

REPORT ON JUS FESTUM

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The Legal Aid Committee and the Constitutional Law Society of The Tamil Nadu National Law School, Tiruchirappalli have organized their second inter-university legal fest *Jus Festum*, 2018 from 9th to 11th March. The fest aims at organizing events which intend to enhance the application of legal knowledge and aptitude of law students. The fest has attracted over 150 students from different universities across the country.

The inaugural ceremony of the event was presided over by Mr. G.V. Anand Bhushan, Partner, Chennai Head of Shardul Amarchand Mangaldas and Professor Dr. Kamala Sankaran, the Hon'ble Vice Chancellor of the university. Mr. Bhushan urged the law students to take part in more such inter-university competitions that enhance their legal skill. He highlighted the importance of keeping oneself updated with the new developments in law and giving one's best regardless of the circumstances.

A total of 143 students from 17 various law colleges and universities across the country took part in the event. The first day of the fest witnessed some interesting events like Quiz, RTI Drafting, PIL Drafting, and Poster presentation. The second day started with Judgment translation to Tamil and Hindi from English, Minority Opinion Justification, Client Counseling, Crime Scene Investigation and Constitutional Assembly Debate. The final rounds of the respective events took place on 11th March and the valedictory function was graced by Madras High Court advocate Sanjay Pinto who urged the students to take up issues concerning the public through PILs and writs.

All the winners and runners-up were given their awards, medals and certificates. The three-day event successful came to an end with all participants taking back loads of experience and memories.