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### WORKSHOP ON MOOTING SKILLS AND MEMORIAL DRAFTING

9<sup>TH</sup>- 10<sup>TH</sup> August, 2021

Moot Court Association of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur organized a two-day Virtual Workshop on Mooting Skills and Memorial Drafting on 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> of August, 2021. The workshop was bifurcated in three sessions over two days. It was structured to revolve majorly around three themes – How to Research on Moot Proposition based on Contemporary Issues, how to increase confidence while arguing and how to respond to judge's questions & How to frame proper oral arguments based on the Memorial.

**Adv. Shreya Seth**, Associate Partner Kumar & Co., **Adv. Ekant Hiranandani**, practitioner at Telangana High Court and **Adv. Atharva Aaryan Singh**, Legal Associate, Exigent Group Ltd. were the resource persons for the Workshop. The resource persons belonged to various fields of Law who have carved a niche for themselves in their respective domain.

The workshop began with the introduction about the need of having Moot Court Competitions in a Law school. The Master of Ceremony for the first Session of the Workshop was Ms. Ishita Sinha. The first session began on 9<sup>th</sup> August 2021 at 9 AM and saw the address by Adv. Ms. Shreya Seth who is enrolled with the state Bar council of Delhi and independently practices at High Court of Delhi, and Bombay High Court, Nagpur Bench. She explained the participants how to enhance their researching skills while researching on a moot propositions based on contemporary issues. Apart from this, she also guided students on how to draft an effective memorial by framing constructive arguments and quoting the right precedents. The session was followed by an interactive question and answer session. The Vote of Thanks for Session-1 was proposed by Mr. Raghav Pareek.

The second session began on 10<sup>th</sup> August 2021 at 10 AM. It was conducted by Ms. Anannya Deshpande. The second session began with the address of Adv Ekant Hiranandani, who is an Independent practitioner at Telangana High Court. He exhaustively explained the students about the workings of a Moot Court; the proper court room mannerisms which are to be followed by participating students and what is expected of them when they take part

in such a competition. He guided the students on how to frame effective oral arguments while preparing for a moot court competition. He also shared his own journey and experience during his academic years and how it has assisted him in professional life later on. After his address, the floor was opened for discussion.

The third session of the workshop began with the address of Adv. Atharva Aryan Singh who guided and upskilled the students upon how to frame proper oral arguments based on the memorial. In a very cheerful manner Adv. Atharva gave a very detailed idea to the students as to how the issues are to be framed. Adv. Atharva also shared his own experiences of mooting at national and international level and exhaustively explained the working of moot court competitions. He also addressed many other issues by answering the questions that were posed to him by the students during the workshop on the difficulties they faced while mooting and how to overcome them.

The workshop concluded with the vote of thanks proposed by Ms. Sanjana Sapra, 5<sup>th</sup> Semester student of SLS, Nagpur.



**9<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST, 2021 - SESSION I BY ADV. SHREYA SETH**



10<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST. 2021- SESSION II BY ADV. EKANT HIRANANDANI



10<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST. 2021- SESSION III BY ADV. ATHARVA AARYAN SINGH



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