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Guru Gobind Singh Indraprastha University was the first university to be established by the Government of NCT of Delhi in 1998, with the aim of facilitating and promoting studies, research and development work in emerging areas of higher education with a special focus on professional education. It's central location in Delhi makes it a prime location to impart legal education. The University has also set up an east campus aside from its main campus in Dwarka.

The University has been graded "A++" by the National Assessment and Accreditation Council, Bangalore. The University also secured its maiden QS world ranking in 2023 and now features among the top 1500 institutions of the world. Furthermore, it has attained AIU's Status of Regular Membership in November, 2008. The University was ranked 99th overall, and 79th amongst universities, in the National Institutional Ranking Framework (NIRF) rankings of 2022, released by the Ministry of Education. Furthermore, the University has been recognized by Dun & Bradstreet as "Decide with Confidence" in its publication titled, "Universities of India, 2008"



Vice Chancellor's Message



I extend my warm greetings and felicitations to the University School of Law and Legal Studies for organizing the Law-Fest 'Lex Magna' from the 14th December to 16th December 2023. This is a great initiative and will provide our budding lawyers a platform to showcase their potential and pit their skills against competing law schools.

Events like these not only help in building a competitive spirit but the exchange of ideas and knowledge helps in the collective growth of all participants. After all education cannot be just about bookish knowledge, using that knowledge practically certainly hones skills.

Congratulations to USLLS on organising the Law fest, Lex Magna USLLS is one of the sterling Schools of our University with high national rankings.

I understand that the Fest will have diverse events ranging from legal to cultural activities that will include mediation competitions, trial advocacy competitions, client interviewing and counselling competitions, debates, poster making, nukkad -natak, quiz competitions, symposiums and fashion shows.

This will be a great opportunity for students to display their talent. I am sure the participation will help develop in them the art of critical thinking, articulation and public speaking., writing and presenting legal arguments like a polished lawyer. Activities that should enable confidence building, and give students an exposure to a culture of research, debate and discussions-essential attributes of a successful professional in the legal field.

I urge all students to participate wholeheartedly in the Fest. Give your best and while you have fun and revel in the competitive atmosphere, do take away useful learnings from all the activities.

I wish the faculty and students of the University School of Law and Legal Studies all success for Lex Magna!

Best Wishes!



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Dean's Message

As the Dean of USLLS, I am honored to address you and share our institution's commitment to empowering the legal professionals of tomorrow through Lex Magna '23. It is with great enthusiasm that I present the remarkable talent and potential of our law students who are eager to welcome you to our Law Fest. At USLLS, we pride ourselves on cultivating a dynamic learning environment that nurtures the intellectual, professional, and personal growth of our students. Our rigorous academic curriculum, combined with hands-on experiential learning, equips our students with the tools they need to excel in the legal profession.

At USLLS, we recognize the importance of fostering collaboration, both within our institution and with external stakeholders. We actively encourage our students to participate in co-curricular activities, including moot court competitions, legal aid clinics, and pro bono initiatives. These experiences not only strengthen their legal skills but also cultivate a sense of social responsibility and a commitment to access to justice. Our students emerge as well rounded individuals who are not only equipped to excel professionally but also driven to make a positive impact on society.

Best Wishes!!

About Lex Magna'23



Lex Magna Fest 2023: The Ultimate Showcase for the Future Leaders of Law!

Join us at the University School of Law and Legal Studies (USLLS) in Guru Gobind Singh Indraprastha University (GGSIPU), Dwarka for the most vibrant legal festival of the year! This event is a deep dive into the world of legal expertise and innovation, featuring twelve dynamic events over three days. From the art of mediation and insightful client counselling to compelling debates and spontaneous extempore, you'll have the opportunity to learn from esteemed legal professionals who will serve as adjudicators, and connect with like-minded individuals.

This event is a unique chance to explore the legal profession through keynote speakers, workshops, and networking opportunities. Whether you're a law student, practitioner, or simply a legal enthusiast, you'll discover cutting-edge trends and insights from the most esteemed legal minds around. Come be part of this tapestry that intricately weaves knowledge, competition, & camaraderie and discover the future leaders of the legal world!

Day 1

Client Counselling: Quarter Finals

Poster Making

Trial Advocacy: Qualifiers

Inauguration

Break

Symposium I

Turncoat Debate

Mediation Quarters

Movie Screening

Cultural Event

Day 2

Symposium II

Trial Advocacy: Semi - Final

Client Counselling: Semi - Final

Break

Mediation: Semi - Final

Extempore

Symposium III

Nukkad Natak

Fashion Show - Legally Chic

Battle of The Bands

Day 3

Hit the Buzz - Quiz

Symposium IV

Trial Advocacy: Finals

Client Counselling: Finals

Mediation: Finals

Symposium V

Break

Valedictory

Celebrity Performace

DJ Night



Rules & Regulations

- **Dress Code should be Formal.**
- **Students pursuing Law under either five year LL.B. Course or three year LL.B. Course from Law Schools/ Colleges/ Institutions/ Universities across India can participate in the competition.**
- **The decision of the organizing committee with regard to the competition, eligibility, submissions, selection criteria, results, or any other matter shall be final and binding.**
- **Organizing committee reserves reserve the right to change the rules, reschedule or cancel the programme if the contingency arises**
- **Participants must behave in a dignified manner and shall not cause any inconvenience failing which team shall be disqualified from the Competition.**
- **Activity such as Drinking, Smoking etc. is strictly prohibited in the college campus.**
- **The Participants must carry with them Photo identity card of their college/ University**
- **All the teams are bound to follow the code of conduct and the rules laid down by the organizing committee.**
- **Any behavior of indiscipline with the Judges, Organizing Committee, any other staff member or student volunteer shall be dealt with strictly and may lead to immediate disqualification from the competition without scope of appeal.**
- **No participating Team shall reveal their identity in any form during the Competition, except by the means of the Team Code allotted to them.**
- **The decision of the Organization Committee in this regard shall be final and binding without scope of appeal.**
- **Rules should be strictly adhered to. Any deviation from these will attract disqualification. Participants are expected to follow the discipline while in campus**



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- **In case of any violation of the aforementioned rules, the organizing committee shall take strict actions, which may include the expulsion of the said team from the competition.**
- **The Organizing Committee shall have power to amend, modify or revoke the provisions of these rules, either in part or in whole, subject to the feasibility, transparency and smooth functioning of the Competition.**
- **Any such amendment or modification shall come into force upon the notification of such amendment or modification as the case may be.**
- **Any such amendment or modification shall be deemed to be part of these rules.**
- **Nothing in these Rules & Procedure shall prejudice any right which any Participant would have had before the enactment of this Rules & Procedure.**
- **The Organizing Committee or the Institute shall not be held responsible for any actions of the Participants before or during the course of the Competition, which are violative under the present Rules & Procedure**
- **All the rules are only inclusive and not exhaustive for the competition**



LEGAL EVENTS



CLIENT COUNSELLING

Client Competition is a simulated interview where two law students act as lawyers and are presented with a problem. The competition aims to enhance skills such as conducting an initial interview, addressing the client's legal and non-legal needs, establishing rapport, identifying goals, and considering relevant laws.

Eligibility: Students of three-year and five-year law degree courses from any College are eligible to participate in Event.

Note: The client shall be from the University School of Law & Legal Studies, GGSIPU

Total Teams: 24

Slot allocation shall be on a first-come-first serve basis. 2 teams per institution will be allowed.

Team Composition: Each team is to have TWO members

Mode Of Event: Hybrid

Awards:

- Best Counselling Pair
- Best Client
- Runner-up Counselling Pair
- Runner-up Client

Rounds:

There will be 4 Rounds -
Prelims will be Online.

Quarter, Semi-Finals, and Finals will be Offline on all 3 days of the fest respectively

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MEDIATION



Law students can demonstrate and improve their mediation and negotiation skills in a simulated environment in a Mediation environment. Teams will act as mediators, clients, and counsel to resolve disputes and will be evaluated by judges based on communication, problem-solving, and adherence to mediation-specific rules.

Eligibility: Students of three-year and five-year law degree courses from any College are eligible to participate in Event.

Team Composition: 3 members - Client, Counsel, Mediator

Mode Of Event: Hybrid

Rounds

There will be 4 Rounds -

Prelims will be Online.

Quarter, Semi-Finals, and Finals will be Offline on all 3 days of the fest respectively

Awards:

- Best Mediator
- Best Mediating pair
- Upcoming Mediator
- Upcoming Mediating pair

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TRIAL ADVOCACY



Law students participate in the Trial Advocacy Competition, taking on attorney roles to argue cases before judges or juries. The competition allows students to improve their oral advocacy, legal analysis, and courtroom skills, and develop essential advocacy skills, with competitors being judged on their presentation, legal arguments, and ability to handle objections.

Eligibility: Students of three-year and five-year law degree courses from any College are eligible to participate in Event.

Note: The client shall be from the University School of Law & Legal Studies, GGSIPU

Team Composition: 4

Participants in each team

(2 counsels + 1 witness + 1 researcher)

Mode Of Event: Offline

Rounds

Qualifiers, Semi-Finals, and Finals will be Offline on all 3 days of the fest respectively

Awards:

- Winning Team
- Runner-up Team
- Best Memorial
- Best Counsel
- Best Witness
- Best Researcher

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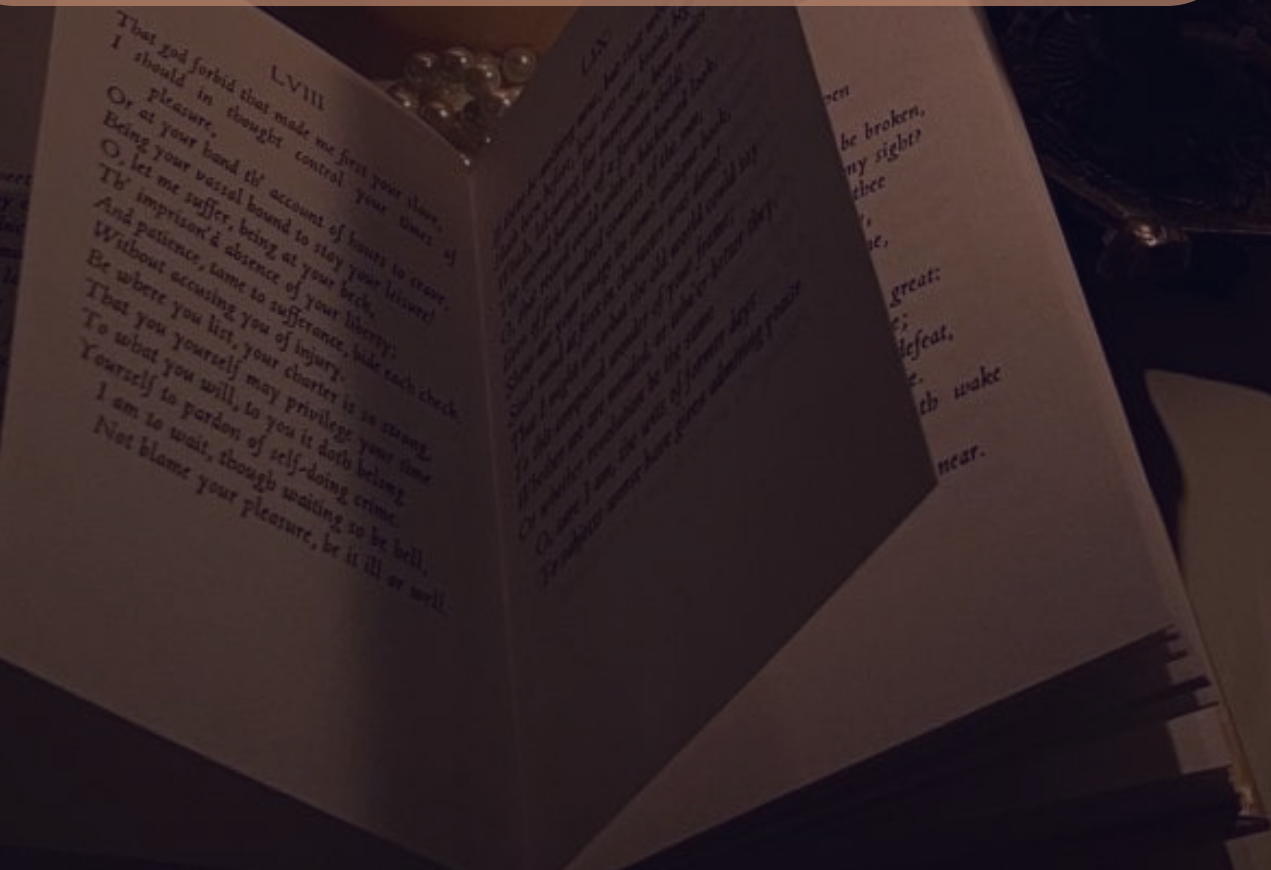
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LITERARY EVENTS



TURNCOAT DEBATE



The Turncoat Debate Competition offers a unique twist on traditional debating. Unlike team-based debates, participants must argue both for and against a given topic. This style, referred to as "turncoat" debating, requires participants to switch sides unexpectedly, often without prior knowledge of which stance they will initially represent. The competition challenges participants' knowledge of various perspectives, quick thinking, strong argumentation skills, and adaptability to rapidly changing situations.

Eligibility: Students in ANY course from any College are eligible to participate in the competition.

Total Participants: 20

Institutions registering will get their slots finalized on a first-come-first serve basis.

Team Composition: This Competition will be for individual participants

Mode Of Competition: Offline

Rounds

There will be 2 Offline Rounds on Day 1 of the Fest

Awards:

- Winner
- Runner's Up

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EXTEMPORE



Extempore is a form of impromptu speaking that challenges individuals to deliver persuasive and engaging speeches without prior preparation, highlighting the importance of effective communication skills and quickthinking abilities. It is a valuable educational tool for law students, as it allows them to enhance their critical thinking, public speaking, and improvisation skills, ultimately preparing them for the dynamic and unpredictable nature of the legal profession.

Eligibility: Students in ANY course from any University/College/Department are eligible to participate in the competition.

Total Participants: 20
Institutions registering will get their slots finalized on first-come-first serve basis.

Team Composition: This Competition will be for individual participants

Mode Of Competition: Offline

Rounds

There will be 2 Offline Rounds on Day 1 of the Fest

Awards

- Winner
- Runner Up

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HIT THE BUZZ



Hit the Buzz quiz competition tests knowledge across various topics, encourages learning, and promotes intellectual challenge for people of all ages. Participants must answer questions quickly and accurately to earn points.

THEME: General Knowledge and Law

Eligibility: Students in ANY course from any University/College/Department are eligible to participate in the competition.

Total Teams: 30
Institutions registering will get their slots finalized on first-come-first serve basis.
3 teams per institution will be allowed

Team Composition: Teams of TWO members

Mode of Competition: Offline

Quiz will be both Audio & Visual

Rounds

There will be 3 Offline Rounds on Day 3 of the Fest

Awards

- Winner
- Runner-up
- Second Runner-up

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POSTER MAKING



The competition provides a platform for artists to create posters on social issues, the environment, and advocacy using different tools. The posters aim to communicate powerful messages through art and will be evaluated based on aesthetics, originality, and message clarity. The competition promotes artistic expression and raises awareness on important topics.

THEME: LEGAL LUMINANCE: ILLUMINATING THE SPIRIT OF JUSTICE

Eligibility: Students in ANY course from any University / College / Department are eligible to participate in the competition.

Team Composition: This Competition will be for individual participants

Mode Of Competition: Offline

Rounds

There will be 2 Offline Rounds on Day 1 of the Fest

Awards

- Best Poster
- 5 Honourable Mentions

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ESSAY WRITING



The Essay Writing Competition for law students is a platform to showcase legal acumen and writing skills, encouraging critical thinking, research, and communication abilities.

THEME: Adapting Legal Frontiers: Navigating the Intersection of Technology, Society and Access to Justice in Modern India

Eligibility: Students in ANY course from any University / College / Department are eligible to participate in the competition.

Team Composition: This competition requires Individual participation

Mode of Competition: Online

Rounds

Submissions will be taken Online via Google Form and there will be a Single Round

Awards

- Best Essay
- Runner Up
- 5 Honourable Mentions

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STAGE EVENTS

FASHION SHOW



Lex Gala is an exceptional event that brings together legal professionals and fashion industry icons for a unique fusion of law and fashion. The gala showcases legal-themed fashion, art, and innovation, celebrating the intersection of law and fashion. Attendees can expect an evening of elegance, inspiration, and justice.

Eligibility: All students aged 18-25 from any College are eligible to participate in the competition.

Team Composition: Individual/Duo

Mode of Competition: Immerse yourself in the world of Legally Chic offline, where fashion meets law in a sensational live experience.

Rounds

The dresses that will be worn by the participants will be approved by the Legally Chic Organising Committee to check whether they are appropriate and in line with the theme of the event. It will be followed by a Ramp Walk.

Awards:

- Couture Crown
- Runner's Up Royalty
- Bronze Jurist

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BATTLE OF THE BANDS



Budding musicians and university students are invited to participate in a Battle of the Bands competition during Law Fest. Bands from all genres can submit an online video for the preliminary round, with selected bands performing live during the grand finale in front of a panel of musicians and peers.

Eligibility: Students in ANY course from any University/College/Department are eligible to participate in the competition.

Team Composition: Individual/Duo

Mode of Competition: Offline

Rounds

Online Video Submission Round followed by a live performance by the selected bands on Day 2 of the Fest.

Awards:

- Best Band Performance

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Registration Fees

Competition Name	Registration Fee
Mediation	₹3000
Trial Advocacy	₹4000
Client Counseling	₹2000
Extempore	₹250
Poster Making	Free, Open For All
Turncoat Debate	₹250
Hit The Buzz	₹250
Essay Writing	Free, Open For All
Battle Of The Bands	₹1000
Fashion Show	₹300/person or ₹500/duo

PAYMENT PROCESS & DETAILS



Payment Details:

Payment is to be made to the below mentioned account through either online bank transfer or NEFT by the last date of registration as per the specified events mentioned above:

Name: Registrar, GGSIP University

A/c no: 927680555

IFSC Code: IDIB000G082

**Bank Name: Indian Bank, Sector 16C,
Dwarka, New Delhi-110078**

Payment Verification Process:

- The participants shall upon the successful payment of registration fee of the respective competitions as indicated earlier in this brochure will have to attach the screenshot of the payment invoice in registration form of the respective competition.
- The screenshot of the payment invoice attached in the registration form must contain the transaction ID of the registration fee paid to the organisers.
- Upon verification by the organisers pertaining the fee paid by the participant, an email confirming the successful registration and allotting the respective slot shall be sent to the participant



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