr. Justice Rajendra Menon
2. Prof. (Dr.) A David Ambrose
3. Prof. (Dr.) Manoj Kumar Sinha



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POSITION RESULTS 8 th October 2023 SUNDAY (Chronological order)				
TEAM CODE	INSTITUTION	NAME OF PARTICIPANTS	AWARD	CASH PRIZE
IL31	SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL, NOIDA	ANUDHA SINGHAI MAYANK PARIDHI GUPTA	WINNING TEAM	Rs.21000/-
IL03	JINDAL GLOBAL LAW SCHOOL	ANUSHKA DUBEY GAURI MENON SRINJOY SEN	RUNNER UP TEAM	Rs.15000/-
IL10	MAHARASHTRA NATIONAL LAW UNIVERSITY NAGPUR	JAINENDRA NARAYAN SINGH JAGTESHWAR SINGH RITU KRIPLANI	TEAM PLACED THIRD	
IL07	ASIAN LAW COLLEGE	PRAKRITI V. KOTRU PARISHI GUPTA RAHUL SINGH KANDASI	TEAM PLACED FOURTH	
IL31	SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL, NOIDA	ANUDHA SINGHAI MAYANK PARIDHI GUPTA	BEST MEMORIAL	Rs.8000/-
IL16	DR. RAM MANOHAR LOHIYA NATIONAL LAW UNIVERSITY, LUCKNOW	MEHUL RAJ DEBJYOTI SAMADDAR ARYANSH GAJENDRA	II BEST MEMORIAL	
IL26	THE NATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF ADVANCED LEGAL STUDIES	NIYATI PRABHU DEVIKA KRISHNAN MOHAMMED DHULQR SHAN	II BEST MEMORIAL	
IL20	LLOYD LAW COLLEGE, NOIDA	VIVEK KUMAR SINGH ASHWIN SINGH SHIVANI MISHRA	III BEST MEMORIAL	
IL25	AMITY LAW SCHOOL, AMITY UNIVERSITY PUNJAB	SEHAJ KAUR KANWALJIT SINGH SHAURYA WALIA	IV BEST MEMORIAL	
IL28	HIDAYATULLAH NATIONAL LAW UNIVERSITY, CHHATTISGARH	HARSHITA BHANDARI UTKARSH SHARMA VISHRUT PARAKULANGARA	IV BEST MEMORIAL	
IL15	SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL, PUNE	ANKITA KALITA	BEST STUDENT ADVOCATE	Rs.8000/-
IL15	SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL, PUNE	GEETANJALI DHILLON	II BEST STUDENT ADVOCATE	
IL10	MAHARASHTRA NATIONAL LAW UNIVERSITY NAGPUR	JAINENDRA NARAYAN SINGH	III BEST STUDENT ADVOCATE	
IL28	HIDAYATULLAH NATIONAL LAW UNIVERSITY, CHHATTISGARH	VISHRUT PARAKULANGARA	IV BEST STUDENT ADVOCATE	
IL31	SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL, NOIDA	MAYANK	BEST SPEAKER OF FINALS	
IL15	SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL, PUNE	ANKITA KALITA GEETANJALI DHILLON ANANYA GUPTA	SPIRIT OF SURANA	

