



UGANDA LAW SOCIETY CONTINUING LEGAL EDUCATION CALENDAR 2024

Ref	Course/Date	Hrs	Course Content	Fee
1	Opening of the New Law Year [February 9th]	2	A ceremony graced by all major stakeholders in the Justice Law and Order Sector; headlined by the Judiciary and the Bar:	Free (Hybrid)
2	Sports Law Practice and Disputes Adjudication [February 14th]	2	Examining legal issues within the sports scene, including sports disputes and the Court of Arbitration for Sport.	UGX 100,000, Young Lawyers: UGX 70,000
3	Professional Ethics for a Modern Advocate [February 21st]	5	An introduction to fundamentals of professional conduct, etiquette, courtesy and advocate civility	UGX 100,000 (Online Attendance) / UGX 70,000 (Young Lawyers)
4	Commonwealth Lawyers Conference [February 26th - 28th Feb]	5	TBC	TBC
5	Forensics Training Master Class (In Partnership with EALS Institute) [March 6th & 7th]	5	A two day expert led masterclass on forensics and investigations	Free (in person)
6	Litigation Training [March 13th & 14th]	10	The training covers key litigation aspects and specialised areas, enhancing practitioners' skills and addressing young lawyers' challenges.	UGX 200,000 (online), UGX 400,000, UGX 200,000 (Young Lawyers)
7	Evolve & ULS Training on Defence of Capital Appeals	3	Training on Defence of Capital Offences on Appeal	Free (Virtual)

	[March -April]			
8	ICT Training [April 11th]	5	Training on key ICT issues such as Artificial Intelligence, Cloud Computing, Cyber Security, Intellectual Property, Software Contracting	Virtual, UGX 100,000, UGX 70,000 (Young Lawyers)
9	<i>Regional:</i> Retirements Benefits in Partnership with URBRA [March 13th & 14th]	5	Training encompassing the different aspects of Retirement Benefits and Pensions Law	Free (Physical)
10	Bar- Bench Forum [February 21st]	2	An interaction between the leadership of the Bench and Members of the Bar on emerging issues and proposed interventions.	Free (Hybrid)
11	Modular training: Tech Skills for Lawyers in Partnership with Legal Tech Lab [April, 5 days weekly, 4 weeks]	10	The course covers fundamental skills, collaboration tools, cyber security and artificial intelligence	Virtual UGX 300,000, UGX 250,000 (Young Lawyers)
12	Labour Law Conference & Expo in Partnership with Ministry of Labour & the Industrial Court [April 24th -25th]	10	In marking the international labour day, ULS will convene a two day session of employment law practitioners, human resource practitioners and labour disputes adjudicators to discuss emerging trends	(Virtual) UGX 200,000, UGX 140,000
13	Young Lawyers Symposium [May 27th & 28th]	10	Equip young lawyers with leadership skills, best firm management tools, ethics, and professional conduct.	(Hybrid) Physical UGX 150,000, UGX 200,000 (Other Lawyers) (UGX 100,000 (Online)
14	Latest in the Law Series [May 30th]	2	A cluster led discussion on emerging insights from practice	Free of charge

15	Tax Symposium [June 6th -7th]	10	A two day event curated for tax practitioners, covering latest amendments, emerging trends, latest decisions, tax planning, objections and dispute resolution	Online UGX 200,000 UGX 140,000 (Young Lawyers) Physical UGX 400,000, UGX 350,000 (Young Lawyers)
16	Latest in the Law Series [TDB]	2	A cluster led discussion on emerging insights from practice	Free of Charge
17	Senior Lawyers Forum [June 13th]	5	A unique session curated for senior members of the Bar on succession planning, transition, health and financial security	UGX 150,000 (physical)
18	Is Alternative Dispute Resolution the Future? (Opportunities in Arbitration & more) [June 19th]	5	A practical simulated deep dive into case scenarios emphasising: The challenges of litigation, opportunities for mediated settlements, arbitration and other ADR opportunities	(Virtual) Online UGX 100,000 UGX 70,000 (Young Lawyers)
19	Certified Insurance Training (In Partnership with the Uganda Insurance Institute) [starts July 1st]	10	This is a series of certified training offered in partnership with accredited partners. The Uganda Insurance Institute offers certified and technical training annually.	UGX 750,000 (Physical)
20	Regional CLE Events & Diversification Series [July 2nd &3rd]	5	Curated sessions for regionally based advocates on key areas of practice unique to the regions	Physical UGX 100,000 UGX 70,000 (Young Lawyers)
21	Emerging Trends in Intellectual Property [July 10th]	5	An session on emerging areas in Intellectual Property practice and opportunities with WIPO Lex and Other I.P Rights	UGX 140,000 (others), UGX 70,000 (Young Lawyers)
22	Insolvency Law & Restructure [July 16th]	5	Training on Insolvency Law & Restructure; covering frameworks, debt restructuring strategies, and financial reorganisation	Virtual UGX 100,000 / UGX 70,000 (Young Lawyers)
23	Annual Uganda Criminal Justice Day [TBC]	5	Annual Celebration with Stakeholders on the status of Criminal Justice	UGX 300,000 (Physical), 250,000 (young lawyers), UGX 100,000 (Online)

24	Emerging Areas in Land Law and Property Disputes [August 1st]	3	Discussing latest decisions on land law practice, challenges in registration of proprietary interests in land	UGX 100,000 (Online Attendance) / UGX 70,000 (Young Lawyers)
25	Practice in Regional Courts and Emerging Trends in the EAC process [August 7th]	2	The training will encompass practical aspects in regional courts and explore evolving trends in the East African Community (EAC) process..	UGX 500,000 (Online) / UGX 300,000 (Young Lawyers)
26	Law Firm Management in Partnership [August 15th & 16th]	10	Gain expertise in leadership and management of law firms. Build and maintain a successful legal practice equipped for 21st-century challenges and opportunities.	UGX 1,000,000 / UGX 900,000 (Young Lawyers)
27	Annual Law Conference [August 26th & 27th]	10	The highlight of the legal calendar. Engage in high-level discussions, workshops, and networking opportunities on pertinent legal issues.	UGX 500,000=(Physical Attendance) UGX 400,000 (Young Lawyers) 200,000 (Online lawyers)
28	Business Skills for Lawyers [September 3rd]	2	Commercial Law Cluster to organise a practical skills training on business skills such as accounting, office management, client relations	Free of charge
29	Regulatory Developments on Anti-Money Laundering in Uganda [September 6th]	3	Focused on measures introduced by the Anti-Money Laundering Act to curb fraud and the new changes to Anti Money Laundering in the Finance Sector.	UGX 100,000 (Online) / UGX 70,000 (Young Lawyers)
30	Pre & Annual General Meeting [September 13th & 14th]	10	A topical discussion on reflections followed by an AGM	Free of Charge
31	Insurance Law in Partnership with Insurance Regulatory Authority [September 19th]	5	A deep dive into the basics of insurance law, the role of the Insurance Regulatory Authority, process for insurance complaints and insurance litigation	UGX 100,000 (Online) / UGX 70,000 (Young Lawyers)
32	Annual Technology Conference [September 25th & 26th]	10	A curated masterclass on technology, media and telecommunications law	Physical: UGX 400,000, Young Lawyers 200,000, UGX 200,000, UGX 140,000 (Young Lawyers)

33	Islamic Banking (In Partnership with Uganda Bankers Association) [October 2nd & 3rd]	10	A series of expert led masterclasses on the intricacies of Islamic Finance & Banking	Physical: UGX 400,000, Young Lawyers 350,000, UGX 200,000, UGX 140,000 (Young Lawyers)
34	Annual Rule of Law Week [October 7th to 11th]	2	A week long awareness campaign on the challenges and progress of rule of law endeavours	Free of Charge
35	Benedicto Kiwanuka Memorial Lecture [TBC]	2	In - person celebration to commemorate the late Ben Kiwanuka	Free of Charge
36	Mining Regulation & Practice Conference [October 16th & 17th]	5	The training will address Uganda's critical mineral challenges, emphasising Regulatory frameworks and ethics for sustainable, equitable, and prosperous resource management.	Physical: UGX 180,000, 150,000, UGX 100,000 (Young Lawyers), UGX 70,000 (Young Lawyers)
37	Latest in the Law Series [TBC]	2	A cluster led discussion on emerging insights from practice	Free of Charge
38	Cyber Law and Evidence Training curated for Members in the Armed Forces & Law Enforcement [TBC]	3	A training tailored around Cyber Law, Forensics, and Evidence Training Program Designed to empower Advocates serving within the Armed Forces and Law Enforcement	UGX 300,000 (in person)
39	Oil & Gas Contracting and Advisory [October 22nd October]	5	A training on best practises for lawyers advising clients in the oil and gas space	UGX 100,000 (Online) / UGX 70,000 (Young Lawyers)
40	Latest in the Law Series [TBC]	2	A cluster led discussion on emerging insights from practice	Free of Charge
41	Emerging Trends and Understanding of Aviation Laws [October 29th]	3	Exploring the legal aspects of the aviation industry, including new technologies and safety regulations	UGX 100,000 (Online Attendance) / UGX 70,000 (Young Lawyers)

42	Women in Law Conference & Awards Dinner [November 6th]	2	A conference to discuss topical issues of interest to female practitioners & a gala to celebrate milestones by female practitioners.	UGX 300,000, UGX 200,00 (Young Lawyers)
43	Webinar on Pro Bono Legal Practice [TBC]	2	Sensitising the membership on the role of pro-bono legal services in practice	Free of charge
44	International Bar Association Annual Conference [TBC]	15	A global gathering of lawyers from all over the world to discuss trends and best practices in the legal profession	TBC
40	Construction Law Symposium [November 14th-15th]	10	A two day event on curated masterclasses in Construction Law & Construction Disputes	Physical UGX 400,000, UGX 350,000 (Young Lawyers) Online UGX 200,000, UGX 140,000 (Young Lawyers)
41	Environmental Law & Policy [November 20th]	5	Emerging discussions in climate justice, environmental protection and sustainable development	UGX 100,000 (Online Attendance) / UGX 70,000 (Young Lawyers)
42	EALS Annual Conference & General Meeting; Kampala, Uganda [November 27th - 30th]	10	The largest gathering of the international legal community, covering various practice areas and offering networking opportunities	TBC
43	Prioritising Healthy lifestyle, Mental Health & Lawyers League Closing Ceremony Sports Day (November 28th)	2	A training tailored to mental health in the legal fraternity. Exploring lifestyle choices for mental health and options for diagnosis and treatment.	UGX 100,000 (Online Attendance) / UGX 70,000 (Young Lawyers)
44	Annual Lawyers' Ball (December 6th)	2	Crowning the year with celebratory event reflecting on milestones within the year and discussing progress on the ULS House	UGX 300,000, Young Lawyers: UGX 250,000=
45	Upcountry Dinners (Dec (North, East, West Nile, Dec West) [TBC]	2	Networking and celebration of members practising within the different regions. Events graced by thought leaders and senior members of the bar and bench within the regions	UGX 200,000, Young Lawyers: UGX 100,000=
46	Criminal Law in Practice	2	Engage in a topical discussion relating to the criminal justice system in Uganda, a delve	UGX 100,000 (Online) / UGX 70,000 (Young

	[December 13th]		into the current emerging criminal laws such as removing private prosecution.	Lawyers)
47	Professional Ethics for a Modern Advocate (December 18th)	3	An introduction to fundamentals of professional conduct, etiquette, courtesy and advocate civility	UGX 100,000 (Online Attendance) / UGX 70,000 (Young Lawyers)

Notes:

Under *Regulation 3 of The Advocates (Continuing Legal Education) Regulations, S.I 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 includes courses offered by and in partnership with ULS.
- 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 organised 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: cle@uls.or.ug and litigation@uls.or.ug
- There is a possibility of new programmes coming up during the year or dates being adjusted.
- Please note that the Law Council Committee on Legal Education and Training (CLET) resolved that the remedial training period granted was only applicable for the year 2022 and will not be used as a precedent for subsequent applications/requests of a similar nature. We therefore advise members to take note of this communication and comply.
- Any changes to this calendar shall be communicated to the membership via ULS Portal, email, social media platforms and the Newsletter.
- TBC –Means “To Be Communicated”