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19TH PRO BONO ENVIRO NATIONAL MOOT COURT COMPETITION

(RULEBOOK)

20th, 21st September &11th OCTOBER, 2025.



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TNDALU - ABOUT THE INSTITUTION

The Tamil Nadu Dr. Ambedkar Law University (TNDALU), established by the State of Tamil Nadu in 1997, stands as the first full-fledged sui generis Law University in India, setting it apart from other law universities across the nation. Renowned for its comprehensive legal education, TNDALU operates through the School of Excellence in Law in Chennai, along with numerous affiliated colleges throughout the state.

TNDALU offers a diverse array of undergraduate law programs, including both 5-year and 3-year degree courses that integrate interdisciplinary studies. In addition to undergraduate programmes, the university provides postgraduate courses in thirteen specialized branches of law, fostering advanced legal research and academic excellence. Its prestigious Doctoral Programme further extends the university's commitment to global legal research.

With a vision to advance legal education and enhance the knowledge of law, TNDALU is dedicated to cultivating advocacy skills among its law students and research scholars. The university aims to serve society responsibly by providing exceptional legal services, shaping legislation and advocating for law reforms.

ABOUT THE EVENT

Pro Bono Enviro National Moot Court Competition is a mooting initiative by The School of Excellence in Law that seeks to bring to the forefront the increasing need to address environmental concerns and encourages students to be the pioneers of understanding the complexities of environmental law and the urge for the same. The previous editions of the competition have proved to be an enriching experience for the participants owing to the distinctive, innovative and challenging nature of the proposition and high caliber of judging by the Hon'ble Judges of the Supreme Court of India, High Court of Madras and various Eminent Lawyers. The event has continued to garner increasing attention since the year of its inception in light of its transparency and ever-improving quality. The Moot Court Association of School of Excellence in Law is looking forward to conduct the event and expects increasing participation in the present edition as well.





OFFICIAL INVITATION

The School of Excellence in Law takes immense pleasure in announcing the 19th Edition of the Pro Bono Enviro National Moot Court Competition, the flagship event of our institution. The institution has always strived to promote the interests of the student community and in addressing pressing issues and has successfully conducted the previous 18 editions with participation from across the country. It seeks to bring to the forefront the increasing need to address environmental concerns and encourages students to be the pioneers of understanding the complexities of environmental law and the urge for the same. The previous editions of the competition have proved to be an enriching experience for the participants owing to the distinctive, innovative and challenging nature of the proposition and the high caliber of judging by Hon'ble Judges of the Supreme Court of India, Hon'ble Judges of the High Court of Madras, and various eminent lawyers. The event has continued to garner increasing attention since the year of its inception in light of its transparency and ever-improving quality. The Moot Court Association of the School of Excellence in Law is looking forward to conducting the event in a hybrid mode and expects increasing participation in the present edition as well. The preliminary, octa-finals and quarter final rounds of the 19th Pro Bono Enviro National Moot Court Competition is scheduled on 20.09.2025 and 21.09.2025 (virtual mode) and advanced rounds on 11.10.2025 (physical mode) respectively.

Warm Regards, Moot Court Association, School of Excellence in Law, Chennai.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

A. AIMS AND PURPOSE

The 19th Pro Bono Enviro National Moot Court Competition 2025 has been conceived with the aim to:

- 1. Create awareness on the protection and conservation of our environment
- 2. Inculcate interest in Environmental Law and understand the various contemporary ecological issues.

B. MODE OF THE COMPETITION

The competition will be conducted in a Hybrid Mode: The Preliminary Rounds, Octa Finals and Quarter Finals will be held virtually, while the Semi Finals and Final Rounds will take place physically at the 'Perungudi' campus of The Tamil Nadu Dr. Ambedkar Law University.

C. DEFINITIONS:

Unless mentioned otherwise, the following terms shall mean:

- 1. "Organizers" or "OC" shall refer to the Moot Court Association of the School of Excellence in Law, The Tamil Nadu Dr. Ambedkar Law University.
- 2. "Host Institution" shall refer to the School of Excellence in Law, The Tamil Nadu Dr. Ambedkar Law University.
- 3. "Participating Team" shall refer to the team, which has registered itself for the Competition.
- 4. "Participants" shall refer to the speakers and the researchers of the Participating Team.
- 5. "Memorial(s)" shall refer to the document submitted by the participants on either or both the sides of the argument.
- 6. "Compendium" shall refer to the supporting document shared virtually or submitted physically by the participants to the bench under the discretion of the bench.
- 7. "Round Timing" shall refer to the duration of each round in the competition.
- 8. "Rules" shall refer to the rules governing "19th Pro Bono Enviro National Moot Court Competition, 2025".
- 9. "Preliminary Rounds" shall refer to the set of rounds that shall take place before the advanced rounds. Their sole purpose is determining which teams qualify to participate in the Advanced rounds.

All the rules are only inclusive and not exhaustive for the Competition. Rules should be strictly adhered to. Any deviation therefrom would attract disqualification or other penalties mentioned subsequently.

All decisions of the Organizers in case of any disputes or doubts etc. will be final. Imposition of penalties including disqualification rests solely with the Organizers in case of failure to comply with the Rule(s) and Deadline(s).

D. TEAM ELIGIBILITY AND TEAM COMPOSITION

- 1. Participation is strictly restricted to bona fide law students enrolled in the five-year or three-year LL.B. or B.L. degree course in any institution recognized by the Bar Council of India.
- 2. Only ONE TEAM is permitted to participate from each registered institution.
- 3. Each team shall comprise of a minimum of two and a maximum of three members. In a team consisting of three members, two of the members shall be designated as "Speaker" and the third member shall be designated as "Researcher". Whereas, in case of team comprising two members, both the members shall be "Speakers" and one among them shall be designated as "Researcher" in the researcher's test.

E. REGISTRATION PROCEDURE:

- The Registration Formalities shall be done in two steps:
 - Click the following Link https://forms.gle/Hx1dHHVZG9XJUAux7
 - Provisional Registration of the participating institutions shall be sent to, 19thprobonoenvironationalmcc@gmail.com.

Participants shall complete the following Registration Formalities:

- 1. Teams are required to complete the registration on or before 07.09.2025, 11.59 PM IST by filling the registration form in the link.
- 2. The registration fee payable is Rs.3000(Rupees Three Thousand Only) per team.
- The Registration fee payable for the Competition must be paid latest by 07.09.2025, 11:59 PM IST through NEFT to the below mentioned account:

Account Name - TAMIL NADU DR. AMBEDKAR LAW UNIVERSITY MOOT COURT

ASSOCIATION

Account Number - 67104604033

Name of the Bank - STATE BANK OF INDIA

Branch Name - PNSB BRANCH RAJA ANNAMALAIPURAM

IFSC Code- SBIN0070688

Branch Code - 70688

• The payment reference number and date of payment have to be mentioned in the registration form. Scanned copy of the payment receipt must also be attached to the google registration form and only then, the registration will be deemed to be complete.

- Scanned copies of Identity cards must be attached in the registration form. In case, there is an issue with the production of scanned copies of the identity card, a bona fide certificate, issued by the University may be attached. In case of the absence of both the items, kindly contact the OC.
- Once the form is submitted, an acknowledgement mail will be sent within 24- 48 hours to the teams.
- · Registration fee, once paid is neither refundable nor transferable.
- Teams that have completed Registration in accordance with the above shall be assigned a
 Team Code. All correspondence to the Organizing Committee shall specify only the Team
 Code.
- No alteration in the Team Composition shall be permitted after registration except at the sole discretion of the Organizing Committee.

F. CONTENTS OF MEMORANDUM:

- a) Each Memorandum shall not exceed 30 pages, inclusive of cover page and shall contain the following sections:
 - 1. Cover Page (shall include Year of the Competition, Cause Title, Forum/Court, designation as Petitioner or Respondent Memo, Team Code on the top right corner-e.g. 14P or 14R).
 - 2. Table of Contents.
 - 3. Index of Authorities.
 - 4. Statement of Jurisdiction (strictly restrict to 1 page).
 - 5. Summary/Statement of Facts (strictly restrict to 1 page; argumentative Statement of Facts shall be penalized).
 - 6. Issues Raised/Questions Presented.
 - 7. Summary of Arguments/Pleadings.
 - 8. Arguments Advanced/Written Pleadings.
 - 9. Prayer.

- b) The following content specifications shall be strictly adhered to:
 - 1. Language: English.
 - 2. Body Font & Size: Times New Roman, 12: Line Spacing: 1.5 [The spacing need not be followed for the Cover Page, any Tabular Column, Header or Footer].
 - 3. Footnotes Font & Size: Times New Roman, 10; Line Spacing: 1.0;
 - 4. Paragraph Spacing: None; No additional space between footnotes.
 - 5. Substantive Footnoting is strictly prohibited.
 - 6. Alignment (Body & Footnotes): Justified Margin: 1 inch on all 4 sides.
- c) The following printing specifications shall be strictly adhered to:
 - 1. The Cover Page shall be: Blue for Petitioner Memorandum Red for Respondent Memorandum.
 - 2. The Memorandums shall not contain any Annexure/Appendices, Photographs, Sketches, Exhibits, Affidavits, etc.

G. EVALUATION OF MEMORANDUM

• The Memorandum will be evaluated by a separate panel of judges who will not Judge the Oral Rounds. The memorandum shall be evaluated on the basis of the following criteria:

CRITERIA	MARKS
Knowledge of Law and Depth of Research	20
Use of Authorities or Precedents	20
Incorporation of Facts into arguments	10
Interpretation of applicable Law	10
Clarity of thought and organization of the arguments	15
Style of Presentation	10
Originality	10
Relief Sought	5

Penalties shall be attracted in the following manner

VIOLATION	PENALTY
Late submission (soft copy)	2 points for every 6 hours of delay
Any violation under rule f(a)	1 point for each violation under the Rule
Any violation under rule f(b)	1 point for each violation under the Rule
Any violation under rule f(c)	2 points for each violation under the Rule
Violation of Anonymity	Disqualification
Memorandum submitted after 15.09.2025	Disqualification

H. CLARIFICATIONS

Clarifications to the Moot Proposition shall be sought by sending an e-mail **19thprobonoenvironationalmcc@gmail.com** or before 07.09.2025, A set of Final Clarifications will tentatively be released on 08.09.2025.

I. MEMORANDUM/WRITTEN SUBMISSIONS

- Participants are required to submit Memorandum or Written Submissions on behalf of both the Petitioner(s) and the Respondent(s).
- Teams shall e-mail Soft Copies of the Memorandums in both PDF and Microsoft Word formats for both the sides (i.e. four attachments in total) in a single mail on or before 15.09.2025.
- Any memorandum submitted after 15.09.2025 (23:59 hours) shall not be evaluated and the team shall be disqualified.
- For example, if the assigned team code is 14, the team shall name the Petitioner and Respondent Memorandums as "14P" and "14R" respectively. The Soft Copy should be compatible with at least Microsoft Word 2007. Late submission shall attract penalties in accordance with Rule 10.
- Only the Team Code shall be specified on the Memorandum. Any reference to the participating institution/college/university shall result in immediate disqualification.

- Only the first submitted copy of the memorandum shall be considered; no subsequent amendments will be entertained.
- The Organizing Committee reserves the right to use the memorandum submitted by the participating teams, as it deems appropriate.

J. DRESS CODE

- Participants shall be appropriately attired for the rounds of the competition. Robes and neck bands are not permitted.
- The Dress Code for the Inauguration, Researcher's Test, Oral Rounds, Valedictory & Prize Distribution shall strictly be:
- 1. For Gentlemen Western Formals (White formal shirt with black formal pants and a black blazer with black tie); and
- 2. For Ladies Western Formals (White formal shirt with black formal pants/black formal skirt and a black blazer) or Indian Formals (white kurta with black pants and either a black waistcoat or black blazer).

K. ORAL ROUNDS

1. GENERAL PROCEDURE

- The language to be used during the Rounds is English. The Competition shall consist of the following rounds:
- 1. Preliminary Rounds; and
- 2. Advanced Rounds consisting of:
 - a) Octa-finals (if the total number of teams exceed 36)
 - b) Quarter-finals
 - c) Semi-finals
 - d) Finals

• The performance of the speakers shall be adjudged based on the following parameters:

CRITERIA	MARKS
Knowledge of Facts	10
Interpretation of Facts	10
Knowledge of Law	20
Application and Interpretation of Law	20
Ability to answer questions	15
Courtroom conduct	10
Style, Poise and Demeanor	10
Prayer	5
Total	100

- During each of the above-mentioned rounds, the order in which the teams shall present their arguments is as follows:
- 1. PETITIONER SPEAKER 1
- 2. PETITIONER SPEAKER 2
- 3. RESPONDENT SPEAKER 1
- 4. RESPONDENT SPEAKER 2
- 5. REBUTTAL: PETITIONER Any one of the Two Speakers
- 6. SUR- REBUTTAL: RESPONDENT- Any one of the Two Speakers.
- The Best Speaker Award shall be determined on the basis of the individual aggregate score of the Speaker taken only from the Preliminary Rounds.
- The Researcher shall not be permitted to address the Court during the Oral Rounds.
- Teams are not permitted to raise issues in the Oral Rounds that have not been submitted in the Memorandum.
- The decision of the Judges as to the marks allotted to each team shall be final.
- To ensure uniformity in the marking system, all Judges will be provided with a scoring guideline.

2. SPLITTING OF TIME BETWEEN SPEAKERS

- Teams shall notify the Bench Clerks of the division of time between the 2 Speakers (including time reserved for Rebuttal & Sur-rebuttal) prior to the commencement of the rounds.
- If Speaker 1 exceeds his/her reserved time, the additional time taken shall be deducted from the time reserved by Speaker 2. Similarly, if Speaker 2 exceeds his/her reserved time, the additional time taken shall be deducted from the time reserved for Rebuttals/Sur-Rebuttals as the case may be. However, this rule may not be followed if the additional time is awarded, at the discretion of the Judges.
- The final decision regarding the time structure and the right to rebut or sur-rebut shall vest with the judges

3. DRAW OF LOTS AND EXCHANGE OF MEMORANDUM

- The decision regarding the fixtures for the oral rounds will be taken by the Organizing committee. The decision of the Organizing Committee regarding the fixtures will be final. The same will be intimated to the teams via the respective Email IDs provided by the teams before the commencement of the rounds.
- No teams will face each other more than once in the preliminary rounds. The exchange of
 memorials for the preliminary rounds will be done via the respective Email IDs provided by
 the teams. Memorandums of the opponents for each respective round will be mailed to the
 teams.
- Exchange of memorials for advanced rounds, beginning with the octa finals, will take place shortly before the commencement of the round via the respective Email IDs provided.

4. PRELIMINARY ROUNDS

- There shall be TWO (2) Preliminary rounds that shall be attended by participating teams in the Competition.
- The teams shall be given opportunity to argue from both sides of the Moot Proposition. Provided that, the teams shall represent Appellant in one round and Respondent in another.
- The fixtures for the remaining Preliminary round will be established using a 'Slide match-up system' that relies on the Gross Memoranda scores. In this 'Slide match-up system', the highest ranked team will compete against the highest ranked team following the median of teams, the second highest ranked team will face the second highest ranked team after the median of teams, and this pattern continues (for instance, if the competition includes 24 teams, the fixtures will be: T1 vs. T13, T2 vs. T14 ... T12 vs. T24).

- No team shall face the same opponent twice in the Preliminary rounds. Further, no team shall argue before the same bench twice in the Preliminary rounds.
- In order to determine the rankings of teams in Preliminary rounds, a 'Points-based marking system' shall be used, as enumerated in the below:
- 1. Each team can earn a maximum of 20 points per round. These points are divided so that 25% of the points (totaling to 5 points) depends upon the Memorial Submissions of the teams and 75% of the points (totaling to 15 points) depends upon the oral submissions.
- 2. The criteria for splitting the 5 points for memorial marks is as given below (Memorial Scores refers to the aggregate memorial scores of both memorials of a team):

S.No.	Criteria	Points Awarded
1	Difference in Memorial Scores is greater than 10 marks (>10)	Team with the higher memorial scores receives 5 points, team with the lower scores receives 0 points
2	Difference in Memorial Scores is below 10 marks and above 5 marks, both included (<=10 & >=5)	Team with higher memorial scores receives 4 points, team with lower scores receives 1 point
3	Difference in Memorial Scores is below 5 marks (<5 & >0)	Team with higher memorial scores receives 3 points, team with lower scores receives 2 points
4	No difference in Memorial Marks (=0)	Both teams receive 2.5 points each

3. The criteria for splitting the 15 points for oral submission marks is as given below (Aggregate speaker score is the average of both speaker's individual oral scores):

S.No.	Criteria	Points Awarded
1	Difference in Aggregate Speaker Scores is greater than 10 marks (>10)	Team with the higher score receives 15 points, team with the lower scores receives 0 points
2	Difference in Aggregate Speaker Scores is below or equal to 10 marks and above or equal to 5 marks (<=10 & >=5)	Team with higher score receives 12.5 points, team with lower scores receives 2.5 points
3	Difference in Aggregate Speaker Scores is below 5 marks (<5 & >0)	Team with higher score receives 10 points, team with lower scores receives 5 points
4	No difference in Aggregate Speaker Scores (=0)	Both teams receive 7.5 points each

- 4. In cases where two or more teams have the same number of points, the following shall be used to resolve the tie (in that order):
 - a. The team(s) with more points accumulated in oral submission.
 - b. The team(s) with the higher aggregate scores shall be ranked higher.
 - c. The team(s) with the higher cumulative speaker scores shall be ranked higher.
 - d. The team(s) with the higher Gross Memoranda scores (shall be ranked higher). The team(s) with the higher score in the criteria 'Application of Legal Principles & Usage of Authorities' as elaborated below:

CRITERIA	MARKS
Application of Legal Principles and Usage of Authorities	25
Knowledge of Facts	20
Structure, Articulation and Clarity	20
Ingenuity and Response to Questions	20
Court Etiquette, Presentation Style and Time Management	15

5. DISQUALIFICATION

OC reserves the right to disqualify the participation of any team on the grounds of:

- 1. Availing assistance of any person, who is not a member of the team during the oral rounds.
- 2. If any participant leaves the court room in the middle of the rounds without a legitimate reason.
- 3. If the Organizing Committee have any reason to believe that a team has resorted to any unfair means during the oral rounds, for any other just reason the OC deems fit.

L. ADVANCED ROUNDS (Octa Finals, Quarter Finals, Semi Finals and Finals)

1. GENERAL RULES

- 1. Every team shall argue once in each of the Advanced Rounds.
- 2. The qualification of teams to subsequent rounds shall be on a knock-out basis for each of the Advanced Rounds.
- 3. The Memorandum Score shall not be considered for any of the Advanced Rounds.
- 4. In all of the further clauses, Knock-out basis refers to the teams having a higher points in each court hall qualifying over the other team.

2.OCTA-FINALS

- 1. The top 16 teams from the Preliminary rounds as ranked based on their points shall qualify to the Octa-final rounds.
- 2. The maximum time for arguments per side shall be the same as in the Preliminary Rounds.
- 3. Eight (8) teams from the Octa-finals shall advance to the Quarter- finals, which will be selected on a knock- out basis.

3.QUARTER-FINALS

- 1. Each side shall get a maximum time of 30 minutes to present their arguments of which no Speaker shall be permitted to address the Court for more than 18 minutes. The time limit is inclusive of the time for Rebuttal or Sur-rebuttal respectively. The maximum time for Rebuttal and Sur-rebuttal shall be 5 minutes.
- 2. Four(4) teams from the Octa-finals shall advance to the Quarter-finals, which will be selected on a knock- out basis.

4.SEMI-FINALS

- 1. The maximum time for arguments per side shall be the same as in the Quarter-Final Rounds.
- 2. Two top (2) teams out of the 4 teams qualified for the Semi-finals shall advance to the Finals, which shall be selected on a knock-out basis.

5. FINALS

- 1. Each side shall get a maximum time of 45 minutes to present their arguments of which no Speaker shall be permitted to address the Court for more than 25 minutes. The time limit is inclusive of the time for Rebuttal or Sur-rebuttal respectively. The maximum time for Rebuttal and Sur-rebuttal 5 minutes.
- 2. The winner of the finals shall be declared as the winner of the Competition.

6. SCOUTING

- 1. Scouting is strictly prohibited.
- 2. Any person may submit a complaint regarding Scouting to the Organizing Committee.
- 3. Teams found scouting shall be disqualified immediately.

M. GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS FOR TEAMS CONFIRMATION AND TRAVEL DETAILS

- 1. The qualifying teams shall confirm their participation in advanced rounds and furnish their travel details latest by 24.09.2025 (18:00 hours).
- 2. The teams ranking 4th, 5th and 6th position after the quarter final rounds will be placed on a waitlist. If any of the teams from the top 4 fail to confirm their participation, the highest-ranking team from the waitlist will have the opportunity to qualify and participate instead. The Organizing Committee (OC) will communicate this to the waitlisted teams by 25.09.2025.

1.ACCOMMODATION

- 1. The host institute will offer accommodation for the qualifying teams. Accommodation will exclusively be provided to the teams during this specified time frame. Any costs related to extending the stay or acquiring extra rooms will be the responsibility of the teams and will not be covered by the host institute.
- 2. Teams opting for accommodation provided by the host institute shall completely cover the accommodation costs. The same will be informed to the qualifying teams later.
- 3. The accommodation fee is non-refundable.
- 4. The name and mobile number of the student volunteers in charge of transport / accommodation will also be made available after finalization. Teams should fill in their travel plan and send via email to 19thprobonoenvironationalmcc@gmail.com.
- 5. Separate sleeping arrangements for boys & girls shall be strictly enforced in the allocated rooms. However, common areas will be available for all participants to utilize for preparation purposes.

- 6. To facilitate convenient travel, shuttle services will be provided to transport participants between their designated accommodation and the college campus. The specific schedule and pick-up/drop-off locations for the shuttle services will be communicated to registered participants closer to the competition date.
- 7. Extra members over and above the prescribed number will not be entertained and accommodated under any circumstances.
- 8. Misbehaviour of any sort by the participants will be dealt very seriously and will lead to disqualification.

2.FOOD AND REFRESHMENTS

- 1. The host institute will offer lunch, dinner and refreshments to all the teams.
- 2. Breakfast will be provided only for the teams opting accommodation.

3.SUBMISSION OF DOCUMENTS

- 1. The Participating teams will need to submit their memorandums via Online Mode on or before 15.09.2025 and the teams participating in Semi Final rounds shall submit 8 copies of the Memorial for Petitioner as well as Respondent to the OC on 11.10.2025(17:00 hours).
- 2. Teams are kindly asked to bring their Institute's ID card or Bonafide letter along with a valid government ID proof.
- 3. The Participating teams may submit the compendiums on the discretion of the judges on both the virtual and physical rounds. Provided that, the teams shall screen the compendium on the virtual rounds and submit the compendium to the judges directly on the physical round.

N. AWARDS

The following Awards shall be given away during the Valedictory & Prize Distribution:

- 1. Winner of the Competition Trophy, certificate and cash prize of Rs. 40,000/-
- 2. Runner-up of the Competition Trophy, certificate and cash prize of Rs. 30,000/-
- 3. Best Memorandum Trophy, certificate and cash prize of Rs. 10,000/-
- 4. Best Researcher Trophy, certificate and cash prize of Rs. 10,000/-
- 5. Best Speaker Trophy, certificate and cash prize of Rs. 10,000/-
- 6.2nd Runner-up of the Competition Trophy and certificate
- 7. 2nd Best Memorandum Trophy and Certificate
- 8.2nd Best Speaker Trophy and Certificate
- 9.2nd Best Researcher Trophy and Certificate
- 10. Best Speaker Finals Trophy and Certificate
- 11. Spirit of the Competition Award Trophy and Certificate

All participants of the Competition will be given Participation E- Certificates. The certificates will be emailed to the participants after the completion of the competition.

O. MISCELLANEOUS

1.GENERAL ETIQUETTE

- 1. Participants are expected to behave in a dignified manner and not to cause any inconvenience to the Organizing Committee, the Judges of the Competition or to any of the other participants.
- 2. The Organizing Committee reserves the right to take appropriate action for any unethical, unprofessional or immoral conduct.

2.INTERPRETATION OF RULES AND REGULATIONS

- 1. All interpretations, as well as any waivers, consents or other decisions in the administration of the Competition are at the complete discretion of the Host Institution and the Organizing Committee.
- 2. Any decision made by the Host Institution or the Organizing Committee shall be final and binding on all participating teams.

TENTATIVE DATES OF THE COMPETITION

EVENT	DATE
Opening of Provisional Registrations	01.08.2025
Opening of Final Registrations	04.08.2025
Last Date for Online Registrations	07.09.2025
Last Date for seeking Clarifications	07.09.2025
Release of Clarifications	08.09.2025
Memorial Submissions	15.09.2025
Researcher's Test (Online)	19.09.2025
Inauguration	19.09.2025
Preliminary Rounds I & II (Online)	20.09.2025
Octa Finals and Quarter Finals (Online)	21.09.2025
Last Date for Submission of Travel form	24.09.2025
Final Date of Payment of Accommodation Fees	25.09.2025
Semi Finals, Finals and Valedictory (Offline)	11.10.2025

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