



**UGANDA LAW SOCIETY
CONTINUING LEGAL EDUCATION CALENDAR, 2019**

Ref	Course Title/Date	Credit Hours	Course Content	Fee
1	Opening of the New Law Year [1 February 2019]	2	This half day event will feature presentations on the 2018 performance as well as 2019 focus and targets from the Chief Justice, the Minister of Justice, the Principal Judge, President of the Uganda Law Society, the President of the Uganda Judicial Officers Association and the Chief Registrar	Free of Charge
2	Latest in the Law session [22 February 2019]	2	This is majorly aimed at discussing the current topical issues, human rights matters and court judgments.	Free of Charge
3	Conveyancing Practices and Procedures Fort Portal [19 Feb 2019] Gulu [21 Feb 2019] Mbale [25 Feb 2019] Kampala [28 Feb 2019]	5	The training will appraise participants on the recent developments in land administration in Uganda, the legal and practical challenges of the land tenure systems in Uganda, a Judicial perspective on the developments in Uganda's land law jurisprudence as well as the emerging trends and challenges in the administration of estates and trusts among others.	Free of Charge
4	Litigation Techniques: New Trends Kampala [26 - 27 February 2019] Mbale [20 August 2019]	10 5	The seminar will appraise participants on the emerging trends in litigation practice; successful litigation, the dos and don'ts in litigation, appeals and the best practices to adopt.	UGX 360,000= UGX 180,000=
5	Women in Law Awards [7 March 2019]	2	The dinner will award excellence for women in different sectors including; Judges, Magistrates, Registrars, Prosecutors, Litigators and Corporate Counsel that have excelled or made changes by impacting or improving the standing of women in the legal profession.	Individual card UGX 180,000= Table of UGX 8 2,500,000=

6	Employment & Labour Law Conference [14 - 15 March 2019]	10	This two-day conference promises informative, in-depth analysis of legal issues concerning employment law, employee benefits, employment tax, workers compensations, pensions and benefits in the context of a changing global environment.	UGX 700,000
7	Alternative Dispute Resolution: Gulu [29 March 2019] Mbarara [12 June 2019] Kampala [5 December 2019]	5	The course is designed to be very interactive using role plays and exercises; participants will have a clear understanding of the skills and qualities required to become a mediator and how to help parties resolve disputes through mediation.	UGX 180,000
8	Young Lawyers Symposium [TBC]	5	The symposium is aimed at equipping the lawyers with financial Management knowledge, best firm practices tools and techniques needed to work with influence. Through this training, leaders will be equipped in the 10 fundamental ways a person becomes an INFLUENCER	UGX 180,000
9	3 rd Annual Law Conference [4 & 5 April 2019]	10	The theme for the Third Annual Law conference will be “The Future of the Legal Business and the Rule of Law: Building Lasting Legacies”. This Conference will discuss the relationship between how law and social and economic progress, has evolved over the years	UGX 500,000
10	ULS Annual Conference & General Meeting [5 – 6 April 2019]	10	The largest gathering of the legal fraternity across the country; a meeting place of more than 2000 lawyers and legal professionals from around the region. This year the conference will discuss the future of the Legal Profession – focusing on rekindling ethical legal practice	Attendance is strictly for paid up members 2019
11	Trial Advocacy [TBC] Mbarara	15	This one week intensive seminar exposes participants to actual trial practice in a court room setting and aims at refining and updating the practical trial advocacy skills of the participants.	UGX 750,000
12	Development in Company Law and Practice [16 April 2019]	5	This seminar will appraise participants on the role of in house counsel in company operations, the corporate governance framework, key principles and elements of good corporate governance systems as well as the business case for corporate governance.	UGX 180,000
13	Financial Law and Practice: An Update [25 April 2019]	5	This seminar will appraise participants on the emerging trends in the banking sector as well as fraud mitigation measures.	UGX 180,000
14	Latest in the Law session [26 April, 2019]	2	This is majorly aimed at discussing the current topical issues, human rights matters and court judgments.	Free of Charge

15	Islamic Banking Law [2 May 2019]	5	The seminar is intended to examine the history of efforts to introduce Islamic Banking in Uganda, challenges surrounding the issue of both intra- communal and inter-communal, the role of Government, and the regional and global challenges as well as ways to overcome these challenges.	UGX 180,000
16	Mineral Resource Law & Energy: How much do you know? [8 May 2019]	5	This training is intended to update participants on the minerals available in Uganda and the role of the lawyer in the management and exploitation of mineral resources including oil and gas.	UGX 180,000
17	Understanding the Right to Health [16 May, 2019]	5	The Seminar will examine the right to health; Content of the right to health; Key aspects of the right to health; The link between right to health and other human rights; State obligations towards the right to health.	UGX 180,000
18	Mergers & Acquisitions Conference [TBC]	10	This conference will cover areas that provide a practical insight into M&A for all the participants, keeping them abreast of the law and policy in Africa. This event will also enable participants to gain business intelligence on evolving issues in the market and exploit the opportunities they present while also allowing them to build invaluable international connections through unparalleled networking opportunities with leading M&A professionals, Investment Banks, Private Equity Firms, Top Executives and Other Deal Makers from around the world.	\$540
19	Developments in the Electricity Sector in Uganda [21 May, 2019]	5	This seminar will give an overview of the regulation of the sector, the roles of the different players, an update on recent developments in electricity generation, as well as appreciation of the salient terms of power agreements.	UGX 180,000
20	Intellectual Property Law [TBC]	5	This seminar will examine the impact of ICT on Intellectual Property Rights and status of implementation of the Intellectual Property Rights legal Framework in Uganda with a comparative regional perspective.	UGX 180,000
21	Latest in Law [31 May 2019]	2	This is majorly aimed at discussing the current topical issues, human rights matters and court judgments.	Free of Charge
22	Firm Management [TBC]	5	The training will provide a unique opportunity for those in leadership and managerial positions in their respective law firms as well as those considering starting their own legal practices. It will also highlight the know-how on building and maintaining a successful legal practice fit for 21st Century challenges and opportunities.	UGX 180,000
23	Personal Growth, Financial Management and Professionalism [TBC]	5	The seminar will equip lawyers with practicable knowledge and skills to enable them manage and maximize their financial and other economic resources in order to reap maximum personal and professional benefit from their work and investments.	UGX 180,000

24	Commercial Contracts: What you need to Know. [20 June 2019]	5	This seminar will educate lawyers on principles and techniques of negotiation, language and drafting of contracts, legal issues in international contracts as well as contract management and dispute resolution	UGX 180,000
25	Pro Bono Day [Countrywide] [28 June 2019]	2	A Regional Pro Bono day was initiated by the Uganda Law Society to increase access to justice through the provision of free legal services by Advocates to the poor, indigent and marginalized in Uganda. Advocates will in line with The Advocates (Pro Bono Services to indigent Persons) Regulations SI No. 39 of 2009 give back to society through the provision of legal aid services to walk in clients in all the regions where the Uganda Law Society Legal Aid Offices are situate i.e. Kampala, Jinja, Soroti, Arua, Gulu, Masindi,	Free of Charge
26	Regional and International courts and tribunals Training [4 July 2019]	5	This training will appraise participants on the adjudication of cases in the in the War crimes court and highlight linkages to other regional and international courts and tribunals.	UGX 180,000
27	Mediation Training [15 - 19 July 2019]	15	This new Advanced Mediation skills Development course will help the participants attain mediation skills and gain a toolkit for tackling even the most challenging multiparty disputes. This will be a highly interactive, skill enhancement course facilitated by experienced trainers with decades of experience in mediation training. Advanced Mediation skills development course is designed for previously trained or experienced Mediator who may be advocates, Judges, Magistrates, court administrators desiring to enhance their mediation skills. This course will focus on the latter stages of the mediation process, emphasizing caucusing and closure.	USD 600 PLUS VAT
28	Sports Day - Prioritizing Healthy lifestyle & work-life/balance [20 July 2019]	2	This event will bring together lawyers across the country to participate in a myriad of sports activities including among others athletics, volley ball and football.	Free of Charge
29	Oil and Gas Law: An update [25 July 2019]	5	This seminar will appraise participants on the policy and legal reforms; developments in the sector in terms of mineral discoveries as well as the role of the legal profession in the management and exploitation of mineral resources	UGX 180,000
30	Sharpening your Trial Advocacy skills; Kampala [5 – 9 August 2019]	15	This one week intensive seminar exposes participants to actual trial practice in a court room setting and aims at refining and updating the practical trial advocacy skills of the participants.	UGX 1,250,000

31	Preparing for an honorable Retirement life [15 August 2019]	5	Preparing for an honorable Retirement life: The seminar will enable participants to attain practicable knowledge, skills and expertise on both short term and long term investment and lifestyle techniques necessary to prepare for a respectful retirement stage.	UGX 180,000
32	Latest in Law Session [28 August 2019]	2	This is majorly aimed at discussing the current topical issues, human rights matters and court judgments.	Free of Charge
33	Taxation Symposium [12 September 2019]	5	Examine trends and jurisprudence in taxation of costs – party to party costs, advocate client and remuneration agreements as well as adequacy of the Advocates Remuneration and Taxation of Costs Rules and develop recommendations for reform.	UGX 180,000
34	Bar – Bench Forum on Land Matters [18 September 2019]	5	The forum will be a platform for policy makers, land professionals and technocrats from the Central Government, Local Government, the academia, Civil Society and Community Organizations, Private Sector and other participants to discuss the current situation, challenges and advancements relating to land governance in Uganda	Free of Charge
35	International Bar Association Annual Conference 2019 Seoul, Korea [22 – 27 September 2019]	15	The largest gathering of the international legal community in the world – a meeting place of more than 4,500 lawyers and legal professionals from around the world; More than 180 working sessions covering all areas of practice relevant to international legal practitioners and the opportunity to generate new business with the leading firms in the world’s key cities.	Information at www.ibanet.org Seoul, Korea
36	Annual Rule of Law Day [4 October, 2019]	2	This comprises of a week-long series of events to commemorate the Rule of Law in Uganda. The theme will address democracy, good governance and constitutionalism	Free of Charge
37	Technology and Innovation Colloquium [24 - 25 October 2019]	10	The seminar will appraise participants on the emerging trends in Information Technology; the use of Information technology in practice management as well as an IT solution for document management for lawyers.	TBC
38	Practical aspects of litigating the right to health in Uganda [30 October 2019]	5	The seminar will examine the impact of the Right to health including some of the Cases litigated in the courts of law in Uganda; Court’s indulgence on interpretation of the Constitution as far as government is responsible for ensuring women in public facilities don’t die of preventable maternal deaths and examine the set precedents for litigating the right to health claims and Medical Negligence.in Uganda	UGX 180,000
39	EALS Annual Conference & General Meeting; Kigali, Rwanda [6 - 9 November 2019]	10	This is a statutory meeting that will be preceded by a Conference which brings together advocates and legal professionals from the region, continent and the world at large. The Conference offers an opportunity for lawyers to generate new networks and business	TBC

40	Practice Management: [12–13 November 2019]	10	Building a Successful and Profitable Team; Delivering the Service, client care, avoiding and dealing with complaints; Growth as part of a firm's strategy - mergers and acquisitions or organic growth; Business clients - how to win them and keep them; Professional Standards and Ethics - case studies and 10 ways to make a business more profitable.	UGX 360,000
41	Criminal Law in Practice [19 November 2019]	5	This workshop will explore the challenges faced in criminal litigation in light of the increasing cyber, crime, corruption and management of both private and public prosecutions.	UGX 180,000
42	Developments in Construction Law [27 November 2019]	5	This training will enhance the lawyers' Opportunities in the construction industry and will address recent developments in standard form construction contracts, risk allocation and management and Dispute Resolution in construction law.	UGX 180,000
43	Latest in Law Session [29 November 2019]	2	This is majorly aimed at discussing the current topical issues, human rights matters and court judgments.	Free of Charge
44	Annual Lawyers' Ball Kampala Serena Hotel, [13 December 2019]	2	The dinner provides an opportunity for members to informally mingle and share the year's experiences and challenges as they devise strategies to tap into opportunities for the next year.	UGX 200,000

Notes:

- Under Regulation 3 of The Advocates (Continuing Legal Education) Regulations, SI 78 of 2004, every advocate shall complete a programme of continuing legal education spread out to cover a minimum of twenty hours in each year.
- This calendar only includes courses offered by and in partnership with ULS.
- Members are advised to pay for seminars in advance at the Secretariat for planning purposes.
- The presentations/materials from sessions on this calendar will be distributed to the participants after each event via email only.
- Any member who intends to attend seminars/workshops organized by other institutions shall make an individual application to the Law Council thirty days (30) before the seminar date for accreditation purposes.
- Any member desirous of presenting or facilitating at CLE sessions should contact the Secretariat on email: cle@uls.or.ug or membersaffairs@uls.or.ug or Tel: +256 414 342 424.
- There is a possibility of new programmes coming up during the year.
- This calendar may be subject to changes which shall be communicated to the membership via email.