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LAW SCHOOL, NAGPUR

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**ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION CELL**

presents

# **INTERNATIONAL ARBITRATION COMPETITION, 2025**

IN COLLABORATION WITH

**PSL** Advocates  
& Solicitors

**1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> MARCH, 2025**



# REGISTRATION STRUCTURE

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## SCREENING PROCESS

**STEP 1** : ***Statement of Purpose*** (not exceeding 1000 words) – It must detail the reasons for participating in the Competition, expected learning outcomes, and impact of the same moving forward. The same will be checked for Plagiarism.

**STEP 2** : ***ADR CV*** (not exceeding 2 pages) – The profile of the university detailing their prior experience in Alternative Dispute Resolution in the form of organizing internal and national/international competitions as well as participation in competitions.

**STEP 3** : ***Experience Summary*** (not exceeding 2 pages) – The profile of the Participants stating their prior experience in Alternative Dispute Resolution, whether individually or collectively. This may be in the form of competitions, certificate courses, internships, etc.

## REGISTRATION PROCESS

The Provisional Registration Process shall be completed before **20th January 2025**.

**[Link can be accessed here](#)**



# PRIZES

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## **BEST TEAM**

INR 40,000, Trophy, and Internship Opportunity at PSL Advocates and Solocitors

## **BEST SPEAKER**

INR 10,000 and Trophy

## **RUNNER-UP TEAM**

INR 25,000 and Trophy

## **BEST ARBITRAL AWARD**

INR 10,000 and Trophy

## **BEST WRITTEN SUBMISSION**

INR 10,000 and Trophy



# ORGANISING COMMITTEE

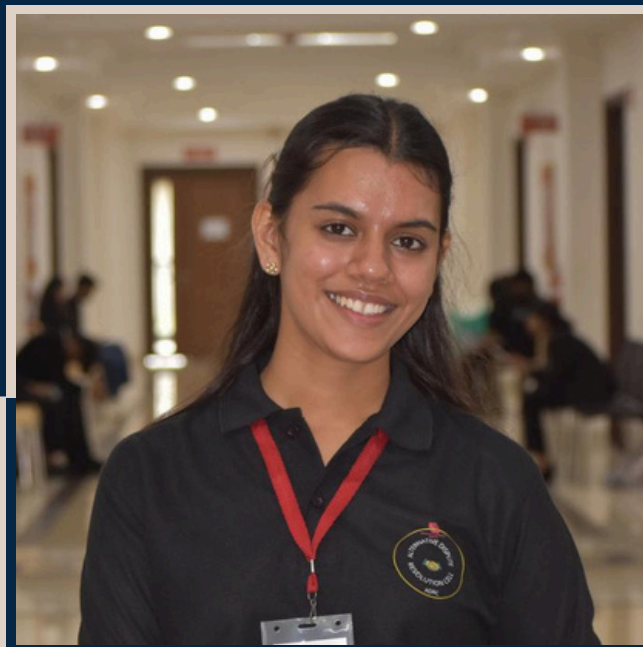
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# **RULEBOOK**



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**1. ABOUT US**

- 1.1. Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur, was established in the year 2019, inheriting splendid novelty, dynamism, and excellence in education. Being a constituent of Symbiosis International (Deemed University), Pune, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur endeavours to create value-conscious skilled lawyers with par excellence serving dynamic needs of the community through Bar and Bench and believes in the holistic development of the nascent legal minds.
- 1.2. With this commitment, the Alternative Dispute Resolution Cell (ADRC) of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur, aims at promoting and conducting a wide array of dispute resolution mechanisms, with the hope that the students can alter the way we look at and resolve disputes. The ADRC is committed to conducting several events to provide the student community with the necessary exposure to deal with aspects concerning Arbitration, Mediation, Negotiation, Conciliation, etc.
- 1.3. The International Arbitration Competition is organized to acquaint the student community with the niceties of resolving disputes efficiently and to understand the benefits of the ADR mechanisms. In fulfilment of such goals, Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur, through its ADR Cell, cordially invites law students to participate in its International Arbitration Competition to be conducted from 1st March 2025 to 2nd March 2025, which aims at developing the future members of the legal fraternity, with efficient methods of resolving disputes in the legal arena.

**2. DEFINITIONS**

- 2.1. “**ADRC**” refers to the Alternate Dispute Resolution Cell of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur;
- 2.2. “**Arbitral Award**” refers to the written decision of the Participant acting as an Arbitrator in the Competition;
- 2.3. “**Arbitration**” refers to the adversarial process of resolving disputes;
- 2.4. “**Arbitrator**” refers to a Participant acting as an impartial person chosen to resolve disputes outside of court by reviewing evidence and issuing a binding decision;
- 2.5. “**Claimant**” refers to the team comprising of two Participants who act as co-Counsels who initiate the proceedings for resolution in this Competition;
- 2.6. “**Clarification**” refers to procedural order(s) and/ or any clarification(s) issued by the ADRC;

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- 2.7. “**Compendium**” refers to the collection of judgments and resources used to support the oral and written submissions of the party in the oral round(s);
- 2.8. “**Competition**” refers to the International Arbitration Competition, 2025 where Participants role-play as Counsels and Arbitrators to resolve a mock dispute;
- 2.9. “**Counsels**” refers to the Participants acting as the legal representatives in Arbitration, responsible for presenting arguments, submitting evidence, and advocating;
- 2.10. “**Head**” refers to the Director of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur;
- 2.11. “**Institution**” means and includes the Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur;
- 2.12. “**Oral Rounds**” refer to the Team's pleadings in the session of Arbitration;
- 2.13. “**Organizing Committee**” refers to the ADRC members and the faculty in charge of the ADRC;
- 2.14. “**Participant(s)**” refers to any student who is competing in the Competition as a part of a Team;
- 2.15. “**Penalty**” refers to any action taken by ADRC and the institution for breach of any rules of the Competition;
- 2.16. “**Plagiarism**” refers to duplicate work from any memorial through any external sources;
- 2.17. “**Preliminary Round(s)**” refers to the initial oral rounds, which will determine the scores and ranks of the Participants for further rounds;
- 2.18. “**Respondents**” refers to the team comprising of two Participants who act as co-Counsels who respond to the proceedings for resolution in this Competition;
- 2.19. “**Scouting**” refers to the observing of the Oral Rounds of the Teams by a Participant of any other Team;
- 2.20. “**Speaker**” refers to the Participant who presents oral arguments in rounds of the competition;
- 2.21. “**Soft Copies**” of a document include the document in both PDF (.pdf) and Microsoft Word (.doc or .docx) format;
- 2.22. “**Team Code**” refers to a unique code assigned by the Institution to each registered Team;
- 2.23. “**Team**” includes only bona fide representatives of a participating university—State, Central, International, or any other department recognised or authorised to impart law degrees—who have applied and registered for the Competition in compliance with these rules; and

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2.24. “**Written Submissions**” refer to the written arguments submitted by each team participating in an arbitration round.

### **3. ELIGIBILITY**

3.1. All students enrolled in a full-time 5-year or 3-year undergraduate law course, with law as a major, or any equivalent degree from India or an equivalent foreign university are eligible to apply.

3.2. Teams from Indian universities must be from the following:

- a. *From the 3rd to 5th year of the 5-year LLB program.*
- b. *From the 2nd and 3rd year of the 3-year LLB program.*

3.3. Individuals pursuing post-graduate diploma or short-term certificate courses in law are not eligible to apply.

3.4. Independent and Cross – Institution Teams are not permitted to Participate in this Competition, only one Team per Institution is allowed to Participate.

### **4. TEAM COMPOSITION**

4.1. Each team must consist of *three members* – two members shall act as the Counsels and one member shall act as the Arbitrator.

4.2. The composition of the Team shall not be changed throughout the Competition. The role of the members of a Team as mentioned during the final registration shall be final save as permitted in writing by the Organizing Committee.

4.3. The Arbitrator shall play a passive role during all the rounds, and no questions will be asked by the Arbitrator during the session. On the conclusion of the Preliminary Rounds, the Arbitrator shall be required to draft an Arbitral Award.

4.4. No Team shall be accompanied by a coach or an instructor.

### **5. SCREENING PROCESS**

5.1. To participate in the Competition, interested Teams are required to submit the following:

- a. *Statement of Purpose (not exceeding 1000 words)* – It must detail the reasons for participating in the Competition, expected learning outcomes, and impact of the competition moving forward. The same will be checked for Plagiarism.
- b. *ADR CV (not exceeding 2 pages)* – The profile of the university detailing their prior experience in Alternative Dispute Resolution in the form of organizing internal and national/international competitions as well as participation in competitions.



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- c. ***Experience Summary*** (not exceeding 2 pages) – The profile of the participating Team stating their prior experience in Alternative Dispute Resolution, whether individually or collectively. This may be in the form of competitions, certificate courses, internships, etc.

## **6. REGISTRATION PROCESS AND FEES**

- 6.1. All the interested Participants shall complete the Provisional Registration Process on or before 20<sup>th</sup> January 2025. The form can be accessed at: <https://forms.gle/pWGWHFpXrjEZdz487>
- 6.2. After the Provisional Registration, the selected Participants shall be notified via mail about their selection by 22<sup>nd</sup> January 2025.
- 6.3. The shortlisted teams are then required to complete the Final Registration Process to confirm their registration by 31<sup>st</sup> January 2025 along with a proof of payment of Registration Fees must be submitted through the Final Registration Form.
- 6.4. All Bank Charges/Transfer Charges must be paid by the participating Team. The bank details for the transfer of registration fees shall be communicated along with the list of selected teams.
- 6.5. The Registration Fee per Team: (inclusive of Food and Accommodation)
- a. ***For Indian Teams: - INR 9440/-***
  - b. ***For International Teams: - USD 175/-***
- 6.6. The confirmation of Registration will be notified to the teams by the Organizing Committee after the completion and verification of all the registration formalities. Then, a Team Code will be assigned post confirmation of registration.

## **7. STRUCTURE OF THE COMPETITION**

- 7.1. The Competition shall take place in the physical mode in the premises of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur on 1<sup>st</sup> March, 2025 and 2<sup>nd</sup> March, 2025. Each Team shall be allotted a Team Code to be used throughout the duration of the Competition.
- 7.2. The Oral Rounds shall involve four Counsels, with two Counsels representing each side (*i.e., the Claimant and the Respondent*). The Participants may be required to address specific issues as designated. However, it is imperative that all Participants are thoroughly prepared to present and argue the entirety of the case, including any potential issues that may arise during the Oral Rounds.

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7.3. The Competition shall be conducted in the following Oral Rounds, namely — Preliminary Rounds, Semi-Finals, and the Finals. The breakdown of the rounds are as follows

- a. Preliminary Round I – All Teams
- b. Preliminary Round II – All Teams
- c. Semi-Finals – Four Teams advanced from the Preliminary Rounds
- d. Finals: Two Teams advanced from the Semi Finals

7.4. The Arbitrator will be required to prepare an Arbitral Award within a designated time frame following the Preliminary Rounds. The preparation of Arbitral Awards will not be required for the subsequent rounds, including the Semi-Finals and Finals.

7.5. Each Round shall proceed in the following order:

- a. Oral Arguments of the Claimant’s Side
- b. Oral Arguments of the Respondent’s Side
- c. Rebuttals by the Claimant’s Side
- d. Sur-Rebuttals by the Respondent’s Side

**7.6. Time Allotment**

- a. Preliminary Rounds – **40 Minutes + 5 minutes** for Rebuttals and Sur-Rebuttals. Each Party will not be permitted to speak for more than 20 minutes. The time split among the speakers for each team (not exceeding 20 minutes per team) may be decided amongst themselves and intimated to the Court Master at the beginning of the Round.
- b. Semi-Finals – **50 Minutes + 10 minutes** for Rebuttals and Sur-Rebuttals. Each Party will not be permitted to speak for more than 25 minutes. The time split among the speakers for each team (not exceeding 25 minutes per team) may be decided amongst themselves and intimated to the Court Master at the beginning of the Round.
- c. Finals – **60 Minutes + 15 minutes** for Rebuttals and Sur-Rebuttal. Each Party will not be permitted to speak for more than 30 minutes. The time split among the speakers for each team (not exceeding 30 minutes per team) may be decided amongst themselves and intimated to the Court Master at the beginning of the Round.
- d. Arbitral Award – **90 minutes**

7.7. Teams are required to draft Written Submissions from both sides i.e., the Respondent as well as the Claimant. The last date for the submission of Written Submission is 25<sup>th</sup>



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February 2025. All the Participants are requested to submit a Soft Copy of the Written Submission from both sides in PDF and Word format through Google Forms, for which the link will be circulated a week before the deadline.

## **8. GUIDELINES FOR WRITTEN SUBMISSION**

### **8.1. Written Submission**

a. Each written submission should contain all, and only, the following components in the following order:

- i. Cover page
- ii. Table of Contents
- iii. Index of Authorities
- iv. Statement of Jurisdiction – *one page*
- v. Statement of Facts – *one page*
- vi. Issues Raised – *one page*
- vii. Summary of Arguments – *one page*
- viii. Arguments Advanced/ Pleadings – not exceeding *ten pages*
- ix. Prayer – *one page*

b. **Format of the Written Submission –**

- i. **Written Submission Formatting Guidelines**
  - Margins – One-inch margins on all sides of the page.
  - Font – Times New Roman.
  - Font Size – 12.
  - Line Spacing – 1.5.
  - Text Alignment – Justified.
- ii. **Footnote Formatting Guidelines**
  - Citation Style – 20<sup>th</sup> Edition of the Bluebook.
  - Font – Times New Roman, Size 10.
  - Line Spacing – 1.0.
  - Text Alignment – Justified.
  - Spacing – No additional space between consecutive footnotes.
- iii. **Cover Page**
  - Claimant’s Written Submission: Blue
  - Respondent’s Written Submission: Red

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- c. Each Participating Team shall prepare Written Submissions on behalf of the Claimant and Respondent for a *maximum of 20 pages*. Any changes made to the soft copies after the submission date and subsequently produced during the rounds will be disqualified. The decision of the Faculty In-Charge of the ADRC and the Head of the Institution would be final in this regard.

## 8.2. **Arbitral Award**

- a. The Arbitrators are required to draft an award, as per the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996 (India). The Arbitral Award shall be prepared after the Oral Rounds of parties in the Preliminary Round only.
- b. For drafting the aforementioned Arbitral Award, the Participants will be provided with a Desktop/PC system by the host Institution.
- c. The Arbitration Award should not exceed *15 pages* and should broadly contain the following:
  - i. Heading;
  - ii. Date, Identification of the Parties, and Method of Appointment of Arbitrator;
  - iii. Nature of Award;
  - iv. Brief on the Nature of the Dispute;
  - v. Brief on Procedure Adopted;
  - vi. Issues of Facts and Law;
  - vii. Summary of Arguments by both the Parties;
  - viii. Relevant Facts and Laws Applicable; and
  - ix. Reasons and Conclusion

### d. **Arbitral Award Formatting Guidelines**

- i. **Formatting Guidelines:**
  - Page Margins – 1-inch margins on all sides.
  - Font – Times New Roman, Size, 12.
  - Line Spacing – 1.5.
  - Text Alignment – Justified.
- ii. **Footnotes Formatting Guidelines**
  - Citation Style – 20<sup>th</sup> Edition Bluebook.
  - Font – Times New Roman, Size 10.
  - Line Spacing – 1.0.
  - Text Alignment – Justified.



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- e. Arbitral Award includes an Interim Award as defined in the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996 (India). However, unless required, Arbitrators are not expected to draft Interim Awards.
  - f. The Organizing Committee Member supervising the Arbitral Award Drafting session shall be the official timekeeper. Arbitrators have the responsibility to adhere to the time limit that is prescribed to them.
- 8.3. All participating teams must adhere strictly to the prescribed deadline for the submission of written statements. Failure to comply with the deadline shall result in a penalty of ***two marks*** for every 30-minute delay.

## **9. COMPENDIUM**

- 9.1. Submission of a Compendium of the text of authorities referred to by the Team is ***not mandatory***.
- 9.2. If Teams elect to use a Compendium, one physical copy must be submitted to the Organizing Committee during the onsite Registration on 28<sup>th</sup> February 2025.
- a. The Compendium must indicate the Team Code and side represented [Claimant(s) or Respondent(s)] on the cover page.
  - b. Teams must ensure that judgements downloaded from ***SCC Online, Manupatra, or any other database*** do not disclose the identity of a member of the Team or their affiliated institution. Teams will not be permitted to use the Compendium in case of any non-adherence to anonymity requirements.
  - c. An index for the Compendium at the beginning of the file/folder is mandatory.
  - d. The responsibility of making a coherent, accessible compendium folder lies with the teams.
  - e. In case of judgments exceeding 20 pages, only the first page and relevant pages of the judgment are required to be attached.
- 9.3. The Organizing Committee bears no responsibility for any issues caused to Expert Assessor/s in finding a relevant document or page.
- 9.4. The usage of a Compendium is not evaluated in the marking scheme during the Oral Rounds.

## **10. COMMUNICATIONS**

- 10.1. All communications to the Organizing Committee shall be via email, addressed to *adr@slnagpur* in or through the individual WhatsApp groups created with every team upon confirmation of Registration.
- 10.2. Any information communicated by the Organizing Committee to one member of a Team shall be considered as communicated to the whole Team.

## **11. CODE OF CONDUCT**

### **11.1. General Rules**

- a. The Participating Teams should mention only their allotted Team Codes for communication with Judges/ Organizers. The identity of the Participating Team or Members or the name of their College/University shall not be disclosed to any other person during the Competition in any form, whether directly or indirectly. Disclosure of identity shall ensure immediate disqualification.
- b. In addition to the above rule, sporting any visible or distinguishable badges/ card/ uniform by any Participant which provides an opportunity of inferring/disclosing their identity or the identity of the Law College/ University being represented, is strictly forbidden.
- c. In cases of Plagiarism, *exceeding 20%*, excessive use of AI, or any such acts, the Organizing Committee reserves the right to disqualify the Team(s) after an immediate inquiry.
- d. The ADRC reserves the right to disqualify any team for misconduct during the competition. In case of conflict, the decision of the Institution Faculty In-Charge of the ADRC and the Head of the Institution shall be final.

11.2. The official language of the Competition shall be English.

### **11.3. Anti-Scouting**

- a. The teams shall uphold the integrity of the Competition at all times, and any form of scouting, or any other unethical/unprofessional conduct is strictly barred; the practice of the same shall result in immediate disqualification of the Team. Any attempt to obtain confidential information or any other information from the other parties or Participants, which may give the team an unfair advantage in the competition, will result in immediate expulsion of the team and blacklisting of the college being represented.



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- b. Participating Teams will not be allowed to observe the Sessions of any other Team(s) taking part in any event, excluding the Final Rounds of the Event.
- c. Any attempt made to contact the drafters of the problem will lead to direct disqualification from the competition.
- d. Scouting shall result in immediate disqualification, and any decision taken by the ADRC in consonance with the ADRC Faculty In-Charge and the Head of the Institution, in this regard, shall be final and binding upon the Participating Team(s).

## **12. DRESS CODE**

- 12.1. All the Participants are required to adhere to Business Formal i.e. the Participants must adhere to standards of conduct and the following may be an indicative dress code:
- a. For Gentlemen – Business Formals (White formal shirt with black formal pants + black blazer + Tie); and
  - b. For Ladies – Business Formals (White formal shirt with black formal pants/black formal skirt and a black blazer).

## **13. MARKING CRITERIA**

### **13.1. FOR COUNSEL**

<b>SR.NO</b>	<b>CRITERIA OF EVALUTION</b>	<b>MAXIMUM MARKS</b>
1.	Proper Articulation of Issues	10
2.	Knowledge of Facts and Evidence on record	10
3.	Knowledge of Law	10
4.	Interpretation and Application of Law	20
5.	Skills of Advocacy	10
6.	Persuasiveness and Response to Questions	10
7.	Use of Authorities in Persuading Arbitrators	10
8.	General Impression and Mannerism	10
9.	Nature of Relief prayed	10
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100</b>

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**13.2. FOR ARBITRAL AWARD**

<b>SR.NO</b>	<b>CRITERIA OF EVALUTION</b>	<b>MAXIMUM MARKS</b>
1.	Structure of Award	10
2.	Identification of Issues and nature of relief prayed	10
3.	Originality in presentation	10
4.	Grammar and Style of Presentation	10
5.	Cogent, Completeness, certainty, Finality, and Enforceability of the Award	10
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>50</b>

**13.3. FOR WRITTEN SUBMISSION**

<b>SR.NO</b>	<b>CRITERIA OF EVALUTION</b>	<b>MAXIMUM MARKS</b>
1.	Proper inclusion of parties and identification of issues	10
2.	Knowledge and Application of facts and law	10
3.	Quality of analysis and organization	10
4.	Persuasiveness of Argument	10
5.	Use of authorities and exhibits / other relevant evidence	10
6.	Proper citation and correct format	10
7.	Originality in presentation	10
8.	General impression and clarity of thought	10
9.	Grammar and style of Presentation	10
10.	Nature of Relief prayed	10
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100</b>

13.4. The Arbitrator will play a passive role during the Rounds and will not be evaluated for the Oral Rounds.



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**14. PENALTIES**

14.1. Any violation of these Rules will be penalized by the Organizing Committee, either by way of deduction of points or by disqualifying the Team from the Competition.

SR.NO.	CRITERIA	PENALTY
1.	Breaching Memorial Anonymity	Disqualification from the Competition
2.	Incorrect/Inadequate order of contents required	2 Marks each
3.	Incorrect formatting in footnotes or main content in memorial	1 Mark each
4.	Exceeding the page limit of main content	2 Marks per page
5.	Incorrect/Inadequate Information/Incorrect formatting of cover page	2 Marks

14.2. Any Penalty for violation of any of the rules may be imposed on Teams by the Organizing Committee. The concerned Team will be given a fair chance to show cause why a penalty should not be imposed on it

14.3. The decision of the Faculty In-Charge of the ADRC and the Head of the Institution on imposition of penalties shall be final.

**15. AWARDS**

15.1. Participation Certificates will be given to all the Participants.

15.2. Finalists, Semi-Finalists, and Winners will receive Certificates of Merit.

15.3. The following awards will be distributed during the Valedictory ceremony:

- a. **Best Team** – INR 40,000, Trophy, and Internship Opportunity at PSL Advocates and Solicitors.
- b. **Runner-Up Team** – INR 25,000 and Trophy.
- c. **Best Arbitral Award** – INR 10,000 and Trophy.
- d. **Best Written Submission** – INR 10,000 and Trophy.
- e. **Best Speaker** – INR 10,000 and Trophy.

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**16. CLARIFICATIONS**

16.1. For any clarifications, regarding the problem or the conduct of the competition, teams are requested to mail their queries and concerns to the ADRC at: [adr@slnagpur.edu.in](mailto:adr@slnagpur.edu.in) with the subject line: - “Clarification for International Arbitration Competition, 2025.”

**17. GRIEVANCE REDRESSAL**

17.1. All grievances are to be addressed to the ADRC by sending an email to the ADRC ([adr@slnagpur.edu.in](mailto:adr@slnagpur.edu.in)) within one hour of the occurrence of the dispute/grievance. Non-compliance with this requirement will amount to a waiver of the dispute and subsequent filing of a such grievance, post the time allotted, will not be entertained. Decisions on all grievances shall be taken by the Faculty In-Charge of the ADRC and the Head of the Institution and such decisions shall be final and binding on all Participants.

**18. ACCOMMODATION, FOOD, AND CONVEYANCE:**

- 18.1. Accommodation and food shall be provided to all the teams by the administrators of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur inside the campus itself.
- 18.2. The Institution will offer accommodation for the Team starting from 28<sup>th</sup> February, 2025 (Friday) from 12:00 Noon (IST) until 3<sup>rd</sup> March, 2025 (Monday) till 10:00 A.M.
- 18.3. A Google form would be floated to the selected teams, the teams must mandatorily submit their *travel plan* on the Google form by 9<sup>th</sup> February 2025 upon confirmation of their selection after the Final Registration.
- 18.4. All expenses incurred by the Team for transportation or conveyance from the airport, railway station, or bus station shall neither be reimbursed nor refunded by the Institution. Additionally, the Organizing Committee and the Institution shall bear no responsibility for arranging transportation or commutation for the Teams.

**19. IMPORTANT DATES**

DATES	PARTICULARS
11 <sup>th</sup> January, 2025	Commencement of Registration – Release of Registration Form

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20 <sup>th</sup> January, 2025	Commencement of Final Registration and Payment
31 <sup>st</sup> January, 2025	Last day of Final Registration
1 <sup>st</sup> Week of February	Release of Arbitration Proposition
9 <sup>th</sup> February, 2025	Last date to submit travel plans
12 <sup>th</sup> February, 2025	Last day to seek clarifications
25 <sup>th</sup> February, 2025	Last day to submit written submissions
1 <sup>st</sup> March, 2025	Preliminary Round 1 and 2
2 <sup>nd</sup> March, 2025	Semi-Finals and Finals and Valedictory Ceremony

**20. MISCELLANEOUS**

- 20.1. The copyright in the written submissions submitted by the teams shall vest with the administrators. The acceptance of such vesting is a precondition to participation in the Competition.
- 20.2. Unless specified otherwise, the dates mentioned shall refer to 11:59 PM IST on that date. For instance, the last date for submission of the written submission shall be interpreted as 25<sup>th</sup> February, 2025 ,11:59 PM IST.
- 20.3. Address of the Institution – Symbiosis International University, Mouza, Wathoda Layout, Nagpur, Maharashtra, 440008.



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**21. CONTACT DETAILS**

21.1. For any queries, feel free to email us at [adr@slnagpur.edu.in](mailto:adr@slnagpur.edu.in) or contact the following members of the Organizing Committee

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