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10TH TO 14TH MARCH, 2021

TOURNAMENT BROCHURE

9TH NLIU INADR

INTERNATIONAL MEDIATION
TOURNAMENT, 2021

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ABOUT THE COMPETITION

Since its inception in 2007, the vision of ADRC has been to disseminate knowledge relating to Alternative Dispute Resolution Mechanisms and create a platform for like minded and zealous individuals to come together to revolutionize the process of dispute settlement.

This goal became a reality in 2012 with the Cell organizing Asia's oldest as well as India's largest Mediation Tournament, the **"NLIU INADR International Law School Mediation Tournament"**. With each successive year, we have witnessed participation from all National Law Schools and premier private law schools of the country besides Universities in United States, Australia and parts of Europe.

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With the experience of organising 8 successful editions of our prestigious mediation tournament, and the 1st edition of NLIU International Negotiation Competition 2020 virtually, this year ADRC aims to conduct the **"9th NLIU INADR International Mediation Tournament 2021"** virtually. The competition aims to provide an opportunity for students to be a part of disputes akin to actual altercations witnessed by legal professionals. It further presents an opportunity to hone the requisite communication and mediation skills in addition to holding discussions with equally enthusiastic professionals and students in the field.



GENERAL DETAILS OF THE TOURNAMENT

I. FORMAT OF THE TOURNAMENT

The competition shall be in the format of a mediation competition wherein each team shall consist of 3 participants, i.e. **the Client, the Counsel, and the Mediator**. Due to the technical limitations of a remote tournament, **the number of teams has been limited to 36**. The same would be **selected by the ADRC, on the basis of selection guidelines (to be released soon)**. The tournament shall have **3 Preliminary rounds and 2 Advanced Rounds (the Semi- Final and the Final)**.

Further, it shall be **mandatory** for each member of the team to play the role of the client, counsel and mediator once. The **time-limit** shall be **60 minutes for the Preliminary Rounds, and 90 minutes for the Advanced Rounds**.

II. Eligibility

The participation is limited to students pursuing their Bachelor's degree in law (LLB, BCL, JD or equivalent).

III. Registration Fees

For Indian Teams - INR 7,500 per team

For Foreign Teams - USD 100 per team

VI. Coach

Every team may be accompanied by 1 coach. The registration fee for the coach would be INR 1000 for an Indian team and USD 30 for a foreign team. The team coach is also permitted to attend their team's mediation sessions. And they shall also receive a certificate of recognition at the conclusion of the tournament.

VII. UNIVERSITY REPRESENTATION

Considering the limitation on the number of teams, each University is permitted to be represented by only one team. It should be noted that cross teams are not allowed.



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VII. AWARDS

1. **Winners**
2. **Runners-up**
3. **Best Client**
4. **Best Counsel**
5. **Best Mediator**
6. **Best Client and Counsel Team**
7. **Spirit of the Tournament**

VIII. TRAINING SESSIONS FOR JUDGES AND PARTICIPANTS

This competition will also provide an opportunity for the participants to develop the requisite negotiation and communication skills through various training sessions conducted by industry professionals from all around the globe. Basic training dealing with the functioning of an online tournament shall also be incorporated for judges as well as participants.

IX. TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

10th, 11th and 12th March, 2021: TRAINING SESSIONS

12th and 13th March, 2021: PRELIMINARY ROUNDS 1, 2 & 3

14th March, 2021: SEMI-FINALS & FINALS



ABOUT NATIONAL LAW INSTITUTE UNIVERSITY, BHOPAL

Since its inception in 1997, the University has grown rapidly to become one of the most prestigious and highly ranked law universities in India. Nestled in the picturesque forests of Bhopal, the capital city of Madhya Pradesh, the campus has a truly serene and photogenic aura to it.

The University aims to develop and nurture intellect in order to contribute to the national development in law and justice, and a true testament to this would be the achievements of its student and alumni. With roots all around the world in diverse fields of law, the University aspires to become one of the best legal education centres in the world.

For more details, visit : <https://www.nliu.ac.in/>

ABOUT ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION CELL (ADRC)

ADRC has, since its inception, established itself as a frontrunner in the field of arbitration, mediation and negotiation. Owing to a strong belief in the principle of 'learning beyond the Four walls of a classroom', we work to encourage and promote student participation in the arbitration, negotiations and mediation agreements in order to develop important skills required in the real world.

We are one of the oldest ADR Committees in Asia, and have been hosting various workshops and training sessions on Mediation and Negotiation for both vocational and tournament-based operations, as well as organising the Intra College Participant's Pool cum Tournament. revamp the sphere of mediation and arbitration, both in India and abroad.

For more details : <http://www.nliuadrportal.com>

ABOUT InterNational Academy of Dispute Resolution (INADR)

The mission of the InterNational Academy of Dispute Resolution is to build, through education, world-wide recognition of the power of dispute resolution processes to peacefully resolve conflicts and promote conciliation and healing.

For more details : <https://www.inadr.org/about-us/>



IMPORTANT DATES



10	January, 2021	REGISTRATIONS OPEN FOR PARTICIPANTS
15	February, 2021	REGISTRATIONS CLOSE
17	February, 2021	ANNOUNCEMENT OF SHORTLISTED TEAMS
25	February, 2021	REGISTRATIONS OPEN FOR JUDGES
28	February, 2021	LAST DATE TO MAKE PAYMENT
01	March, 2021	RELEASE OF GENERAL INFORMATION
05	March, 2021	LAST DATE TO SUBMIT CLARIFICATIONS
07	March, 2021	RELEASE OF CLARIFICATIONS
10-12	March, 2021	OPENING CEREMONY AND TRAINING SESSIONS
12 -13	March, 2021	PRELIMINARY ROUNDS 1,2 & 3
14	March, 2021	ADVANCED ROUNDS & VALEDICTORY CEREMONY

TOURNAMENT OVERVIEW

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DISCLAIMER

1. The dates, schedules and details pertaining to the tournament are tentative in nature and subject to change. In case of any change, the details shall be communicated by the organising committee. Kindly follow our social media handles for timely updates.
2. All discretionary power with respect to outcomes in the tournament rounds vests with ADRC. The decision of the committee shall be final and binding.

