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**ILSA Chapter, SLS Pune
PRESENTS**

“JURISTAS 2024”

INTERNATIONAL ESSAY COMPETITION

PRIZES*

First place - Rs. 15,000 /-

Second place - Rs. 10,000 /-

Third place - Rs 5,000 /-

All participating students will be issued participation certificates.

**Prize money is subject to TDS.*

Deadline for submission: 9th June, 2024

GUIDELINES

Participation is open to all Undergraduate and Post-Graduate Students enrolled in any institution in India or Abroad.

The organizers reserve the right to refuse any entries that do not comply to any of the fore-mentioned guidelines.

- All entries must be formatted in Times New Roman, Font Size 12, and Line spacing 1.5
- The Essay must not be less than 4500 words and not more than 6500 words, including footnotes.
- The Essay should be accompanied with a 250 word abstract which will not be counted towards the word limit.
- All entries should contain footnote citations formatted in Times New Roman, Font Size 10 and Single Line spacing.
- Footnotes must follow the citation system specified in Harvard Blue Book, 20th Edition.
- All entries should include a cover page specifying the name of the author, institutional affiliation, course and year of study, email address, postal address and contact number.
- Any identifying information is not to be mentioned anywhere in the abstract or the body of the essay. Violation of this rule will lead to immediate disqualification.
- Submission of entries are to be made in soft copies to ilsaessay@symlaw.ac.in, with the subject of the mail being "JURISTAS 2024".
- The paper must be the original and unpublished work of the author, and should not be in consideration for publication or in a contest elsewhere.
- **Co-authorship is permitted** but restricted to a **maximum of two individuals per essay.**
- Plagiarism of any nature will attract immediate disqualification.
- A similarity index of up to 10% will be permitted.
- Essays will be judged anonymously.
- Essays will be reviewed by a distinguished panel of impartial Judges and Academicians.
- Once submitted, the essays will be the sole intellectual property of Symbiosis Law School, Pune.

For further inquiries, please contact us at ilsaessay@symlaw.ac.in



TOPICS

- 1. The role and responsibilities of youth in shaping climate change policy and activism.**
- 2. The responsibilities of businesses and industry in reducing carbon emissions and promoting sustainable practices.**
- 3. The impact of climate change on indigenous communities and their role in shaping climate change policy.**
- 4. The role of technology in mitigating the pollution of costal and marine ecosystems.**
- 5. The intersection of climate change and social justice, including issues of environmental racism and inequality.**
- 6. The potential impact of geoengineering and other large-scale interventions in addressing climate change.**
- 7. The role of intergenerational equity in climate change policy and decision-making.**
- 8. The potential of community-based initiatives and grassroots activism to drive climate action and policy change.**
- 9. Traditional Knowledge For Sustainable Practices: Indigenous Tribal People Cognizance on Climate Change.**