

**INSTRUCTIONS FOR ALL EVENTS OF
VIDHI EKTA MAHOTSAV, 2024**



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1. Telecom Regulatory Governance Discussion Forum- Dialogues and Policy Paper Presentation on current Indian Legal Framework



The banner features the Oriental University logo on the top left and the Pro Bono Legal Services logo on the top right. The text is centered and reads: 'FACULTY OF LAW, ORIENTAL UNIVERSITY, INDORE IN COLLABORATION WITH PRO BONO CLUB ORGANIZES TELECOM REGULATORY GOVERNANCE DISCUSSION FORUM-DIALOGUES AND POLICY PAPER PRESENTATION ON CURRENT INDIAN LEGAL FRAMEWORK AS PART OF LAW FEST, VIDHI EKTA MAHOTSAV, 2024'. Below the text is an illustration of three people in discussion, with a background collage of legal and technology icons including scales of justice, 6G, and a word cloud.

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**TELECOM REGULATORY GOVERNANCE DISCUSSION FORUM-
DIALOGUES AND POLICY PAPER PRESENTATION ON CURRENT
INDIAN LEGAL FRAMEWORK**

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☞ **About the event:** Join us for the Telecom Regulatory Governance Roundtable, where esteemed experts, scholars, and industry stakeholders convene to explore the dynamic landscape of telecom regulation in India. Through paper presentations, consultations, and dialogues, we aim to deepen our understanding of the legal frameworks governing the telecom sector and navigate the complexities of telecom regulatory governance in India thereby, fostering a more transparent, inclusive, and sustainable legal framework. Engage in meaningful discussions, network with peers, and build connections with leading figures in the telecom regulatory domain.

☞ **Inviting Detailed Comments, Articles, Research Paper/ Consultation Papers:** We welcome comments, consultation papers, and articles from legal experts, scholars, practitioners, and students on various facets of telecom regulatory governance in India. Your contributions will enrich our discussions and shape the discourse at the roundtable.

☞ **Highlights:**

- ✓ In-Depth Policy Dialogues: Participate in comprehensive discussions on current Indian legal frameworks governing the telecom sector.
- ✓ Policy Presentations: Witness detailed presentations on contemporary policies, providing critical analysis and recommendations for regulatory improvements.
- ✓ Expert Insights: Gain valuable perspectives from industry experts, legal scholars, and policymakers on emerging trends and challenges in telecom regulation.

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- ✓ Interactive Q&A Sessions: Engage directly with speakers through interactive Q&A sessions, enhancing understanding and fostering meaningful dialogue.
- ✓ Collaborative Environment: Network with professionals and stakeholders in the telecom industry, promoting collaborative efforts to advance regulatory governance.

☞ **Competition format:**

1. *Abstract Submission:* Submit a concise abstract (up to 250 words) summarizing your paper's key findings and arguments.
2. *Full Paper Presentation:* Shortlisted students will be invited to present their full papers at the event. Only selected submissions will be considered for the offline presentation.
3. *Expert Feedback:* Presenters will receive valuable feedback from our panel of experts and industry veterans.

☞ **Submission Guidelines:** Title: Bold, Underlined, Uppercase, Size 16, Centre Aligned; Headings: Bold, Uppercase, Size 14, Left-aligned.; Font: Times New Roman, Size: 12 pts; Line Spacing: 1.5; Margin: 1" from all sides; Alignment: Justified.

☞ **Footnotes:** Font: Times New Roman, Size: 8 pts.; Line Spacing: 1.0; Alignment: Left.

☞ All submissions must adhere to Uniform Citation Style.

☞ **Submission Types:**

1. Articles: 5000-7000 words, evaluating contemporary issues in a unique manner.
2. Essays/ Comments: 2000-3000 words, analyzing judgments and legislations.

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3. Articles/Research Paper/Consultation Paper: 4000-5000 words, discussing contemporary legal issues related to telecom laws, communication, entertainment, and technology.

☞ Submission Process:

- ✓ Original, non-plagiarized works only [plagiarism upto 10% only]
- ✓ **Co-Authorship** is allowed for a maximum of two members.
- ✓ Submission of abstract via email to **legaldraftingcell@orientaluniversity.in** only .doc format with cover letter within the email body introducing author[s] and their details, explaining the objective of the chosen topic.
- ✓ Only one submission per author or team of co-authors is permitted.
- ✓ **Deadline for abstract submission: 13.08.2024**
- ✓ **Date of presentation {online}: 16.08.2024**
- ✓ **Deadline for Full Paper Submission-30.08.2024 {Allowed only for top 20 research papers shortlisted through presentation}**
- ✓ **Four shortlisted teams {only student participation}** based on their research paper will again present their paper in the offline event in front of expert panel and give detailed presentation of the research paper and answer the panel for the same.
- ✓ **Winners and runners up:** Team with highest score will be declared as winner and the team with second highest score will be declared as runners up.
- ✓ **There will be separate award for the BEST PRESENTER during online phase.**
- ✓ All the other full research papers shortlisted earlier will be published in OUI Newsletter and in peer reviewed journal which shall be announced later only to registered participants.
- ✓ Editors' decisions are final and binding, with sole rights to publication and any necessary edits.

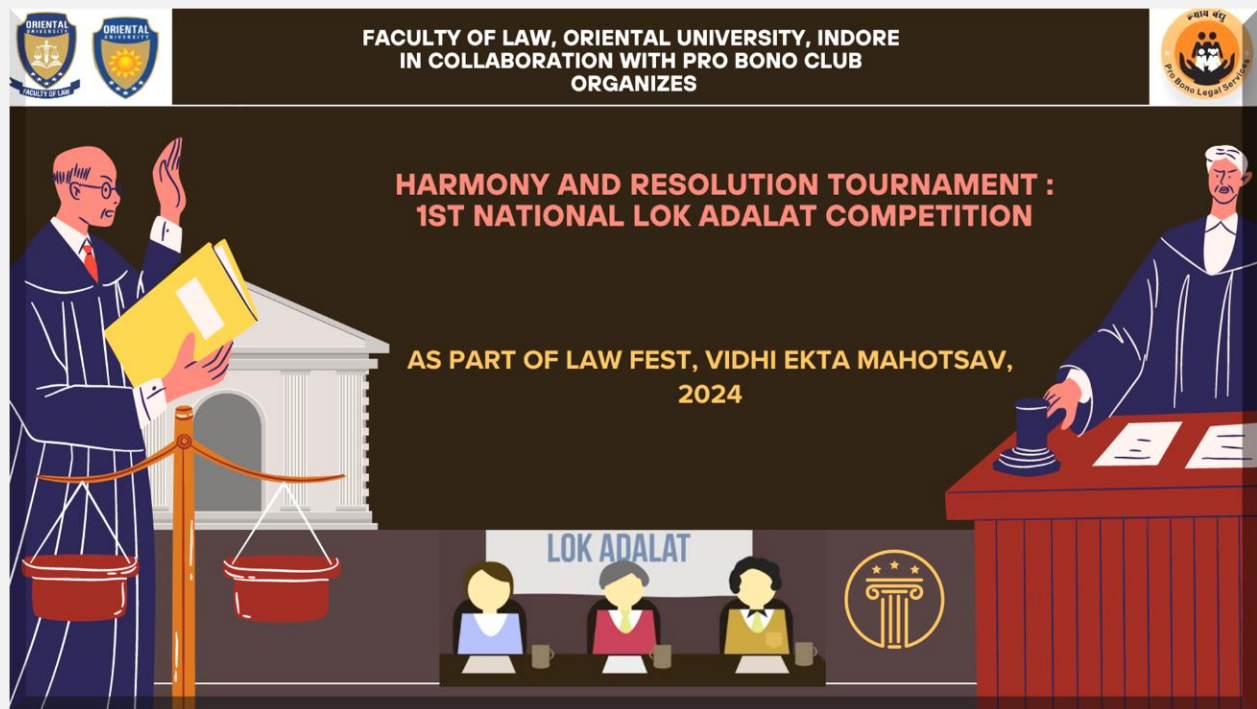
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- ✓ Please note that the cash prizes are reserved exclusively for students, while working professionals can participate in the final publication of research papers and attend the panel discussion.

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2. Harmony and Resolution Tournament : 1st National Lok Adalat Competition



☞ **About the Competition:** The 1st National Lok Adalat competition offers law students a unique opportunity to immerse themselves in the world of alternative dispute resolution, which is an increasingly vital aspect of modern legal practice. Through participating in this competition, students engage in realistic scenarios, navigating through complex legal issues, and striving to reach amicable resolutions for their clients outside of the traditional courtroom setting. By embracing ADR principles such as mediation and negotiation, participants not only gain valuable practical experience but also contribute to the promotion of efficient, cost-effective, and collaborative methods of conflict resolution. Beyond honing their advocacy, negotiation, and legal skills, students develop a deeper understanding of the benefits and intricacies of ADR, equipping them with essential tools for addressing the diverse needs of clients and society in their future legal careers. Thus, participation in the Lok Adalat competition not only offers students a platform to showcase their talents but also fosters their development as skilled and socially conscious legal professionals within the framework of alternative dispute resolution.

☞ **Competition Highlights:**

1. National Participation: Competitors from various states will take part, reflecting nationwide interest.
2. Legal Skills: Participants will showcase their legal skills.
3. Expert Judges: Esteemed legal experts and mediators will form the judging panel.
4. Recognition: Top performers will be awarded for their outstanding dispute resolution abilities.
5. Educational Impact: The event will emphasize practical learning and real-world application.
6. Networking: Participants will have the opportunity to connect with peers and professionals.

7. Innovative Solutions: Creative and effective dispute resolution methods will be highlighted.
8. Public Awareness: The event will raise awareness about the significance of Lok Adalats in the judicial system.

👉 Competition Format

- The competition consists of four rounds: two online i.e. preliminary and quarter-final rounds; two offline-semi-finals and finals.
- In the preliminary round, 8 teams will be shortlisted, and from the quarter-final round only 4 teams will be shortlisted for offline semi-final round.
- Each team will be designated separate courts for Lok Adalat sessions.
- Each team will consist of 4 members i.e. two members (counsel pair) and two client pairs.
- Panel judges will be provided by our institute.

👉 Competition Problems

- Four separate problems for each round will be provided.
- For the Preliminary round and quarter-final rounds, preposition will be provided **15 days** before the competition.
- Written submission {up to 6 pages} as part of pleadings/negotiation based on the problem to be submitted 5 days before online event on info.adrcentre@orientaluniversity.in.
- The problem for the semi-final rounds will be provided **10 days** before the offline competition.
- Final round preposition will be provided **1.5 hour** prior to the round only to the shortlisted teams.
- Teams must rely only on facts provided in the problem.
- Requests for clarifications must be emailed within the stipulated timeline.

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☞ Competition Rules:

- Detailed Rulebook will be provided only to the registered teams through email.
- Interpretation authority lies with Problem Committee and Organizing Committee.
- Sessions evaluated by Expert Assessors assigned by Host Institution.

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3. Human Rights Legal Summit- Advocating for Justice and Equality



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**HUMAN RIGHTS LEGAL SUMMIT-
ADVOCATING FOR JUSTICE AND
EQUALITY**

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☞ **About the event:** This summit brings together leading experts from various sectors, including Human Rights Commissions, Police, NGOs, Advocates, Judges and Academicians, to discuss pressing issues and challenges in the field of human rights. Be part of the conversation and contribute to the advancement of human rights and equality for all. Don't miss this opportunity to be a part of the Human Rights Legal Summit!

☞ **Summit Highlights:**

- Engage with renowned experts through insightful panel discussions, keynote speeches, and interactive sessions.
- Explore key topics such as access to justice, civil liberties, role of policing in protection of human rights, real life challenges, minority rights, gender equality, and social justice.
- Gain valuable insights into the role of different stakeholders in promoting and protecting human rights.
- Network with like-minded individuals and organizations committed to advancing human rights and social justice initiatives.

☞ **Date of event {Offline only}: 27.09.2024**

☞ **Registration Details:**

- Registration is open to legal professionals, students, activists, and anyone passionate about human rights.
- Certificate of Participation and top 3 awards for **BEST INTERACTIVE PARTICIPANT.**

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4. Uniting Legal Minds through Legal Podcast:
Unlock the World of Law

The poster features a central image of a professional microphone on a stand against a dark blue background with a grid pattern. Text and logos are arranged around the microphone. At the top, logos for Oriental University and Pro Bono Legal Services are displayed. The main title and event details are in the center, and a 'LIVE' indicator is at the bottom right.

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☞ **About the Competition:** Unlock the World of Law and Join OUI Legal Podcast. It is a leading platform where legal enthusiasts, professionals, and curious minds converge to explore the depths of the legal landscape. Our podcast features engaging conversations, thought-provoking interviews, and in-depth analyses on a wide range of legal topics, from landmark court cases to emerging trends in the legal industry. Choose Legal Podcast for an enriching and immersive journey into the world of law and justice. With our meticulously curated content, featuring insightful discussions, expert analysis, and captivating stories, as this podcast offers a unique platform where legal enthusiasts, professionals, and curious minds alike can engage with diverse perspectives, stay informed about current legal affairs, and gain practical advice to navigate legal challenges. Our commitment to quality, inclusivity, and community engagement ensures a dynamic and enriching listening experience, accessible anytime, anywhere. Join us today and unlock the complexities of the law with Legal Podcast.

☞ **Competition Highlights:**

- Express your thoughts, insights, and reflections on law and justice through original discussions
- Engage with fellow legal enthusiasts in a celebration of creativity and expression.
- Showcase your unique perspective on the intersection of law and society.
- Win recognition and accolades for your exceptional interactive session.

☞ **Competition Categories:**

- Legal Themes: Explore legal principles, rights, and societal issues.
- Personal Reflections: Share personal experiences, challenges, and insights related to the legal profession or justice system.
- Social Justice: Advocate for social change, equality, and human rights through poetic expression.

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- Additional Themes: Environmental Law, International Law, Corporate Law, Cyber Law, Indigenous Rights, Family Law, Police, Human Rights, Criminal Justice, Disability Rights, Immigration Law, Restorative Justice.

👉 Judging Criteria:

- Content Relevance
- How well does the podcast address legal issues, concepts, and developments?
- Are the participants knowledgeable and experienced in the legal field?
- How effectively does the podcast engage the audience?
- Is the delivery clear, articulate, and engaging?
- Are storytelling techniques, if used, compelling and well-executed?
- Does the podcast offer unique perspectives or innovative approaches to legal topics?
- Are there creative elements such as storytelling, interviews, or case studies that enhance the listening experience?
- What is the potential impact of the podcast on its target audience?
- Does it effectively educate, inform, or inspire listeners about legal issues?

👉 Participation Rules

- Each team shall consist of only two members who will be considered guest of the show.
- Host [provided by institution] will lead the podcast discussions with the team both in online and offline mode.
- Each team selects a legal topic or issue to explore in their podcast episode.
- Topics should be relevant, timely, and of interest to the target audience.
- Teams conduct thorough research and preparation on their chosen topic.

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- They gather relevant information, insights, and perspectives to discuss during the podcast episode.
- They may incorporate storytelling, interviews, or other creative elements to enhance the episode.

👉 **Mode of Competition**

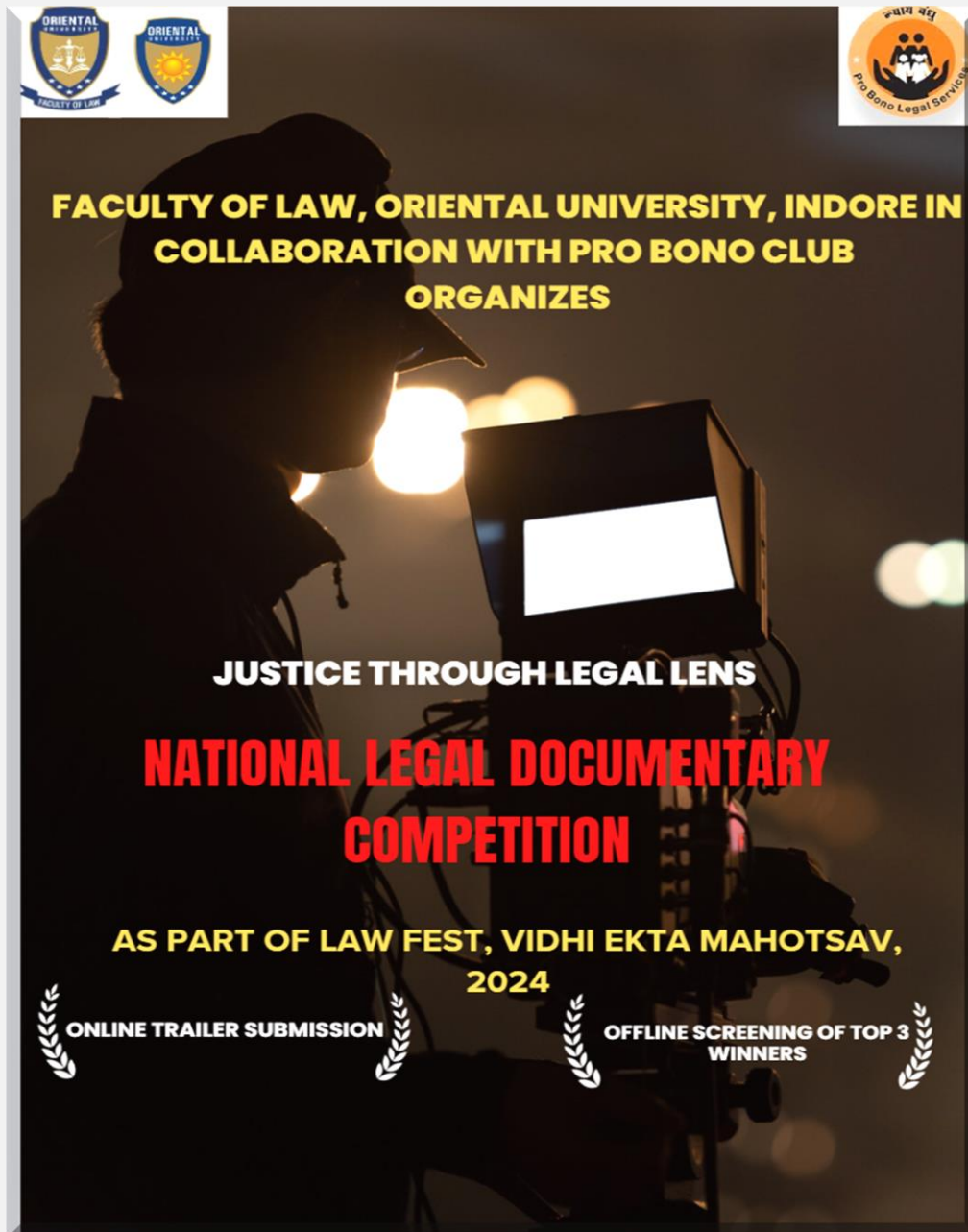
- Preliminary round will be held on **28.08.2024 [online mode]** and Final rounds will be in offline mode.
- The top 4 shortlisted teams will have the opportunity to present their discussions live in a studio-like setup during the offline phase of our Law Fest.
- From these top 4 podcasts, the top 2 will be selected to receive cash prizes.

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5. Justice through Legal Lens- National Legal Documentary Competition



The poster features a silhouette of a person operating a professional video camera against a dark background with bokeh light effects. At the top left, there are two logos for Oriental University Faculty of Law. At the top right is the logo for Pro Bono Legal Services, which includes the text 'विधि एकता' and 'Pro Bono Legal Services'. The main text is centered and reads: 'FACULTY OF LAW, ORIENTAL UNIVERSITY, INDORE IN COLLABORATION WITH PRO BONO CLUB ORGANIZES JUSTICE THROUGH LEGAL LENS NATIONAL LEGAL DOCUMENTARY COMPETITION AS PART OF LAW FEST, VIDHI EKTA MAHOTSAV, 2024'. At the bottom, there are two laurel wreath icons flanking the text 'ONLINE TRAILER SUBMISSION' and 'OFFLINE SCREENING OF TOP 3 WINNERS'.

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ONLINE TRAILER SUBMISSION

OFFLINE SCREENING OF TOP 3 WINNERS

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☞ **About the Competition:** This prestigious event provides a platform for students to showcase their filmmaking skills and explore legal themes through the art of documentary filmmaking. Whether participating individually or in groups, students are invited to delve into pressing legal issues and contribute to legal literacy and awareness through the power of visual storytelling. Join us in creating impactful documentaries that contribute to legal literacy and societal awareness.

☞ **Competition Highlights**

- ✓ Diverse themes explored: Human rights, environmental justice, and more.
- ✓ National participation: Law Schools Teams from across India.
- ✓ Expert judging panel: Acclaimed lawyers and activists.
- ✓ Innovative storytelling: Fusion of law and cinema for impactful narratives.
- ✓ Networking opportunities: Participants connect with legal professionals.
- ✓ Awards for excellence: Recognizing top documentaries in legal advocacy.

☞ **Competition Details**

- A group of maximum 4 students is allowed, and all members must meet the eligibility criteria.
- Each participant may only participate in one group.
- Only two entries from one educational institution are allowed.

☞ **Submission Guidelines:**

- Participants are invited to submit a trailer for their documentary, highlighting the key themes, storytelling approach, and visual style.
- From these submissions, the top 4 shortlisted teams will be selected to develop their trailers into full-length documentaries, with a maximum duration of 15 minutes each.
- These final videos will be showcased and evaluated by a panel of judges during the offline event.

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- Documentaries must be clearly based on the specified theme.
- The documentary must be in English/Hindi language only.
- Size must not exceed 3 GB.
- Submission can be made via Google Drive, along with a unique name and short synopsis in a Word file and send email only on lawculturalcell@orientaluniversity.in.
- End credits must acknowledge all group members (if applicable) and sources used.
- Originality is paramount; documentaries should not contain copyrighted material or be submitted elsewhere.
- Proper references must be cited, and copyright violations will lead to disqualification.
- Submissions must not be uploaded elsewhere, and the college reserves the right to use them for legal awareness campaigns.

Submission Format:

- Trailer Length: Up to 2 minutes for initial online submission on **12.08.2024**.
- Top 10 teams will be shortlisted for second round.
- These 10 documentaries will also be shared on all the social media platforms of Oriental University, Indore such as Instagram , YouTube channel etc.
- Only selected teams in the second round must make a Final Film for up to 15 minutes and submit again through google drive on or before **31.08.2024**.
- Out of these ten teams only the top 3 shortlisted teams will be declared winners.
- The top 3 documentaries will be screened in offline mode on the day of **valedictory ceremony** at Oriental University, Indore and these teams will receive **special invitation** for receiving the cash prizes on **27.09.2024**.

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☞ **Themes:** Documentaries may explore a wide range of legal themes, including but not limited to:

- Untouchability and Law
- Minority Rights
- Women, Child, and Law: Domestic Violence, Human Trafficking, Child Rights
- Police and Law: Accountability, Reform, Community Relations
- Constitutional History
- Religion and Law
- Right to Education
- Hypothetical Scenarios such as: What if Constitution was framed without Fundamental Rights; Right to Life includes Right to die; Same Sex Marriage Bills and Live in Relationship Bills passed in India etc.

☞ **Evaluation Criteria:**

A panel of experts will assess documentaries based on:

- Introduction and relevance to the theme.
- Historical and social relevance.
- Critical evaluation of the issue.
- Conclusion or suggestions offered.

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6. Extempore Moot Court Competition



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☞ **About the Competition:** The Extempore Moot Court Competition is a highly anticipated event in the legal community, offering law students a unique platform to showcase their advocacy skills and legal knowledge. In this intense competition, participants will engage in impromptu legal argumentation, testing their ability to think on their feet and present compelling arguments under pressure. Participating in the Extempore Moot Court Competition offers a plethora of benefits. It serves as a platform for honing advocacy skills and sharpening legal reasoning abilities within a competitive environment. Additionally, it provides invaluable networking opportunities, allowing participants to connect with fellow law students, esteemed legal professionals, and knowledgeable judges. Moreover, competing in this event offers recognition for talent and dedication to the legal field, further enhancing one's reputation within the legal community. Most importantly, it offers hands-on experience of presenting arguments in a simulated courtroom setting, providing invaluable practical experience that is essential for future legal careers. Join us for an exhilarating day of legal debate and camaraderie at the Extempore Moot Court Competition!

☞ **Competition Highlights**

1. **Wide-Ranging Participation:** The event will attract law students from universities across the nation, fostering a competitive and diverse environment.
2. **Challenging Questions:** It will feature a comprehensive quiz covering various legal topics, testing participants' knowledge and quick thinking.
3. **Prestigious Panel:** The competition will be judged by esteemed legal professionals and academics, ensuring a high standard of evaluation and feedback.
4. **Engaging Format:** It will include multiple rounds with interactive and dynamic formats, keeping participants and audiences engaged throughout the competition.

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☞ Competition Details

- ✓ **Format:** The competition will consist of three rounds- Preliminary {**Online on 22.08.2024**}, Semi-Finals and Finals {Offline}.
- ✓ **Speakers:** Each team will consist of two speakers.
- ✓ **Matchups:** The matchups for the round will be determined by draw of lots conducted by the organizers.
- ✓ **Time Limit:** Each team will have a maximum of 25 minutes to present their arguments. Individual speakers will be limited to a maximum of 12 minutes each.
- ✓ **Rebuttals:** Time for Rebuttal and Sur-rebuttal is included in the 25-minute limit, with a maximum of 2 minutes for Rebuttal and 1 minute for Sur-rebuttal.
- ✓ **Minimum Speaking Time:** Each speaker must speak for a minimum of 12 minutes, exclusive of time taken for Rebuttals and Sur-rebuttals.
- ✓ **Top 4 teams** will be shortlisted through the online preliminary round for the offline phase.
- ✓ **Winner:** The team with the highest score will be declared as winner and second-highest score will be declared the runners-up.

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7. Legal Advocacy Elevation and Crafting Justice- PIL Drafting and Pleading Competition



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☞ **Competition Overview:** In this competition, participants will draft and plead a Public Interest Litigation (PIL) based on a given scenario. Shortlisted individual or team entries will advance to the pleading rounds, where they will present their case before a panel of judges. This is your chance to engage with pressing social issues and advocate for positive change through the legal system. Don't miss this opportunity to use your legal skills to advocate for change and make a meaningful impact. Register now and take the first step towards participating in the PIL Drafting and Pleading Competition!

☞ **Competition Highlights**

1. **Diverse Participation:** The event will attract law students and young professionals nationwide, bringing varied perspectives on public interest litigation (PIL).
2. **Innovative Solutions:** It will feature PIL drafts tackling issues like digital privacy, environmental justice, and socio-economic rights.
3. **Expert Judges:** Senior advocates, legal scholars, and retired judges will be included, offering valuable feedback and mentorship.
4. **Rigorous Pleading Rounds:** Participants will showcase their advocacy skills in virtual courtrooms, mimicking real-world legal scenarios.

☞ **Competition Format:**

1. **Written Submissions:** Participants will submit their PIL drafts based on the selected theme and hypothetical scenario by the specified deadline. Each Participating Team must submit ONE PIL draft only.
2. **Pleading Rounds 1 {Online Mode}:** Participants will advance to the pleading rounds, where they will orally present their case before the judges for 15 minutes presenting their PIL on **14.08.2024**.
3. **Pleadings Rounds 2 {Offline Mode}:** 4 teams will be shortlisted for the final round and in this round problem will be provided by the institute for semi-final and final rounds.

☞ **Written Submission Guidelines:**

1. Format: PIL drafts must be submitted in Microsoft Word or PDF format.
2. Content: Each submission should include:
 - Title of the PIL
 - Introduction and background of the issue
 - Statement of facts
 - Legal arguments and grounds for the PIL
 - Prayer for relief
 - Citations to relevant case law, statutes, and legal authorities
3. Word Limit: PIL drafts should be between 1500 to 3000 words, excluding footnotes and references.
4. Font and Formatting: Times New Roman font, size 12, double-spaced, with 1-inch margins on all sides.
5. References: Use footnotes for citations following a recognized citation style (e.g., Bluebook, OSCOLA, etc.).
6. Plagiarism: Submissions must be original works and free from plagiarism.

☞ **Competition Guidelines:**

1. Eligibility: The competition is open to law students enrolled in undergraduate programs at accredited institutions worldwide.
2. Team Composition: Each team may consist of up to two members or one member can participate individually, one member as speaker and one as researcher.
3. Evaluation Criteria: Entries will be evaluated based on clarity, coherence, legal arguments, creativity, and adherence to guidelines.
4. Pleading Rounds: Shortlisted individual or team entries will be notified and invited to participate in the pleading rounds.
5. Prizes: Cash prizes and certificates will be awarded to the top-performing entries in both the written submissions and pleading rounds.

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☞ **PIL topics {can be selected only for online rounds}**: Labour laws, IPR, Gender Justice, Environment Law, Women and Law, Human Trafficking, Same Sex Marriage, Uniform Civil Code, Rape Laws, or any contemporary legal topic.

☞ **Submission guidelines:**

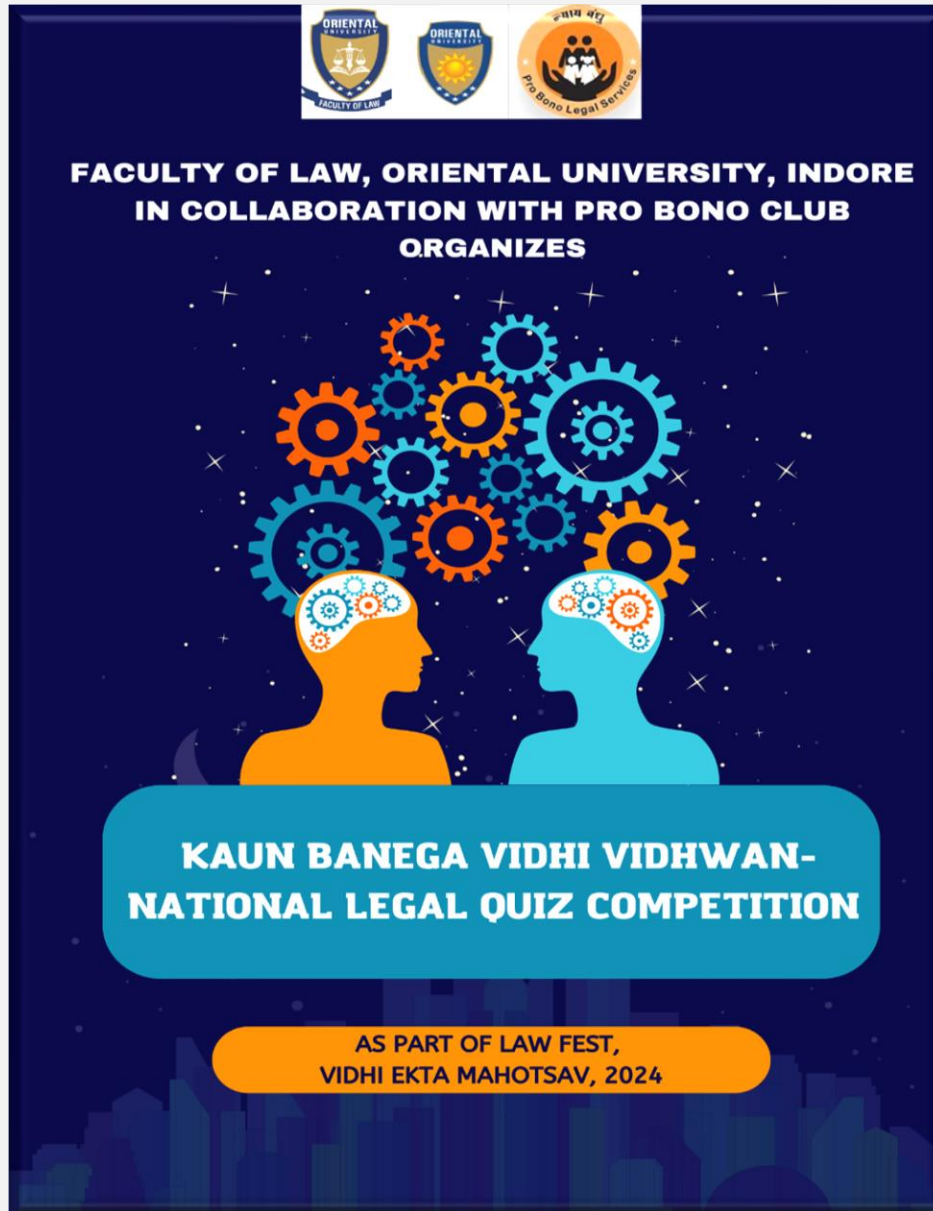
- No participant name reference allowed in submissions.
- Drafts to be submitted in MS Word Document (.doc/.docx) and PDF Format (.pdf) on legaldraftingcell@orientaluniversity.in **two days prior to the online rounds.**
- Each participant submits 2 files (one in MS Word format, one in PDF format)
- Body of submissions: Times New Roman font, size 12, line spacing of 1.5, justified.
- Hypothetical facts to be considered by teams only.
- Authorities cited as per Bluebook 20th Edition

☞ **Publication:** By submitting their entries, participants grant permission for their PIL drafts to be published on our platform. Please note that Top 10 PIL drafts will be published on Faculty of Law, OUI website.

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8. Kaun Banega Vidhi Vidhwan-
National Legal Quiz Competition



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☞ **About the event:** Do you have what it takes to be the legal luminary of the hour? Test your legal knowledge and quick thinking in our exciting quiz competition, presented in the style of the famous TV show, Kaun Banega Crorepati (KBC)!

☞ **Competition Highlights**

1. Wide-Ranging Participation: The event will attract law students from universities across the nation, fostering a competitive and diverse environment.
2. Challenging Questions: It will feature a comprehensive quiz covering various legal topics, testing participants' knowledge and quick thinking.
3. Prestigious Panel: The competition will be judged by esteemed legal professionals and academics, ensuring a high standard of evaluation and feedback.
4. Engaging Format: It will include multiple rounds with interactive and dynamic formats, keeping participants and audiences engaged throughout the competition.

☞ **Competition Format:**

❖ **Online Preliminary and Quarter final round**

- ✓ Fastest Finger First: The first participant to correctly answer the preliminary question will win a cash prize and will start the game.
- ✓ Total of 25 Questions will be asked.
- ✓ Maximum of 2 individuals can form one participating team.
- **Preliminary Round {Online Mode- 23.08.2024}**: Qualify by answering top 15 questions correctly within 1 minute. Participants can use a maximum of two "Shakti" lifelines until then.

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- **Quarter Final Round {Online Mode- 23.08.2024}**: After answering top ten questions, ten more questions will be asked and based on the performance, time taken to answer the question out of 8 teams, 4 teams will be shortlisted. {within 2 minutes and can use only 2 "Shastra"}.
- **Semi-Finals {Offline}**: After entering this round, the 4 teams will restart the game and will answer 20 Questions. First 10 Questions have to be answered only in 1 minute and Participants can use a maximum of two "Shakti". For the next 10 questions teams can use an additional 3 lifelines called "Sanjeevani" and must be answered within 2 minutes.
- Total 2 Teams will be shortlisted for the **final round** according to the maximum number of questions answered till semi-final rounds.
- In final round, 5 Question based on more difficulty and advanced level will be asked and top two teams will be shortlisted as winners and runners up based on the maximum number of questions answered correctly within 3 minutes. In this round, teams will get only one lifeline called "Brahmastra".

☞ **Rules:**

1. Contestants must always adhere to the quizmaster's instructions.
2. Answers must be given within the allotted time. Failure to do so may result in disqualification.
3. The quizmaster's decision on all matters related to the competition is final.
4. Use of any electronic devices or external assistance during the competition is strictly prohibited.
5. In the event of a tie, a tiebreaker question will be asked to determine the winner.
6. Participants must maintain sportsmanship and respect towards fellow contestants and organizers throughout the competition.

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9. Excellence in Higher Education Awards: Innovative Initiatives



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☞ **About Competition:** Join us in celebrating excellence and innovation in academia and the legal profession at our prestigious awards event. Discover outstanding initiatives, honor exceptional individuals, and be inspired by transformative endeavors that are shaping the future of education and legal services. This event will be an unforgettable recognition and inspiration as we honor the best and brightest in higher education and legal practice. Network with industry leaders, engage with innovative ideas, celebrate the achievements of our community and nominate yourself for the award.

☞ **Award Categories:**

- 1. Best Academician Engagement Award:** Recognizing educators who demonstrate exceptional commitment to enhancing the learning experience and fostering academic growth through innovative teaching methodologies, research initiatives, and community outreach programs.
- 2. College Excellence and Extraordinary Ventures Awards:** Celebrating institutions that have distinguished themselves through exceptional performance and groundbreaking initiatives in higher education, fostering a culture of innovation, inclusivity, and academic excellence.
- 3. Pro Bono Legal Impact Award:** Honoring institutions who have made significant contributions to society through pro bono legal services and advocacy, promoting access to justice, advancing human rights, and serving marginalized communities through their events and extra-curricular activities.

☞ **Event Overview:**

- The event will commence with an online shortlisting round of presentations through online mode on **29.08.2024**.
- **Submit ppt on 25.08.2024 with relevant certificates in pdf.**
- After the online presentations, a list of nominations will be prepared and shared in the WhatsApp group.

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- Based on the nominations, one award will be given in each of the three categories.
- This result will be announced at least 20 days prior to the offline event after consultation with panel of senior academicians, lawyers and judges.
- These three winners will receive their awards during the valedictory ceremony, culminating the event with recognition and celebration of excellence i.e. on **27.09.2024**

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10. Legal SharkTank: Turning Startup Ideas into Reality



The poster features three logos at the top: the Faculty of Law logo of Oriental University, the Oriental University logo, and the Pro Bono Legal Services logo. The text is centered and reads: 'FACULTY OF LAW, ORIENTAL UNIVERSITY, INDORE IN COLLABORATION WITH PRO BONO CLUB ORGANIZES LEGAL SHARKTANK TURNING STARTUP IDEAS INTO REALITY'. Below this, it says 'AS PART OF LAW FEST, VIDHI EKTA MAHOTSAV, 2024'. A red button on the left says 'ONLINE PRESENTATION'. On the right, there is a 3D illustration of a person standing next to large 3D letters spelling 'STARTUP', with a crane-like structure lifting the letters.

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☞ **About Competition:** Welcome to Legal SharkTank, where entrepreneurial dreams meet legal expertise to pave the way for groundbreaking startups. This event is designed to provide a platform for aspiring entrepreneurs to pitch their innovative ideas, receive invaluable feedback, and gain insights into the legal aspects crucial for their success. At Legal SharkTank, you have the opportunity to pitch innovative startup ideas that could revolutionize the legal landscape. Consider proposing a LegalTech App, aimed at simplifying complex legal processes for a wider audience. Alternatively, you could explore the concept of a Virtual Law Firm, leveraging technology to provide personalized legal services to clients globally. Another compelling idea is an Online Legal Consultation Platform, facilitating convenient and affordable access to legal advice. Additionally, there's the potential for a Blockchain-based Legal Document Verification system, ensuring security and authenticity in legal transactions. For businesses, a Legal Compliance Software solution could streamline regulatory processes, while an Online Dispute Resolution Platform offers an efficient alternative to traditional legal proceedings. These ideas represent just a glimpse of the opportunities available at Legal SharkTank, where aspiring entrepreneurs can showcase their vision in a professional and impactful manner.

☞ **Format**

- The event will start with the first round of pitches conducted via PowerPoint presentations. Each participant will have the opportunity to showcase their startup idea in a concise and compelling manner, utilizing up to 10 slides. From these presentations, the top 4 startup ideas will be shortlisted based on the strength of their pitches.
- One team can consist of up to 2 individuals only.

👉 Highlights

- ✓ **Powerful Presentations:** Witness innovative ideas come to life as entrepreneurs present their vision for the next big thing on **27.08.2024**.
- ✓ **Expert Evaluation:** Our panel of legal experts will evaluate each presentation, providing constructive feedback and insights on navigating legal challenges.
- ✓ **Final Round:** The two most promising startups selected from the first round will engage in an in-depth discussion on their ideas and execution strategies. This session will delve into the intricacies of turning a concept into a viable business, addressing legal considerations, market dynamics, and scalability.

👉 Why Attend?

- ✓ **Networking Opportunities:** Connect with fellow entrepreneurs, legal professionals, and investors passionate about innovation and startups.
- ✓ **Learning from Experts:** Gain valuable insights from experienced legal advisors and industry insiders to navigate the startup landscape effectively.
- ✓ **Inspiration and Motivation:** Be inspired by the creativity and determination of aspiring entrepreneurs as they strive to make their mark on the world.

Don't miss this opportunity to be part of Legal SharkTank and witness the birth of tomorrow's leading startups. Join us as we dive into the exciting intersection of entrepreneurship and law!

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OTHER IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS

- All registered teams have to compulsorily participate in the respective event.
- Dates of events can be changed in case of unforeseen circumstances and will be duly informed.
- Rules can be amended as per the university discretion.
- In case of any discrepancies, the authorities' decision will be final.
- A detailed schedule for the offline event will be shared only with shortlisted teams via WhatsApp/email.
- In case of any change or further updates, prior notice will be given.
- Once the amount is given, no refund will be possible.
- If any team backs out, it is important to give prior notice to the convenors and event coordinators at least one week before the event; otherwise, the team will be blacklisted from future events as well.