



Media Invitation

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ISMAIL MAHOMED LAW REFORM ESSAY COMPETITION AWARD CEREMONY

The 2010 Ismail Mahomed Law Reform Essay Competition Award Ceremony will be held at the Constitutional Court, Constitution Hill, Johannesburg on 22 July 2011 from 19h00 to 21h30.

The South African Law Reform Commission and Juta Publishers are inviting media to attend the award ceremony of the 2010 Ismail Mahomed Law Reform Essay Competition. *The Chief Justice of South Africa, Justice Sandile Ngcobo, will deliver the keynote address.*

The Ismail Mahomed Law Reform Essay Competition is named in honour of the late Chief Justice Mahomed. The aim of the competition is to encourage critical legal writing by students, whilst generating new and innovative ideas for law reform. The initiative also seeks to encourage legal scholarship and dialogue on the link between law reform, human rights and the rule of law. The competition was judged by a panel appointed by the SA Law Reform Commission consisting of Adv Thulisile Madonsela (Public Protector of RSA), Professors Cathi Albertyn (Wits and part-time Commissioner at the Commission), Thandabantu Nhlapo (Deputy Vice-Chancellor at the University of Cape Town), Pamela Schwikkard (Dean: Law Faculty at the University of Cape Town) and Managay Reddi (Dean: Law Faculty of the University of KwaZulu-Natal). The winners and their supervising lecturers will be honoured at a cocktail function hosted by the South African Law Reform Commission at which occasion the prizes, sponsored by Juta, will be awarded. The winning essays will be published on Juta Law's website and will be submitted for possible publication in a suitable academic journal.

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