

Marathwada Mitra Mandal's

Shankarrao Chavan Law College, Pune

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LATE SHRI SHANKARRAO CHAVAN MEMORIAL



17th STATE LEVEL ELOCUTION COMPETITION

27th September 2025

Prizes

- 1st Prize -- ₹7,000 + Trophy & Certificate
- 2nd Prize -- ₹5,000 + Trophy & Certificate
- 3rd Prize -- ₹4,000 + Trophy & Certificate

Venue

Dnyaneshwar Hall

Marathwada Mitra Mandal's Shankarrao Chavan Law College, Deccan Gymkhana, Pune.

Important Dates

- Date of the Competition : 27th Sept. 2025
- Last Date of Registration: 23rd Sept. 2025

About the College

Marathwada Mitra Mandal (MMM), a charitable trust, was established in 1967 through an inspiration of the socially and educationally motivated personalities with the motto, 'येथे बहुतांचे हित' (Welfare of Masses). Under the aegis of Marathwada Mitra Mandal Shankarrao Chavan Law College (SCLC) was established in 2003 with an objective to nurture lawyers instilled with ideals and values required for playing a constructive role in bettering our society. We, at SCLC, provide students with practical knowledge and a holistic approach through teaching-learning, complemented with international and national collaborations and activities. The College organises events which help students build a strong academic foundation through avenues, like Late Justice P. B. Sawant National Moot Court Competition, Late Shankarrao Chavan Memorial State Level Elocution Competition, Hon'ble Late Shri Shankarrao Chavan National Legislative Drafting Competition.

Through its academic excellence, vibrant student life, and strong institutional ethos, SCLC continues to shape the legal minds of tomorrow.

About Shri Shankarraoji Chavan

Hon'ble Shri Shankarraoji Chavan, was an honest and visionary political leader, an eminent lawyer who advocated Social Justice. SCLC cherishes the memories of the Founder President of Marathwada Mitra Mandal, a great parliamentarian, an able administrator, and an excellent orator Hon'ble Late Shri Shankarrao Chavan. He started his career as an advocate but soon gave-up practicing law to join the Hyderabad Mukti Sangram. Based on the strength of his qualities and thirst for social development, he was honoured the Chief Ministership of Maharashtra twice, and gradually took a leap to become the Home Minister and Finance Minister of India. He was instrumental in activating the water movement in the Marathwada region of Maharashtra. His fondness for education and a futuristic approach for the welfare of masses led to the establishment of 'Marathwada Mitra Mandal,' which presently has a diversified group of educational institutions in Pune city and suburbs of Pune.

About the Competition:

Instituted in memory of **Hon'ble Late Shri Shankarrao Chavan**, a distinguished statesman and visionary leader, the **State Level Elocution Competition** aims to foster intellectual engagement, oratory skills, and critical thinking among students across Maharashtra. This prestigious competition provides a platform for students to voice their opinions on pressing social and legal issues enhancing their critical thinking, public speaking abilities and confidence

Topics for the Competition:

1. The Maharashtra Special Public Security Bill, 2024: Public Security vis a vis Freedoms

महाराष्ट्र विशेष सार्वजनिक सुरक्षा विधेयक, २०२४ : सार्वजनिक सुरक्षा आणि स्वातंत्र्य यांमधील संतुलन

2. Democracy 2.0: Navigating the challenges in Free and Fair Elections in Digital Age

लोकशाही २.०:डिजिटल युगातील मुक्त आणि पारदर्शक निवडणूकांमधील आव्हाने

3. Artificial Intelligence and the Future of Law Profession: Opportunity or Threat

कृत्रिम बुध्दीमत्ता आणि विकली व्यवसायाचे भविष्य : संधी की धोका?

4. The Place of International Law in the Global Conflicts: Peacekeeper or Bystander

जागतिक संघर्षातील आंतरराष्ट्रीय कायद्याचे स्थान : शांतता रक्षक की प्रेक्षक?

5. Vikasit Bharat: Vision 2047 and the Road Ahead विकसित भारत : २०४७ संकल्पना आणि पृढील वाटचाल

Eligibility & Participation Rules

- The competition is open to all undergraduate law students currently studying in colleges across Maharashtra and Goa.
- Each college may nominate up to three (3) participants to represent their institution in the competition.
- Entry of more than three participants will be subject to the discretion of the Organising Committee.
- Participants are required to be in formal attire during the competition.
- The last date for registration is 23rd September 2025.

Elocution Competition - Guidelines & Rules

- 1. The Elocution Competition will be conducted in an offline mode.
- 2. The Medium of speech shall be either English or Marathi.
- 3. Registration is mandatory. Participants must fill the online Registration Form, upload the letter of participation sealed and signed by the Principal.
- 4. Participants coming from outside Pune who require accommodation are requested to email: nambad@sclc.edu.in
- 5. Breakfast and lunch will be provided to all participants on the day of the competition.
- 6. Each participant will be allotted 6 minutes to speak. An extension of up to 2 minutes may be granted with prior permission of the judges.

Evaluation Criteria:

Participants will be judged based on:

- **✓** Coverage of the Topic
- **✓** Presentation of the Subject
- **✓** Language and Eloquence
- **✓** Voice Modulation and Timing
- Conclusion and Summarisation

A panel of judges will evaluate the competition, and their decision shall be final and binding.

- **P** Results will be declared on the same day during the Valedictory Function.
- All participants are expected to attend all sessions of the competition.
- The Organizing Committee reserves the right to modify or change the rules if necessary.

Venue

Dnyaneshwar Hall, Marathwada Mitra Mandal's Shankarrao Chavan Law College, Deccan Gymkhana, Pune

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