

**7TH C.L. AGRAWAL MEMORIAL NATIONAL MOOT COURT COMPETITION,
2023
07th- 9th April 2023**



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MOOT REPORT

School of law, Raffles University, Neemrana has always envisioned serving society through reforms in legal services by way of preparing professionally competent lawyers. The **7th Edition of C.L. Agrawal Memorial National Moot Court Competition, 2023** was organised in association with Rajasthan Education Trust in continuance to fulfil this vision. The Rajasthan Education Trust has been actively involved in keeping the mooting culture, law lectures alive and they have set in this field very high.



In this Moot Court Competition, 18 teams were registered but 13 teams qualified for the competition. This sole edition of the competition was physically conducted at the **School of Law Raffles University, Neemrana**. The Moot Court Competition has been conducted under the able guidance of Hon'ble Dr. Justice Meena V. Gomber, former Judge Rajasthan High Court & Chairperson Gomber Education Foundation and Mr. Justice V.S Dave former judge Rajasthan High Court. The competition was supervised by the Dean School of Law and the Faculty convenor and co-convenor of the Moot Court Committee and their team. This Competition witnessed the participation of 13 teams from reputed institutions across the nation. The event was spread over three days, i.e., from 07th April to 9th April, 2023.

On the first day of the competition, the draw of lots and exchange of memorials took place, followed by the Inaugural Ceremony. Hon'ble (Dr.) Justice Meena V. Gomber was the Chief Guest and President of Raffles University Prof. (Dr.) Gadangi Indira was the guest of Honor at the ceremony. After the welcome address by Dr. Ausaf Ahmad Malik, Dean SOL, Raffles University, the guest of honour Prof. (Dr.) Gadangi Indira addresses the august gathering and shares her experience. After that, the Chief Guest Hon'ble (Dr.) Justice Meena V. Gomber shared her views and experiences of being part of the legal regime. She encouraged and motivated all the students to build upon their skills, and thrive in their desired fields. The inaugural session was concluded with a vote of thanks by Dr. Roopesh Kumar Assistant Professor & Convenor moot court committee of SOL, Raffles University.



After the inauguration, on the 8th April, 2023 the Preliminary Rounds began and the teams participated in two intellectually demanding and grilling preliminary rounds which were adjudged by an eminent panel of academicians, judges, and practising advocates, wherein the top eight teams qualified. On the same day, the Quarter-final rounds were organized which included the top eight teams. The quarter-final rounds were adjudged by a highly specialised panel of academicians, Judges and Lawyers.



The top four teams that advanced to the semi-finals were **TC-01 School of Law, North Cap University, Gurugram, TC-04 School of Law Shastra Deemed to be University, Tamil Nadu, TC-05, School of Law, Christ University, Delhi NCR, Delhi and TC-06 Symbiosis Law School, Pune**. These rounds were held on 9th April, 2023 and adjudged by a three-judge bench each consisting of a senior professor, a Supreme Court lawyer and a Judge.



The team **TC-04 School of Law Shastra Deemed to be University, Tamil Nadu, TC-05, School of Law, Christ University, Delhi NCR, Delhi** won the semifinal. The final round took place between these two teams on the same day. The Bench of judges for the final round comprised of acting Chief Justice of Rajasthan High Court, Hon'ble Mr. Justice M.M. Shrivastava, Professor Dhurendra Kaushik-former Vice-Chancellor Vinayak Mission Sikkim University, Professor (Dr.) Pradeep Kulshreshtha, Dean-School of Law, Benett University, Gautam Buddha Nagar (U.P.), Additional Advocate General of Rajasthan, Adv. Rajesh Maharshi, and former Additional Director General-Competition Commission of India, Col. Santosh Kumar Mishra,



The function was concluded with the Valedictory Ceremony on 9th April, 2023 which was presided over by Hon'ble Mr. Justice M.M. Shrivastava, acting Chief Justice of Rajasthan High Court and other dignitaries who were chairing the stage during this Ceremony remained Hon'ble (Dr.) Justice Meena V. Gomber, Professor (Dr.) Gadangi Indira, Mr. Harendra Singh-District & Sessions Judge, Alwar and Dean School of Law Raffles University.



TC-04 School of Law Shastra Deemed to be University, Tamil Nadu was adjudged as the Winner of the trophy and was awarded a cash prize of INR 20, 000. The Runners up trophy was bagged by **TC-05, School of Law, Christ University, Delhi NCR, Delhi**, with a cash prize of INR 10, 000. **UPES, Dehradun (TC07)** was awarded **Best Memorial** with a trophy and cash prize of INR 7000. The best Speaker award with a trophy and cash prize of INR 5000 was won by **Kushagra Parashar from UPES, Dehradun (TC07)**.



The valedictory session of the 7th Edition of C.L. Agrawal Memorial National Moot Court Competition, 2023 came to conclusion with the vote of thanks given by Dr. Ausaf Ahmad Malik Dean School of Law, Raffles University, Neemrana Rajasthan.