



AMITY LAW SCHOOL

DEBATING SOCIETY

PRESENTS

SHABD - YUDH

NATIONAL DEBATE COMPETITON, 2023

30TH NOVEMBER, 2023

LAST DATE OF REGISTRATION
24 NOVEMBER, 2023

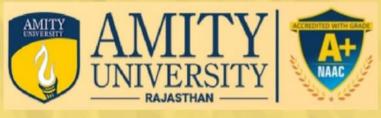




ABOUT AMITY UNIVERSITY RAJASTHAN



Amity University Rajasthan is a part of Amity – India's leading education group with more than 1,50,000 students, 11 universities, nearly 200 institutions, 26 schools and pre-schools, 13 Foreign campuses in London, New York, California, Singapore, Dubai, Mauritius etc. Amity University Rajasthan has been accredited NAAC A+ in the year 2023. Amity University Rajasthan has been established by the Ritnand Balved Education Foundation (RBEF) New Delhi, which is a society registered under the Societies Registration Act, 1860. It is a fully government recognized University with the right to confer degrees as per Sections 2f and 22(1) of the UGC Act. Amity University Rajasthan is built on a foundation which embodies all the qualities that have made Amity institutions world class over the last two decades. Located in a sprawling 150- acre green campus on Delhi-Jaipur Highway, the University with its state-of-the-art infrastructure has instituted global standards in education, training, and research with focus on the latest teaching methodologies.





OUR PATRONS



Dr. Aseem Chauhan Chancellor



Prof. (Dr.) Amit Jain Vice – Chancellor



Prof. (Dr.) G.K. Aseri Pro Vice - Chancellor



Prof. (Dr.) Saroj Bohra Director, Amity Law School





ABOUT AMITY LAW SCHOOL

The school has been established under Amity University Rajasthan to achieve world -class legal education in the state and the country. In its constant pursuit of excellence, it is always endeavouring to create a legacy of leadership, professional acumen, and excellence.

The Amity Law School (ALS), Amity University, Rajasthan has been established in the year 2008. ALS is offering courses in Ph.D., LL.M, BA.LL.B(H), B.Com.LL.B(H), B.B.A. LL. B(H). Amity Law School with its holistic approach to legal education provides impetus to law students to evolve into not only legal professionals but also as responsible and socially empathetic citizens of the State.

The institute has well-qualified, experienced, and dedicated team of faculty members who are committed to the cause of quality legal education. ALS is affiliated with Amity University and approved by the Bar Council of India.

The methods of teaching in the Law School include lecture discussions, case law analysis, moot court training, project assignments, and placement programs. In addition, the school organizes seminars on contemporary legal issues, conducts clinical courses, and trains students in legal research and legal writing. By the time a student completes the program, students will be fully equipped with the required theoretical knowledge and practical experience in the field of law to become a full-fledged responsible member of the legal profession.

Recognized by Forbes, an international magazine among top law schools in India, under Legal Power list, 2020.







ABOUT DEBATING SOCIETY



The Debating Society of Amity Law School, Amity University Rajasthan, has flourished under the able guidance of Prof. (Dr.) Saroj Bohra, who serves as the Director of Amity Law School. With her mentorship, the society has thrived and grown, offering a plethora of engaging events such as "Tark," "Tark 2.0," and "Shabdvyuh.". The significance of the Debating Society is fostering the development of confident, articulate, and informed individuals who are well-prepared for the challenges of the legal profession. The society stands as a testament to her vision and dedication to academic excellence at Amity Law School.

This vibrant society plays a crucial role in shaping well-rounded and articulate legal professionals. Through Tark and other initiatives, the Debating Society plays an instrumental role in cultivating the next generation of lawyers and advocates who can articulate and defend their arguments with precision and poise.





ABOUT THE COMPETITION

The Debating Society of Amity Law School, Amity University Rajasthan is going to organize, "SHABD YUDH" a NATIONAL DEBATE COMPETITION on 30th November, 2023. It stands as a prestigious and intellectually stimulating event on the academic calendar. This debate competition brings together talented debaters from across the nation to engage in thought-provoking discourse on a wide range of topics. The event fosters an atmosphere of healthy competition, where debaters tackle both contemporary and timeless issues, making it an enriching experience for all involved. The National Conventional Debate not only promotes the art of persuasive argumentation but also encourages participants to broaden their horizons and think critically, nurturing the future leaders and advocates of tomorrow.

RULES OF NATIONAL DEBATE COMPETITION

IMPORTANT DATES

EVENTS	DATES
Commencement Of Provisional Registration	31st October, 2023
Last Date of Registration	24 th November, 2023
Date of the Competition	30 th November, 2023
Declaration Of Results	30 th November, 2023





ELIGIBILITY

The competition is open to any undergraduate or postgraduate student from any discipline who are duly enrolled in any recognized university/institution.

Multiple entries from the same University/ College/ Institute shall be entertained.

By applying for the competition, the teams shall be deemed to have accepted the terms and conditions of the organizing committee.

RULES & REGULATIONS

- 1. Each team should comprise of two members. Single member team would be considered as disqualified team. Multiple team per university/college/Institute is allowed to take part in the competition.
- 2. The competition shall comprise of four rounds. Only 40 teams shall be considered for Preliminary Round of the Debate Competition based on first come first registered basis. "First Come First Registered" means the first duly completed online registration form along with the payment of registration fee on or before the last date of online registration i.e., 24.11.2023 till 12:00PM.
- 3. Out of 40 top scoring 8 teams shall advance to quarter round and then top 4 teams to semi-finals and top scoring 02 Teams shall advance to Final round.
- 4. Motion for preliminary round will be assigned to the teams via email on 25th November 2023.
- 5. Team should prepare from both sides of the motion. Motion would be assigned to the team for quarters, semis, and final round 10 mins prior to the round.

(The detailed rules for execution of each round would be shared at the time of registration at venue, thus, it is mandated to reach the venue at least one hour prior to the commencement of the event.)





THEME FOR THE COMPETITION

- The theme for the preliminary round Abortion: Personal or state's choice, a Pandora's box.
- The theme for Quarter rounds Gender Equality, A Modern misconception.
- The theme for Semi-finale round Supreme Court: A law maker or interpreter.
- The theme for Final rounds Capital Punishment a must to create fear?

LANGUAGE

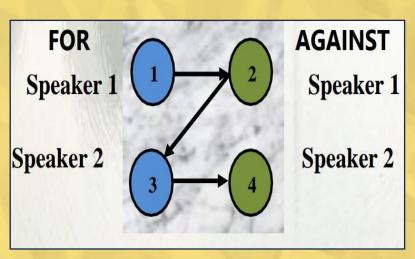
The medium of communication for this debate shall be English only.

DRESS CODE

Formal Attire i.e, Black trousers, white shirt, black coat, black shoes, and black socks.

FORMAT

- The order of the speakers would be:
- ➤ Speaker 1 from team 1 will be speaking for the motion.
- ➤ Speaker 1 from team 2 will be speaking against the motion.
- ➤ Rebuttal from team 1
- ➤ Rebuttal from team 2







SPEAKING TIME

There shall be 'two teams. Out of these two teams, one would be 'For / Affirmative' motion, and another would be 'Against/ Negative' motion.

Both the speakers of a team should speak for assigned motion.

For preliminary round

- Each team will get 5 minutes (3+2) to speak.
- 3 minutes would be for the opening statement and 2 minutes would be for the rebuttal.

For quarter round

- Each team will get 5 minutes (3+2) to speak.
- 3 minutes would be for the opening statement and 2 minutes would be for the rebuttal.

For Semi-final round

- Each team will get 5 minutes (3+2) to speak.
- 3 minutes would be for the opening statement and 2 minutes would be for the rebuttal

For Final round

- Each team will get 7 minutes (4+3) to speak.
- 4 minutes would be for the opening statement and 3 minutes would be for the rebuttal

After both the members of a team has finished, the Judge / Panel of Judge can:

- Ask questions individually to both member of team;
- Address questions collectively to both speakers.





JUDGING CRITERIA

• Participants would be judged on following points:

S. No.	Criteria	Marks (per team)
1.	Argumentation & Persuasion	20
2.	Research & Knowledge	20
3.	Organization & Structure	20
4.	Delivery & Structure	20
5.	Body language & Presentation	20
	TOTAL	100

ACCOMODATION

NO accommodation will be provided by the University.

The participants have to arrange their own accommodation.

REGISTRATION DETAILS

- All the students who desire to participate in the competition shall fill the registration form.
- Registration Fee per participant: For Amity University students: Rs. 200/-

For other University students: Rs. 500/- + 18% GST

- Payment Link: https://www.amity.edu/jaipur/shabdyudh2023
- Registration Link: https://forms.gle/Duv2kpNgZgLJjAgt8
- Registration on **FIRST COME FIRST SERVE** basis.





PRIZES & PERKS

TOTAL CASH PRIZES OF RS. 15,000 ARE TO BE AWARDED

• Winner Team: Trophy + Certificate + Cash Prize

• Runner Up Team: Trophy + Certificate + Cash Prize

• **Best Speaker (For):** Trophy + Certificate + Cash Prize

• Best Speaker (Against): Trophy + Certificate + Cash Prize

Teams qualifying for Quarters: Certificate of Appreciation

Certificate of Participation shall be given to all the participants who have participated in allocated rounds and have attended final round.

Winner and Runner–up prize will be awarded based on total marks of the team given by the judges.

Best Speaker and Best Rebuttal will be decided based on scores of the Preliminary round of the competition.

Top scoring teams would move on to the semi-finals and from them finalists will be chosen.

The decision of the judges shall be binding and in case of dispute the final decision will be of the organizing committee.

DATE & VENUE

Date: 30th November 2023

Time: 9:15 AM to 5:00 PM

Venue: Amity Law School, Block D, Amity University Rajasthan





TRAVEL GUIDE

To reach Amity University Rajasthan from Jaipur:

If traveling by: Train, Bus, Flight

Arrival – Jaipur junction/Sindhi Camp Bus stand/Airport

Either take a Cab for Amity University Rajasthan from respective arrival points.

OR

Take a Bus from Sindhi Camp Bus stand for Amity University Rajasthan.

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Regards from the Debating Society ALS, AUR