



# SULTAN-UL-ULOOM COLLEGE OF LAW

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## AMJAD ALI KHAN MEMORIAL

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### MOOT COURT COMPETITION 2026

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16<sup>th</sup> - 18<sup>th</sup>  
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## ABOUT THE SULTAN-UL -ULOOM EDUCATION SOCIETY



The Sultan-ul-Uloom Education Society was established in the year 1980, with a philanthropic conviction of imparting high quality education to the students at different levels. It is a premier Education Society with a venerable legacy and undeniable acclaim for the highest academic standards, diverse educational and research programs, distinguished faculty, illustrious alumni, modern infrastructure and a beautifully landscaped lush green campus. This is a Muslim Minority institution set up to promote General, Modern, Scientific and Technical education including Medical, Dental, Engineering, Pharmacy, Legal, Business Administration, Bio- Technology, Journalism, Physical Education, Vocational Training, distance Learning, all Paramedical and allied Health Science like Nursing, Physiotherapy, Health Care, Laboratory Technician course and to help develop the Character of the younger generation of all castes, communities and religions in general and of Muslims in Particulars.

The Society was founded on the rich tradition of culture, enterprise and sound values, characteristic of its three visionary founding members, each an accomplished and successful individual in his own right. Late Shri Syed Amjad Ali Khan, I.A.S, Chairman of the Society, was a distinguished Civil servant. He held several important and coveted posts in Government of A.P., like the Secretary to Government, Revenue and Health Housing and Municipal Administration. He also served as the Chairman of A.P. Housing Board. Late Shri Ghulam Ahmed, Hon. Secretary, was the Chairman of the A.P. Public Service Commission. He was a distinguished sportsman, and served as the Captain of the Indian Cricket Team. After his retirement, he served for many years as the secretary of BCCI and the Chairman of the Hyderabad Race Club. Late Shri. Nizamuddin Ahmed was a distinguished bureaucrat of the Maharashtra cadre. He served in several important positions including the Principal Secretary, Department of Health, Government of Maharashtra.

Sultan-ul-Uloom Education Society established in 1980, is performing a vital service to students. A strong commitment to excellence in teaching, research and social outreach has made the Society a role model and trend setter for others to follow. Its long- term commitment of imparting quality education and unflinching adherence to universal human values are reflected in its motto: LIGHTED TO ENLIGHTEN. The first institution to be established by the SUES was the Sultan-ul-Uloom Public School in the year 1980, then came the Muffakhm Jah College of Engineering & Technology, followed by Ghulam Ahmed College of Education, Sultan-ul-Uloom College of Law, Amjad Ali Khan College of Business Administration, Sultan-ul-Uloom College of Pharmacy and Sultan-ul-Uloom Junior College. Post graduate courses are offered in all the professional colleges of the campus.

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# ABOUT THE SULTAN-UL-ULOOM COLLEGE OF LAW

The Sultan-Ul-Uloom College of Law was established in the year 1989. It has made a mark as a premier Law College and has successfully completed more than three decades in educating young law aspirants. The college is located in a campus spread over 25 acres of greenery . It is also centrally located, making it easily accessible to all. Our faculty comprises of highly qualified and experienced legal experts who are dedicated to providing quality legal education to our students. We offer **5 years B.A. LL.B, B.B.A LL.B, 3 years LL.B and LLM in Corporate Law and Constitutional Law**. Our state-of-the-art campus provides a vibrant learning environment that encourages critical thinking, intellectual curiosity and collaboration. We have modern facilities such as a well-stocked library and subscription to legal databases such as LexisNexis, Moot Courtrooms and other resources that enable students to apply their theoretical knowledge to real-life situations.

Beyond the classroom, Sultan-Ul-Uloom College of Law fosters practical excellence through a variety of initiatives-ranging from Mediation Competitions and Crime Scene Investigation Competitions; Moot Court to ADR simulations, academic seminars such as LawTech Seminar and student presentations on contemporary legal issues. The college provides practical exposure by taking students for Court Visits, Observation Homes and Jail Visits. Sultan-UI-Uloom College of Law established a Free Legal Aid Centre in the year 2022 under the aegis of Sultan-Ul-Uloom Education Society at Masab Tank, First Lancer. The Centre has a full time Counsellor, an Advocate who is appointed to provide free legal advice to the poor and needy. The Alumni of Sultan-Ul-Uloom-College have made significant contributions to the Indian Legal System with an unparalleled excellence across the public sector, Judiciary and the highest levels of Legal and Corporate Practice.







# INVITATION

## *By the Principal*

Dear Participants and Legal Enthusiasts,

It is with immense pride and a deep sense of responsibility that I welcome you to the Amjad Ali Khan Memorial Moot Court Competition 2026. As Principal of Sultan-Ul-Uloom College of Law, I am pleased to see our institution serve as a gathering point for the generation's most disciplined and promising Legal minds across the country. The practice of law demands more than mere academic proficiency, it requires the nuanced ability to translate complex theory into persuasive, practical application. This competition is designed to bridge that gap, offering a rigorous platform for students to experience the exigencies of the legal profession. It is an unparalleled opportunity to refine advocacy skills, deepen jurisprudential understanding, and cultivate the critical thinking necessary to excel in an increasingly complex legal landscape.

I encourage you to embrace this challenge with enthusiasm, recognizing that the insights gained here, regardless of the competitive outcome, are foundational to your development as future leaders of the Bar and Bench. To the participants, I wish you a rewarding experience marked by spirited debate and professional decorum.

May your dedication to law and the pursuit of excellence guide your endeavors.

**Dr. V. Geeta Rao**

Principal

Sultan-Ul-Uloom College of Law



# EVENT TIMELINE

Commencement of  
registration  
17<sup>th</sup> February, 2026

Early Bird Registration  
Deadline  
15<sup>th</sup> March, 2026

Registration Deadline  
29<sup>th</sup> March, 2026

Memorial Submission  
(Soft Copy) Deadline  
5<sup>th</sup> April, 2026

Memorial Submission  
(Hard Copy) Deadline  
11<sup>th</sup> April, 2026

Researchers' Test  
16<sup>th</sup> April, 2026

Preliminary Rounds  
16<sup>th</sup> April, 2026

Quarter and Semi-Final  
Rounds  
17<sup>th</sup> April, 2026

Final Round  
18<sup>th</sup> April, 2026

Price Distribution and  
Valedictory Ceremony  
18<sup>th</sup> April, 2026



# ABOUT THE MOOT COURT COMPETITION

Amjad Ali Khan Memorial Moot Court Competition to be held on the 16<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup> of April, 2026 is being organized by the Sultan-Ul-Uloom College of Law. This event is designed to offer participants a transformative learning experience centered on the mastery of legal advocacy. By simulating a realistic courtroom environment, the competition enables students to sharpen their analytical research and oral arguments while building the professional confidence necessary for a successful legal career. The Amjad Ali Khan Memorial Moot Court Competition serves as a vital bridge between academic theory and the realities of practice, challenging students to master complex research and the art of persuasive drafting under the pressure of tight deadlines. Mooting demands a high level of mental agility, requiring participants to maintain their composure and adapt their arguments in real-time while being grilled by a panel of judges. This experience provides an invaluable introduction to the nuances of professional decorum and courtroom etiquette that simply cannot be taught in a lecture hall. It builds the kind of practical confidence and resilience that defines a successful advocate.

Guided by experienced faculty and a streamlined organizing committee, the event continues to expand its reach and academic depth. By providing students with enhanced learning opportunities and professional networking, we continue to reinforce our dedication to nurture skilled legal professionals through hands-on experience and academic excellence. This year's proposition challenges participants to navigate the complexities of Public International Law, where state sovereignty meets global accountability. By engaging with issues of international responsibility and treaty frameworks, students transcend domestic boundaries to master the laws governing the global order.





# RULES OF THE COMPETITION

## Eligibility

Students pursuing 5 year or 3 year courses of LL.B Degree in this academic year from any recognized Law School/College/University in India, are eligible to register for the competition.

## Team Composition:

The participating team shall consist of 3 members. Two speakers and one designated Researcher.

Each team will be given a team code. Teams shall not disclose their identity or that of their institution during the competition rounds. Such disclosures shall lead to disqualification. The decision in this regard by the Moot Organizing Committee shall be final.

**No additional members are allowed to accompany the team.**

## Language:

The Competition will be held in English Language.

## Dress Code:

The participants shall adhere to following dress code during the Competition:

- a) **Girls:** Black salwar and white kurta or white shirt and black trousers along with black blazer and black shoes.
- b) **Boys:** White shirt, black trousers and black tie along with black blazer and black shoes.

The participating teams shall also adhere to the above mentioned dress code while attending the inaugural and valedictory ceremonies of the Competition. The aforesaid uniform must not bear any sign, identification mark or logo of any institution, college or university and violation of the same shall cause immediate disqualification.



# Memorial Guidelines

- The memorials must confirm with the below specifications, the failure to which will attract negative marking.
- Memorials must not exceed **40 pages**.
- Soft copies of memorials shall be mailed to ***Sucl.mootcourts@gmail.com*** on or before **5<sup>th</sup> April, 2026**.
- Hard copies of written memorials shall be submitted to **Sultan-Ul-Uloom College of Law, "Mount Pleasant" , 8-2-249 to 267, Road no.3, Banjara Hills, Hyderabad - 500 034, T.S.** on or before **11th April, 2026**.
- Cover page for Applicant must be blue in colour
- Cover page for Respondent, it shall be red in colour.

## Memorial must contain:

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|------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|
| 1. Cover Page                | 7. Issues raised                          |
| 2. Table of Contents         | 8. Questions of Law /Summary of Arguments |
| 3. List of Abbreviations     | 9. Arguments Advanced                     |
| 4. Index of Authorities      | 10. Prayer                                |
| 5. Statement of Jurisdiction |                                           |
| 6. Statement of Facts        |                                           |



### Memorial Formatting Specifications:

1. Memorial must be typed on A4 size page, with page numbers at the bottom.
2. Font (General) : Times New Roman, 12 pts.
3. Line Spacing (General) : 1.5 pts.
4. Font (Footnotes) : Times New Roman, 10 pts.
5. Line Spacing (Footnotes) : 1 pt.
6. Page Margins: 1 inch on all sides

### Marking Criteria for Memorial

| Criteria                       | Marks |
|--------------------------------|-------|
| Clarity And Organization       | 20    |
| Knowledge of Law and facts     | 20    |
| Proper And Articulate Analysis | 20    |
| Correct Format and Citation    | 20    |
| Use of Research                | 20    |
| TOTAL                          | 100   |

The team code must be ascribed on the top right corner of the cover page. Unique team codes shall be intimated to participants through email on or before 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2026 .



# Oral Rounds

## Preliminary Round:

- a) Each team will get a total of **30 (thirty) minutes** to present their case.
- b) One speaker shall not use more than **10 (ten) minutes** of the total time.
- c) Each team shall get **5 minutes** for rebuttal and **5 minutes** for surrebuttal.

*Top 8 teams from preliminary rounds will be selected for Quarter Final Round.*

## Quarter Final Round:

- a) Each team will get a total of **40 (forty) minutes** to present their case.
- b) One speaker shall not use more than **15 (fifteen) minutes** of the total time.
- c) Each team shall get **5 minutes** for rebuttal and **5 minutes** for surrebuttal.

*Top 4 teams from preliminary rounds will be selected for Semi Final Round.*



### **Semi-Final Round:**

- a) Each team will get a total of **40 (forty) minutes** to present their case.
- b) One speaker shall not use more than **15 (fifteen) minutes** of the total time.
- c) Each team shall get **5 minutes** for rebuttal and **5 minutes** for surrebuttal.
- d) This will be a *knockout round*.

### **Final Round:**

- a) Each team will get a total of **40 (forty) minutes** to present their case.
- b) One speaker shall not use more than **15 (fifteen) minutes** of the total time.
- c) Each team shall get **5 minutes** for rebuttal and **5 minutes** for surrebuttal.

### **Maximum Time Alloted:**

The maximum time provided would include the time that each team reserves for their rebuttal and surrebuttal. At the commencement of each session the team shall notify the Court Officer as to the division of time between the 2 speakers.



### Marking Criteria for Oral Rounds:

| Criteria                                            | Marks |
|-----------------------------------------------------|-------|
| Allotted Preparation and Familiarity with the facts | 20    |
| Knowledge & Application of Law                      | 20    |
| Responsiveness to questions                         | 20    |
| Persuasiveness and Advocacy                         | 20    |
| Organization, Presentation, Courtroom Etiquette     | 20    |
| TOTAL                                               | 100   |

### Scouting:

Teams shall not be allowed to observe the orals of another team, unless they have been officially knockedout of the competition. Scouting of any manner is strictly prohibited and anyone indulging shall be disqualified from further participating in the competition.

# Researchers' Test

- The Researchers' Test shall be conducted on **16/04/2026**.
- The format of the test shall be based on MCQs.
- Every Team member designated as a Researcher has to be present at the time of the Researchers' Test.
- Questions for the Researchers Test will be formulated based on the factual circumstances of the Moot Proposition, as well as relevant legal principles and statutes.
- The duration of the test will be **30 minutes**.
- In the event of a tie, the score of the memorials will be used to ascertain the “Best Researcher”.

## **Miscellaneous:**

- It is advised not to use AI for drafting memorials. If the use of AI is detected, marks will be deducted accordingly.
- By registering, teams agree to abide by all rules and regulations of the competition.

## **Anonymity:**

The participating team shall be allotted a unique team code upon final registration. The team shall not disclose their identity anywhere in their written memorials and should necessarily use the code allotted. Disclosing the same shall result in immediate disqualification of the team. The decision of the Organizing Committee in this regard shall be final.



# MOOT PROPOSITION

The Republic of Surya Desh and the Republic of Sindh Desh are sovereign States and Members of the United Nations. Both States are parties to the Vienna Convention on Consular Relations, 1963, the Optional Protocol to the Vienna Convention on Consular Relations concerning the Compulsory Settlement of Disputes and the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights 1966. Mrs. Kavya Menon, aged 38 years, is a citizen of the Republic of Surya Desh. She is a professionally qualified nurse with over twelve years of experience in critical care and geriatric nursing. In May 2020, during the peak of the COVID-19 pandemic, her husband succumbed to complications arising from the virus while employed as a frontline sanitation worker. His death left Mrs. Menon widowed and solely responsible for the care of her two minor children and aged parents, all residing in the State of Kerala, Surya Desh.

In 2021, to meet the family's mounting medical and educational expenses, she accepted lawful employment as a senior nurse at a private healthcare provider in Dubai, United Arab Emirates. In January 2022, her employer officially nominated her to attend an International Nursing Leadership Seminar and Healthcare Safety Conference in Sindh Desh. She travelled with valid travel documents, a formal invitation and written authorization from her employer. During the conference, Sindh Desh authorities arrested Mrs. Menon. Her electronic devices were seized, communication with her family and employer was blocked and she was held in undisclosed locations. Her parents, alarmed by her sudden disappearance, informed the local police in Kerala and then approached the Ministry of External Affairs of Surya Desh.



In June 2022, Sindh Desh publicly announced in the media that Mrs. Menon had been arrested on allegations of espionage and activities prejudicial to national security, claiming that she had collected sensitive procedural information under the guise of attending the healthcare conference. Surya Desh immediately sought consular access under Article 36 of the Vienna Convention on Consular Relations 1963 and requested details on the charges, legal proceedings and her health status. But Sindh Desh refused access, citing national security concerns and ongoing investigations. In April 2023, Sindh Desh publicly announced that Mrs. Menon had been tried by a military tribunal, convicted and sentenced to death, without notifying the authorities of Surya Desh or granting access to its consular representatives.

The Ministry of External Affairs of the Republic of Surya Desh submitted requests for review and clemency through diplomatic channels following the conviction and death sentence of Mrs. Kavya Menon. Sindh Desh responded that any execution would be carried out only after completion of its statutory clemency procedures. Surya Desh contends that these remedies are illusory and ineffective, given the persistent denial of consular access, the lack of transparency in the military proceedings, and the secretive nature of the trial, to prevent execution and safeguard its rights pending a final decision. Surya Desh further argues that the denial of consular access and absence of meaningful remedies constitute ongoing violations of international law.

The Republic of Sindh Desh contests these claims, asserting that Mrs. Menon was lawfully arrested, tried, and convicted for espionage and activities prejudicial to national security. Sindh Desh maintains that in cases involving serious threats to national security, reasonable restrictions on consular access are permissible under international law and do not violate the Vienna Convention.



It further contends that the military tribunal acted in accordance with domestic law, competent counsel was provided, evidence was duly examined, and appellate review and clemency mechanisms were available and invoked. The matter is now posted for hearing before the International Court of Justice.

**ISSUES FOR CONSIDERATION :**

1. Whether the proceedings instituted by the Republic of Surya Desh before the International Court of Justice is maintainable?
2. Whether the Republic of Sindh Desh has violated Article 36 of the Vienna Convention on Consular Relations, 1963?
3. Whether allegations of espionage, national security or internal threats justify derogation from obligations under the Vienna Convention and International law?
4. Whether the exercise of jurisdiction by the military court over Mrs. Kavya Menon with the imposition of the death sentence violates the right to fair trial under International law ?

**INSTRUCTIONS TO PARTICIPANTS :**

1. The laws of the Republic of Surya Desh and the Republic of Sindh Desh shall be assumed to be pari materia with the laws of India.
2. Both States are sovereign, independent members of the United Nations and parties to the Vienna Convention on Consular Relations, 1963, the Optional Protocol concerning the Compulsory Settlement of Disputes, and the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights
3. The facts stated in the Moot Proposition are final and exhaustive, and no additional facts may be introduced.
4. Participants shall prepare memorials for both i.e, the Applicant (Republic of Surya Desh) and the Respondent (Republic of Sindh Desh), confining arguments strictly to the issues framed above.

**Disclaimer:**

This moot proposition is a purely fictional academic exercise. Any resemblance to real persons, States, or Events is purely coincidental. The Organizing Committee reserves the right to alter, amend, modify or repeal any provision of the rules and regulations of the competition if required and as they deem fit. Any such changes shall be made in the interest of fairness, clarity or smooth conduct of the competition and no objections shall be entertained in this regard.



# AWARDS AND PRIZES

## CASH PRIZE

**Winning Team: ₹25,000/- cash prize,  
certificate of excellence and trophy**

**Runner Up Team: ₹15,000/- cash prize, certificate  
of excellence and trophy**



## Additional Awards

***Best Speaker  
(Female)***

₹6000/- Cash  
Prize  
Certificate and  
Trophy

***Best Speaker  
(Male)***

₹6000/- Cash  
Prize  
Certificate and  
Trophy

***Best Memorial***

₹6000/- Cash  
Prize  
Certificate and  
Trophy

***Best Researcher***

₹5000/- Cash  
Prize  
Certificate and  
Trophy

# REGISTRATION

- All teams wishing to participate in the competition shall complete the official Google registration form here:

<https://forms.gle/YkHverZ8d7EqPkh09>.

- **Early Bird Registration** - ₹3000/- on or before 15-03-2026.
- **Late Registration** - ₹3500/- on or before 29-03-2026.
- No spot registrations will be accepted.
- A confirmation email will be sent upon successful registration. Once confirmed, registration fees are non-refundable.
- Registration shall be deemed null and void in the absence of Registration Letter signed by the college.
- Details for Speaker 1, Speaker 2, and the Researcher must be provided at the time of registration.
- Participants must follow all the rules outlined above and failure to do so may result in automatic cancellation of their registration and any subsequent claims relating to this will not be condoned.
- No Accommodation will be provided.
- For any queries about registrations, please contact:

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# GLIMPSES INTO OUR PREVIOUS EVENTS









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