#### **SAARC Law Students Conference – 2016**

The SAARC Law Students Conference was held on 5th March, 2016 at Lloyd Law College. It was an exercise aimed at promoting research writing and presentation skills among the law students from SAARC countries. The conference saw participation from 14 teams from India, Pakistan, Nepal, Bangladesh and Sri Lanka. Research papers were submitted by the presenters on the theme 'Legal Education in SAARC Countries: Opportunities and Challenges'. They have been compiled into a compendium of suggestions for presentation to the respective Governments for initiating cooperation in Legal Education in the SAARC region.

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# SECOND PROF. N R MADHAVA MENON NATIONAL MOOTING COMPETITION 2016-17



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#### SOCIETY OF INDIAN LAW FIRMS

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To Select:

- \* Five Qualifying Teams to represent India in the SAARC Mooting Competition & Conference which is to be held from 10<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> February, 2017.
- \* Winners for SILF-MILAT Best Law Student (Female & Male) Award comprising Fully-Sponsored Fellowships for pursuing LL.M. at Pennsylvania State University, School of Law, U.S.A.









#### **Objective and Initiative**



Menon Institute of Legal Advocacy and Training (MILAT), Lloyd Law College and Society of Indian Law Firms (SILF) are delighted to announce the Second Prof. N R Madhava Menon SAARC Mooting Competition & Law Students Conference, which is an initiative to inspire and encourage interaction and cooperation among the law students of SAARC countries, for mutual benefit in legal education, and also to broaden the horizons of students and their receptivity to each others' legal systems.

#### Second Prof. N R Madhava Menon National Mooting Competition

The Second Prof. N R Madhava Menon National Mooting Competition will be held from 3rd to 4th December, 2016 at Lloyd Law College, Greater Noida. This will be in preparation for the Second Prof. N R Madhava Menon SAARC Mooting Competition & Law Students Conference which will be a SAARC level competition to be held from 10th to 12th February, 2017 wherein all eight SAARC nations shall compete to decide the SAARC Winner.

#### Pennsylvania University Fellowship for Best Student Awardees

Under an MOU between SILF-MILAT and Penn State University Law School, USA, the two Best Law Student Awardees each year beginning 2017 will be offered admission and fellowship provided the Awardees are graduating LL.B. in the same year. As the Awardees will be chosen from the five teams selected at the National Round of the Prof. N. R. Madhava Menon SAARC Mooting Competition scheduled at Lloyd Law

College from 3rd to 4th December, 2016, law schools participating are to note that though they are free to choose their teams from any of the LL.B. classes, only those who are completing LL.B. Degree in 2017 and winning the Best Law Student Award alone will be eligible for the Penn State Law Fellowship.

Distinguished Legal Luminaries at the First Prof. N. R. Madhava Menon SAARC Mooting Competition & Law Students Conference - 2016



Hon'ble Mr. Justice Anil R. Dave Supreme Court of India



**Hon'ble Mr. Justice Dipak Misra** Supreme Court of India



Hon'ble Mr. Justice B. S. Chauhan Chairman, Law Commission of India

Hon'ble Judges from Delhi High Court who judged Finals of SAARC Round in 2016

Hon'ble Mr. Justice Jayant Nath High Court of Delhi **Hon'ble Mr. Justice Najmi Waziri** High Court of Delhi

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## Report of the First Prof. N R Madhava Menon SAARC Mooting Competition & Law Students Conference - 2015-16

#### National Round (India) - 2015

The National Round of the First Prof. N R Madhava Menon SAARC Mooting Competition and Law Students Conference – 2016 was held from 9th to 10th January, 2016 to select qualifying teams from India for participation in the SAARC Round. It saw participation from 28 teams from almost all states in India representing National Law Universities, Central & State Universities and other leading law colleges. The competition was inaugurated by the gracious hands of Hon'ble Mr. Justice Anil R. Dave, Supreme Court of India in presence of Prof. N. R. Madhava Menon. The Indian Round tested participants on various aspects of Social Justice, Right to Privacy and constitutionality of UID law and scheme. The memorandum of pleadings submitted by the teams has been compiled into a compendium of suggestions for presentation to the Supreme Court of India for its consideration.

#### SAARC Round - 2016

The SAARC Round of the First Prof. N. R. Madhava Menon SAARC Mooting Competition and Law Students Conference – 2016 was held from 3rd to 6th March, 2016. A National Administrator representing each SAARC country was present to witness the conduct of competition. 14 teams from leading universities from SAARC nations participated in the competition. The SAARC Round tested participants on various aspects of international law including environmental law, law relating to refugees and diplomatic immunity. The final round was judged by 5 sitting judges of the Hon'ble High Court of Delhi. The bench comprised of Hon'ble Mr. Justice Jayant Nath, Hon'ble Mr. Justice Najmi Waziri, Hon'ble Mr. Justice Vibhu Bakhru, Hon'ble Mr. Justice I. S. Mehta and Hon'ble Ms. Justice Sangita Dhingra Sehgal. After a stimulating session of mooting before the judges, Gujarat National Law University was adjudged the SAARC Winner.