

2020 ANU G+S moot: Zoom Tips

The below outlines a series of suggestions about mooting online through zoom for the 2020 ANU G+S moot.

1. When joining the call please rename yourself as Firstname Surname (preferred pronouns) (App/Resp [select one]). For example, if I was appearing for the Appellant, I would name myself: Andrew Ray (he/him) (App). If a team is dialling in from one device please list your names in order of appearance.
 - a. Make sure to not mention your university name on zoom or in the chat!
2. Stay on mute if you are not talking (this helps our judges to be able to hear oral submissions and ask questions).
3. Focus your gaze on your laptop/computer camera (not the screen) this helps you have clear eye-contact with judges.
4. If you are in a different location to your co-counsel, you may use the zoom chat function to simulate note-passing. If you are using this feature, make sure you are *privately* messaging each other and be sure to keep messages courteous of judges and other participants.
5. Teams are not permitted to use their devices for research during the moot (and remember you cannot refer to cases not cited in your or your opposing counsel's written submissions without leave from the judge).
6. Judges will provide time for teams to discuss whether they will/will not rebut using breakout rooms.
7. The schedule for the moot is outlined below:

Time	Action/notes
15 minutes prior to scheduled start time	Teams arrive
Start time	Judge(s) run(s) through procedure
Appellant Appearances	Including time allocation
Respondent Appearances	Including time allocation
Appellant Oral Submissions	
Respondent Oral Submissions	
Brief break to allow teams to discuss rebuttal	1 minute
Appellant rebuttal (if exercised)	
Respondent sur-rebuttal (if exercised)	