



**7th Dr. Paras Diwan Memorial
International 'Energy Law'
Moot Court Competition
7th to 9th April, 2017**



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The **College of Legal Studies (CoLS)** has been a pioneer in grooming modern day legal professionals with a multidisciplinary edge since its inception in 2007. The college offers integrated and specialized programs which are the first of their kind in South Asian Region. The college adopts a progressive teaching methodology wherein students are acquainted with law through theoretical sessions as well as practical learning. COLS also provides best of the teaching aids as well as learning experience to the students through interaction and association with persons and organizations of national and international repute.

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The **FIRST DR. PARAS DIWAN NATIONAL 'ENERGY LAW' MOOT COURT COMPETITION, 2011**, saw the participation of twenty different teams from across the country. The event was graced by the dignified presence of Justice S.N Srivastava (Head, Uttarakhand State Police Complaint Tribunal), Mr. Venkatramani, Senoir Advocate, Supreme Court of India, Mrs. Sadhana Ramachandran, Senior Advocate, Supreme Court of India, Mr. J.M. Bodha, GM Legal, ONGC Delhi, Mr. Shailendra Jain, Adv. High Court (Punjab & Haryana) and Mrs. Peeyushi Jain [daughter of Dr. Paras Diwan].

The **SECOND DR. PARAS DIWAN NATIONAL 'ENERGY LAW' MOOT COURT COMPETITION, 2012**, saw the participation from twenty teams from various prestigious colleges in India. The event was graced with the dignified presence of Hon'ble Justice Mr. M.M. Kumar, High Court of Punjab & Haryana, Justice M.M. Ghildiyal, Lok Ayukta, Mr. G.K. Sharma, and Advisor to His Excellency, Governor of Uttarakhand, Mr. Rakesh Dewan, Senior Legal Consultant, PNGRB, Mr. Sitesh Mukherjee, Head, Trilegal, and Mr. M.M. Sharma, Head of Vaish Law Associates.



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The **THIRD DR. PARAS DIWAN NATIONAL 'ENERGY LAW' MOOT COURT COMPETITION, 2013**, witnessed a humongous participation from various prestigious and esteemed colleges from all across the country, A total of 42 memorial were submitted out of which 30 teams are selected for the oral rounds. The event was graced by renowned and eminent personalities like Justice Kannan, Mr. Venkatramani, Justice (Rtd.) Manju Goel and many other legal luminaries.

The **FOURTH DR. PARAS DIWAN NATIONAL 'ENERGY LAW' MOOT COURT COMPETITION, 2014**, was graced by Justice Vijendra Kumar Jain (High Court of Punjab and Haryana), Mr. Justice Rajesh Tandon, Member, The State Human Rights Commission, Uttarakhand and former Judge of Uttarakhand High Court, Justice Dutta, Chair Person Appellate Tribunal, Energy Sector, Mr. Venkatramani and Colonel, H.S. Sharma, former Senior Vice President, Uttarakhand High Court Bar Association and Chief Legal Advisor to IIT Roorkee, Mr. S B Mitra, GM GAIL, Mr. Sumit Malik, represented the knowledge partner Eastern Book Company and SCC online and other dignitaries of GAIL, ONGC and SCC. The event saw the participation of twenty six teams.



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The **FIFTH DR. PARAS DIWAN NATIONAL 'ENERGY LAW' MOOT COURT COMPETITION, 2015**, took the competition to the International platform. The event was spread over three days, which saw the participation from thirty three teams. The event was graced by the dignified presence of Hon'ble Justice, Mr. V. Gopala Gowda, sitting Judge Supreme Court of India, Retd. Justice Mr. P. Naryana, high Court of Anadhra Pradesh, Mr. Venkataramani, Senior Advocate, Supreme Court of India, Mr. Yogesh Anand, Legal Head- GMR Ltd., Mr. S.B. Mitra, General Manager, GAIL India Ltd., Mr. Mohd. Naseem, Former DGM, ONGC

The **SIXTH DR. PARAS DIWAN INTERNATIONAL 'ENERGY LAW' MOOT COURT COMPETITION, 2016**, was the second edition of the international version of the competition held in UPES which witnessed teams from esteemed international universities as well as universities from across the country. The event was spread over four days, which was graced by various dignitaries.



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