



ALL INDIA LAW
STUDENTS FORUM

1ST BASANT KUMAR JAGGI ONLINE MEDIATION COMPETITION

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IN ASSOCIATION WITH



ABOUT AILSF

All India Law Students Forum (AILSF) is a student-driven national platform dedicated to empowering India's future legal professionals with skills, guidance and opportunities. AILSF aims to bridge the gap between legal education and professional practice by creating meaningful opportunities for law students to learn beyond the classroom. Through skill-based workshops, national-level competitions, interactive events, career guidance, research initiatives and professional development programmes, the Forum encourages students to build both legal knowledge and practical competence.

The Forum provides a platform for students to engage with contemporary legal issues, develop essential professional skills and connect with fellow students, mentors and members of the legal fraternity. Its activities include workshops on legal drafting, mooted and research, webinars, panel discussions, case-study competitions, academic conferences and career-oriented initiatives. AILSF believes that legal education must extend beyond textbooks and examinations. By promoting learning, collaboration, leadership and continuous development, it seeks to nurture confident, capable and socially responsible future members of the legal profession.

ABOUT TRIPLE J

Jaggi Jaggi & Jaggi International Attorneys-at-Law is a distinguished legal practice with a legacy dating back to 1923. Founded by Mr. Basant Kumar Jaggi, the Firm has evolved across generations while maintaining a strong commitment to professional excellence, integrity and client service.

Known as “Triple J,” the Firm has been functioning in its present form since 2006 and is presently headed by Mr. Navin Kumar Jaggi. Its legal practice spans the Supreme Court of India, High Courts, Tribunals and other judicial and quasi-judicial bodies.

The Firm advises domestic and international clients across diverse areas including commercial and corporate law, intellectual property, taxation, insurance, finance, business immigration, litigation and Alternative Dispute Resolution, alongside family, criminal and property matters.

With generations of experience and a contemporary approach to legal practice, Jaggi Jaggi & Jaggi continues its longstanding tradition of professional excellence and dedicated client service.

ABOUT THE COMPETITION

The **1st Basant Kumar Jaggi Memorial National Online Mediation Competition 2026**, organised by the All India Law Students Forum (AILSF), is a national-level platform that gives law students practical exposure to mediation and dispute resolution. Through the roles of Mediator, Counsel and Client, participants develop essential skills in negotiation, communication, active listening and problem-solving.

The Competition is being organised in honour and remembrance of **Late Mr. Basant Kumar Jaggi**, whose enduring contribution to the legal profession continues to inspire generations. Through this initiative, we seek to commemorate his legacy and uphold the values of professionalism, integrity and excellence in law.

The Competition is designed as a learning-oriented experience, combining competitive rounds with structured preparation. Registered participants will receive a Complimentary Mediation Training Programme, including specialised sessions designed for Mediators, Counsels and Clients, enabling students to understand their respective roles before entering the competition.

Throughout the Competition, participants will have the opportunity to develop and demonstrate skills in communication, negotiation, active listening, problem-solving, client counselling, strategic thinking, ethical decision-making and emotional intelligence.

COMPETITION FORMAT

The Competition follows a progressive knockout structure, allowing teams to advance through successive rounds based on their performance.

PRELIMINARY ROUND

All registered teams participate. Cumulative scores determine qualification for the next stage.

QUARTER FINALS

Top 8 Teams advance to the Quarter Finals.

SEMI FINALS

Top 4 Teams compete for a place in the Final.

GRAND FINAL

Top 2 Teams compete for the title of the Competition.

THREE ROLES. ONE DISPUTE. ONE GOAL - RESOLUTION.

WHY PARTICIPATE?



WIN CASH PRIZES

Compete for ₹25,000 in total cash prizes across multiple categories.



GET FREE MEDIATION TRAINING

Learn the fundamentals of mediation through complimentary expert-led training before the competition.



GAIN PRACTICAL EXPERIENCE

Experience real-world dispute resolution through the roles of Mediator, Counsel and Client.



ADD TO YOUR CV

Earn certificates and merit recognition while demonstrating practical skills in mediation and negotiation.



COMPETE INTERNATIONALLY

Test your skills against law students from across the globe and gain international-level exposure.

LEARN. COMPETE. GET RECOGNISED.

ELIGIBILITY & TEAM FORMATION

The Competition is open to bona fide undergraduate law students in India pursuing either a 5-year integrated law programme or a 3-year LL.B. programme recognised by the Bar Council of India or the competent statutory authority.

Each team shall consist of three participants, comprising:

01 — MEDIATOR

Responsible for facilitating communication and assisting the parties towards resolution.

02 — COUNSEL

Represents and advises the party during the mediation.

03 — CLIENT

Presents the party's interests, concerns and objectives in the dispute.

Teams may be cross-institutional, and a maximum of three teams from the same institution may participate.

Official Language: English

COMPLIMENTARY TRAINING PROGRAMME

Every registered participant will receive access to a Complimentary Mediation Training Programme conducted approximately one week before the Competition. The training is designed to familiarise participants with the fundamentals of mediation and prepare them for their respective roles.

ROLE-BASED TRAINING

MEDIATOR

Understanding neutrality, communication, facilitation and caucusing.

COUNSEL

Understanding negotiation strategy, advocacy and client representation.

CLIENT

Understanding interests, communication and effective participation in mediation.

The programme ensures that participants enter the Competition with a stronger understanding of the process, roles and skills involved in mediation.

EVALUATION CRITERIA

The Competition evaluates both the Mediator and the Negotiating Pair on their ability to effectively navigate the mediation process.

MEDIATOR — 100 MARKS

Opening Statement — 20

Communication & Neutrality — 20

Application of Mediation Techniques — 20

Joint Sessions & Private Caucus — 20

Facilitation of Settlement & Closing Statement — 20

NEGOTIATING PAIR — 100 MARKS

Opening Statement — 20

Negotiation Skills — 20

Problem Solving & Creativity — 20

Strategic Approach — 20

Team Coordination & Closing Statement — 20

The evaluation focuses on effective communication, strategic negotiation, problem-solving, professionalism and the ability to facilitate or contribute towards a meaningful resolution.

AWARDS

WINNING NEGOTIATING PAIR - ₹7,000

RUNNER-UP NEGOTIATING PAIR - ₹5,000

WINNING MEDIATOR - ₹3,000

BEST CLIENT - ₹3,000

BEST COUNSEL - ₹3,000

CERTIFICATES

Participation Certificates for all participants
Merit Certificates for Winners and Runners-Up



IMPORTANT DATES

Registration Opens - 10th September 2026

Release of Mediation Problem (Prelims) - 20th September 2026

Last Date for Registration - 3rd October 2026

Complimentary Training Programme - 4th October 2026

Preliminary Round - 10th October 2026

Quarter Finals - 11th October 2026

Semi Finals - 11th October 2026

Final - 11th October 2026



REGISTRATION DETAILS

Early Bird Registration Fees: ₹700 Per Team (For First 15 Teams Only)

Regular Registration Fees: ₹1000 Per Team

Register your team and be part of an international platform celebrating mediation, learning and the enduring legacy of Basant Kumar Jaggi.

Registration Link

<https://mediation-portal.onrender.com/>

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