

WAR OF WORDS

3rd National (Online) LAW Debate Competition

IN COLLABORATION WITH



Platform : Zoom

8th & 9th JUNE, 2024
(Saturday & Sunday)

Timings : 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM

FEES:
₹100/-

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Prizes Upto:
₹8,500 +

Prelims Round:
Broadcasting Regulations Bill :
Curbing Free Speech

Semi & Finals:
INDIA : Mother of Democracy or
An Electoral Autocracy

Organising Team



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L&GAL

LEGAL (Legal Education & Grooming Academy for Lawyers) is a platform to provide, practical exposure for Law Students by offering various academic activities while they are graduating & also to help them in creating career oriented opportunities to lead towards building Bright & Shining future.

It is founded with the objective to work as a resource centre for Students, Law Colleges and to assist other law based institutions who are facing serious issues in implementing their plans successfully.

In this series 'WAR OF WORDS' (National Law Debate Competition) is one of the academic activity which was conceptualized & initiated during COVID time and has become one of the benchmark in law debating.

In Light of Law

'In Light Of Law' is the team setup by the Law students and professionals to bridge the gap of unavailability of understandable and accessible study material for the budding Lawyers.

We are actively organizing several quizzes, debates, virtual interactive sessions with eminent lawyers, academicians and Judges.

Legalis Amicus

Established in 2023 , Legalis Amicus is a growing organization of aspiring law students aiming for research excellence and providing that excellence to fellow law students by assisting them in their legal journey.

From research papers to moot memorials Legalis Amicus had played a pivotal role in easing the way of budding lawyers.



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About The Competition

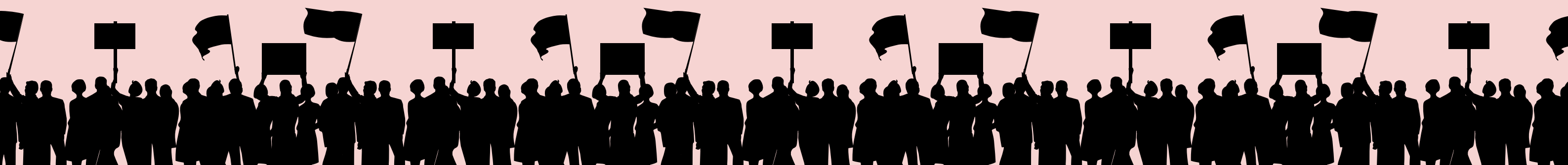
IN LIGHT OF LAW and **LEGAL** presents "War of Words" 3rd National (Online) Law Debate Competition organised by **LEGALIS AMICUS** in collaboration with **JKILS Foundation** on **8th - 9th June, 2024** (Saturday & Sunday) at Zoom.

It stands as a prestigious and intellectually stimulating event on the academic calendar. This debate competition brings together talented debaters from across the nation to engage in thought-provoking discourse on a wide range of topics. The event fosters an atmosphere of healthy competition, where debaters tackle both contemporary and timeless issues, making it an enriching experience for all involved.

The National Debate not only promotes the art of persuasive argumentation but also encourages participants to broaden their horizons and think critically, nurturing the future leaders and advocates of tomorrow.

IMPORTANT DATES

EVENTS	DATES
Commencement Of Provisional Registration	23th May, 2024 (Thursday)
Last Date of Registration	2nd June, 2024 (Sunday)
Declaration of Final Teams with their team Codes	5th June, 2024 (Wednesday)
Queries Session	6th June, 2024 (Thursday)
Draw of Lots	7th June, 2024 (Friday)
Date of the Competition	8th & 9th June, 2024 (Saturday & Sunday)
Declaration Of Results	9th June, 2024 (Sunday)



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Eligibility

The competition is open for undergraduate students from any established law Institute/University from India only.

Cross University entries are allowed. Multiple entries from the same University/College/Institute shall be entertained.

By applying for the competition, the teams shall be deemed to have accepted the terms and conditions of the organizing committee

Rules and Regulations

1. Each team should comprise of two members.
2. The competition shall comprise of three rounds.
3. Only 24 teams shall be considered for Preliminary Round of the Debate Competition.
4. Registrations are provisional and is on first come first registered basis. The registrations forms should be duly completed along with the payment of the registration fee on or before the last date of online registration i.e., 02 June 2024 till 11:59:59PM.
5. Final List of the teams will be announced on 05th June, 2024 (Wednesday).
6. Out of 24, top scoring 4 teams will qualify to semi-finals and top scoring 02 Teams shall advance to Final round.
7. Motion for the rounds will be assigned to the teams on 6th June 2024.
8. Organisers holds all the rights to take the decisions and that will be the considered as final decision.

THEME

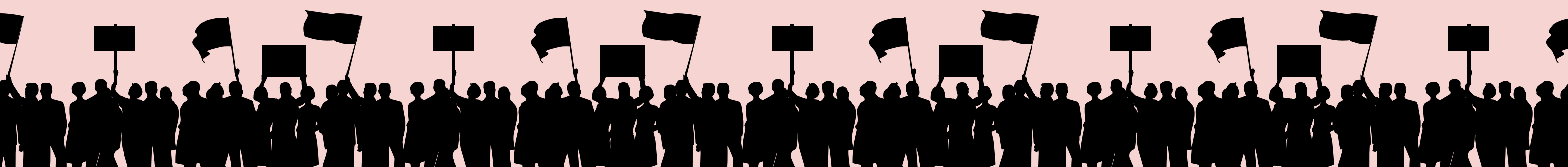
- Preliminary round – Broadcasting bill : an upcoming tool for curbing free speech
- Semi Final & Final rounds – INDIA- Mother of democracy or an electoral Autocracy.

LANGUAGE

The medium of communication for this debate shall be English only.

DRESS CODE

Lawyer's Uniform



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Format

- The order of the speakers would be:
 - Speaker 1 from team 1 will be speaking for the motion.
 - Speaker 1 from team 2 will be speaking against the motion.
 - Rebuttal from Speaker 2 of team 1 .
 - Sur - Rebuttal from Speaker 2 of team 2.

Illustration: Speaker 1 of the respective teams assigned for and against will deliver their statement first then followed by a rebuttal by speaker 2 of the team in favour of the motion which will be followed by sur-rebuttal by speaker 2 of the team Against in motion.

Speaking Rounds

There shall be 'two teams. Out of these two teams, one would be 'For / Affirmative' motion, and another would be 'Against/ Negative' motion. Both the speakers of a team should speak for assigned motion.

For preliminary round

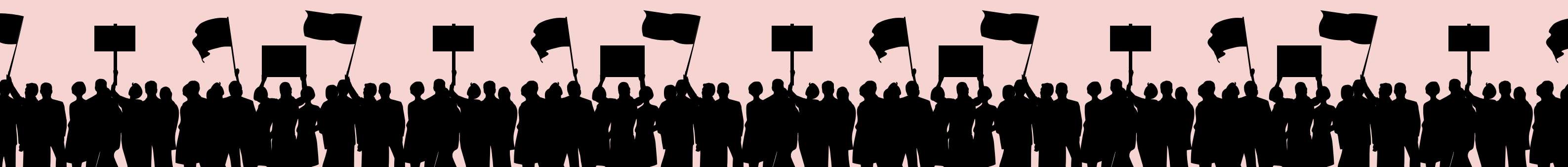
- Each team will get 5 minutes (3+2) to speak.
- 3 minutes would be for the opening statement and 2 minutes would be for the rebuttal.

For Semi-final round

- Each team will get 5 minutes (3+2) to speak.
- 3 minutes would be for the opening statement and 2 minutes would be for the rebuttal

For Final round

- Each team will get 7 minutes (4+3) to speak.
- 4 minutes would be for the opening statement and 3 minutes would be for the rebuttal After both the members of a team has finished, the Judge / Panel of Judge can:
 - Ask questions individually to both member of team;
 - Address questions collectively to both speakers.



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JUDGING CRITERIA

Participants would be judged on following points:

Criteria

1. Argumentation & Persuasion (per team) - 20 MARKS
2. Research & Knowledge - 20 MARKS
3. Organization & Structure - 20 MARKS
4. Delivery & Structure --20 MARKS
5. Body language & Presentation 20 MARKS

TOTAL 100 MARKS

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REGISTRATION DETAILS

To participate in the competition interested teams shall fill the registration form.

- Registration Fee per team: Rs. 100/-
- Registrations are provisional on FIRST COME FIRST REGISTRATION basis.

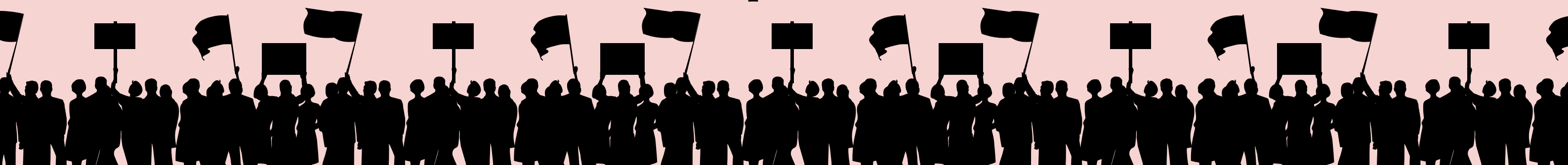
[Tap to register](#)

PRIZES & PERKS

- Winner Team: Cash Prize of Rupees 3100/- + E Certificate
- Runner Up Team: Cash Prize of Rupees 2500/- + E Certificate
- Best Speaker (For): Cash Prize of Rupees 1500/- + E Certificate
- Best Speaker (Against): Cash Prize of Rupees 1500/- + E Certificate

E-Certificate to all the Participants

Best Speakers will be decided based on scores of the Preliminary round of the competition.



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