



DECCAN EDUCATION SOCIETY'S
Shri. Navalmal Firodia Law College, Pune

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Debate Department

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- Name of Department- Debate Department (Mimansa).
- Introduction of Department-The Debate Department of Deccan Education Society's Shri Navalmal Firodia Law College is a dynamic platform dedicated to nurturing critical thinking, public speaking, and advocacy skills among students. It regularly organizes debates and discussions to encourage informed and confident expression on socio-legal issues. Its flagship event, the Late Gopal Ganesh Agarkar International Intercollegiate Debate Competition, attracts participants from across the globe, promoting intellectual exchange and upholding the legacy of rational and fearless discourse.
- Name of the Activity- Late Gopal Ganesh Agarkar Smruti Karandak International Intercollegiate Debate Competition
- Date & Time of the Event- 12-13th September 2025
- Place/Venue- Deccan Education Societys Shri Navalmal Firodia Law College.
- Name of the Guest and their Designation –

For Inauguration

Guest of Honour – Shri Anant Joshi, Member Governing Body and Council, DES.

Chief Guest – Shri. Ravindra Shinganapurkar, Member management Council, SPPU, Pune.

For Valedictory ceremony

Dr. Payal Thaorey, Dr Babasaheb Ambedkar School of Law and Dr. Prabhakar Desai, Director of Examination and evaluation, SPPU.

The report should include the following details:

- Importance of the event- The Late Gopal Ganesh Agarkar Smruti Karandak International Intercollegiate Debate Competition is a prestigious platform that enhances

the academic reputation of Deccan Education Society's Shri Navalmal Firodia Law College at both national and international levels. It attracts diverse participation, fostering intellectual exchange and cross-cultural dialogue. The event strengthens students' advocacy, critical thinking, and public speaking skills. It also reflects the legacy of Gopal Ganesh Agarkar by promoting rational, fearless, and progressive discourse. Additionally, it creates networking opportunities for students and institutions, contributing to holistic academic growth.

- Number of Participants- 148
- Number of Attendees- 220
- Number of Teams (if any) - 74 teams – 69 National and 5 International Teams.
- Name of Winner/Runner-up -
 First Prize- SP College
 Second Prize- ILS College
 Third Prize- MP law College
- Outcome of the event- The Late Gopal Ganesh Agarkar Smruti Karandak International Intercollegiate Debate Competition witnessed an impressive participation of 69 national teams and 5 international teams, making it a truly global academic platform. This diverse representation led to a rich exchange of ideas, perspectives, and debating styles. The event significantly enhanced students' critical thinking, research ability, and public speaking skills through high-level competition. It strengthened the national and international academic standing of Deccan Education Society's Shri Navalmal Firodia Law College. Overall, the competition successfully fostered intellectual engagement, cultural interaction, and the spirit of healthy academic rivalry among participants.
- Outside Participation Report –

Sr. No	Name	Competition	Positions Held
1.	Trishala Dugad – I LLB	DY Patil Debate Competition	Runner up
2.	Ishita Chaudhary- I BBALLB, Navya Changedia-	Agni Vaani Competition by MIT WPU	Runner up

	I BALLB, Kamakshi Phutane- I BALLB		
3.	Preksha Lunkad- III BALLB and Raghunandini Singh – III BALLB	Vidhirang by Modern Law College, waxing eloquent inter collegiate Debate competition by Symbiosis College of Arts and Commerce.	Runner up
4.	Parth Chide- I BALLB	Comrade Eknathrao Bhagwat Smriti Karandak at Ahilyanagar. State Level Extempore Competition at Vidhirang 2026	Third Position First position.
5.	Omkar Jadhav- I BALLB and Sanchit Gaikwad- I BALLB	Sanskar Mandir Society's Arts and Science college	Second Position
6.	Mansi Bhardwaj- III BALLB	Justice Ranade National Inter-Collegiate Debate Competition organized by Vaktrutvottejak Sabha, Pune & Tilak Maharashtra Vidyapeeth.	Third Position
7.	Shrushti Dumbre- III BALLB	Vidhibhashya 1.0 organized by Modern Law College.	Runner Up
8.	Riya Shyamsingh Bayas- II BALLB	1. Akk law academy intercollegiate creative essay competition: Winner 2. Modern law college state level Ppt competition: Winner 3. Modern law college state level creative writing competition: 1st Runner Up 4. Dy patil state level legislative Drafting : 2nd Runner Up	Winner
9.	Nandini Tyagi –	1. Extempore competition -	Winner

	II BALLB	Modern law college, Pune, 2. Elocution competition - DY patil law college, Pune 3. Debate competition - DY patil law college, Pune	
10.	Sanchit Gaikwad- I BALLB	New arts College ahilya Nagar state level debate competition Bajirao Mastani college shirur state level debate competition Anna Hazare state level Elocution Competition Raligan Siddi Camp education society Arvind Telang college Pune State level elocution competition	Third Position Second Position Third Position Second Position





