



**FACULTY OF LAW
WELCOMES YOU TO**

“Surana and Surana Judex 2.0”

**National Human Rights
Law Moot Court
Competition**

06th & 07th July 2024 (Online Rounds: Prelims and Quarters)

17th August 2024 (Offline Rounds: Semi-Finals and Final)

About Surana & Surana International Attorneys and Surana & Surana Academic Initiatives

About Surana & Surana International Attorneys:

Surana & Surana International Attorneys, established in 1971, is dedicated to providing clients with prompt support and has been recognized as the "first choice" and "go-to" firm for legal counsel in South India.

Since 1998, the firm has been consistently listed among the top law firms in India by national and international magazines as well as clients, providing legal services such as Dispute Resolution, Real Estate & Infrastructure, Corporate, Commercial, Intellectual Property, Defence Law, Regulatory Investigation Advisory, Tax, Cyber-Entertainment-Media-Technology.

It is the world's first law firm to achieve SA8000 and ISO 14000 certification as well as Asia's first to achieve ISO 9001 certification for professional legal services.

The firm was featured as the only Indian case study in the best-selling book "Developing a Profitable Practice in Asia" by Mr. Robert C Sawhney, Hong Kong in a full chapter titled 'An Uncommon Law Firm: Principles before Profits'.

The firm's Academic Initiatives division has pioneered the Moot Court Competitions in the country which is now the world's largest moot court program.

About Surana & Surana Academic Initiatives:

For over 28 years, the firm has hosted, administered, and supported a dozen moot court events each year. It is crucial to understand the larger picture of this mammoth initiative, which is now the world's largest moot court program.

Hon'ble Justice Krishna Iyer, during one of his stay with the Surana Family in the late 1980s spoke at length with the firm's Founder, Mr. P.S Surana on the need & importance of developing young advocates with strong advocacy abilities. He was particularly concerned that talented young law graduates were leaving the Bar to join the corporate sector, thereby depriving the Bar of strong talent.

Inspired by this interaction, Mr. P.S. Surana designed a well-structured and transparent moot court competition platform to provide law students with an opportunity to hone their talents in oral and written advocacy, as well as legal research. Surana & Surana has conducted more than 350 Moot Court competitions with more than a dozen every year besides judgment writing, arbitral award, and essay competitions. The moot court advisory board has over the years had about 50 members at various points in the journey from Chief Patron (Late) Fali S Nariman to designated Senior Advocates and distinguished Academicians.

About the Competition:

"Surana & Surana Judex 2.0 National Human Rights Law Moot Court Competition"

The Surana & Surana and Kalinga University National Human Rights Law Moot Court Competition has been conceived with the aim of creating opportunities for learning and facilitating development of jurisprudence in the emerging field, offering a forum for discussions on developments in Human Rights law, in addition to fostering the development of cutting-edge skills in research, writing, and advocacy.

The Faculty of Law, Kalinga University is proud to announce the first edition of "Surana & Surana Judex 2.0 National Human Rights Law Moot Court Competition" in association with its esteemed joint organizer, Surana & Surana International Attorneys, Chennai. The competition is scheduled from 06th & 07th July, 2024 (Online Rounds : Prelims, Octa Finals & / Quarter Finals) will be held virtually via Google Meet and on 17th August 2024 (Offline Rounds : Semi-Finals & Final) at the Kalinga University Campus, Raipur.

Mission

Kalinga University aims to be an outstanding institution for Talent Development and Knowledge Creation for a vibrant and inclusive society.

About Kalinga University

Kalinga University, Naya Raipur, is a NAAC accredited University with a Grade B+ and the only University in Chhattisgarh ranked in the Top 101-150 Universities in NIRF Ranking 2023 and has emerged as a centre of excellence in higher education in Central India. Strategically located in the Smart City of New Raipur, this University has started carving a niche for itself in the education domain and is rising as a shining star on the horizon of quality education.

Infrastructure - Kalinga boasts world-class infrastructure and student facilities with a student-centric approach. The highest attention is paid to the hands-on learning approach, and students are encouraged to come up with innovative ideas for projects and practicals. The University has more than 75 laboratories and workshops, all well-equipped with the latest state-of-the-art apparatus and tools. Special emphasis is given to the development of communication skills through the language lab. More than 1200 computers are available for the use of the students.

The library has a collection of over 80,000 books and also offers digital content through membership of DELNET, National Digital Library and NPTEL. Various magazines and journals are available for the use of the faculty and students. The infrastructure consists of Student Hostel facilities, Green Acres, a Canteen, a Food Mess, a Gymnasium, a Fully Wi-Fi Campus, an ATM, a Mini Market, Student Hangout Areas, a Sports Complex, and Recreation Halls with Indoor Games and Music and recreation activities.

Establishment - Established in 2013, this University has been able to win the confidence of over 7000 students. Meritorious students from all over the country and various foreign countries like Afghanistan, Angola, Bangladesh, Cameroon, Gambia, Ivory Coast, Kenya, Lesotho, Liberia, Malawi, Namibia, Nepal, Nigeria, Papua New Guinea, South Sudan, Swaziland, Tanzania, Uganda, Zambia, Zimbabwe, etc., have chosen this University for their education and career.

Schools of Excellence - Currently, the University is serving the student community through various schools offering UG and PG programs, namely Arts & Humanities, Biotechnology, Commerce & Management, UX Design, Engineering, Fashion Design, Information Technology, Interior Design, Journalism & Mass Communication, Law, Library Science, Pharmacy, Science, Education and Yoga. It also has a centre for Doctoral Research Programmes in various fields.

Academics and Faculty - All schools are headed by senior professors with excellent academic credentials and experience in teaching, publications and research. They are ably supported by well-qualified faculty members who come from top educational institutions and the industry. Students also get an opportunity to learn from a distinguished panel of experts drawn from various industries, who regularly come for guest lectures.



About the Faculty of Law

The Faculty of Law at Kalinga University, Naya Raipur, Chhattisgarh, stands as a beacon of legal education, fostering academic excellence and professional development. With a commitment to nurturing future legal luminaries, the faculty comprises distinguished scholars and experienced faculties who bring a wealth of expertise to the learning environment. Emphasising a holistic approach to legal studies, the faculty members are dedicated to imparting both theoretical knowledge and practical skills essential for success in the dynamic field of law.

At Kalinga University's Faculty of Law, students embark on a transformative educational journey characterised by innovative pedagogy, interactive sessions, and experiential learning opportunities. The curriculum is designed to align with contemporary legal challenges, ensuring that graduates are well-equipped to navigate the complexities of the legal landscape. With state-of-the-art facilities, including modern classrooms, a well-stocked library, and moot courtrooms, students engage in a stimulating academic environment that encourages critical thinking, research, and the development of ethical legal practice. The faculty's commitment to fostering a culture of intellectual curiosity and professional integrity distinguishes the legal education imparted at Kalinga University, making it a premier destination for those aspiring to excel in the legal profession.

About the National Moot Court Competition

The Faculty of Law, Kalinga University, Naya Raipur, cordially invites you to the 5th National Moot Court Competition, which is going to be held in hybrid mode on 06th & 07th July 2024 and physical rounds on 17th August 2024. Kalinga University organised the 1st National Moot Court Competition in August 2018, the 2nd National Moot Court Competition in January 2020, and the 3rd National Moot Court Competition in September 2022. The latest edition to the list was the 4th National Moot Court Competition, 2023, under the name "Judex". The event saw registrations from over 30 teams from all around India to participate in the three-day event from 14th – 16th September 2023.

- The event organisers recognised the need to organise this competition where law students can be part of a platform where they can draft, plead, and showcase their moot skills.
- The Competition is conceived with the aim of promoting & developing skills about the procedure followed by the appellate court and testing the knowledge of law students across the nation.
- The organisers are positive that the participants will show zeal and enthusiasm in this event and will get to experience powerful arguments from the law students who are on the path of becoming established advocates in the coming time.

Event Details

• Online Rounds:

- o Preliminary Rounds: 06th July 2024
- o Octa Finals/Quarter Finals (Knock-out): 07th July 2024
- o Platform: Google Meet

• Physical Rounds:

- o Semi-Finals (Knock-out): 17th August 2024
- o Finals: 17th August 2024
- o Venue: Moot Court Hall, Faculty of Law, Kalinga University

TEAM COMPOSITION

Each Team shall consist of 2 speakers and 1 researcher (Minimum 2 Team Members)

REGISTRATION DETAILS

- Registration Fees: INR 2000/- per Team
- Registration Link: <http://moot.in/>

ELIGIBILITY

Team members must be valid undergraduate students pursuing a law program or equivalent from a recognised University / School / Institution. More than one team from one University / College can participate.

Link for the Moot Proposition:

<https://shorturl.at/BuYBW>

Link for the Moot Rules:

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1pQsY2hKOU1iu3clL9_-ochV3DcrZdJdH/view?usp=sharing

Link for Registration:

<http://moot.in/>

IMPORTANT DATES

Registration Opens: 05th June 2024
Registration Closes: 20th June 2024
Last Date of Payment of the Fee: 20th June 2024
Soft Copy Memorial Submission: 25th June 2024
Hard Copy Memorial Submission: 16th August 2024
Inaugural Session & Preliminary Rounds: 06th July 2024 (Online)
Octa Finals/Quarter Finals: 07th July 2024 (Online)
Draw of Lots & Semi-Final Rounds: 17th August 2024 (Offline)
Final Rounds and Valedictory Session: 17th August 2024 (Offline)

Awards

1) Winning Team	Rs. 21,000
2) Runner up Team	Rs. 11,000
3) Best Memorial	Rs. 8,000
4) Best Student Advocate	Rs. 6,000
5) Best Researcher	Rs. 4,000



CERTIFICATE OF PARTICIPATION WILL BE GIVEN TO ALL PARTICIPANTS.

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