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THE LEGAL INSIGHT

The Official LSK Weekly Newsletter

STATEMENT OF THE LAW SOCIETY OF KENYA ON THE DEATH OF MR. ALBERT OJWANG WHILE IN POLICE CUSTODY AT CENTRAL POLICE STATION, NAIROBI



The Law Society of Kenya expresses its profound condemnation of the death of Mr. Albert Ojwang while in Police Custody at the Central Police Station Nairobi. Mr. Ojwang, who was arrested in Homa Bay, while in full health, was detained at Mawego Police Station before being moved to Nairobi where he was confined at the Central Police Station before his untimely demise in the wee hours of the night. From preliminary reports, Mr. Ojwang's apprehension was on the basis of some allegations of "false publication" stemming from his activity on social media. According to the Inspector General of the National Police Service, the said false publication relates to a complaint by the Deputy Inspector General of the Kenya Police Service, Mr. Eliud Langat, that his name has been tarnished.

[#JusticeForAlbertOjwang](#)

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LSK ENGAGEMENT WITH THE RULES COMMITTEE

On 13th June 2025, the Convener for Lands, and Climate Justice Committee of the LSK, Council Member Teresia Wavinya, flanked by Ms. Grace Otieno, Branch Chair West Kenya had an opportunity to engage with the Rules Committee chaired by His Lordship Justice George Odunga. The committee held an interactive public participation and stakeholder engagement exercise at Siaya Law Courts. The forum aimed at sensitizing and collecting views from members of the public on the Environment and Land Court (General) Rules, 2025. Also present was Presiding Judge Hon. David Kemei, Hon. Adraya Dena (ELC), Chief Magistrate Margaret Wambani and Hon. Mukala.





LAUNCH OF THE LAW SOCIETY OF KENYA EFFICIENCY AND ETHICS TASKFORCE | COURTS & LAND REGISTRIES REFORM

On Monday, June 16, 2025 LSK President Faith Odhiambo officially launched the Taskforce on Efficiency and Ethics in the Judiciary and Various Registries, vowing to restore public confidence in Kenya's justice system. Madam Faith Odhiambo declared the moment a clarion call to accountability, introspection, and collective reform urging all arms of the legal and judicial community to confront systemic failures and rampant ethical lapses.

"This is not merely the unveiling of another committee – it is a clarion call to accountability," she said. "We gather here today not to state the obvious, but to act on it."

Citing widespread frustrations within the legal fraternity and among the public, Odhiambo lamented how inefficiencies and ethical shortcomings have deeply eroded trust in judicial processes.

She condemned delays, lost files, and opaque court processes, calling them symptoms of deeper institutional rot. "Justice delayed is justice denied. And I dare add – justice compromised by unethical conduct is justice corrupted,"





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The Practice Standards and Ethics Committee together with the Practice Standards Directorate undertook an inspection exercise in Siaya County following tips from members of the Public of individuals posing as Advocates.

The team led by Council Member Teresia Wavinya together with the LSK West Kenya Branch Chair Grace Otieno led the swoop in Siaya Town where one individual was nabbed after offering legal service to our team who posed as clients.

With the help of Kenya Police, Siaya County, the suspect was booked and presented to court for plea taking on 13th June, 2025. Additionally, the team identified a number of advocates who were practicing without a valid practicing certificate. A notice to show cause shall be issued in due course.





LAUNCH OF THE 8TH EDITION OF NAIROBI LEGAL AWARDS CYCLE



NAIROBI LEGAL AWARDS 2025- THE ACCESS TO JUSTICE EDITION

Launch of the 8th Edition Award Cycle and Call for Nominations

A. Introduction

In recognition of legal excellence and the outstanding contributions of members of the Law Society of Kenya – Nairobi Branch, we are pleased to announce the launch of the 8th Edition of the Nairobi Legal Awards (NLA) 2025.

This edition upholds our tradition of recognizing **excellence and professionalism** in legal practice. In 2025, we are celebrating advocates who have demonstrated an unwavering commitment to promoting **Access to Justice** and who have made a **significant, enduring impact** on the legal profession.

Nominations for the **11 award categories (Phase 1)** are now open. All relevant details can be found below. Nominate a deserving advocate for the 8th Edition of the NLA via this link: [Create a Nomination](#).

B. About Access to Justice- the Core of the 8th Edition

The 8th Edition of the Nairobi Legal Awards is anchored on a deeply resonant theme: **Access to Justice**; a right enshrined in **Article 48 of the Constitution of Kenya**, which guarantees every person the right to access justice without undue barriers, including cost, discrimination, or delay.

In a country as dynamic and complex as Kenya, where disparities in legal literacy, financial resources, and systemic inefficiencies can hinder many from finding redress, the role of the legal profession becomes even more vital. Advocates who devote themselves to breaking these barriers, through **pro bono work, legal aid, public interest litigation, community legal education, or reform advocacy**, are not only defenders of the law but **guardians of dignity and equity**.

This year, we shine a light on those advocates who walk the extra mile, not for accolades, but for the cause of justice. These are professionals who strive for a delicate but vital balance, ensuring due process while moving efficiently to serve those in need.

C. Nomination Submission Requirements

- *Nomination Information:* One must provide the nominee's full name, contact information (both phone number and email address), organization/employer, and P.105 number.
- *Number of Nominees One Can Nominate:* A person can nominate more than one advocate across the various categories within the 11 sub-categories listed. Please note that the nomination process is merit-based, not driven by popularity. Nominators are therefore encouraged to nominate a candidate only once per category. Multiple nominations of the same nominee in a single category are strongly discouraged, as they will be counted as a single nomination.
- *Nomination Period:* The nomination window will run for three weeks, from Tuesday, 3rd June 2025 to Monday, 23rd June 2025. Please note that there will be no extension of time.
- *Nomination Link:* To nominate, please click the following link: [Create a Nomination](#).

D. Nomination Guidelines

- *Eligibility:* Only Advocates of the High Court of Kenya with a valid and current practicing certificate are eligible for nomination.
- *Geographical Scope:* Nominees must be practicing within Nairobi or Kiambu counties. Advocates who are registered members of the LSK Nairobi Branch but work in organizations located outside Nairobi and Kiambu are also eligible. This provision also applies to the Law Teacher of the Year sub-category, where teachers whose practicing status is within Nairobi or Kiambu but lecture at institutions outside these regions are considered eligible.



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- *Self-Nominations:* Self-nominations are permitted.

E. Conflict of Interest Policy

NLA runs both listing and an awards process, each with a distinct conflict of interest policy. For the NLA awards, the conflict of interest policy is stricter and broader. It excludes eligibility for candidates (*individuals and organizations*) who are directly connected (*employment or spouse*) with a member of the NLA Trust, Jury, LSK Nairobi Branch Council, NLA Awards Sponsors, NLA/LSK Nairobi Branch Secretariat.

Individuals affected by the conflict of interest policy are encouraged to participate in other ways, for instance, by taking up various sponsorship packages.

F. Award Categories

The Nairobi Legal Awards cycle is structured in two major phases: **Phase I** and **Phase II**. Phase I features four main categories comprising a total of eleven sub-categories, while Phase II consists of three broad categories further divided into seven sub-categories.

Currently, nominations for Phase I are open, with Phase II nominations set to open soon.

I. PHASE I CATEGORIES

A. External Practitioners Categories

1. Litigation Practitioner of the Year
2. Commercial/Conveyancing Practitioner of the Year
3. Manager/Partner of the Year.

C. Ancillary Categories

7. ADR Practitioner of the Year
8. Pupil Master of the Year
9. Law Teacher of the Year

B. In-House Practitioner Categories

4. Private Sector Lawyer of the Year
5. Public Sector Lawyer of the Year
6. Civil Society Lawyer of the Year

D. Overall Categories

10. Young Lawyer of the Year
11. Lawyer of the Year

II. PHASE II CATEGORIES

E. Law Firm Categories

1. SME Law Firm of the Year
2. Large Law Firm of the Year

G. Judicial Officers Categories

6. Judge of the Year
7. Judicial Officer of the Year

F. In-House Legal Departments

3. Private Sector Legal Department of the Year
4. Public Sector Legal Department of the Year
5. Civil Society Organization of the Year.



NAIROBI LEGAL AWARDS- TOP 50 IN- HOUSE COUNSEL

Congratulations to the Top 50 In-House Counsel 2025!



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Rubis Energy Kenya Plc

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Wangechi Gichuki
Thomas Louis Abira
Caroline Simba
Cynthia Mathenge
Diana Kaeni Nthiwa
Florence Muturi
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Norah Odingo-Kajwang

Teachers Service Commission
Public Service Commission
Ethics and Anti-Corruption Commission
Commission on Administrative Justice
(Office of the Ombudsman)
Kenya Pipeline
Energy & Petroleum Regulatory Authority
Financial Reporting Centre
Central Bank of Kenya
Office of the Attorney General
Kenya Law Reforms
Insurance Regulatory Authority
National Environment Management Authority
Office of the Data Protection Commissioner
Office of the Attorney General
Parliament (Senate)
Office of the Attorney General
Kenya National Highways Authority

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Initiative for Strategic Litigation Africa
Kenya Legal and Ethical Issues Network (KELIN)
International Justice Mission Kenya
Forum for African Women Educationalists (FAWE)
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The Law Society of Kenya celebrates your well-deserved recognition at the Nairobi Legal Awards. Your dedication, integrity, and strategic leadership continue to shape and elevate the in-house legal profession.

We commend your commitment to excellence and service within both the public and private sectors.

Well done on this outstanding achievement #Wakilis!



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UPDATED- NOTICE FOR LSK CONTINUING PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT (CPD) EVENTS - JUNE 2025



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Date	Topic	Speakers	Venue	CPD Unit(s)	Cost	Time
6 th June 2025	Parliamentary Procedures and Practice: Understanding the Legislative Process in Kenya	Dr. Johnson Okello, Director, Legal Services, The Senate	Virtual	2	1,500	2.00pm – 3.30pm
6 th June 2025	Accessing Child Justice in Kenya: Navigating the legal framework	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hon. Justice Kiarie Waweru Hon. Ndegwa Wahome, MBS 	Thompson Falls Lodge, Nyahururu	2	5,500/4,500	8.30am-2.30pm
11 th June 2025	Retirement Planning: Is the Advocate ready for retirement?	Patricia Kiwanuka, CEO, Revenue Stream Ltd	Virtual	1	1,000	2.00pm – 3.00pm
13 th June 2025	Constitutional law: Perspectives on evolving jurisprudence and practice (Bar and Bench)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hon. Lady Justice Jacqueline Kamau David Achero, Advocate 	Sports Club, Kakamega	2	5,500/4,500	8.30am-2.30pm
18 th June 2025	Anti-Money Laundering Litigation – Navigating the complexity of AML cases.	Judith Shamalla, Advocate-Assistant Director-Asset Tracing, Ethics and Anti-Corruption Commission (EACC)	Virtual	1	1,000	2.00pm – 3.00pm
18 th - 20 th June 2025	Elevating Practice in Family Law	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hon. Lady Justice Helene Namisi, Judge, High Court Athman Abdulhalim Hussein, Chief Kadhi 	Holiday Inn, Two Rivers Mall	4	35,000	8.30am – 4.30pm

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20 th June 2025	Estate Planning: Some ethical Considerations for a practitioner.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hon. Mokuia Mogaka Richard Nyamu, Advocate 	Cranes Suites Hotel, Kitale	2	5,500/4,500	8.30am-2.30pm
26 th - 27 th June 2025	Induction Course: Getting ready to rumble	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Faith Odhiambo, LSK President Hon. Justice George Odunga Hon. Elizabeth Tanui Duncan Ondimu, Assistant Director of Public Prosecution (ADPP) 	Virtual	5	1,500	2.00pm – 4.30pm

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REMINDER: LSK SPECIALIZED CONTINUING PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT (CPD) SEMINAR ON FAMILY LAW - JUNE 2025



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The Law Society of Kenya (LSK) through its Committee on Continuing Professional Development (CPD) has organized a three-day Specialized CPD Seminar on Family Law from 18th to 20th June 2025 (8.30am - 4.30pm) at Holiday Inn, Two Rivers Mall in Nairobi.

The Specialized CPD Seminar will be held under the Theme Elevating Practice in Family Law and the following Topics will be discussed:

1. *Emerging Jurisprudence in Matrimonial Proceedings* - Hon. Lady Justice Helene Namisi, Judge, High Court.
2. *Constitutional Exemption of Muslims from Equality* - Chief Kadhi, Athman Abdulhalim Hussein.
3. *Addressing GBV within Family Law: Hits, Misses, Challenges & Opportunities* - Christine Kungu, Chairperson, Fida-K President.
4. *Post-enactment Evaluation of Kenya's Family, Marriage and Matrimonial Property Laws: Issues and Proposed Areas for Law Reform* - Christine Agimba, Chairperson, Kenya Law Reform Commission (KLRC) and Christabel Wekesa Senior Law Reform Counsel, KLRC.
5. *Matrimonial Property in Succession Matters* - Leah Kiguatha, Advocate.
6. *Estate Planning* - Anne Mugwere - Agimba, Advocate.
7. *Parental Rights & Surrogacy Agreements: Enrich Your Knowledge* - Enricah Dulo, Advocate.
8. *Constitutional Challenges in Family Matters* - Dudley Ochiel, Advocate.
9. *Children in Conflict with the Law* - Patricia Mundia, Advocate.

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LSK SPECIALIZED CPD SEMINAR- ELEVATING PRACTICE IN FAMILY LAW

LSK SPECIALIZED CPD SEMINAR

ELEVATING PRACTICE IN FAMILY LAW

4 CPD UNITS

LSK PRESIDENTS:
 Faith Odhiambo (LSK President), Kabata Mwaura (LSK Vice-President), Hon. Lady Justice Helene Namsi (High Court Judge)

OTHER SPEAKERS:
 Chief Kadhi Athman Abdulhalim Hussein (Chairperson, Kenya Law Reform Commission (KLRC)), Christine Agimba (Chairperson, Fida - Kenya), Christine Kungu (Chairperson, Fida - Kenya), Leah Kiguatha (Advocate), Anne Mugwere - Agimba (Advocate), Enricah Dulo (Advocate), Christabel Kaiwa, HSC (Principal, Law Reform Counsel (KLRC)), Dudley Ochiel (Advocate), Patricia Mundia (Advocate), Sian Rapel (Advocate)

DATE: 18TH-20TH JUNE 2025 • COST: KES 35,000/-
VENUE: HOLIDAY INN, TWO RIVERS MALL, NAIROBI

Book & Pay via online.lsk.or.ke/login

NB: Limited Slots available to only the first 50 Members to book and pay. Participants will be awarded Certificates of Attendance

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LAW SOCIETY OF KENYA ANNUAL CONFERENCE 2025


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ANNUAL CONFERENCE 2025

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Sub Themes ;
Responsible Management of Public Finance: Revenue, Borrowing and Spending.
&
Mainstreaming ESG Frameworks and Digital Trust: The Legal Imperative in Kenya

CONFERENCE RATE	0-3 YEARS (2023, 2024, 2025)	4-6 YEARS (2020, 2021, 2022)	7 YEARS AND ABOVE (2019 AND BELOW)
Conference Registration Fees Per Delegate	Kshs. 38,000	Kshs. 40,000	Kshs. 45,000

4 CPD units

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COUNCIL DECISIONS TAKEN ON 12TH MAY 2025

The Council Decisions on applications taken on 12th May 2025 for admission to the Roll of Advocates, Practicing Certificates, Notary Public and Commissioner for Oaths and Admission petitions can be accessed on the link; [Click Here](#)

MEDICAL APPEAL FOR CHERYL OMIRE, ADVOCATE



LAW SOCIETY OF KENYA



Medical Appeal for Cheryl Omire, Advocate

We urgently appeal for your support for **Ms. Cheryl Omire, Advocate** who is battling a recurrence of **cancer affecting her lungs and trachea**. Cheryl is currently receiving specialized treatment at **Apollo Hospital, Hyderabad – India**.

The total cost of treatment is **Kshs. 6.73 million, with additional quarterly injections costing \$4,710 each over the next year.**

You may channel your contribution through either of the **payment details:**

- **USD A/C:** 0100010234071 (Stanbic Bank, Kenyatta Avenue)
- **Mpesa:** 0790888418 (Kenneth Omollo)
- **Paybill:** 8062329 (A/C: Your Name)

Your financial support, prayers, and presence at the fundraiser will bring hope and healing to Cheryl and her family.

Thank you!



LAW SOCIETY OF KENYA JUSTICE GAMES 2025

LAW SOCIETY OF KENYA

26 JULY 2025

JUSTICE GAMES 2025 TUMEWASILI

THEME
POWER OF THE BAR, SPIRIT OF THE GAME: COMPETE. CONNECT. CONQUER

CATEGORY	DESCRIPTION	RATE	TEAM COMPOSITION
Category 1	Law firms / branches / practice centers	Kes. 55,000 per team	Teams must comprise of advocates
Category 2	Affiliate bodies	Kes. 110,000 per team	Teams must comprise of 100% employees/advocates , with proof of employment at registration and on event day
Category 3	Single entry for games (board games, indoor games, fun games)	Kes. 1,000 per player	Open to all advocates
Golf Tournament	Golf competition	Kes. 7,000 per player	Open to all Mombasa Golf Club

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STRATEGIC PARTNERSHIP INVITATION: 12TH EAST AFRICA INTERNATIONAL ARBITRATION CONFERENCE (EAIAC), 25TH & 26TH SEPTEMBER 2025, ABUJA NIGERIA



*******Email Subject*******

12th Annual East Africa International Arbitration Conference (EAIAC) 2025: Thursday, 25th and Friday, 26th September 2025, Abuja-Nigeria.

***** NB: The delegate fee DOES NOT include flights, transport and accommodation.**

The [Click Here](#) to register to attend the conference as a delegate. frica

Int Attached here (click links) [2024 Conference Report](#) and [2025 Conference Brochure](#) for
Ab information. Current information about the program and speakers is available on the
conference website at: www.eastafricaarbitration.com.

This For details on being an event sponsor, participation and event logistics, kindly contact **Steven**
Res **Owuor (Conference Manager)** at: steve@qbsafrica.co.uk OR +254 720 45 99 89. nd

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Why Abuja, Why Now?

This year, the East Africa International Arbitration Conference (EAIC) will convene in Abuja, Nigeria, marking its 12th edition. This is a significant milestone in West Africa, representing a bold step towards true continental integration. Nigeria stands at the nexus of international investment and dispute resolution, with several billions in annual oil and gas exports and an increasing volume of cross-border commercial activity.

Nigeria has emerged as a prominent hub for arbitration-driven legal and commercial engagements. As international investment in Nigeria's energy and natural resources sector expands, the critical role of arbitration in managing complex, cross-border disputes has become increasingly important.

By hosting the conference in Abuja, the conference aims to foster collaboration between African law firms, arbitration practitioners, and users across East and West Africa. This collaboration will advance the continent's arbitration capabilities and encourage the development of sustainable partnerships.

Registration Fees:

- **Early Bird Fee: USD375 for registration by 30th June 2025.**
- **Standard Fee: USD 475 from 1st July 2025.**



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Attached here (click links) [2024 Conference Report](#) and [2025 Conference Brochure](#) for information. Current information about the program and speakers is available on the conference website at: www.eastafricaarbitration.com.

For details on being an event sponsor, participation and event logistics, kindly contact **Steven Owuor (Conference Manager)** at: steve@qbsafrica.co.uk OR +254 720 45 99 89.

EAIAC 2025 Secretariat



Registration NOW OPEN!

EAST AFRICA INTERNATIONAL ARBITRATION CONFERENCE
25-26 Sept 2025 | Abuja, Nigeria

Theme: Arbitrating in Times of Global Uncertainty and The Race for Natural Resources

Strategic Partner THE LAW SOCIETY OF KENYA

EAIAC 2025

This year's theme, "Arbitrating in Times of Global Uncertainty and Race for Natural Resources," addresses the business risks and opportunities faced by multinationals and investors. It underscores the pressing need for robust, cross-border dispute resolution frameworks in volatile times. By hosting the conference in Nigeria, the conference aims to foster collaboration between African law firms, arbitration practitioners, and users across East and West Africa. This collaboration will advance the continent's arbitration capabilities and encourage the development of sustainable partnerships.

Why Nigeria? Why Now?

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REGISTER NOW & SAVE!
EARLY BIRD RATE: \$375 (UNTIL 30 JUNE 2025)

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STATISTICAL QUESTIONNAIRE: ASSESSING MONEY LAUNDERING AND TERRORISM FINANCING RISK - LEGAL PROFESSIONALS



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ASSESSING MONEY LAUNDERING AND TERRORISM FINANCING RISKS FOR LEGAL PROFESSIONALS

The Society is conducting a sectoral risk assessment to gather information to enable it analyze the structure, inherent risks and controls present within law firms which is vital for assessing money laundering and terrorism financing risks within the legal sector.

<https://forms.gle/sErhujGJfcIJYLkz5>





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ACCELERATED ROUTE TO MEMBER ARBITRATION TRAINING FOR LAWYERS

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Kenya Branch

Accelerated Route to Member

Pathway to Membership



Dates: Oral Assessment 8th July

Exam: 10th July

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TRAINING NOTICE



THE KENYA SCHOOL OF LAW

COURSE: ESG REGULATION AND PRACTICE

(3 LSK CPD POINTS)

DATE: 16th – 20th June, 2025

VENUE: Kenya School of Law- Nairobi

COURSE OVERVIEW

This introductory course is designed for legal professionals in Kenya seeking to understand the rapidly growing field of Environmental, Social, and Governance (ESG) and its implications for legal practice. As businesses and investors increasingly prioritize sustainability and ethical considerations, a strong grasp of ESG principles, frameworks, reporting obligations, due diligence, and risk assessment is becoming indispensable for lawyers advising clients across all sectors.

This course will provide a comprehensive overview of the ESG landscape in Kenya, equipping participants with the foundational knowledge and practical insights needed to navigate this evolving area of law. You will gain an understanding of the key local and international drivers shaping ESG, the relevant legal and regulatory frameworks in Kenya, and the lawyer's crucial role in guiding organizations towards sustainable and responsible practices.

TARGET PARTICIPANTS

- In-house Counsel
- Private Practice Lawyers
- Compliance Professionals
- Legal Consultants
- Other legal practitioners interested in ESG

INTENDED OUTCOMES

By the end of this course, participants will be able to:

- Understand core ESG concepts and its relevance in Kenya;
- Navigate ESG Frameworks and Reporting Obligations in Kenya;



- Understand ESG Due Diligence Processes;
- Conduct Effective ESG Risk Assessments;
- Appreciate the Lawyer's Role in Advancing ESG.

CERTIFICATES: A certificate of attendance and participation will be issued to each participant who attends the entire course.

YOUR INVESTMENT: Kshs. 58,500 inclusive of VAT and registration fee (*covers tuition fees, course materials, stationery, lunch and refreshments*).

CPD POINTS: Members of the Law Society of Kenya who attend and complete the training will be entitled, on payment of extra 1,000.00 to be awarded 3 CPD points. Payment of this sum shall be effected during the training, as will be directed by the organizers of the training.

APPLICATION PROCESS

Application should be made **ONLINE** through the platform. Please log at: <https://services.ksl.ac.ke/web/> login sign up and register for the course. Fees should be deposited in the School's account: **Account No. 202 2029 110 Absa Bank PLC, Absa Plaza Branch, Nairobi, Kenya** and the bank slip or evidence of electronic funds transfer presented to the Finance Office, Karen. Please note that your registration and proof of payment should be complete by **11th June 2024**, to enable us to adequately prepare for the course.

Contacts:

For any query, contact the Course Coordinator, Ms. Sandra Soi on ssoi@ksl.ac.ke, or Jacqueline jacqueline@ksl.ac.ke and Christine cmwanza@ksl.ac.ke.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

INVITATION TO THE PAN AFRICAN LAWYERS UNION'S 15TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE AND TRIENNIAL GENERAL ASSEMBLY FROM 25 TO 27 JUNE 2025, IN ABIDJAN, CÔTE D'IVOIRE

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Dear Members of the PALU Council

Greetings from the Pan African Lawyers Union (PALU), the premier continental membership forum of and for lawyers and lawyers' associations in Africa.

We are pleased to invite you to the PALU Annual Conference and Triennial General Assembly, which will be held in Abidjan, Côte d'Ivoire, from 25 - 27 June 2025, under the theme "Justice through Reparations".

As we have done in the past, we encourage the leadership and Secretariat of national lawyers' associations to organize group travel for their members. This can be done through your usual Travel Agent, or, even better, you can do a small tender amongst a few Travel Agents so that they can compete to give you the best deal for your members.

We also encourage you to consider the importance of the CLE points for your participating members.

For More Information regarding the conference and the registration rates, please visit our event portal at: <https://events.lawyersofafrica.org/>.

We acknowledge receipt once again of your Bar Association membership payment of the Year 2025 and we thank you.

We look forward to welcoming you and your members to Abidjan for what promises to be an engaging and impactful gathering.



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Telephone System Downtime



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The Law Society of Kenya has been experiencing technical challenges with its main telephone system affecting incoming and outgoing calls.

Our teams are working on restoring the telephone services to ease communication. In the meantime, we encourage members to use the departmental contact details as shown below;

Reception - 0799 595 800

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We apologize for any inconveniences caused as we work towards restoring the services to improve on responsiveness and efficiency.

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