

THE TEAM FROM SCHOOL OF EXCELLENCE IN LAW EMERGED AS WINNERS OF SAARC ROUNDS AND ADJUDGED AS TOP 8 FINALISTS OF THE WORLD FINALS OF THE 28TH ANNUAL STETSON INTERNATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL MOOT COURT COMPETITION, 2024



The team from the School of Excellence in Law, Tamilnadu Dr. Ambedkar Law University comprising of Ms. Susmithaa Shri R of BCA.LLB (hons) V year, Ms. S. Swetha and Ms. Sai Madhumita. S of B.Com LLB (hons) V year emerged as the Winners in the SAARC rounds and adjudged as the Top 8 finalists amidst the stiff competition from teams representing different countries across the globe in the World Championship finals of 28th Stetson International Environmental Moot court competition, held in Gulfport, Florida on 10-13th April, 2024

The esteemed 28th annual Stetson International Moot Court Competition is considered as the premier competition focusing on global environmental law matters. The Stetson Moot Court was inaugurated in 1997 and has consistently held its position as the foremost event in international environmental law advocacy. Our team engaged in rigorous competition with counterparts from around the world, achieving the distinction of being among the top 8 teams in the world finals.

The university's team competed against representatives from SAARC countries during the qualifiers. Their exceptional performance led to competing and winning against other esteemed national law universities such as NLU Jodhpur, Maharashtra NLU, and NALSAR, securing the First position in the competition. In addition to winning the moot, Ms. Susmithaa Shri. R was recognized as the Best Speaker in the finals, while Ms. S. Swetha was honoured as the 3rd Best Advocate of the competition.

During the International rounds, the team from our university faced off against formidable opponents, showcasing their exceptional skills against some of the most brilliant legal minds

globally. Their remarkable performance enabled them to advance to the Top 8 Finalists, having triumphed over teams from countries such as the United States, China and Pakistan.

The theme for this year centered around contemporary topics within international environmental law, with particular emphasis on Impact Assessment and the protection of Mountain Gorillas. The discussions delved into the intricacies of international environmental treaties and principles concerning these issues.

The University's team has achieved an unprecedented milestone in the history of Tamil Nadu Dr. Ambedkar Law University, becoming illustrious representatives of the state. Their remarkable accomplishment underscores their dedication and passion for the field of International law. The team extends their heartfelt gratitude to the Vice-Chancellor, Registrar, Dean and other professors and mentors for their support, guidance and encouragement throughout their journey



