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# TLJT-SCRIBOARD ARTICLE WRITING COMPETITION

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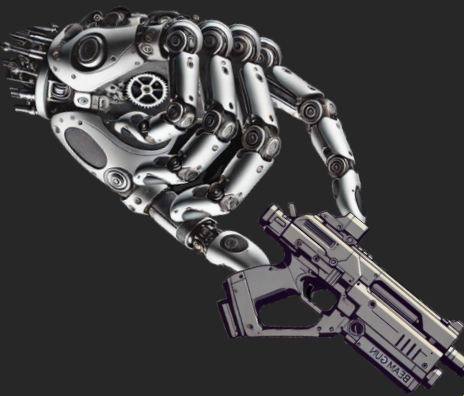
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## WHO THEY ARE

Scriboard is a top-ranked law firm known for its expertise in intellectual property, IT, TMT (Technology, Media, and Telecommunications), and data protection. They work closely with global industry leaders in sectors like social networking, e-commerce, banking, and more, addressing their legal needs with ease. Their services focus on information security, IT compliance, and intellectual property management, helping clients maintain their innovative work without disruption.



**Mr Rodney D Ryder**  
Founding Partner

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# About



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The Legal Journal on Technology (TLJT) is a platform driven by law students from National Law Universities (NLUs) across India. In five years, TLJT has become a key voice in the legal field, focusing on the fast-evolving intersection of law and technology.

## OUR INITIATIVES

We offer a range of platforms for engagement in technology law:

**Publications:** With over 130 published blogs, TLJT covers various aspects of technology law. Our inaugural volume is set for release, with plans to acquire an ISSN for academic recognition.

**Workshops:** Regular sessions feature experts like Ex-Judge Angshuman Kaushik, with bi-weekly workshops providing valuable industry insights.

**Competitions:** TLJT hosts competitions such as Article Writing, Legal Tech Challenges, and Policy Making to inspire innovation in tech law.

**Podcasts & Blogs:** Our podcast series and blog provide discussions on current issues in technology law, with contributions from figures like Sanjoy Ghose and Dr. G.S. Bajpai.

## Our Team

A dedicated group of over 30 NLU students powers TLJT, fostering an inclusive and collaborative environment to drive tech law forward.



**Aryaman**  
Founder

**Rudraditya Singh Panwar**  
Chief Editor and CEO



# About The Competition

The **Legal Journal on Technology (TLJT)**, in collaboration with **Scriboard**, is thrilled to announce the **biggest Tech Law Article Writing Competition** to date! This landmark event invites law students, professionals, and scholars to submit articles on cutting-edge topics in **technology law**, competing for a **grand prize pool of ₹35,000**.

What makes this competition truly exceptional is the opportunity for the **top 5 contenders** to secure **internships with Scriboard**, one of the leading law firms in technology and intellectual property law, headed by **Mr. Rodney D. Ryder**. This prestigious internship will provide unparalleled exposure to real-world tech law issues and hands-on experience at the forefront of legal innovation.

Additionally, to maintain **TLJT's commitment to high publication standards**, the **top 10 articles** will be published on the TLJT platform, offering participants a chance to showcase their work on a renowned legal forum. **Don't worry the other 10 shall get a consideration as well !**

Don't miss out on this incredible opportunity to compete in the biggest Tech Law Article competition yet and gain invaluable experience with **Scriboard!**

# Prizes and Awards

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## ***Registration***

Authors shall be required to pay an amount of INR 350 for single author entries and INR 550 for coauthored entries (Maximum 2 authors are permissible for co-authored entries). Registrations have to be made through Google form only (The same can be accessed here - <https://forms.gle/Fyyb7Z8UqWAbrgMs6> )

# IMPORTANT DATES



Opening of Registrations  
and Submissions

15th October 2024

Last Date of Registration

25th November 2024

Last Date of Submission

10th December 2024

Declaration of Results

30th January 2025

# THEMES

## Everything Tech-Law

### **SUB-THEMES:**

1. Cybersecurity and Data Privacy
2. Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning
3. Intellectual Property and Technology
4. Digital Platforms and Regulation
5. Blockchain and Cryptocurrencies
6. FinTech and Digital Payments
7. Surveillance, Privacy, and Human Rights
8. Internet Governance and Digital Sovereignty
9. Technology and Employment Law
10. Technology and Environmental Law
11. Biotechnology and Legal Ethics
12. Digital Identity and Citizenship
13. Technology and Dispute Resolution
14. Social Media and Law
15. Technology and International Humanitarian Law

This list is non-exhaustive to allow participants to explore additional sub-themes and emerging trends within technology law. Participants are encouraged to interpret the themes creatively, explore interdisciplinary angles, and present well-researched insights.

# ***Submission Guidelines***

## **GENERAL GUIDELINES**

**The manuscripts need to be submitted through Google form only .  
Submissions made by any other means shall not be considered.**

**Authors are requested to not put their names anywhere in the main manuscript. All entries should be submitted in .doc or .docx format.**

**Co-authorship of a maximum of two persons is permitted.**

**The author(s) bear sole responsibility for the accuracy of facts, opinions or views stated in the submitted Manuscript.**

**Submission and publication of manuscripts that purposefully target or intend to harm the religious, socio-cultural, and/or political sentiments of any reasonable reader are strictly prohibited. The submissions must strictly be limited to legal analysis of the covered topics.**



**The language used must not be unparliamentary, abusive or result in disrepute of any third person.**

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**Similarity check for the Blog is done using the Turnitin software. A maximum of 5% of similarity is permissible for the manuscript to pass the first stage of technical review.**

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**ELIGIBILITY - Participation is open to law and related fields for undergraduate, master's students, and professionals, either individually or in teams of two.**

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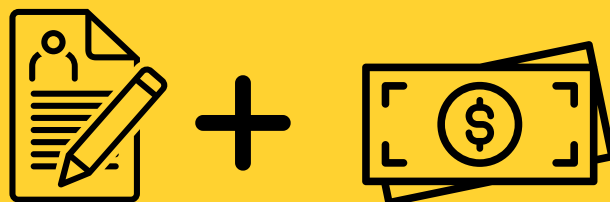
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