



Symbiosis Law School Nagpur

Report on the First Intra College Trial Advocacy Competition- 2023

Symbiosis Centre for Advocacy Skills and Litigation

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The Intra College Trial Advocacy Competition, organized by the Symbiosis Centre for Advocacy Skills and Litigation at Symbiosis Law School Nagpur, took place on 19th August 2023. The competition aimed to provide practical knowledge about trials and the application of the Criminal Procedure Code and Evidence Law to students. A total of 90 teams participated in the event, showcasing their enthusiasm and commitment to the field of trial advocacy.

The central theme of the competition revolved around Section 307 of the Indian Penal Code, which deals with the attempt to commit murder. The participants were required to present arguments, examine witnesses, and demonstrate their trial advocacy skills in a simulated courtroom setting. The competition not only provided participants with an opportunity to enhance their advocacy skills but also deepened their understanding of legal concepts and procedures.

A total of 90 teams participated in the competition, representing a diverse pool of students from Symbiosis Law School Nagpur. The event was organized in rounds, with each team presenting their case in front of a panel of judges. The teams were tasked with examining three witnesses: the prosecution examined the investigating officer, the accused, and an eyewitness, while the defense counsel examined the accused and witnesses. This structure allowed participants to understand the intricacies of presenting evidence, cross-examination, and building a strong case followed by closing arguments.

To ensure a fair evaluation, the competition invited 10 judges from the Nagpur Bar Association. These judges brought extensive legal experience and expertise to the event, providing valuable feedback and insights to the participants. Their presence enriched the competition by offering a real-world perspective on trial advocacy.

The successful execution of the event was a result of the dedication and hard work of the organizing team. The event was conducted under the guidance

and supervision of Dr. Deepti Khubalkar, the faculty in charge of the Symbiosis Centre for Advocacy Skills, and Dr. Sukhvinder Singh Dari, the Director of Symbiosis Law School Nagpur. The guidance provided by judges during competition ensured that the event met its objectives and provided a platform for students to develop practical skills.

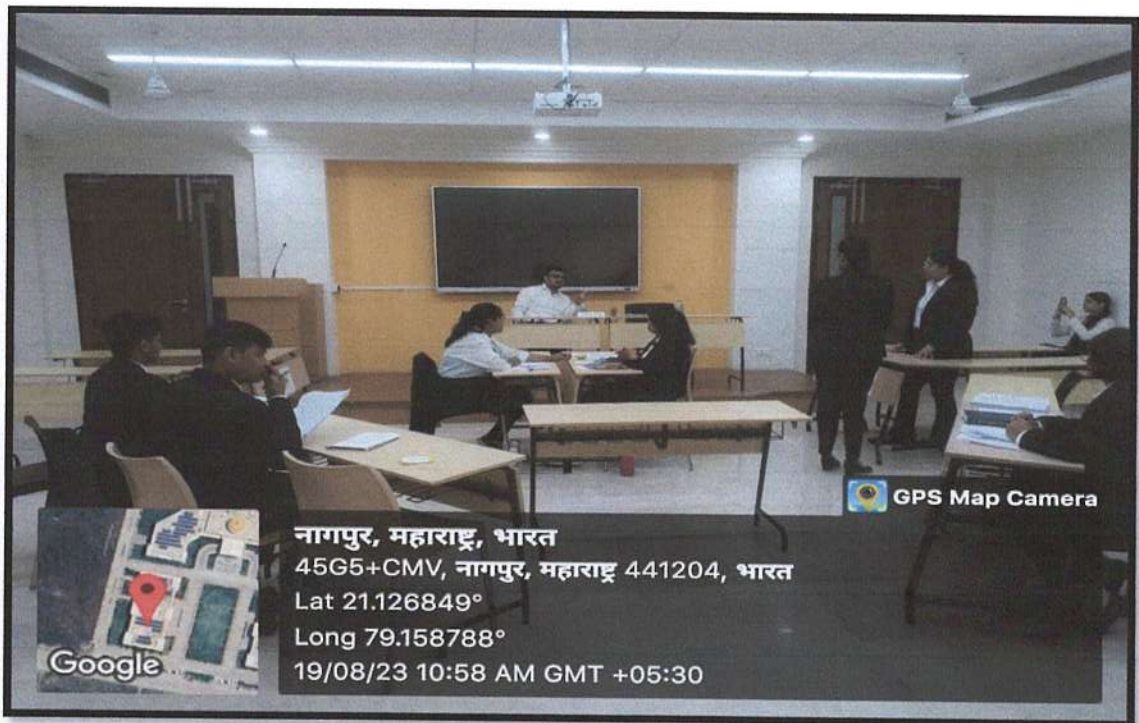
The members of the organizing team, including Mr. Samit Sidhanta, Yash Tripathi, Prajwal Parate, and Sneha Bansal, played a pivotal role in ensuring the success of the event.

The Intra College Trial Advocacy Competition conducted by the Symbiosis Centre for Advocacy Skill at Symbiosis Law School Nagpur on 19th August 2023 was a resounding success. With a substantial participation of 90 teams, the competition provided a platform for students to enhance their trial advocacy skills, apply legal concepts, and gain practical insights into trial procedures and evidence law. The event's success can be attributed to the enthusiastic participation of students, the expertise of the invited judges, and the dedication of the organizing team. It served as a testament to the commitment of Symbiosis Law School Nagpur in providing holistic legal education experiences to its students.





Ms. Sneha Bansal explaining the proposition in the briefing session.







Participants are examining the witnesses before judges.

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