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LLOYD'S INTRA-COLLEGE
STUDENT RESEARCH PAPER COMPETITION (LRPC) – 3.0



THEME

Any Contemporary development/issues related to law, development, policy or allied fields

ELIGIBILITY

Open to all bonafide students of Lloyd Law College and Lloyd School of Law (gift authorship is strictly prohibited).

IMPORTANT DATES AND DECLARATION OF RESULT

• Last date of Abstract Submission	- Monday 12 October 2026 (EXTENDED)
• Intimation of Acceptance of Abstract	- Saturday, 24 October 2026
• Submission of DRAFT Paper	- Monday, 04 January 2026
• Declaration of the Result of TOP 50-100 Research Papers (based on publishable quality)	- Monday, 01 February 2026
• Review/Comment intimation on Final Draft	- Monday, 15 February 2026
• Submission of Final Edited Draft	- Monday, 01 March 2026

Top 10 papers shall be awarded with cash prizes up to 65,000/-

Word Limit: **5000-6000 words**

Mode of Submission: **Online- through Google Form link**

QR Code for link of **Abstract Submission**

Plagiarism: Max. 10%

Footnote Style: OSCOLA 5th Ed.

For any further query contact
Prof. Rupesh Chandra Madhav
Prof. Sakshee Sahay, Assistant Professor.

LLOYD RESEARCH PAPER WRITING COMPETITION: LRPC 3.0

GUIDELINES / INSTRUCTIONS / TURNITIN ACCESS

Tue.-06-Oct.-2026

Dear Parent / Student,

Greetings from Lloyd Skill Centric Education Community!

Legal education is principally a justice education. Legal profession in its entirety is a service imparted through judging, advising or counseling in law courts. A law student should acquire legal & allied knowledge and professional & personality skill set during his graduating days. Alongside academic progression, development of personality and professional skill set is one of the most important imperatives of legal education that a novice should understand when to 'think like a lawyer' and when 'not to think like a lawyer'. At Lloyd, we impart best of skill sets through various curricular / co-curricular simulation exercises that have been designed & framed with purpose of cultivating professional personality in the novices.

Lloyd Research Paper Writing Competition: LRPC 3.0

It is a pleasure to announce (INTRA-COLLEGE STUDENT) LLOYD RESEARCH PAPER WRITING COMPETITION: LRPC 3.0 for all students, with the objective of promoting academic excellence, legal research, critical thinking, and scholarly engagement with contemporary developments in the field of law. The Competition seeks to provide students with an opportunity to undertake independent legal research and present their observations and analysis on significant and emerging legal issues.

1. THEME

"Any Contemporary development/issues related to law, development, policy or allied fields"

- Participants may select a research topic relating to any contemporary development of law, or emerging issue of law, or recent judicial development(s), or legislative development, or regulatory framework analysis/policy analysis, or any other evolving area of legal scholarship.

2. ELIGIBILITY

- The Competition is **open to all bona fide students of Lloyd Law College and Lloyd School of Law**.
- Participants may submit their research papers individually or in co-authorship (gift authorship is strictly prohibited), subject to the prescribed competition guidelines.

- **No student is permitted to author/co-author more than one paper.**

3. IMPORTANT DATES AND DECLARATION OF RESULT

- Last date of **ABSTRACT** Submission: SATURDAY **12 OCTOBER 2026 (EXTENDED)**
- Submission and Registration Link: **DRIVE** :: **Submit Here** (details are given in the drive link).
- Intimation of **ACCEPTANCE** of Abstract : Saturday 24 October 2026.
- Submission of **FINAL DRAFT** Paper : Monday 04 January 2027.
- Declaration of **RESULT** of TOP 50-100 Research Papers : Monday 01 Feb. 2027 (based on publishable quality).
- **REVIEW/COMMENT** intimation on Final DRAFT : Monday 15 Feb. 2027.
- Submission of **FINAL** Edited DRAFT : Monday 01 March 2027.

4. SUBMISSION GUIDELINES FOR FULL MANUSCRIPT

- Participants are required to ensure that the research paper is an original and independent work of the author(s). The paper addresses a contemporary development in a legal subject and demonstrates substantive legal research and critical analysis. Proper authorities and sources are duly acknowledged through appropriate citations and references. The manuscript complies with the prescribed formatting and citation guidelines. The paper has not been previously published or submitted for publication in any other competition, journal, or publication. All submissions shall be subjected to plagiarism screening. Any paper found to contain AI generated content or plagiarism beyond the five percentage shall be liable for disqualification. Participants shall strictly adhere to the prescribed word limit and submission format.
- The participants are required to submit the Plagiarism Report and AI Report along with the Manuscript. The plagiarism and AI-generated content should not exceed 5 %.
- Authors must include a dedicated AI declaration statement in the manuscript before the references list detailing which tool was used and for what purpose. Large Language Models (LLMs) and AI tools must only be used to polish text or enhance clarity.
- AI Report submitted with '*' will be considered as an AI-generated manuscript and shall be rejected.
- It is strictly forbidden to use AI tools for content generation, writing manuscripts, critical analysis, image, table or graph generation, final editing and formatting and in-depth research.
- **Word Limit:** 5000 - 6000 words

- **Citation Style:** OSCOLA 5th Edition.
- **Mode of Abstract Submission:** Online - through Google Form link.

5. EVALUATION CRITERIA

- The research papers shall be evaluated by a duly constituted panel on the basis of originality and novelty of the research; Quality and depth of legal research; Critical and analytical approach; Clarity and coherence of arguments; Relevance and contemporary significance of the chosen subject; Use of appropriate legal authorities and sources; and Compliance with prescribed academic and citation standards.
- The decision of the **Judging/Evaluation Committee** shall be final and binding.

6. PRIZES

- The **TOP 10 PAPERS** of the Competition shall be awarded/rewarded up to **65,000/- (Sixty five thousand only) Cash Prizes** as follows:
- **First Prize :** ₹ 10,000/- (Ten Thousand only)
- **Second Prize :** ₹ 9,000/- (Nine Thousand only)
- **Third Prize :** ₹ 8,000/- (Eight Thousand only)
- **Consolation Prize : (Rank 04 -to- Rank 10**) ₹ 5000/- each (Five Thousand only)
- Certificates shall also be awarded to the winners and eligible participants in accordance with the Competition guidelines and all selected papers shall be eligible for publication.
- Further, kindly take notice of following instructions / guidelines on Research paper/article writing & its submission, and access to TURNITIN for the purpose of checking plagiarism.

Research Paper / Article Writing & Submission :

For the purpose of giving guidance in the process of Research Paper / Article writing so that you / your ward would be able to write a Paper of publishable quality, it has been decided to instruct the participants to write his/her Paper / Article under supervision of a teacher-mentor; hence,

- **Immediately contact any teacher to be your supervisor for this competition;**
    - Seek guidance from the teacher-mentor at each stage of the paper writing;
    - Any teacher can have max. 05 participating students, hence, you / your ward should contact the teacher immediately.
- **While submitting your Paper / Article, mark the Teacher-Mentor in CC;**

- It shall be declared by the Teacher-Mentor that the Paper / Article has been written under his/her supervision;
- We have shared necessary information with the teachers as well in this regard;
- This declaration shall be made via email reply to your submission;

- **Plagiarism :** Max. 10% but that needs to be justified by the author of the Research paper / article.
- **Footnote Style :** OSCOLA 5th Ed.

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  - This email must be sent via your email address of the college, not from any other email address;

- **FORMAT OF THE EMAIL**

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Regards

… (Name)

- **This access will be given only till the last date of the submission of the research paper / article.**
- For any further query on the above, you may contact,
- Prof. Rupesh Chandra Madhav, Assistant Professor, Lloyd Law College.
- Prof. Sakshee Sahay, Assistant Professor, Lloyd Law College.

Happy Research Writing – Happy Learning!

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