



# NALSAR University of Law Hyderabad

## **Report on the Sports and Cultural Events / competitions organized during the year 2017**

### **11<sup>th</sup> Edition of Justice BR Sawhny Memorial Moot Court Competition**

NALSAR hosted the **11<sup>th</sup> Edition of its prestigious Justice BR Sawhny Memorial Moot Court Competition** from October 13 to 15, 2017. 50 teams from all over the country registered, with 32 teams making it to the oral rounds, on a Moot Proposition based on Comparative Constitutional Law and the Right to Privacy, drafted by Mr. Rishabh Sancheti, an Advocate at the Supreme Court of India. The Winner and recipient of the Best Memorial of the competition was School of Excellence in Law, Chennai.

### **NALSAR Inter Varsity Debating Championship**

NALSAR University of Law hosted the **eighth edition of the first British Parliamentary Debate in India - NALSAR Inter Varsity Debating Championship** from September 15 to 17, 2017. The eighth edition recorded a turnout of 84 teams making it the largest in India and one of the largest in Asia. The core-adjudication panel consisted of the following eminent debaters: Dhruva Bhat (Harvard University), Isha Jain (NLSIU, Bangalore), Vanshaj Jain (NLSIU, Bangalore) and Chan Sriram (NALSAR University of Law, Hyderabad).

### **Indian Schools Debating Championship (Regional Rounds)**

NALSAR University of Law hosted the **Hyderabad regional rounds for Indian Schools Debating Championship 2017-18** from October 14 to 16, 2017. The regional rounds are in themselves selection rounds for deciding teams for the national rounds and finally to select school students who will represent Team India at the World Schools Debating Championships. The event which was organised by the NALSAR Debate Committee in furtherance of parliamentary debate format and culture to schools saw a participation of 12 teams from 10 schools.

### **NALSAR QuizFest- INTERROBANG (4<sup>th</sup> Edition)**

The **NALSAR QuizFest – Interrobang (4<sup>th</sup> Edition)** was held from January 21-22, 2017. For the past three years, Interrobang has established a prominent status in the Quizzing circuit all across the country. This year over 70 teams participated from different places like Assam, Orissa, New Delhi and Tamil Nadu to name a few. The latest edition had five quizzes out of which two of them were conducted by renowned quizmaster Major Chandrakant Nair. The QuizFest was sponsored by Dillons Kidney Foundation Law School. Major Chandrakant Nair (General Quiz, India Quiz), Balaji Subramanian (SciBizTech Quiz), Vishnu Sumanth (Medley Quiz), Lokesh Kaza (MELAS Quiz) were the quizmasters. The General Quiz was won by Kunal Roy, Shashwat Sinai Salgaocar, Abijit Hariharan; the MELAS Quiz was won by Gokul, Snehashis Panda, Sidharth; the Medley Quiz was won by Abijit

Hariharan, Shashwat Sinai Salgaocart, Kunal Roy; the SciBizTech Quiz was won by Rishi Rajasekaran, Rishwin Jackson, Vishal Katariya and the India Quiz was won by Preetham Upadhyay, Sri Ram Burgulal, Ritvik Chattopadhyay.

### **The NALSAR Literary Festival, 2017**

The 3<sup>rd</sup> edition of the NALSAR Literary Festival took place on August 5 – 6, 2017. The most recent edition revolved around the theme ***Crafting Identities within the National Project***, and had three panel discussions, which featured renowned names in the literary and academic fields including Pramod Nayar, Makarand Paranjape, Sheeba Aslam Fehmi, Paromita Vohra, Vyjayanthi Vasanta Mogli, and Akhil Katyal. The festival also included several literary competitions, a Spoken Word Poetry workshop, and an Open Mic Slam Poetry Night.

### **Workshop on Mediation by ADR Board**

Ms. Laila Olappally (Senior Advocate, Bangalore) conducted a day-long workshop on mediation for the students on March 26, 2017.

### **NALSAR Film Festival 2017**

4<sup>th</sup> edition of the NALSAR Film Festival was hosted by NALSAR in collaboration with Indian Bank from March 31 to April 2, 2017. The Film Festival serves as a platform for students to engage with, and have spirited discussions with the makers of socially-relevant films. The idea is to widen the interaction that law students have with the rest of society through the celebrated medium of film-making.

This year, seven films were screened over three days under the broad theme of 'Against Tradition'. The subject areas of the films included the politics surrounding caste (*Deool*), beef-eating practices in cities (*Caste on the Menu Card*), the pursuit for a place to sleep for the urban poor (*Cities of Sleep*) and the formation of masculine identities as influenced by Bollywood (*Being Bhaijaan*).

### **Management Fest - Winnow 2017**

The student body of CMS, NALSAR got together, 20 days before the D-Day and organized this fest following a structure to maintain. They divided themselves into four core teams they were- Stalls team, Invitations team, Social Media team and Sponsorship team. The fest was spread over 3 days. The three day event which kick started with the Business Plan Competition on February 10, 2017 saw a big flow of students panned across 45 undergraduate & post graduate institutions. The winner of the event was from SCMHRD, Pune. The first and second runner ups were from NALSAR University and IIMC Hyderabad. Stalls were arranged and other entertainment activities like adventure sports and DJ night was also organised. The Management Fest had a total of four events across human resources and marketing discipline. The students of CMS have also participated in 'Management Fests' organized by reputed institutions where our program and our students have received accolades.

## Celebrations

### International Day of Yoga

NALSAR celebrated the International Day of Yoga on June 21, 2017. The Vice-Chancellor, Registrar, students, faculty and non-teaching staff participated in the Yoga Day celebrations.

## Cultural Activities

Each year the NALSAR Cultural Committee organizes and hosts a plethora of cultural events. The Committee carried forward this tradition in the year 2017. The cultural committee also organized numerous band nights, acoustic nights, dance nights and karaoke nights where students could showcase and hone their singing and dancing talent. NALSAR boasts of a vibrant film culture and the Committee tried to foster the same by organizing various movie screenings.

**NALSAR's biggest cultural event- Carpe Diem took place from March 16-19, 2017, a 4-day cultural extravaganza** consisting of diverse cultural, literary and sporting competitions. The fest was headlined by renowned stand-up comedian Sorabh Pant and Hyderabad based alternative rock band Theory.

The festival of Navratri was celebrated in September 2017 by organizing a Dandiya and Garba Night. The festival of Diwali was also celebrated in October 2017. In collaboration with Moot Court Committee, The Cultural Committee hosted Mr. Shridhar Venkataramana, who is a stand-up comedian, for BR Sahwny Moot Court Competition on October 14, 2017.

NALSAR also celebrated festival of Lohri on January 12, 2018 and also hosted a play on Rohith Vemula by The Lord Chamberlain's Men on January 20, 2018. The recent Tamil Police Drama Vikram Vedha was also screened on January 22, 2018.

Archita Prawasi of First year secured **All India Rank 3 at the Bharatnatyam Prabhakar (National)** held on February 6, 2017 at Allahbad organised by Prayag Sangeet Samiti.



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### 12<sup>th</sup> BR Sawhny Moot Court Competition 2018

The 12<sup>th</sup> NALSAR - Justice B.R. Sawhny Memorial Moot Court Competition 2018 was organized from October 12 – 14, 2018. The Moot Proposition was based on Constitutional Law. The proposition was tax oriented covering various issues including validity of imposition of professional tax by states. The problem was drafted by Mr. Alok Prasanna Kumar, Senior Resident Fellow, Vidhi Centre for Legal Policy. The event was judged by practicing lawyers, academicians and Senior Advocates from all over India.

Over 60 registrations were received for the 12<sup>th</sup> BR Sawhny Memorial Moot Court Competition from various colleges across India, which is a sign of the growing popularity of the moot court competition. The moot is considered as the best Constitutional Law Moot. After the memorial elimination round, only 32 teams were qualified for the Oral Rounds of the Competition.

Researcher's test in this edition of the Moot was introduced which was a separate award.

The details of the winners are as follows -

- Winners: University of Legal Studies, Punjab University
- Runners: National University of Study and Research in Law, Ranchi
- Best Speaker: Zaheen Kaur, UILS, Punjab University
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Best Speaker: Hetal Doshi, NUSRL, Ranchi
- Best Memorial: Amity IP
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Best Memorial: Institute of Law, NIRMA University
- Best Researcher: Anuj Bajaj, Institute of Law, NIRMA University
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Best Researcher: Sakshi Sharma, NUSRL, Ranchi

A live blog for the Moot, was put up on the SCC Online Blog.  
[https://blog.scconline.com/post/2018/10/12/12th-nalsar-justice-b-r-sawhny-memorial-moot-court-competition-2018-live-blogging-and-updates/?fbclid=IwAR3BsnNNpzv\\_Y8DuPJX-McVdODUzhUOfOrxzsPABEhvBxGzv687b5JWZ5m8](https://blog.scconline.com/post/2018/10/12/12th-nalsar-justice-b-r-sawhny-memorial-moot-court-competition-2018-live-blogging-and-updates/?fbclid=IwAR3BsnNNpzv_Y8DuPJX-McVdODUzhUOfOrxzsPABEhvBxGzv687b5JWZ5m8)

Live-streamed the Final Round on the live blog and on Facebook Id. The video has also been uploaded on NALSAR's official YouTube page. The link for the same is:

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SSRovWsGLAU&t=6315s\\$\\$](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SSRovWsGLAU&t=6315s$$)

### NALSAR Inter Varsity Debating Championship

The 9<sup>th</sup> NALSAR Inter-Varsity Debating Championship was held between September 14-16, 2018. The Championship is an annual British Parliamentary Debate which has over the years become the largest in Asia, having hosted debaters and chief adjudicators from the European, American and Australasian circuits. The championship hosted more than 88 teams. The team from Jindal Global University stood as Winners.

### **NALSAR Quiz Fest – Interrobang**

The fifth edition of the NALSAR Quiz Festival, popularly known as Interrobang, was held on the January 20 & 21, 2018. Interrobang has now become one of India's biggest college quizzing festivals and the 2018 edition saw a record outstation turnout with nearly 30 teams coming from outside Hyderabad. There were five quizzes held throughout the course of the weekend with NALSAR students hosting three quizzes and Major Chandrakant Nair, one of India's most famous quizmasters hosting two quizzes.

#### **Core Committee**

**Content Team:** Abhishek Babbar (2015-5LLB-01), J.V. Jayavardhan (2014 5LLB-15), Samiha Gopal (2016-5LLB-98), Anubhav Sachdeva (2015-5LLB-75), Anirudh Singh (2015-5LLB-71), Lokesh Kaza, Siddharth Rajeevan (2014 5LLB-60).

**Organization Team:** Aparajita Kaul (2016-5LLB-68), Akash Kumar Prasad (2016-5LLB-04), Nipuna Varman (2016-5LLB-26), Yash Bhagwat (2016-5LLB-115), Sachit Kapoor (2016-5LLB-96).

### **The NALSAR Literary Festival, 2018**

The 4<sup>th</sup> edition of the NALSAR Literary Festival took place on July 21 & 22, 2018. This edition focused on the theme "Literature and Reality", and sought to understand how literature explores, influences, redefines and is redefined by, the changing contours of reality through the lens of speculative fiction and its role in politics. The panel discussion in this regard featured renowned names in both academia as well as the world of fiction and publishing, with Shatrujeet Nath, Dr. Shefali Jha and Nikhila HS. This edition also saw participation from renowned quizzers from the K-Circle and other institutions.

#### **Core Committee**

Madhura Karanth (2017-5LLB-90), Anik Bhaduri (2017-5LLB-65), Kanu Garg (2017-5LLB-84), Priyamvada Shivaji (2015-5LLB-32), Aashna Chowdhary (2015-5LLB-84), Srutha Sriram (2015-5LLB-112), Namratha M (2015-5LLB-93), Ridhi Shetty (2017-5LLB-106).

### **NALSAR Negotiation Competition, 2018**

The Committee organised the NALSAR Negotiation selection rounds, 2018 for the allotment of various domestic negotiation competitions.

## **Programme on 'Privacy and Data Protection'**

The Technology Law Forum organised a one-day programme on 'Privacy and Data Protection' on September 9, 2018. The first panel consisted of talks by Mr. Shailesh Gandhi (Former Central Information Commissioner), Ms. Jyoti Panday (Independent Journalist), Ms. Maryam Kamil (D.Phil. Candidate, University of Oxford) and Mr. Rakesh Reddy Dubbudu (Factly.in). The second panel had presentations by Mr. Amlan Mohanty (PLR Chambers), Ms. Shweta Mohandas (Centre for Internet and Society), Mr. Srinivas Kodali and Mr. Srikanth (OPENStats).

## **Management Fest - WINNOW – 2018**

The student body of CMS, NALSAR got together, 20 days before the D-Day and sorted out this fest following a structure to keep up. They partitioned themselves into four center groups they were-Stalls group, Invitations group, Social Media group and Sponsorship group. The fest was spread for a day. The one-day occasion which began with the Business Plan Competition on February 15, 2019, saw a major stream of understudies spanned crosswise over 45 undergrad and post-graduate foundations. The victor of the occasion was from SCMHRD, Pune. The first and second sprinter ups were from NALSAR University and IIMC Hyderabad. Slows down were masterminded and other excitement exercises like experience sports and DJ night was likewise sorted out. The Management Fest had an aggregate of four occasions crosswise over HR and showcasing discipline. Students of CMS have additionally taken an interest in 'The executives' Fests' sorted out by presumed organizations where the program and the understudies have gotten awards.

## **Plays - 'Spartacus' and 'The Real Me'**

As part of Learning through Performance course, Mr. Feisal Alkazi directed two plays which were performed by around 100 students and some Faculty Members also. The students and the Faculty Members were trained for around one month. They performed a play 'Spartacus' on September 28, 2018 which has run for 75 minutes. This is a story of the slave Spartacus who fought against the Roman Empire and emphasized that all men are equal. The play was performed in hindi language and the Choreography was done by Vishwakant Singha.

The second play was 'The Real Me' which was also directed by Mr. Feisal Alkazi and choreographed by Vishwakant Singha. The play was performed on September 29, 2018 in English language. This was also run for 75 minutes and was the story of a young man's struggle with a life altering accident and his transformation as he rediscovers himself.

## **Play on 'Contempt' on March 17, 2018**

NALSAR also staged on March 17, 2018, "Contempt" a play written and directed by its alumni Danish Sheikh. The play captured the sentiments of the queer community in the face of legal and social opprobrium.

## Organised 3<sup>rd</sup> Trilateral 2019 Inter-Varsity Tournament

NALSAR hosted the Trilateral – 2019 tournament from January 12 – 14, 2019. As part of the tournament the following sports events were organised:

- a. Cricket
- b. Volleyball (Mens and Womens)
- c. Football
- d. Basketball (Mens and Womens)
- e. Badminton (Team event)
- f. Kabaddi
- g. Table Tennis (Team event)

Teams from all the three National Law Universities, i.e., NLSIU, Bangalore, NALSAR, Hyderabad and WBNUJS, Kolkata participated in all the events. Out of the nine events, NALSAR teams won five events and was also awarded the best contingent award of the tournament. The details of the events won by NALSAR are

- **Kabaddi** [Team : Uma Mahesh Rathod (2016-5LLB-36); Anand Nayak (2017-5LLB-25); Balaji Naik Azmeera (2015-5LLB-79); Akash Prasad (2016-5LLB-04); Nishanth Austin; Ram Dheeraj (2017-5LLB-69); Vijayaditya Reddy (2017-5LLB-26); Avinash Reddy (2015-5LLB-26); Arun Eslavath (2018-5LLB-79); Swaroop Singh Rathore (2016-5LLB-117); Sundarshyam (2017-5LLB-12)]
- **Volleyball Womens** [Gopika Menon (2015-5LLB-83); Upasana Soni (2015-5LLB-52); Virali Nagda (2014 5LLB-30); Poorvi Khanna (2014 5LLB-40); Dhanistha Mittal (2017-5LLB-75); Sejal Parulkar (2017-5LLB-105); Madhura (2017-5LLB-90)]
- **Badminton** [Balaji Naik Azmeera (2015-5LLB-79); Ritvik Singh Tolia (2018-5LLB-42); Tanay Goyal (2018-5LLB-114); Shreya Ghakkar; Gopika Menon (2015-5LLB-83); Sruthy Sriram (2015-5LLB-112)]
- **Table Tennis** [Shubham Sancheti (2014 5LLB-57); Sayan Paul; Sacistha Sresta (2017-5LLB-47); Nikhil Reddy (2015-5LLB-27)]
- **Basketball (Mens)** [Rahul Joshi (2014 5LLB-41); Roop Singh (2017-5LLB-43); George Regi (2018-5LLB-17); Yashasvi Raj (2018-5LLB-58); Dhruv Somayajula (2014 5LLB-62); Shiva Sai Prasad (2015-5LLB-42); Shrey Kapoor; Umang B Nair (2018-5LLB-51); Harshit Sawale (2018-5LLB-18); Rahul Krishna (2016-5LLB-34); Akshaya Aryal (2015-5LLB-06); Abhi Udai Singh Gautam (2018-5LLB-01)]

Sports events won by other Universities in Trilateral 2019:

- **Football** – WBNUJS, Kolkata (Team: Mooza Izzat, Varun Khandelwal, Neil Trivedi, Shubham Barna, Sriharsh Raj, Gursiman Setia, Jacob Abraham, George, Paul Thottan, Adit Garg, Rahul

Bohra, Shobit Shukla, Rishabh Mohnot, Chaitanya Deshpande, Shaishir Divatia, Mukul Raj, Amiv Singh)

- **Volleyball** – WBNUJS, Kolkata (Team: Ankit Sikarwar, Ayush Bakshi, Abhilash Meena, Jatin Kadam, Apurba Karjee, Mayank Chauhan, Aditya Kumar)
- **Cricket** – NLSIU, Banagalore (Team: Anshul Vats, Yatharth Vardhan Singh, Madhav Mitruka, Aman Garg, Kunal Badesra, Prithvi Joshi, Sarthak Jain, Nikhil Vaditya, Upendra, Pranshu Raghuvamshi, Rehan Gupta, Abhishek Kumar, Shubham Tomar, Mahendra Singh, Rahul Kumar)
- **Basketball (Womens)** – NLSIU, Bangalore (Team: Priya Chaudhary, Priyanka Vishnoi, Gunjan Srivatsava, Aparna Sanjay, Tangchub Choden, Simranjyot Kaur, Chandini Ochani, Vishaka Lama)

In addition to the team awards, Best Player Awards were also awarded to the individual best performers in various sports events:

- Korra Anand Nayak - Kabaddi (NALSAR) (2017-5LLB-25)
- Balaji Naik Azmeera- Badminton (NALSAR) (2015-5LLB-79)
- Sacistha Shrestha - Table Tennis (NALSAR) (2017-5LLB-47)
- George P. Regi - Basketball (NALSAR) (2018-5LLB-17)
- Rishabh Sharma - Football (NALSAR) (2016-5LLB-37)
- Dhanistha Mittal - Volleyball (NALSAR) (2017-5LLB-75)
- Ankit - Volleyball (WBNUJS)
- Upendra - Cricket (NLSIU)
- Gunjan Jadiya - Basketball (Womens) (NLSIU)

## Celebrations

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NALSAR's biggest cultural event- Carpe Diem took place from March 08-11, 2018, a 4-day cultural extravaganza consisting of diverse cultural, literary and sporting competitions. The fest was opened by the performance of The Ladies Compartment, the band of a Corporate Lawyer-turned-Jazz and Carnatic Singer Aditi Ramesh, who is also a B.A LL.B. graduate of NALSAR. The fest was



headlined by renowned stand-up comedian Abhijit Ganguly and Bangalore based Punk band, The F16s.

In 2018, NALSAR paid special attention to mental health of students. The Cultural Committee organised various meditation sessions in open and serene spaces on campus. The sessions received good turnout. Art therapy and relaxing sessions were organised by Saher Ali, a holistic psychological counsellor for students. Art is used to help one express feelings that cannot be verbalised. Art therapy was a relaxing yet impactful experience.

Antakshari Night was conducted on September 26. Karaoke Night was conducted on October 4, 2018. One week long Dandiya and Garba Workshop was conducted by trained dancers for students in the run up for Navratra Celebration on October 15, 2018. The festival of Dussehra was celebrated with full fervour on campus with an intra-college Rangoli Competition.

Students went across India to participate in inter-university cultural competitions like NH-65 organised by NLU Jodhpur and Outlawed organised by NUJS Kolkata. Students of NALSAR outperformed everyone to win laurels for NALSAR.

Mark Papang, a fifth year student was invited by SOFAR Sounds, a global platform to perform at their event in Bangalore, where only curated artists were invited.

## **Sports Committee**

The Committee undertook various initiatives and worked on various ideas and proposals in order to create a better and sports-friendly environment on campus which primarily revolves around academics and co-curricular activities. During this year, the Committee succeeded in getting two badminton courts in the Auditorium; synthetic volleyball court behind stadium; setting up basketball court; setting up kabaddi court next to the auditorium and procured new gym equipment for girls and TT Table for BH - IV. LED Flood Lights were installed in the tennis court.

During the year the Sports Committee improved the sports infrastructure and increased sports culture on campus by organizing an inter-batch volleyball tournament; basketball tournament and open badminton tournament which was organized for more than 10 days and has seen participation of around 100 teams on campus.



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### 1<sup>st</sup> NALSAR PUBLIC INTERNATIONAL LAW MOOT COURT COMPETITION, 2019

The 1<sup>st</sup> NALSAR Public International Law Moot Court Competition was organized during August 16-18, 2019.

Public International Law is often thought as too 'international' to be given attention by Moot Court Competitions, which, rather focus on domestic and commercial law. However, with increasing globalisation of legal and rights-related issues, Public International Law plays a huge role in their resolution whilst also serving as a normative system for States to follow. With the aim of increasing awareness and scholarship of Public International Law among law student, the first-ever edition of this Moot dealt with key issues of International Law relating to human rights and international terrorism. The moot proposition for the 1<sup>st</sup> NALSAR PIL Moot Court Competition was drafted by Dr. Srinivas Burra, Assistant Professor at South Asian University who has written extensively on Public International Law and TWAIL. This edition also saw the exclusive-association of the Indian Society of International Law. Finally, the Competition also facilitated face-to-face interactions between International Law scholars and enthusiasts, with law students. Eminent professor, Dr. B.S. Chimni also delivered a lecture on 'Third-World Approach to International Law'. Below is a brief outline of the Competition:

#### Judges at the Competition:

**Finals:** Prof. B.S.Chimni, Prof. V. Balakista Reddy, Mr. Koteswara Rao, Prof. David Ambrose, Dr. Srinivas Burra (Proposition drafter)

**Semi-Finals:** Mr. Srimukundan R., Mr. Himanil Raina, Mr. Ramachandra Gurram

**Quarter Finals:** Ms. Juhi Bansal, Ms. Bhavini Singh, Mr. Tarun Gopalakrishnan, Mr. Karan Gupta, Mr. Rahul Mohanty, Mr. Utkarsh Mishra and other eminent legal personalities.

**Opening Address:** The Opening Address was delivered by Prof. (Dr.) Faizan Mustafa, Vice-Chancellor, NALSAR

**TEAMS:** A total of 24 teams participated in the competition representing the following institutions:

1. Adv. Balasaheb Apte College of Law
2. Auro University
3. Chanakya National Law University, Patna
4. Department of Law, Calcutta University
5. Faculty of Law, Jamia Millia University
6. Government Law College, Mumbai
7. Gujarat National Law University, Gandhinagar

8. Hidayatullah National Law University, Raipur
9. Institute of Law, Nirma University, Gujarat
10. Lloyd Law College
11. Maharashtra National Law University, Nagpur
12. National Law Institute University, Bhopal
13. National Law University and Judicial Academy, Assam
14. NMIMS Kirit P. Mehta School of Law
15. Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law
16. Rajiv Gandhi School of IP Law, IIT KGP
17. School of Excellence in Law, Chennai
18. School of Law, Christ University
19. School of Law, SASTRA University
20. Symbiosis Law School, Pune
21. Tamil Nadu National Law University
22. University School of Law and Legal Studies, Indraprastha University
23. Vivekananda Institute of Professional Studies, Pitampura
24. West Bengal National University of Judicial Sciences, Kolkata

**Knowledge Partners:** SCC, EBC, Enhelion and the Indian Society of International Law (ISIL).

**Winner:** Sybiosis Law School, Pune

**Runner-Up:** School of Law, Christ University, Bangalore.

**Prizes / Awards:**

- Winning Team: Trophy and a prize worth Rs. 50,000/-
- Runners-Up Team: Trophy and a prize worth Rs. 30,000/-
- Best Oralist: Trophy and a prize worth Rs. 10,000/-
- Second Best Oralist: Prize worth 5,000/-
- Team with Best Memorials: Trophy and a prize worth Rs. 10,000/-
- Team with Second Best Memorials: Prize worth 5,000/-
- Best Researcher: Prize worth 10,000/-
- Second Best Researcher: Prize worth 5,000/-
- All teams Qualifying Stage I of the Competition were offered an online certificate course by Enhilieon.

## **NALSAR Inter Varsity (IV) Debating Championship**

The 10<sup>th</sup> Edition of NALSAR IV Debating Championship hosted a total of 100 teams and 77 adjudicators from all across the globe. The Championship is an annual British Parliamentary Debate which has over the years become the largest in Asia. The Core adjudicators comprising of some of the best debaters from the national and international circuits consisted of Mr. Anil Sebastian Pulickel, Ms. Banun Sabri, Mr. Connor O'Brien, Ms. Shreya Shenolikar, Mr. Taosif Amin Khan and Ms. Oorvi Mehta. The cross team of Oxford-JGLS won the tournament.

Organizing Committee: Mr. Yash Mittal, Tournament Director, Mr. Abhijeet Murthy, Ms. Gitika Lahiri, Mr. Shourya Jain, Mr. Ajoy Karpuram, Mr. Aniket Singh, Mr. Rithvik DGV, Mr. Lakshya Grover, Mr. Tanay Goyal, Mr. Nikhil Chainani, Ms. Pooja Agarwal, Ms. Shrudula Murthy, Ms. Vaishali Ellora, Mr. Yashasvi Raj.

Tab Team: Mr. Sughosh Joshi, Mr. Pranav Mihir Kandada, Ms. Ankita Gupta, Mr. Anshul Agarwal, Mr. Sparsh Khosla.

## **Workshop on Public Speaking and Presentation Delivery**

The Debating Committee organised a public speaking and presentation delivery workshop in March, 2019 which was open to all LL.B.s, LL.M.s and MBA students. Mr Anant Katyayni – a professional soft skill trainer conducted the session. It was a highly interactive session, he focused on content and structure of speech by making each participant speak on a given topic for a prescribed period of time with feedback from other participants.

## **NALSAR Quiz Fest - Interrobang 2019**

The sixth edition of the annual NALSAR Quiz Fest was held from January 18-20, 2019. Interrobang 2019 expanded to a three day-fest with six quizzes spread out over the weekend, and continued to see a healthy turnout from teams all over the country. The fest saw participation from 40 external teams.

### **Content Team**

Pranav Mihir Kandada, Samiha Gopal, Anubhav Sachdeva, Anshul Isaac, Mrityunjay Roy, Aditya Matolli, Vedaarth Uberoi

### **Organisation Team**

Sanjana Manusnipalli, Ankush Rai, Nitya Ravichandra, Mansi Meena, Chitraksha Kumari, Pallavi Dehari, Aniket Singh, Maheshwari Mawase

### **Quizzes:**

- India Quiz  
Quiz Master - Lokesh Kaza
- MELAS Quiz  
Quiz Master - Vedaarth Uberoi and Isaac Anshul
- Attorney General Quiz  
Quiz Master - Pranav Mihir Kandada and Anubhav Sachdeva
- Biz-sci-tech Quiz  
Quiz Master - Major Chandrakant Nair
- General Quiz  
Quiz Master - Major Chandrakant Nair

### **List of Winners & Quiz Masters:**

- India Quiz  
QM: Lokesh Kaza  
Abhimanyu Bharade, Piyush Kedia, Shubham
- MELAS Quiz  
QM: Anshul Isaac and Vedaarth Uberoi  
Eeshan Ghaisas, Rohit Sathish Nair, Siddharth Sudhakaran
- Attorney General Quiz  
QM: Anubhav Sachdeva and Pranav Mihir Kandada

Abhimanyu Bharade, Piyush Kedia, Shubham

- Biz-Sci-Tech Quiz  
QM: Major Chandrakanth Nair  
Abhimanyu Bharade, Piyush Kedia, Shubham
- General Quiz  
QM: Major Chandrakanth Nair  
Abhimanyu Bharade, Piyush Kedia, Shubham

### **The NALSAR Literary Festival, 2019**

As part of the 5<sup>th</sup> NALSAR Literary Festival organised by the students, a panel discussion on the 'Politics of the Vernacular' was hosted on July 20-21, 2019. This edition focused on the theme 'Politics and the Vernacular' and sought to understand language politics in India as seen through State Policy (the Centre, Hindi-speaking and non-Hindi speaking States) and civil society expressed through media, literature, cinema, and other media. The speakers included Dr. Udaya Kumar (Jawaharlal Nehru University), Dr. Sowmya Dechamma (University of Hyderabad) and Dr. Uma Maheshwari Bhrugubanda (English and Foreign Languages University) with Dr. Manohar Reddy (NALSAR) acting as the moderator.

#### **Organisation Team**

Raghunandan Sriram, Pallavi Dehari, Nitya Ravichandra, Sanjana Manusanipalli, Megha Rajesh, Pranav Mihir Kandada, DGV Rithvik, Abhijit Murthy, Ridhi Shetty, Maheshwari Mawase.

#### **List of Winners**

- Taboo - **Akshaye Aryal, Angad Kamath, Sejal Parulkar**
- 20 questions - **Shrey and Tejas**
- Honest Trailers - **Harati**
- Crossword- **Tejas**
- Quiz - **Priyamvadha and Aishwarya**
- Treasure Hunt - **Anikait, Eeshan, Yashishwini, Sarah and Pulkit**

### **Management Fest – WINNOW – 2019**

The student body of Department of Management Studies (DoMS), NALSAR University has organized a one-day fest which began with the Business Plan Competition on February 15, 2019. The fest showcased the talents of groups and individuals with start-up/Business ideas. Besides the above, the groups showcased the dancing, comedy, miming etc. Students of DoMS have additionally taken an interest in 'The executives' Fests' sorted out by presumed organizations where the program and the understudies have got awards. Along with the gift prizes, they were given a chance to be incubated at Department of Management Studies' incubation Centre, Synergy.

## CELEBRATIONS

### International Day of Yoga

NALSAR celebrated the International Day of Yoga on June 21, 2019. The Vice-Chancellor, Registrar, students, faculty and non-teaching staff participated in the Yoga Day celebrations.

### Cultural Committee

- Once a week committee organizes this **Theme Thursday** by sending out a mail providing a particular theme like traditional, Back to School, Goth. Twinning Thursday, etc. Theme Thursday were held on July 4, 2019, July 10, 2019, July 18, 2019, July 24, 2019, September 5, 2019, September 24, 2019.
- **Antakshari Night** is just you need to sing your heart out where people are divided into 4/5 teams depending upon the number of people and the event will have rounds based on the themes and at the end the winner team gets the prize. Antakshari Nights were held on July 11, 2019 and September 9, 2019.
- **Karaoke Night** organized by the committee on August 6, 2019.
- The most loved, most awaited and highly demanded event **DJ Night** was held on September 12, 2019 where we arrange speakers, lights, DJ and decorate DoMS for the students to come and dance and enjoy to the fullest.
- **Dandiya and Garba Night** happened during Navratri on October 1, 2019 where the cultural committee provided dandiya sticks and had an amazing garba night.
- Two week **Photography Competition** was held from September 14-28, 2019 in which the students were told to click pictures based on two themes Common theme for all participants i.e. Life at NALSAR and second is the individual and there were exciting prizes given away to the winners.
- **Rangoli Competition** happened during Diwali on October 8, 2019 where again the winners for the best Rangoli were given cash prizes.
- During **Diwali Celebration** the committee decorated the campus with lights and diyas as well as brought some fire crackers on October 26, 2019.
- **Outlawed** is an inter college fest held at NUJS from February 8-10, 2019 where a lot of cultural events are held and a large number of students participated.
- **Carpe Diem** is an intra-college fest was held from March 14-17, 2019 where a lot of activities took place.
- Professional Dancers were called for the **Dance Workshop** which was held from April 8-11, 2019.

### Sports Committee:

The Committee undertook various initiatives and worked on various ideas and proposals in order to create a better and sports-friendly environment on campus which primarily revolves around academics and co-curricular activities. New LED Flood Lights were installed in the Stadium. The sports committee is also procuring a new TT table for Girls Hostel.

During the year the Sports Committee improved the sports infrastructure and increased sports culture on campus by organizing an inter-batch volleyball (men and women), cricket (men and women), chess and open badminton tournament which was organized for more than 10 days and has seen participation of around 70 teams on campus. The committee will organize inter-batch football, basketball, Table Tennis and Carrom in the month of March 2020.

The sports committee also encouraged more inter-college friendly matches with IPE and Loyola College, Hyderabad by organizing practice matches for Volleyball and Basketball in July-October 2019.

The committee has seen immense participation in inter-college fests where 61 people participated in Spiritus 2019 and 53 people participated in Trilateral 2019 both of which were organized by NLSIU, Bangalore.



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## **Report on the Sports and Cultural Events / competitions organized during the year 2020**

- The 13<sup>th</sup> NALSAR B.R. Sawhny Memorial Moot Court Competition 2020 was organized by the Moot Court Committee from 6<sup>th</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup> March 2020. The competition was successfully organized in an online format.
- ADR Committee organized the internal Client Counselling Selections on 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> January 2020. The event was conducted on campus.
- Debating Committee organized multiple practice debate sessions for NALSAR students in an online format.

### **MANAGEMENT FEST – WINNOW – 2020**

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### **SPORTS COMMITTEE**

The Committee undertook various initiatives and worked on various ideas and proposals in order to create a better and sports-friendly environment on campus which primarily revolves around academics and co-curricular activities. During the on-campus semester, which was for 2.5 months, the Sports Committee improved the sports infrastructure and increased sports culture on campus by organizing an inter-batch cricket (female), volleyball (both), kabaddi (both), football (both), basketball (both), T.T. (both), Chess (mixed), badminton (both and mixed), throwball (mixed), dodgeball (mixed).

The sports committee also encouraged more inter-college friendly matches with IPE and BITS Pilani, Hyderabad by organizing basketball and football matches.





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## Report on the Sports and Cultural Events / competitions organized during the year 2021

### 2<sup>nd</sup> NALSAR UNHCR Public International Law Moot Court Competition, 2021

The 2nd Edition of the NALSAR-UNHCR Public International Law Moot Court Competition was held from May 15-16, 2021. This year's edition was held in the virtual mode.

The United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR), the UN Refugee Agency has collaborated for the 2nd edition of the NALSAR-UNHCR Public International Law Moot Court Competition. The moot is further being organized in association with Indian Society of International Law (ISIL), Enhelion, SCC Online and Eastern Book Company (EBC), who serves as Knowledge Partner.

The moot was judged by esteemed scholars of Public International Law who have expertise in the legal issues stated in the moot problem.

### 14<sup>th</sup> NALSAR Justice B.R.Sawhny Memorial Moot Court Competition

*NALSAR hosted its annual Constitutional Law Moot, The B.R. Sawhney Memorial Moot Court Competition 2021, in collaboration with the Bodh Raj Sawhny Memorial Trust.*

The 14th edition of the BR Sawhny Moot Court Competition 2021 was held from October 9-10, 2021 on a virtual platform.

This edition of the moot court competition was aimed to further research work on the emerging issues related to Constitutional Law and to amplify the interest of the participants in the same

### ICC EVENTS ORGANIZED IN THE YEAR 2021

- CASH and ICC Orientation sessions were organized for the junior batches in 2021.

### SPORTS COMMITTEE

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#### Infrastructure Development:

- Procurement of Kabaddi Mat.
- Procurement of 18 LED Lights for Sports Grounds.
- Basketball Board Installation at BH Basketball Court.

#### Sports Tournament :

- Online Trivia Quiz
  - NALSAR Badminton League (NBL)
  - NBA-JAM (Basketball)
  - Lex-Liga (Football)
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- Kolekar Aditi- Runner Up in Athletics in Inter house Long Jump, 200m running, and 400m relay race.