UGANDA LAW SOCIETY
CONTINUING LEGAL EDUCATION (CLE) CALENDAR, 2025

Ref	Course Title/Date	Credit Hours	Course Content	Fee
1.	Opening of the New Law Year **[7th February 2025]**	2	This half day event will feature presentations on the 2024 performance as well as 2025 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.	Training on Retirement Benefits **5th & 6th March 2025** Arua & Gulu	5	This training will focus on the Legal Framework of Retirement Benefits in Uganda and how the advocates can plan for their retirement	Free of charge
3.	Public Lecture on Rule of Law/ Latest in the Law Series **TBC**	2	The Public lecture will discuss emerging Rule of Law issues that are pertinent to the Advocates. The Latest in the Law Series is majorly aimed at discussing the current and emerging topical issues in the law, human rights matters and recent court judgments	Free of Charge
4.	Recently Issued Court Rules & Procedures/Upcountry CLE Trainings in Northern, Western and Eastern Region **TBC**	5	This will be a training for Judicial Officers and members of ULS on the recently released Court Rules and Procedures in the various regions.	**Physical Attendance** Ugx.100,000/= (Other Lawyers) Ugx.70,000/= (Young Lawyers)
5.	Emerging areas in Land Law & Conveyacing (**20th March 2025)**	5	This training will delve into aspects of property rights, land transactions, mortgages and developments in the land tenure systems	**Online Attendance** Ugx. 100,000/= Ugx. 70,000/=
6.	Bar – Bench Forum **TBC**	2	The forum will be a platform bringing together members of the bench and bar as well as justice stakeholders to discuss best practices for effective administration of justice, challenges	**Free of charge**

			facing the courts at regional level including case backlog, court operations, enforcement of Court Orders and make recommendations for effective administration of justice. This will also provide a platform for our young lawyers to share their concerns and perspectives to improve their engagements with the Judiciary.	
7.	Family Law Conference- Analysis of the prevailing and emerging practices and procedures in Uganda **(26th March 2025)**	5	The Family Custer will hold a training on the Marriage Bill and its Impact on the Contemporary Family Law Issues like Succession, Marriage, Divorce and the rights of a child	**Online Attendance** Ugx. 100,000/= (Other Lawyers) Ugx. 70,000/= (Young Lawyers)
8.	Climate Justice Training **(27th & 28th March 2025)**	10	This is a two-day training which will target Climate Justice and action to interest young professionals to advocate for Climate Justice.	**Physical Attendance only** **Fee: TBC**
9.	Commonwealth Law Conference, Malta **(6th-10th April 2025)**	10	The 24th Commonwealth Law Conference will take place in Malta, bringing together advocates from world over to skill advocates in areas like Family Law, Trial Advocacy etc	**For more info, kindly visit the website;** https://www.commonwealthlawyers.com/event/save-the-date-for-the-24th-commonwealth-law-conference-2025-malta-6th-10th-april-2025/
10.	Young Lawyers Symposium **[10th & 11th April 2025]**	10	The symposium is aimed at equipping the young lawyers with leadership skills, best firm management tools, ethics and professional conduct and will include a mentoring session for young lawyers from senior lawyers. Through this training, lawyers will be equipped to grow and run their own practice as well become people of influence.	**Physical Attendance** Ugx. 250,000/= **Online Attendance** Ugx. 150,000/=
11.	Arbitration Training **[16th April 2025]**	5	The training will examine the Liability of Arbitrators with a renewed focus on conflicts of Interest and Arbitrator Disclosure. It will also delve into how to improve efficacy and enforcement of Arbitral Awards and the roles that the different parties play into this.	**Physical Attendance** Ugx. 200,000= (Other Lawyers) Ugx. 150,000/= (Young Lawyers) **Online** Ugx. 70,000/= (Young Lawyers) Ugx. 100,000/= (Other Lawyers)
12.	Public Lecture on Rule of Law/ Latest in the Law Series **TBC**	2	The Public lecture will discuss emerging Rule of Law issues that are pertinent to the Advocates.	**Free of Charge**

			The Latest in the Law Series is majorly aimed at discussing the current and emerging topical issues in the law, human rights matter and recent court judgments	
13.	Litigation Training **[24th & 25th April 2025]**	10	The overall aim of the training program is to create and nurture an active cadre of Competent Advocates in Litigating Disputes, knowledgeable on procedural aspects of the law and commitment to building a career in the service of society.	**Physical Attendance** Ugx. 400,000= (Other Lawyers) 340,000/= (Young Lawyers) **Online** Ugx. 200,000/= (Other Lawyers) Ugx. 140,000/= (Young Lawyers)
14.	Technology Conference -A. I & the Law **[30th April 2025]**	5	This conference will bring together Technology enthusiasts to navigate the use of Artificial Intelligence in the Legal Profession. As a result, this will inform the regulation of Artificial Intelligence in Uganda today.	**Physical Attendance** Ugx. 200,000= **(Other Lawyers**) Ugx. 140,000/= (Y**oung lawyers)** **Online Attendance** Ugx. 100,000/= (Other Lawyers) Ugx. 70,000/= (Young Lawyers)
15.	Public Lecture on Rule of Law/ Latest in the Law Series **TBC**	2	The Public lecture will discuss emerging Rule of Law issues that are pertinent to the Advocates. The Latest in the Law Series is majorly aimed at discussing the current and emerging topical issues in the law, human rights matters and recent court judgments	**Free of Charge**
16.	Emerging Trends in Intellectual Property Law **[7th & 8th May 2025]**	10	This seminar will focus on the legal framework of Intellectual Property Rights and the status of implementation of the Rights with a comparative regional perspective. The aim of this conference is to discuss regulation of online markets and emerging trends in the area.	**Physical Attendance** Ugx. 400,000= (Other Lawyers) Ugx. 340,000/= (Young Lawyers) **Online** Ugx. 200,000/= (Other Lawyers) Ugx. 140,000/= (Young Lawyers)

17.	Trial Advocacy Training **Mbarara**	TBC	This week-long training in Trial Advocacy will equip the Advocates within the region with Trial Advocacy skills to include case strategy and preparation, professionalism, communication, case analysis etc.	**Physical Attendance** **TBC**
18.	Energy Arbitration & Dispute Resolution **[9th May 2025]**	5	This conference will provide an in-depth exploration of energy disputes in Africa, focusing on the role of international arbitration and ADR in addressing challenges in the oil, gas, mining and broader energy sectors. Through thought-provoking discussions with leading experts, participants will gain insights into the economic, legal, and geopolitical factors driving energy and mining disputes and learn about strategies to effectively mitigate and resolve them.	**Physical Attendance** **Ugx.** 140,000/= young lawyers Ugx. 200,000/= Others **Online Attendance** Ugx. 100,000/= Ugx. 70,000/= (young Lawyers)
19.	Bar – Bench Forum **TBC**	2	The forum will be a platform bringing together members of the bench and bar as well as justice stakeholders to discuss best practices for effective administration of justice, challenges facing the courts at regional level including case backlog, court operations, enforcement of Court Orders and make recommendations for effective administration of justice. This will also provide a platform for our young lawyers to share their concerns and perspectives to improve their engagements with the Judiciary.	Free of charge
20.	In-House Legal Counsel Training **[20th May 2025]**	5	The training will provide a platform for networking and best practices sharing among In-House Counsel, highlighting the roles of the In-house counsel to advice on the law, manage the legal risks and most importantly manage the governance of affairs in the company and dealings with external counsel.	**Online Attendance** Ugx.100,000= (**Other Lawyers)** Ugx.70,000/=(**Young Lawyers)**
21.	Employment & Labour Law Conference **[20th & 21st May 2025]**	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.	**Physical Attendance** Ugx. 400,000= (Other Lawyers) 340,000/= (Young Lawyers) **Online** Ugx. 200,000/= (Other Lawyers) Ugx. 140,000/= (Young Lawyers)

22.	Tackling Case Backlog strategies- Emerging Trends in Case backlog reduction **[27th May 2025]**	2	This training will involve the Judiciary and discuss effective strategies to delve into strategies to mitigate and manage the crisis of Case backlog in our Courts	Free of charge
23.	Data Protection & Privacy Conference **[29th May 2025]**	5	The Conference will equip lawyers with knowledge of the data protection principles and its application	**Online Attendance** Ugx. 100,000/= (Other Lawyers) Ugx. 70,000/= (Young Lawyers)
24.	Firm Management **[June- July 2025]** The trainings will be held for 6 weeks every Saturday	TBC	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.	**Physical Attendance** Ugx. 1,000,000= (Other Lawyers) Ugx. 900,000/= (Young lawyers)
25.	Public Lecture on Rule of Law/ Latest in the Law Series **TBC**	2	The Public lecture will discuss emerging Rule of Law issues that are pertinent to the Advocates. The Latest in the Law Series is majorly aimed at discussing the current and emerging topical issues in the law, human rights matters and recent court judgments	**Free of Charge**
26.	Technology Law Conference **[12th & 13th June 2025]**	10	The conference shall cover legal nuances of reputational and crisis management through social media; legal, reputational and disciplinary risks of using social media; and the implications of social media footprint and behavior on professional and personal lives.	**Online Attendance** Ugx. 200,000/= (Others) Ugx. 170,000/= (Young Lawyers)
27.	Insolvency Law Conference **[18th & 19th June 2025]**	10	This seminar will delve into the basics of insolvency and restructuring; the effect of insolvency on security, Cross border issues in Insolvency, effect of bankruptcy on the clients' rights, Directors' and officers' liability in Insolvency	**Physical Attendance** Ugx. 400,000= (Other Lawyers) 340,000/= (Young Lawyers) **Online** Ugx. 200,000/= (Other Lawyers) Ugx. 140,000/= (Young Lawyers)
28.	Insurance Law Training **[24th June 2025]**	5	Digital Transformation and Sustainability; The Future of the Insurance Industry. This training will delve into how the future technologies will impact the insurance industry.	**Online Attendance** Ugx. 100,000/=

				(Other Lawyers) Ugx. 70,000/= (**Young Lawyers)**
29.	Public Lecture on Rule of Law/ Latest in the Law Series **TBC**	2	The Public lecture will discuss emerging Rule of Law issues that are pertinent to the Advocates. The Latest in the Law Series is majorly aimed at discussing the current and emerging topical issues in the law, human rights matters and recent court judgments	**Free of Charge**
30.	Project Management for Lawyers **3rd July 2025**	5	This training will acquaint advocates with project management skills to include proposal writing, resource mobilization, monitoring and evaluation principles as well as management	**Online Attendance** Ugx. 100,000/= (Other Lawyers) Ugx. 70,000/= (**Young Lawyers**)
31.	Bar Bench Forum **TBC**	2	The forum will be a platform bringing together members of the bench and bar as well as justice stakeholders to discuss best practices for effective administration of justice, challenges facing the courts at regional level including case backlog, court operations, enforcement of Court Orders and make recommendations for effective administration of justice. This will also provide a platform for our young lawyers to share their concerns and perspectives to improve their engagements with the Judiciary.	Free of charge
32.	Latest in the Law Series **TBC**	2	This is majorly aimed at discussing the current and emerging topical issues in the law, human rights matters and recent court judgments.	Free Charge
33.	Tax law Symposium **[24th & 25th July 2025]**	10	Discussions on tax assessments, objections and objection decisions, resolving tax disputes before the tax appeals tribunal, international tax (tax avoidance, treaties and multilateral instrument – MLI), understanding transfer pricing and the latest trends in tax litigation.	**Physical Attendance** Ugx. 400,000= (Other Lawyers) Ugx. 340,000/= (Young Lawyers) **Online** Ugx. 200,000/= (Other Lawyers)

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35.	Trial Advocacy **[15th July- 15th August 2025]**	TBC	This one- month intensive seminar exposes participants to actual trial practice in a courtroom setting and aims at refining and updating the practical trial advocacy skills of the participants.	**Physical Attendance** Ugx. 1,000,000= (Others) Ugx. 900,000/= (Young Lawyers)
36.	Oil and Gas Law: challenges and opportunities **[1st August 2025]**	5	This seminar will appraise participants on developments in the sector; challenges and opportunities in the management and exploitation in oil and gas.	**Online** Ugx. 100,000/= (Other Lawyers) Ugx. 70,000/= (Young Lawyers)
37.	Legal Drafting; Drafting Contracts, Agreements and Court Documents **[6th August 2025]**	5	This training will acquaint advocates with skills to improve their legal drafting skills especially in regard to court documents, contracts and legislation	**Online** Ugx. 100,000 (Other Lawyers) Ugx.70,000 (Young Lawyers)
38.	Reproductive Justice Training **[8th August 2025]**	5	This event will acquaint advocates with knowledge on Health Law, in particular, Sexual and reproductive Justice Advocacy	**Online** Ugx. 100,000 (Other Lawyers) Ugx.70,000 (Young Lawyers)
39.	Prioritizing Healthy lifestyle & work-life/balance **Sports Day** **[9th August 2025]**	2	This event will bring together lawyers across the country to participate in a myriad of sports activities including among others athletics, volleyball and football. It will also have a brief session on lifestyle and work-life balance	**Free of charge** **Physical Attendance**
40.	Annual Law Conference	10	This is the flagship annual event that brings together Advocates to discuss matters incidental to the law and	**Physical Attendance** Ugx. 500,000= (Other Lawyers)

	[14th & 15th August 2025]		emerging challenges, solutions to tackling these issues in the various disciplines of the legal profession	350,000/= (Young Lawyers) **Online** Ugx. 200,000/= (Other Lawyers)
41.	Benedicto Kiwanuka Memorial Lecture **September 2025**	2	This event is organized by the Judiciary to commemorate the life of former Chief Justice of Uganda Benedicto Kiwanuka at High Court Grounds in Kampala. It will be held under the theme: "Enduring Legacy of Benedicto Kiwanuka; Reflection on the Past, Present and Future of the Administration of Justice in Uganda	Free of charge
42.	EAC Community Law: EACJ Practice and Procedures **[21st August 2025]**	5	The seminar will update participants on Community jurisprudence as well as the practice and procedures at the East African Court of Justice.	**Online Attendance** Ugx. 100,000/= (Other Lawyers) Ugx. 70,000/= (Young Lawyers)
43.	Corporate Law Training -Mergers and Acquisitions **[3rd September 2025]**	5	The seminar will focus on Mergers and Acquisitions in high growth economies; pitfalls to be avoided. This will be a master class for practitioners interested in mergers and acquisitions across the different sectors including corporate mergers, finance and energy sector acquisitions.	**Physical Attendance** Ugx. 400,000= (Other Lawyers) 340,000/= (Young Lawyers) **Online** Ugx. 200,000/= (Other Lawyers) Ugx. 140,000/= (Young Lawyers)
44.	Democratic Governance & Civic Participation **[5th September 2025]**	5	This training will address pertinent legal issues in democratic governance and civic participation to include civil and political rights enshrined under the constitution	**Online Attendance** Ugx. 100,000/= (Other Lawyers) Ugx. 70,000/= (Young Lawyers)
45.	Public Lecture on Rule of Law/ Latest in the Law Series **TBC**	2	The Public lecture will discuss emerging Rule of Law issues that are pertinent to the Advocates. The Latest in the Law Series is majorly aimed at discussing the current and emerging topical issues in the law, human rights matters and recent court judgments	**Free of Charge**

46.	Emerging Trends in International Arbitration: Empowering Young Practitioners for Africa's Green Transition **[9th September 2025]**	5	This conference aims to explore the evolving trends in international arbitration and dispute resolution, with a focus on equipping young practitioners with the skills and knowledge necessary to navigate the complexities of Africa's green transition.	**Online Attendance** Ugx. 100,000/= (Other Lawyers) Ugx. 70,000/= (Young Lawyers)
47.	Land and Extractives Mining **[16th September 2025]**	5	The seminar is intended to discuss the challenges in the extractive sector in Uganda. It also seeks to engage policy makers in a discussion about the solutions to the challenges faced in this sector.	**Online Attendance** Ugx. 100,000= (Others) Ugx. 70,000/= (Young Lawyers)
48.	Annual General Meeting **[19th & 20th September 2025]**	10	The Annual General Meeting brings together all members of the Uganda Law Society to discuss matters pivotal to the Society	**Free of charge** For paid up Members of the Society
49.	Tackling Case Backlog strategies-Emerging Trends in Case backlog reduction **[23rd September 2025]**	2	This training will involve the Judiciary and discuss effective strategies to delve into strategies to mitigate and manage the crisis of Case backlog in our Courts	Free of charge
50.	International Trade Conference: Opportunities for the legal professional and What you need to Know. [**25 September 2025]**	5	This seminar will educate lawyers on trade, opportunities available for the legal profession, how to deal with challenges in trade in the wake of COVID 19, principles and techniques of negotiation, language and drafting of contracts, legal issues in international contracts as well as contract management and dispute resolution	**Online Attendance** UGX 100,000= (Others) 70,000/= (Young Lawyers
51.	Annual Rule of Law Day **TBC**	2	This comprises 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
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54.	Banking & Finance Symposium **[16th & 17th October 2025]**	10	The symposium is aimed at equipping the lawyers with practical aspects of banking and technology; This training explores the evolving landscape of banking and fintech, focusing on regulatory frameworks, innovative financial technologies, and risk management. Participants will gain insights into digital banking trends, payment systems, cryptocurrency regulations, and compliance strategies. Designed for legal professionals and financial practitioners, the session emphasizes practical case studies and legal challenges in integrating fintech solution.	**Physical Attendance** Ugx. 400,000= (Other Lawyers) 200,000/= (Young Lawyers) **Online** Ugx. 140,000/= (Young Lawyers) Ugx. 200,000/= (Others)
55.	Procurement Law Training **20th October 2025**	5	This virtual training will broaden the skills and knowledge of the advocates on the pertinent areas in Procurement Law and Litigation	**Online Attendance** UGX 100,000= (Others) 70,000/= (Young Lawyers)
56.	International Bar Association Annual Conference 2025 **[TBC]**	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.	TBC

57.	Competition Law Training **[6th November 2025]**	5	Competition Law in Uganda	**Online Attendance** Ugx. 100,000/= (Other Lawyers) Ugx. 70,000/=
58.	Public Lecture on Rule of Law/ Latest in the Law Series **TBC**	2	The Public lecture will discuss emerging Rule of Law issues that are pertinent to the Advocates. The Latest in the Law Series is majorly aimed at discussing the current and emerging topical issues in the law, human rights matters and recent court judgments	**Free of Charge**
59.	Environmental Law Training **(13th November 2025)**	5	The training will discuss latest developments in Environmental Law and their Impact on the Economy eg ESG Scores, Carbon Credits	**Online Attendance** Ugx. 100,000/= (Other Lawyers) Ugx. 70,000/= (Young Lawyers)
60.	Retirement Benefits Symposium **[20th November 2025]**	5	The seminar will update participants as key stakeholders on the legal and policy reforms in the sector, consider the various roles of service providers in the new legislation in a bid to create awareness, foster contribution to the pending reforms as well as enable advocates advise their clients and the general public effectively	**Online Attendance** **Ugx.** 100,000/= **(Other Lawyers)** **Ugx.** 70,000/= **(young lawyers)**
61.	EALS Annual Conference & AGM Zanzibar **[24th- 29th November 2025]**	10	The EALS Annual Conference brings together legal professionals from across the East African Region to discuss challenges and emerging issues in disciplines like Financial Excellence Academy, Women Lawyers Conference and In-House Convention	**Physical Attendance** TBC
62.	Criminal Law Practice **[27th November 2025]**	5	This workshop will explore the challenges faced in criminal litigation in light of the increasing undefined areas within the laws. This workshop will highlight areas such as corruption, financial loss and abuse of office and management of both private and public prosecutions.	**Online Attendance** Ugx. 100,000/= (Other Lawyers) Ugx. 70,000/=(young lawyers)
63.	Tax Compliance for Law Firms	2	This training will equip advocates and legal professionals with skills and knowledge on issues of tax compliance.	Free of Charge

	28th November 2025			
64.	Public Lecture on Rule of Law/ Latest in the Law Series **TBC**	2	The Public lecture will discuss emerging Rule of Law issues that are pertinent to the Advocates. The Latest in the Law Series is majorly aimed at discussing the current and emerging topical issues in the law, human rights matters and recent court judgments	**Free of Charge**
65.	Developments in Construction Law **[4th December 2025]**	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.	**Online Attendance** Ugx. 100,000/= (Other Lawyers) Ugx. 70,000/= (Young Lawyers.
66.	Sports and the Law training **[5th December 2025]**	5	The training will examine the problems that arise within the sports scene and determines their legal dealing practices. This course is an introduction to the world of sports key concepts as conceived in national and international law. At the same time it will import us to the concept of sports disputes, the nature and character of sports courts and the Court of Arbitration for Sport.	**Online Attendance** Ugx. 100,000/= (Other Lawyers) Ugx. 70,000/= (Young Lawyers
67.	Human Rights Conference [**10th December 2025]**	5	The training is aimed at creating a platform to discuss emerging human rights trends, challenges and opportunities. It shall also enhance understanding current human Anti trafficking legislations and developments so as to empower them to support Government's efforts in combating trafficking and also raise critical thinking and gather consensus around the gaps in Human Anti Trafficking legislations and practice.	**Physical attendance** UGX 200,000= (Other Lawyers) Ugx. 140,000/= (Young Lawyers) **Online Attendance** Ugx. 100,000/= (Other Lawyers) Ugx. 70,000/= (Young Lawyers0
68.	Annual Lawyers' Ball, Kampala [**12th December 2025**] Eastern Region - TBC Northern Region- TBC Western Region – TBC	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 250,000= Physical Attendance per person for Central Region UGX 200,000 (Young Lawyers Attendance)

				UGX 3,000,000= Corporate Table

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.
- Members are advised to pay for seminars in advance and after notify the secretariat, i.e Members' Affairs for planning purposes.
- Any member who intends to attend seminars/workshops organized by other institutions not accredited 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: membersaffairs@uls.or.ug or cle@uls.or.ug.
- There is a possibility of new programmes coming up during the year or dates being adjusted.
- Any changes to this calendar shall be communicated to the membership via ULS Portal, email and social media platforms.
- TBC –Means **"To Be Communicated"**