





LEGAL AID COMMITTEE TAMIL NADU NATIONAL LAW UNIVERSITY

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LA FESTO

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ABOUT TNNLU



The Tamil Nadu National Law University (TNNLU), Tiruchirappalli, located in Srirangam Taluk of the Tiruchirappalli District was established by the Government of Tamil Nadu under the Tamil Nadu Act No. 9 of 2012 to provide quality legal education. TNNLU commenced functioning in the academic year 2013-2014.

It offers two five-year integrated undergraduate programmes viz. B.A. LL.B(Hons.) & B.Com. LL.B.(Hons.) and three One Year LL.M. Programmes viz. LL.M. (Corporate and Securities Laws), LL.M. (Intellectual Property Laws) and LL.M. (Natural Resources Law). The University also offers a Doctoral Programme in Law.

The University Grants Commission (UGC) has recognized and approved TNNLU under Sections 2(f) and 12B of the UGC Act, 1956. TNNLU is recognized by the Bar Council of India (BCI). TNNLU aims to develop a sense of responsibility to society among the students and faculty through the study of law.

ABOUT LAC



The Legal Aid Committee at TNNLU was formed in the year 2014. The objective of this committee is to create legal awareness among the general public while facilitating the interaction of students with the community.

The committee aims to create awareness and educate different sections of society about various legislations, policies, rules, and regulations.

To achieve its aims and objectives, the committee undertakes various initiatives which includes Legal Awareness Campaigns in nearby villages, schools, and colleges.

The committee also runs a Legal Aid Clinic constituted under the aegis of the Legal Service Authorities Act, 1987.



ABOUT LA FESTO

La festo is a flagship initiative of the Legal Aid Committee of TNNLU to educate and inspire the students of law institutions to provide free legal aid and assistance to the people in need. Since 2016, it has grown into a dynamic platform merging legal insight with practical impact.

This year the Legal Aid Committee is expanding the horizon of Lafesto by opening the doors to young minds from other disciplines of higher education in an attempt to make them aware of their legal rights in order to equip them to promote further legal awareness.

La Festo-4th Edition unfolds on September 28th and 29th, 2024 featuring thought- captivating competitions and a panel discussion. The objective is to facilitate insightful conversations on contemporary legal issues amongst the participants and foster societal change.





COMPETITIONS

Engage in thrilling competitions that showcase your legal skills and creativity

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EYALVATHU KARAVEL (CREATE LEGAL AWARENESS)

This event focuses on creating legal awareness and empowering the residents of La Festo Village (a mock village). The participating teams shall take a stroll through La Festo Village where they shall explore crafted scenarios, engage with residents and uncover legal issues!

After interacting with the residents, teams will conduct a legal awareness program on the identified legal issues and shall provide legal advice on those issues to the residents. Further, the participants shall draft petitions in the regard.

Teams shall be evaluated on the effectiveness of the legal awareness program and the quality and accuracy of petitions drafted.

Medium of the competiton shall be English.

Eligibility

1. Team Composition:

- 5 members.
- 2. Who can Register?
- Undergraduate and Postgraduate students from any recognized Indian educational institution.

3. Team Limit:

 Each institution can register up to two teams.

Time Limit

- Interaction with Residents: 30 minutes.
- Awareness Program:
 15 minutes.
- Petition Drafting: 30 minutes.



THERU KOOTHU (STREET PLAY/NUKKAD NAATAK)

Theru Koothu (Street Play) sets up a grand stage for teams to showcase their ability to provide legal awareness by creatively incorporating singing, dancing, poetry and other theatrical skills.

Theru koothu as the name suggests shall be organised in an open space and no audio systems will be provided.

Performances shall be in Tamil, English or Hindi. Themes for the event shall be **Right to Education**, **Women Empowerment**, **Voter's Rights**, **Cyber Security**.

Eligibility

1. Team Composition:

- 5 to 7 members
- 2. Who can Register
- Undergraduate and
 Postgraduate students
 from any recognized Indian
 educational institution.

3. Team Limit:

 Each institution can register up to two teams.

Time Limit

Maximum time of 15 minutes.



PLAN PANNI PANNANUM (POSTER PRESENTATION COMPETITION)

The event aims to identify key challenges faced by Legal Aid Committees in providing legal aid and promoting legal awareness by proposing an action plan that addresses these issues through innovative solutions.

Each team shall submit an abstract of their action plan outlining the challenges identified and proposed solutions. Selected abstracts shall be published as a book and launched during the Inaugural event. The abstract shall not exceed 250 words. Further, the selected teams shall present their action plan as a poster/ 3D Model during the competition in the Expo set up for the purpose.

Eligibility

1. Team Composition:

- Each team shall consist of a minimum of 2 and maximum of 4 members.
- 2. Who can Register?
- Undergraduate and
 Postgraduate students from any recognized Indian educational institution.
- 3. Team Limit:
- Each institution can register up to two teams.

 The last date for submission of the abstract shall be on or before 11:59 p.m. on 25th September 2024.



VAAYAI MOODI PESAVUM (MIME)

In this competition, creativity and expression take center stage as participants translate complex legal concepts into compelling, wordless stories. The participants are required to prepare and perform a short mime.

This provides an opportunity to the participants to showcase their creativity and celebrates the intersection of law and artistic expression. No dialogues or verbal communication is permitted. Themes for the event shall be *Right to Education*, *Women Empowerment*, *Voter's Rights*, *Cyber Security*, *Consumer Protection*, *Environmental Protection*, *Anti-Corruption*.

Eligibility

1. Team Composition:

- Each team can have 5 to 7 members.
- 2. Who can Register?
- Undergraduate and Postgraduate students from any recognized Indian educational institution.

3. Team Limit:

 Each institution can register up to two teams.

Time Limit

Each team will have 5
to 7 minutes to
perform.



LIGHTS, LAW AND ACTION!

In this event, the participants are presented with clips from a selection of popular movies, each highlighting a different legal issue. Task of the participant is to identify the legal concepts at play in each scene.

This is a unique opportunity to see how the laws we study and apply every day are portrayed on the big screen. Participants will not only enjoy revisiting some of their favorite movie moments, but they'll also sharpen their legal acumen in the process.

Eligibility

1. Team Composition:

- · Individual event
- 2. Who can Register?
- Undergraduate and
 Postgraduate students from any recognized Indian educational institution.

3. Team Limit

 No cap on the number of participants from single educational institution

Time Limit

Duration: 30 minutes.







Learn from legal experts and enrich in legal awareness

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PANEL DISCUSSION

The La Festo- 4th Edition shall conclude with an insightful and enriching Panel Discussion wherein various renowned scholars in the field of law and legal aid, shall delineate the challenges encountered by the Legal Aid Clinics and explore the possible solutions to overcome the identified challenges.

The Panel discussion shall be open to all students currently pursuing Undergraduate or Postgraduate degree programs in any recognised Educational Institution within India.

The participants of the panel discussion shall be awarded with a certificate, acknowledging their participation.



"Evaluating the need for Legal Aid as a Clinical Course in the Indian Legal Education Curriculum."



REGISTRATION DETAILS

Book your spot and stand a chance to win cash prizes while spreading legal awareness

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REGISTRATION LINKS

COMPETITION	LINK
EYALVATHU KARAVEL (CREATE LEGAL AWARENESS)	https://forms.gle/6gyBZX1EjE97 d1M2A
THERUKOOTHU (STREET PLAY)	https://forms.gle/VEW1h6GKyEz 4TChC8
PLAN PANNI PANNANUM (POSTER PRESENTATION COMPETITION)	https://forms.gle/cynJwu51ug5L qR399
VAAYAI MOODI PESAVUM (MIME)	https://forms.gle/LfHEUzfxvyusV 1p4A
LIGHTS, LAW AND ACTION	https://forms.gle/eNPoBDZ84Fs 4eV4c9
PANEL DISCUSSION	https://forms.gle/4nk1Jg8swAY8a5L y8 (Participants who have registered for at least one of the competitions are exempted from the payment of registration fee for panel discussion.)

Note: The Last date for Registration is 20.09.2024 (11:59 pm)

PAYMENT DETAILS

NAME OF THE ACCOUNT: LEGAL AID COMMITTEE TNNLU **BANK NAME: UCO BANK ACCOUNT NUMBER:** 30030110011935 **BRANCH AND ADDRESS:** TNNLS BRANCH, NAVALURKUTTAPATTU, TRICHY -27 IFSC CODE: UCBA0003003 MISCR:

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REGISTRATION FEES

EVENTS	FEES
EYALVATHU KARAVEL (CREATE LEGAL AWARENESS)	Rs. 2000/-
THERUKOOTHU (STREET PLAY/NUKKAD NATTAK)	Rs. 2000/-
VAAYAI MOODI PESAVUM (MIME)	Rs. 2000/-
PLAN PANNI PANNANUM (POSTER PRESENTATION COMPETITION)	Rs. 500/-
LAW LIGHTS AND ACTION	Rs. 500/-

CASH PRIZES

EVENTS	PRIZE
EYALVATHU KARAVEL (CREATE LEGAL AWARENESS)	Winners: Rs. 7,000/- Runners Up: Rs. 5,000/-
THERUKOOTHU (STREET PLAY/NUKKAD NATTAK)	Winners: Rs. 7,000/- Runners Up: Rs. 5,000/-
PLAN PANNI PANNANUM (POSTER PRESENTATION COMPETITION)	Winners: 2,000/- Runners: 1,000/-
VAAYAI MOODI PESAVUM (MIME)	Winners: 5,000/- Runners Up: 3,000/-
LAW, LIGHTS AND ACTION	Winners: 2,000/- Runners Up: 1,000/-

INSTRUCTIONS

- The Registration fee paid for the competition(s)/ event(s) shall include food and refreshments.
- The Participants shall attach the screenshot of the payment receipt of the Registration fee in the Google form provided for the registration.
- Accommodation shall be provided to participants on request and subject to the availability and payment of accommodation fees.
- The Organising Committee shall reach out to the participants who have opted for accommodation with further details.
- The decision of the Organising Committee shall be final and binding on all matters concerning the competition(s)/event. The participants shall abide by all the rules and regulations of the University during the course of the competition/ event.



REACH OUT TO US

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