School of Law, The NorthCap University
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ABOUT SOL

The vision of School of Law is to be ranked amongst some of the best law schools of India and the most preferred private university destination for law aspirants. School of Law at The NorthCap University provides the highest quality professional legal education to equip the students for a transnational practice and to face the challenges posed by the internationalization of legal profession. The School has continually strived to achieve excellence in legal education through interactive teaching learning process, clinical opportunities, exposures to the legal profession through internships and externships, industry ready curricula and innumerable opportunities to interact with the stalwarts in the legal profession. The faculty at the School grooms the knowledge, skills and values of all the students to make them not only competent legal professional but also complete human beings. Apart from a team of competent and dedicated law teachers, a host of other legal professionals like judges, eminent lawyers, in-house general counsels, activists, bureaucrats and leaders of the bar and the bench, regularly groom our students on layering and critical legal thinking skills. Integration of the study of Law with Management subjects not only assists in developing our law students to excel as Lawyers but also as great Managers.

MOOT COURT COMMITTEE, NCU LAW SCHOOL

The Moot Court Committee at the NCU Law School, Gurugram encompasses the spirit for mooting that NCU recognizes as its own. Apart from maintaining a strong internal mooting structure, the Committee has been entrusted with the responsibility of hosting annually, the NCU Law School National Moot Court Competition. To this extent, the Committee is proud to find itself entrusted with the organization of a very prestigious and well-respected moot court competition on Environmental Laws. The Committee also makes efforts to inculcate the fresher batch with the techniques of mooting and therefore conducts regular sessions on court manners and arranges for the Intra-Moot Competitions. Given the extraordinary amounts of preparatory work involved in the organization of the various events, the Committee is an ever-bustling centre of activity, and is without wonder, a coveted committee to be in.
ABOUT MOOTING

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Concept Note:
NCU- NATIONAL MOOT COURT COMPETITION 2020

This edition of the moot court at the NCU, Gurugram sets out the case of a country where, despite the increasing demand of electricity and depleting natural resources, it has committed to creating a cumulative carbon sink of 2.5-3 billion tons of carbon dioxide equivalent by 2030. Based on a country where 57% of the electricity generation is still dependent on coal, this year’s moot proposition revolves around the issues related to environmental approvals required for setting up a nuclear power plant. Nuclear Power Plants, being water intrinsic units, are generally built in coastal region. Therefore, local laws of the country set out an obligation on the project proponent of large infrastructure projects to be built in coastal regions to take prior “Coastal Regulation Zone Clearance” as well as to obtain the Environment Clearance after conducting a detailed “Environmental Impact Assessment”. This assessment establishes the baseline status of various environmental components viz. air, noise, water, land, biological, radiological, socio economic and to evaluate & predict the potential impacts due to the proposed activities. The assessment also includes preparation of an Environmental Management Plan for the predicted impact on environment. However, the people living in the vicinity of the proposed project size may not always agree to the environmental clearances received by the project proponent. Therefore, it can be said that this year’s moot proposition requires deep understanding of the Environmental Impact Assessments. The moot proposition touches upon the aspect of Right to life and clean and safe environment. This year’s moot court competition aims to look for an answer to a complicated question, “whether the basis to allow a project shall be sustainable development or complete satisfaction of inhabitant?
COMPETITION SCHEDULE:

Last Date for Provisional Registration (Registration form): 02nd March 2020
Communication of confirmation to selected teams: 03th March 2020
Last Date for receiving questions seeking clarifications: 07th March 2020
Last Date for soft copy of Demand Draft, Travel Details and Registration Form: 09th March 2020
Release of clarifications, if any: 11th March 2020
Last Date for submission of soft copy of memorials: 23rd March 2020 by 11:59 PM
Last Date for submission of Hardcopy of Memorials, DD, Travel & Registration Form: 30th March 2020
Inaugural Ceremony, Draw of Lots and Exchange of Memorials: 11th April 2020
Preliminary Round: 11th April 2020
Draw of Lots and Quarter Finals: 11th April 2020
Draw of Lots and Semi Finals: 12th April 2020
Finals: 12th April 2020
Valedictory Ceremony: 12th April 2020
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