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Plot No. 8/4, Knowledge Park-III, Gretaer Noida

Department : School of Law
Event : 1st Jagannath Memorial National Moot Court Competition, 2019
Resource Person: Moot Court Society
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JEMTEC School of Law, affiliated to GGSIPU New Delhi, has organized its three Days 1st Jagannath Memorial National Moot Court Competition 2019 from 15th-17th February 2019 at the Greater Noida campus, with an overall participation of 36 teams from across the country. Different Law colleges/ university have participated in the competition for the event and have a healthy competition ensuring inculcation of mootng and research skills. Details of teams are as - USLLS ,GGSIPU, CPJ, Fairfield Law School, Ideal Law School, Geetaratan Law School, Amity Law school, Asian Law college, Amity Law University, Noida, Sharda university, Galgotia university , Delhi Law Center-II, Delhi Metropolitan Education, Aligarh Muslim University- Aligarh, Chanakya National Law University- Patna, University Institute of Legal Studies Punjabi University- Chandigarh, Faculty of Law- Allahabad, HPNLU, Shimla.- Himachal Pradesh, Institute of Law, Kurukshetra University- Kurukshetra, Singhad law college- Pune, Christ university- Bangalore, Kalinga Institute of Industrial Technology, School of Law (KIIT)- Bhuvneshwar, Geeta Institute of Law- Haryana, Amity Law School- Kolkata, ADAMAS University- West Bengal, ICAI University, Kamalghat- Tripura, NNIMS- Mumbai, Saveetha School of Law, Saveetha University- Chennai, Bhgat Phool singh mahila vishwavidlya- Haryana, Presidency University- Karnataka, Law college Dehradun- Utrkhand, Banasthali vidyapith- Rajasthan, UPES School of Law, Dehradun.- Utrkhand, SASTRA deemed University- Tamilnadu, Excellence School Of Law, CHENNAI, Bahra University- Himanchal Pradesh,.

On 15.02.2019 Competition was inaugurated with registration of total 36 teams. These 36 teams were consisted of 108 participants, out of which 72 were mooters and 36 were researchers. Participants were being encouraged by the presence of Hon'ble justice DD Jha, former judge of Allahabad High Court, JIMS chairman Dr Amit Gupta, JEMTEC Director Prof. R. K. Raghuwanshi, HOD School of Law, & Chief Coordinator of the event Prof. Pallavi Gupta.



Hon'ble Justice D D Jha begins his address focusing on the hard work and the competition which we fought against ourselves. Justice Jha further mentions the constitution of India which protects our fundamental rights. He also talks about legal aid and discusses its provision. He conveys that society needs persons who pick up them when they are in need. Hon'ble Justice Jha emphasized on the importance of the moot court competitions showing his interest in such activities keeping in mind the benefits being imparted to the future legal gems. Hon'ble justice further congratulated the entire organizing team for such an initiative.

Hon'ble Chairman JIMS Mr. Amit Gupta encouraged the participating teams looking forward to a healthy competitive environment full of hard work and enthusiasm. Chairman Sir further gave his best wishes to the organising committee for the forthcoming event days.



Director R .K Raghuvanshi said in his address, “in education system journey of student does not end by their mark sheet’. He mentioned that mooting plays a very important role in this field. Our head of department Prof. Pallavi Gupta addresses the students with full of zeal and zest and congratulated them. She said, “Mooting is first platform to learn the advocacy skill’.



On **Day 2- 16.02.2019** around 48 external judges from the world of academics, Law firms, Advocate on Record, practicing advocate in Supreme Court and high Court were present to judge the two preliminary rounds of moot. Moot proceedings were taken place in total 18 courts Room. Each court was consisting of division bench. Out of 36 teams total 8 teams were qualified for Quarter Rounds. In quarter Rounds total 04 teams were qualified for Semi final Rounds. Quarter Rounds were judged by division bench.





On **Day 3- 17.02.2019** Semifinal Rounds were taken place in two court Rooms. Semi final rounds were judged by the deivision bench of Honble Justice S. N. Dhingra, Former judge Delhi high Court, Hon'ble justice V.B. Gupta and Former judge Delhi high Court, Honble Justice Zaki Ullaha Khan Former judge Allahabad high Court, Dr. Arun Kumar, Senior Advocate Supreme Court. Two teams were qualified for Final Round on merit basis as per score sheet/ Judgment sheet of judges,



Final round was judged by the full bench of Dr. G.N. Raju, Secretary, Legislative Department, Ministry of Law & Justice, Govt. of India, Dr. R.J.R. Kasibatla, DLA, Department of Legal affairs, Ministry of Law & Justice, Govt. of India, Prof.(Dr.) Kawal D. P. Singh , Dean school of Law, GGSIPU Delhi,

On this momentous occasion of valedictory ceremony Dr. G.N. Raju, Secretary, Legislative Department, Ministry of Law & Justice as Chief Guest, Prof. (Dr.) Kawal D. P. Singh as Guest of honour, Dr. R.J.R. Kasibatla as Special Guest graced the event.



Prof,(Dr.) Pallavi Gupta, HOD JIMS SCHOOL OF LAW, delivers her opening address with the welcome note. She appreciated the hard work of all the participants and also expressed the increased participation of girls in this competition with the compliments as women empowerment. Further she appreciated the contribution of entire faculty, MCS members and all the volunteers for their efforts in making this event a great success.



JEMTEC Director Prof. (Dr.) RK Raghuvanshi in his powerful and prolific speech, said that JIMS provided the national platform to deliberate upon the Constitutional Validity of Sec 497 of IPC where budding law graduates could hone up the art of advocacy based on facts, figures and calibrated arguments in gracious presence of high caliber sitting judges, eminent jurists, and judicial officers. He added that it has been a pride and mammoth task for the Institute to conduct such a mega simulated Moot court exercise for about 200 students from across the country.

The Chief Dr. G. N. Raju focused on the importance of moot court exercise and its relevance in today's contemporary legal field. He talks about his time when there was no moot court and how they get to learn about the law is only by theory but nowadays there are moot courts and many activities by which it becomes easier to get to know the law in the fastest way. He also discussed the Constitution of India and landmark judgements. He further discussed the amendments which are very important in enhancing law. His motivational speech encouraged the crowd with enthusiasm. He concluded his remarks with best wishes to participants and good luck for their future endeavors.

The Guest of Honour Prof. (Dr.) Kanwal D.P. Singh being the Dean School of Law, GGSIP University, depicted her extreme gratitude for being a part of the competition. She says it is said that once you are in the legal profession, there is no time for anything else. It is very important to practice law until and unless you take it as a practitioner you won't be able to get it. She advised becoming a successful person in life one should not go towards money the money will itself come. She also motivated the crowd of participants by encouraging them to participate more in the extra curricular activities in law school and how such activities help them in shaping their lives after the classroom exercises.

The Special Guest of the valedictory function, Dr. R.J.R. Kasibatla shared his experiences of his law school and how he has battled the way to the United Nations. He says mooting is not an easy exercise it would be difficult but he states every man is born winner. He advised to read and learn as learning cannot be stopped. He also mentions that continuous legal studying is very important in this field. He also highlighted his immense happiness to see the younger budding lawyers advocating in the mock exercise with so much of confidence and hard work.

Result of the event was announced in the presence of judges of Final round and dignitaries of valedictory ceremony. The winners of the event were:

- Winner team and holder of Running trophy: Ideal Institute of Law, GGSIPU
- Runners Up Team: Galgotias University, Greater Noida
- Best Mooter: Nidhi Prakash ,Campus Law Center II- Delhi University, Delh
- Best Researcher: Anna AnuPriya – Law college Dehradun University, Dehradun
- Best Memorial: Aligarh Muslim University



A number of esteemed guests helped us in making the event successful. Students were extremely thrilled to participate in the event and learned intricacies of pleading the cases while interacting with judicial officers and law practitioners.

The sponsors of the competition were Manupatra, Legal Bites, Pahuja Law Academy, Karachi Bakers, Espire watches, Pt. Omprakash Sharma Filling Station, Shri Santosh Pal, MCD Councilor, RJN Residency.

JIMS Convenor Aanchal Bansal and Co-convenor Dhiranjan Ojha thank everyone for making this event a great success.



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