

# 5<sup>th</sup> N.C. Sikri Memorial Essay Competition, 2024

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## **About CLCAA**

The Campus Law Centre Alumni Association ("CLCAA") is a registered body (Regn No.S/2533/Distt South/2018), incorporated, six years ago to promote and strengthen the interests of Campus Law Centre, Faculty of Law, University of Delhi ("CLC"). For more details please visit <a href="http://clcalumni.org/">http://clcalumni.org/</a>

To commemorate its Sixth Foundation Day, CLCAA is pleased to announce an Essay Competition the details of which are provided herein.

#### About Shri N.C. Sikri

Shri N.C. Sikri was a senior advocate and an alumna of CLC. A well accomplished lawyer, who primarily practiced at Supreme Court of India and Delhi High Court; but had the distinction of appearing in almost all High Courts in India.

## **About the Essay Competition**

### Topics:

- (a) The Controversy Surrounding India's Citizenship Amendment Act: Balancing Humanitarian Concerns and Constitutional Rights.
- (b) Examining the Impact of Electoral Bonds: Transparency, Accountability, and Democratic Integrity.



## Prizes for Winners:

1<sup>st</sup> Prize: Certificate and cash/cheque prize of Rs. 20,000 (Rupees Twenty Thousand)

2<sup>nd</sup> Prize: Certificate and cash/cheque prize of Rs. 15,000 (Rupees Fifteen Thousand)

3<sup>rd</sup> Prize: Certificate and cash/cheque prize of Rs. 10,000 (Rupees Ten Thousand)

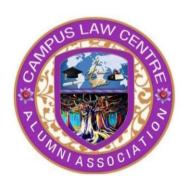
Consolation Prize: Certificate and cash/cheque prize of Rs. 5000 (Rupees Five Thousand)

#### **Eligibility**

The competition is open only to the students pursuing LL.B. from CLC and the registered alumni of CLC of the 2023, 2022, 2021, 2020 and 2019 batches.

#### Guidelines for Submission

- The Participant may select any topic of his choice amongst the topics above-mentioned.
- The essays must be submitted in English only.
- The topic should be mentioned at the top of the essay.
- The name of the author should not be mentioned anywhere in the essay.
- The submission shall be made only in MS -Word format (.doc/.docx). PDF form shall not be accepted.
- The essay should be the original work of the author.
- The essay should not be plagiarized and be free from grammatical, spelling and other errors.
- The essays published elsewhere or selected/ submitted for publication elsewhere shall be disqualified.
- The abstract should not be more than 250 words.
- The word limit for the essay is 3000-4000 words including footnotes.
- The essays should be typed in: Times New Roman, Font Size 12 and Line Spacing 1.5.
- Headings: Times New Roman, Font Size 14, Bold.
- The footnotes must be typed in: Times New Roman, Font Size 10 and Line Spacing.
- The margins should be 1" or 2.54 cm on all sides. All text should be justified.
- Any uniform method for citation may be followed.
- Co-authorship is not permitted.



#### Submission Procedure

The submission has to be e-mailed to clcaadu18@gmail.com with following three attachments:-

## 1. The Essay:

- It may be attached in '.doc' or '.docx' format.
- Participant shall name the attachment file as "Participant's name".

## 2. A separate Cover page containing:

- Name of the Author
- Class, Roll no. & Year **OR** Batch / year
- E-mail address & Contact No. of the Author

## 3. Copy of:

- College ID-Card, in case of current students
- Consolidated Mark-Sheet, and CLCAA Membership Proof in case of alumnus.

If not already registered, membership may be acquired online at

http://clcalumni.org/membership-form/

It is necessary that **at the time of submission of essay**, the alumnus must have acquired the membership.

- 4. Subject of the email should be "Submission: 5<sup>th</sup> N.C. Sikri Memorial Essay Competition, 2024".
- 5. The body of the e-mail must specify the name and contact no. of the author.

#### **IMPORTANT DATES**

• Announcement of the Topic of Essay: April 22, 2024

• Submission of Abstract: May 5, 2024

• Essay Submission: June 05, 2024

• Declaration of Result: June 22, 2024