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REPORT ON ONLINE CAPSULE COURSE ON MOOTING SKILLS

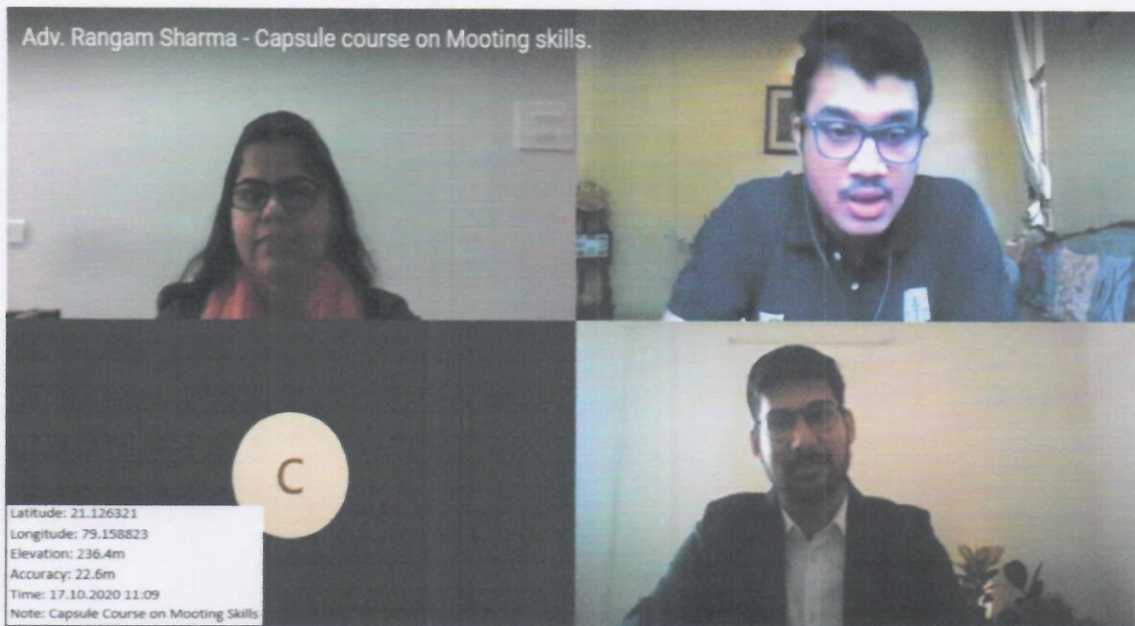
Symbiosis Law school, Nagpur organised a for the BA/BBA LL.B. batch of 2020-25 via online medium. This was the first event organised by the Moot court Association in the academic year 2020-21, for the batch of 2020-2025 after their orientation. It was a four-day course running along the dates starting from 10th October to 24th October, 2020 with multiple resource persons taking turns to teach students the basics of Mooting skills.

Day 1 - 10th October 2020

On the first day of the capsule course, the participants were greeted by the Moot Court Association with a brief introduction about the resource person followed by the Welcome address by the Director, Dr. Sukhwinder Singh Dari. The speaker of the day was Advocate Vadeendera Joshi who himself is an alumnus of Symbiosis Law school, Pune with expertise in constitutional law, criminal Law etc while he practices in High court of Hyderabad. He gave the students a very realistic introduction to Mooting, making it a very interactive session where the students were presented with an actual moot problem and were taught how to separate facts and assumptions to draft concrete issues while also taking interest in the continuous question and answer parley that was taking place. The session was concluded by the vote of thanks.

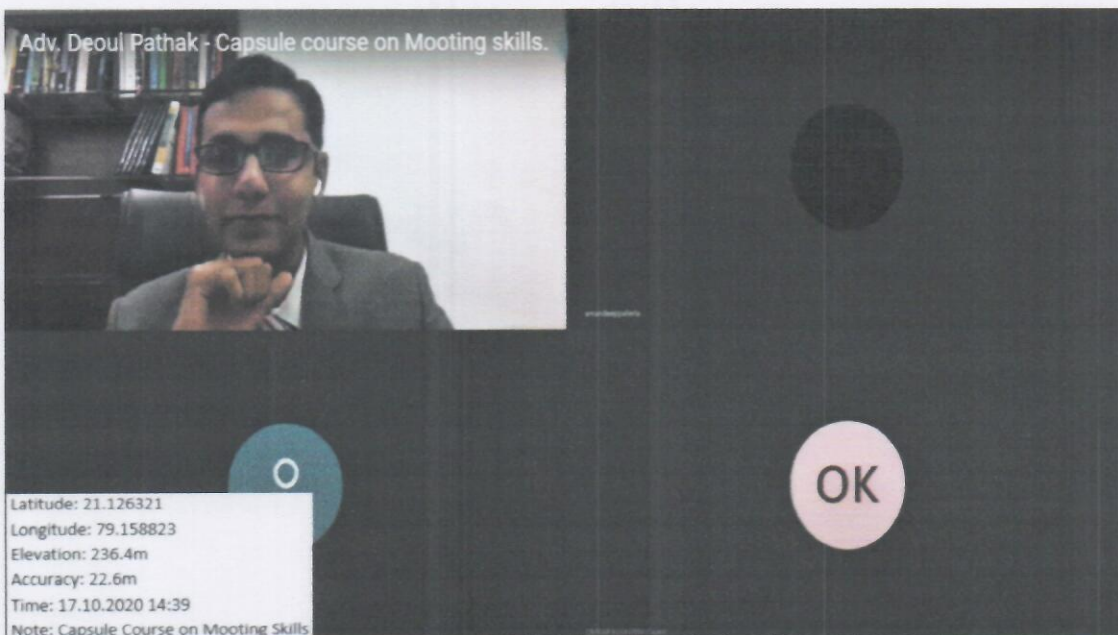
Day 2 - 17th October 2020 Session I

The second day of the course began with a brief introduction of the resource person for Session I. The speaker for that session was Advocate Rangam Sharma who is a part of corporate and technology practice at J. Sagar Associates. He introduced Drafting of a Memorandum and Pleading to the students. He went on to discuss the format and technicalities of drafting a Memorandum including the nitty-gritties like index, Statement of Jurisdiction, citations etc. by showing the students a sample Memo that he had drafted as a student. He also included in his session the correct way to compile a compendium and how to use it as well while also brushing on the concept of drafting pleadings in a memo and also how to plead, by using interactive method with the students. The session was subsequently closed by the vote of thanks.



Day 2 - 17th October 2020 Session II

The second session began with a brief introduction about the resource person. Advocate Deoul Pathak who practices in the commercial side of civil litigation with a concentration on IPR and Arbitration was the guest speaker. Continuing with the Day's theme, Advocate Pathak introduced the correct way of legal research for memorandum Drafting. With basic do's and don'ts, he introduced the ethical methodology of Legal research with the help of sample memos and comparative tables. The students were taught to scan the facts comprehensively so that they were able to gather the facts with legality to back them up when the issues are drafted and pleaded. The session included a sample moot problem where the students drafted and pleaded on the spot. The session was rounded off by the vote of thanks.



Day 3 - 18th October 2020

On the third day of the course there were three speakers who addressed the students. Advocate Pooja Rao Putrevu an associate with Shivdas and Shivdas law chambers, Advocate Megha Pillai an associate with Novojuris Legal and Advocate Akarsh S.V also an associate with Rights and marks were the three resource persons. They took a combined session where they addressed the students on memorial architecture and the manner of addressing the judges in Moot Courts. They encouraged them to ask questions about anything they did not understand in the capsule course or had any doubts. They talked about courtroom mannerisms, what or what is not acceptable in front of a Judge, the architecture of a memorandum. They also depicted an on the spot role-play of a moot court where they showed how to Plead and answer a judge with the correct terminology making it a very interactive session. The session concluded with vote of thanks.



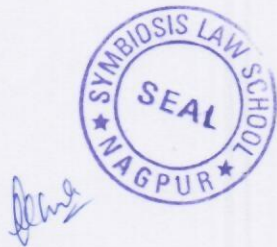
Day 4 - 24th October 2020

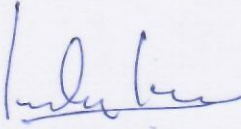
It was the last session of the Online capsule course on Mooting skills. The Speaker of the day was Advocate Atharva Aryan Singh. His session was all about International Moots. He shared his experiences with the students of his participation in the Nuremberg Trial, Germany. He explained how to approach and prepare for an international Moot court competition. He also answered questions about how to balance academics and co-curricular activities, motivating students to be organised. He also went on to explain how to make your resume strong. The session and the entire capsule course concluded with a final vote of thanks.

The entire event was organised and coordinated by the Moot Court Association of SLS, Nagpur.



The Online Capsule Course On Mooting skills received overwhelming participation and response by the students an all four days making it a huge success.




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