



CERTIFICATE COURSE ON ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION (ADR) IN SPORTS LAW

Organised by

**CENTRE FOR SPORTS LAW AND ATHLETE
WELFARE (CSLAW)**

Date : 8th August 2026 Onwards

Mode : Online

Duration : 4 Weekends | 16 Hours

Modules : 4 Modules

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ABOUT SGT UNIVERSITY

SGT University is nationally renowned for its leadership in Medical and Health Sciences. It established the School of Law in 2014 to promote profound scholarship and enlighten research in law, to provide the highest quality professional legal education to face the new challenges and dimensions of the internationalization of the legal profession. The vision of the SGT University is to be recognized nationally and globally for excellence in clinical legal education, community-based outreach programs, socially relevant research and for honing up Lawyering, Arbitration, Mediation, and Client Counselling Skills. An abode for continual activity and unrelenting vitality, SGT University offers a wide array of academic and extracurricular opportunities, making every day a potential adventure for the students. The SGT University is Accredited with a Grade A+ by NAAC.

ABOUT SCHOOL OF LAW

The School of Law was established in 2014 at SGT University. It has statutory recognition from The Bar Council of India and the Government of Haryana. The School of Law was established to aid the students with education on Legislative Law and provide an academically rich environment. The School of Law equips students with a broad perspective enabling them to excel as law professionals & compete effectively on national & international platforms. The School of Law at SGT University is one of the best colleges in Delhi NCR for Law courses. It provides five courses, including B.A./BB.A. LL.B. (Hons.), LL.B., LL.M., Ph.D. and specialized Certification Courses. The School of Law at SGT University is based on the core values of Dedication Honesty, Integrity, Respect. They provide the highest quality professional legal education to equip Indian students for transnational practice and to face globalization challenges.

ABOUT THE CENTRE FOR SPORTS LAW AND ATHLETE WELFARE (CSLAW)

The Centre for Sports Law and Athlete Welfare (CSLAW), established in 2026 under the Faculty of Law, SGT University, is dedicated to advancing scholarship, research, and engagement in the evolving field of sports law. The Centre serves as a platform for students, researchers, legal professionals, sports administrators, and policymakers to explore contemporary issues in sports governance, dispute resolution, athlete welfare, anti-doping regulation, sports integrity, and safe sport frameworks.

Through seminars, conferences, workshops, guest lectures, and research initiatives, CSLAW promotes informed dialogue and knowledge creation at the intersection of law and sport. The Centre encourages interdisciplinary collaboration and seeks to bridge the gap between academic inquiry and practical application by engaging with sports organisations, legal experts, arbitral institutions, and industry stakeholders. Committed to fostering a fair, transparent, and athlete-centric sporting ecosystem, CSLAW aims to contribute to policy development, capacity building, and the growth of sports law as a dynamic and impactful area of legal study and practice.



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ABOUT THE COURSE

The Certificate Course on ADR in Sports Law is a focused, practitioner-oriented programme designed to equip participants with a comprehensive understanding of how disputes in the world of sport are, and should be, resolved. Spanning four weekends (16 hours) across four thematic modules, the course moves from the domestic framework of sports disputes in India to the highest echelons of international arbitration at the Court of Arbitration for Sport (CAS) in Lausanne. Delivered entirely online via Zoom and taught by an internationally curated faculty, this course offers a rare opportunity to engage with cutting-edge legal scholarship and practical expertise in a rapidly evolving field.

COURSE OUTCOMES

- Understand the legal and institutional architecture of sports governance and ADR mechanisms in India and globally.
- Apply arbitration, mediation, and negotiation skills to resolve real-world sports disputes with procedural competence.
- Analyse landmark CAS awards and Indian tribunal rulings to identify evolving legal principles and policy implications.
- Understanding arbitration clauses, disciplinary notices, athlete agreements, and ADR settlement documents with legal precision.

WHO MAY ATTEND

- Law Students
- Legal Professionals
- Academicians & Researchers
- Athletes
- Coaches & Managers



RESOURCE PERSONS & MODULE OVERVIEW

All Four Modules — At a Glance | 4 Weekends | 16 Hours

MODULE 01 | Weekend 1 | 4 Hours

Sports Disputes in India – Framework, Arbitrability & Comparative Law

SPEAKER

Mr. Tarun

Senior Research Associate & Member, GNLU Centre for Sports & Entertainment Law (GCSEL), Gujarat National Law University, Gandhinagar

Faculty and Researcher at Gujarat National Law University and a Member of the GNLU Centre for Sports and Entertainment Law (GCSEL). With over a decade of experience in sports law teaching, research, and consultancy, he has taught specialised courses in sports law at several national and South Asian universities. He regularly publishes in leading journals and digital platforms on trans-athlete rights, safe sports, and other contemporary issues. He has worked on government and private-funded projects in Athlete Legal Education and Online Gaming. An ardent Real Madrid fan, he has also played football at the inter-university level.

MODULE COVERAGE

- Kinds of sports disputes in India: contractual, eligibility, disciplinary, doping, selection, employment and governance conflicts
- Arbitrability of sports disputes under the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996
- Institutional landscape for sports dispute resolution in India
- Comparative study of international sports dispute frameworks and their relevance to Indian practitioners

MODULE 02 | Weekend 2 | 4 Hours

Arbitration in Sports: Principles, Clauses & Practice

SPEAKER

Ms. Udiksha Rana

Director, Centre for Sports Law and Athlete Welfare (CSLAW) & Assistant Professor, Faculty of Law, SGT University | Team Member, UNESCO Chair for Legal Dimensions of Clean Sports, NLU Delhi

Head of CSLAW and Assistant Professor at the Faculty of Law, SGT University. She is also a Team Member of the UNESCO Chair for Legal Dimensions of Clean Sports at the National Law University, Delhi. Her academic and professional work focuses on sports law, athlete welfare, and clean sports governance. She brings both institutional leadership and research-driven expertise to her teaching, and is committed to advancing the legal framework surrounding athlete rights and sports integrity in India.

MODULE COVERAGE

- Arbitration as the dominant ADR mode in sports — why it suits sports disputes; institutional vs. ad hoc arbitration
- Confidentiality, speed, and finality as core advantages over civil litigation
- Sports arbitration clauses: seat and governing law, appointment of arbitrators, multi-party and fast-track provisions
- Review of model clauses in player contracts, federation rules, and sponsorship agreements





MODULE 03 | Weekend 3 | 4 Hours

Mediation & Other Dispute Resolution Mechanisms in Sports

SPEAKER

Prof. (Dr.) Subhrajit Chanda

Assistant Professor & Assistant Director, Centre for Sports Law, Business and Governance, Jindal Global Law School, O.P. Jindal Global University

India first Ph.D. holder in comprehensive Sports Law (2025). He is the Managing Editor of the Journal of Sports Law, Policy and Governance, and Founder & Editor-in-Chief of the Global Sports Policy Review — the world first multidisciplinary journal dedicated exclusively to sports law and policy. He played a pivotal role in the FICCI flagship report Sporting India: Rising and represented India in the FICCI-coordinated Sports Law Delegation to the United Kingdom. A prolific scholar with over 45 publications, he holds an LL.M. in Sports Law from Nottingham Trent University, UK.

MODULE COVERAGE

- Mediation in sports: processes, advantages, and limitations in resolving athlete and federation disputes
- Negotiation and conciliation as primary and supplementary tools in sports conflict resolution
- Online Dispute Resolution (ODR) in sports: emerging frameworks and digital mechanisms
- Ombudsman models and internal grievance mechanisms in sporting bodies



MODULE 04 | Weekend 4 | 4 Hours

CAS and International Sports Arbitration

SPEAKER

Dr. Petra Pocrnić Perica

Ph.D., LL.M. | President, Arbitration Division, Croatian Association for Civil Law | Listed Arbitrator, CAS Lausanne | Founding Partner, No.9 Sports Law Consulting, Switzerland

Internationally recognised sports law professor, arbitrator and strategic consultant based in Switzerland. She serves as President of the Arbitration Division of the Croatian Association for Civil Law and is a listed arbitrator with the Court of Arbitration for Sport (CAS) in Lausanne and the Saudi Sports Arbitration Centre (SSAC). Petra is a director, lecturer and keynote speaker for prestigious international programmes at the Swiss School of Business and Management Geneva, Universidad Europea – Real Madrid, and the University of Zagreb Faculty of Law. She is the founding partner of No.9 Sports Law & Consulting, delivering high-level legal and strategic advisory services to athletes, clubs, federations and governing bodies across the global sports industry.

MODULE COVERAGE

- Court of Arbitration for Sport (CAS): history, structure, ordinary and appeal divisions, and the ad hoc division for Olympic and Commonwealth Games
- Filing procedures, costs, and enforceability of CAS awards under international law
- Landmark CAS jurisprudence
- Analysis of legal principles, procedural lessons and their relevance for Indian practitioners

Registration Details

Certificate Course on ADR in Sports Law | 8th August 2026 | Online via Zoom

REGISTRATION

Registration Fee : ₹1,000/-

Early Bird Fee : ₹800/- (Register by 4th July 2026)

Last Date to Register : 20th July 2026

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REGISTRATION LINK

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