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**11TH LAWASIA INTERNATIONAL MOOT COMPETITION -  
INTERNATIONAL ROUNDS AUGUST 2016 COLOMBO, SRI LANKA**

Registration/Ice Breaking : 10 August 2016  
Moot Competition : 11 to 14 August 2016  
Award Ceremony : 15 August 2016

**Competition Structure and Schedule**

Team No.			
C1020	C1015	C1013	C1017
C1022	C1026	C1010	C1021
C1022	C1023	C1014	
C1027	C1019	C1011	

\*Teams will draw lots to determine which Group they will be placed.

**Day 1: Thursday, 11 August 2016 - Competition Round I (1)**

Time	Event(s)							(C) Claimant (R) Respondent
10:00am to 10:30am	Judge's Briefing							
<b>Moot Room</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>G</b>	
10:30am to 12:30pm	C1020 (C) v. C1025 (R)	C1022 (C) v. C1027 (R)	C1015 (C) v. C1026 (R)	C1023 (C) v. C1019 (R)	C1013 (C) v. C1010 (R)	C1014 (C) v. C1011 (R)	C1017 (C) v. C1021 (R)	
	Lunch							
12:30am to 01:30pm								
01:30pm to 03:30pm	C1021 (C) v. C1020 (R)	C1025 (C) v. C1022 (R)	C1027 (C) v. C1015 (R)	C1026 (C) v. C1023 (R)	C1019 (C) v. C1013 (R)	C1010 (C) v. C1014 (R)	C1011 (C) v. C1017 (R)	

**Determining the winner of a match**

In any given match, the Team receiving the greater number of Round Points wins the match. If the two Teams have equal number of Rounds Points, the Team with the higher Team Raw Scores wins the match. If the two Teams have an equal number of Round Points and an equal Team Raw Score, the match is a draw.

**Day 2: Friday, 12 August 2016 - Competition Round I (2)**

Time	Event(s)							(C) Claimant (R) Respondent
10:00am to 10:30am	Judge's Briefing							
<b>Moot Room</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>G</b>	
10:30am to	C1020 (C)	C1025 (C)	C1022 (C)	C1027 (C)	C1015 (C)	C1026 (C)	C1023 (C)	

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12:30am	v. C1011 (R)	v. C1017 (R)	v. C1021 (R)	v. C1019 (R)	v. C1013 (R)	v. C1010 (R)	v. C1014 (R)
12:30am to 01:30am							
10:30am to 12:30pm	C1019 (C) v. C1015 (R)	C1013 (C) v. C1026 (R)	1010 (C) v. C1023 (R)	C1014 (C) v. C1020 (R)	C1011 (C) v. C1025 (R)	C1017 (C) v. C1022 (R)	C1021 (C) v. C1027 (R)

### **Determining the winner of a match**

In any given match, the Team receiving the greater number of Round Points wins the match. If the two Teams have equal number of Rounds Points, the Team with the higher Team Raw Scores wins the match. If the two Teams have an equal number of Round Points and an equal Team Raw Score, the match is a draw.

### **Determining the team progressing into the next round**

The top 10 teams, which is determined by the number of wins, from Competition Round I (1 and 2) will proceed to Competition Round II. Teams will be ranked from 1 to 10 based on number of wins in descending order.

In the case of a tie, the team with the higher accumulated Total Round Points in Competition Round I (1 and 2) will be ranked higher. In the case that the tie is not broken, the Team with the higher Total Raw Score from the rounds shall be ranked higher. \*

The 10 teams progressing into Competition Round II will be assigned as listed in the following structure.

### **Day 3: Saturday, 13 August 2016 - Competition Round II and III**

<b>Time</b>	<i>Event(s)</i>					<i>(C) Claimant (R) Respondent</i>
7:30am to 8:00am	Judge's Briefing					
<b>Moot Room</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>	
08:00am to 10:00am	Team ranked 1 (C) v. Team ranked 10 (R)	Team ranked 2 (C) v. Team ranked 9 (R)	Team ranked 3 (C) v. Team ranked 8 (R)	Team ranked 4 (C) v. Team ranked 7 (R)	Team ranked 5 (C) v. Team ranked 6 (R)	
	10:00am to 10:30am					Break
10:30am to 12:30pm	Team ranked 6 (C) v.	Team ranked 7 (C) v.	Team ranked 8 (C) v.	Team ranked 9 (C) v.	Team ranked 10 (C) v.	

12:30pm	Team ranked 3 (R)	Team ranked 2 (R)	Team ranked 1 (R)	Team ranked 5 (R)	Team ranked 6 (R)
12:30pm to 02:00pm	Lunch				

### **Determining the winner of a match**

Teams are judged based solely on their oral performance in the advanced rounds.

In any given match, the Team receiving the greater number of Total Round Points wins the match. If the two Teams have equal number of Total Rounds Points, the Team with the higher Total Team Raw Scores wins the match. If the two Teams have an equal number of Total Round Points and an equal Total Team Raw Score, the match is a draw.

### **Determining the team progressing into the next round**

The top 4 teams, which is determined by the number of wins, from the Competition Round II will proceed to Competition Round III. Teams will be ranked from 1 to 4 based on number of wins in descending order.

In the case of a tie, the team with the higher accumulated Total Round Points in Competition Round II will be ranked higher. In the case that the tie is not broken, the Team with the higher Total Raw Score from the rounds shall be ranked higher.

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The 4 teams progressing into the Competition Round III will be assigned as listed in the following structure.

02:00pm to 04:00pm	Team ranked 1 (C) v. Team ranked 4 (R)	Team ranked 2 (C) v. Team ranked 3 (R)
04:00pm to 04:30pm	Break	
04:30pm to 06:30pm	Team ranked 4 (C) v. Team ranked 2 (R)	Team ranked 3 (C) v. Team ranked 1 (R)

### **Determining the winner of a match**

In any given match, the Team receiving the greater number of six (6) available Round Points wins the match. If the two Teams have equal number of Rounds Points, the Team with the higher Team Raw Scores wins the match. If the two Teams have an equal number of Round Points and an equal Team Raw Score, the match is a draw.

### **Determining the team progressing into the next round**

The top 2 teams, which is determined by the number of wins, from the Semi-Final Rounds will proceed to the Final Round. Teams will be ranked based on number of wins in descending order.

In the case of a tie, the team with the higher accumulated Total Round Points in the Semi-Final Round will be ranked higher. In the case that the tie is not broken, the Team with the higher Total Raw Score from the rounds shall be ranked higher. \*

The team ranked higher will be given a choice to moot either as Claimant or Respondent in the Final Round.

### **Day 4: Sunday, 14 August 2016 - Competition Round IV [Finals]**

Time	Event(s)	(C) Claimant (R) Respondent
Moot Venue	<i>Cinnamon Grand, Colombo, Sri Lanka</i>	
02:30pm to 04:30pm	Team mooting as <i>Claimant</i> v. Team mooting as <i>Respondent</i>	

**The winning team will be declared the BEST ORALIST Team.**

*\* In the event, at any round, the methods of breaking the tie is unsuccessful, the Competition Administrator shall determine the next best method to breaking the tie.*

**BEST MOOTER PRIZE**

For the determination of the Best Mooter, the judges' scores in Competition Round I (1 and 2) will be used. If the top mooters from Competition Round I (Day 1 and 2) reach Competition Round II, III and IV, the Moot Organising Committee reserves the right to take into consideration the judges scores awarded in these Rounds. The decision of the Moot Organising Committee shall be final.

***COMPETITION TROPHIES AND AWARDS***

***THE LAWASIA BEST ORALIST TEAM TROPHY***

The LAWASIA BEST ORALIST TEAM TROPHY symbolizes the support of the LAWASIA in his efforts to promote mooting among law students in the region.

LAWASIA observes that mooting has emerged as a critical component of legal education as it provides the skills training element for the fundamental skills such as public speaking and the ability to articulate one's thoughts and arguments which is a skill not often taught in the academic classroom.

***THE MAH WENG KWAI CHALLENGE TROPHY FOR BEST MOOTER***

The Best Mooter trophy is named after Mr Mah Weng Kwai, a past President of LAWASIA in recognition of his commitment to mooting and raising the standards of the LAWASIA International Moot competition to what you have witnessed at this Conference.

The ability to articulate one's thoughts and arguments condensing, conflicting legal authorities into succinct and persuasive arguments in a professional, gracious, persuasive, and congenial demeanour is a very important qualities of lawyer.

The Best Mooter Trophy is awarded to the mooter whom best demonstrates the above qualities. In reaching at its decision, the Committee not only took the scores of the individual mooters into account but also the views and comments made by the Moot Judges.

***LAWASIA TROPHY FOR TEAM WITH BEST MEMORIAL***

The LAWASIA Trophy for Team with Best Memorial is awarded to the team which achieves the highest total scores from the judges for the team's Memorials.

***THE LAWASIA BEST ENDEAVOUR PRIZE***

The LAWASIA BEST ENDEAVOUR PRIZE is awarded to the team that overcame challenges, difficulties and obstacles to compete in this competition.

***THE SPIRIT OF LAWASIA TEAM AWARD***

We meet to uphold the time honoured values and principles of humanity and celebrate the sharing of knowledge and ideas, and of learning whilst embracing the

diversities of the world we live in, believing the man's greatest moment is moment  
in time of warm embrace and acceptance for his fellow human being.

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