



# PRESIDENCY UNIVERSITY

(Established under the Presidency University Act, 2013 of the Karnataka Act 41 of 2013)

## School of Law

### Five Year Integrated Degree Program Regulations and Curriculum

### BA. LL.B. (Hons.)

2018-2023

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# Five Year Integrated Degree Program Regulations and Curriculum, 2018

In exercise of the powers conferred by and in discharge of duties assigned under the relevant provision(s) of the Presidency University Act, 2013 (herein after 'the Act'), Statutes and Academic Regulations, 2017 of the University, the Academic Council hereby makes the following Regulations, namely;

## PRELIMINARY

### Short Title and Commencement

- (a) These Regulations may be called the **Five Year Integrated Degree Program Regulations and Curriculum, 2018**.
- (b) The **Five Year Integrated Degree Program Regulations and Curriculum, 2018** are subject to, and, pursuant to the Academic Regulations, 2017.
- (c) These Regulations shall be applicable to ongoing Five Year **BA. LL.B. (Hons.)**, Five Year **BBA. LL.B. (Hons.)** and Five Year **B.Com. LL.B. (Hons.)** Programs, and, all other similar programs, which may be introduced in future.
- (d) They shall come into force from the Academic Session 2018-19.

### Definitions

*In these Regulations, unless there is anything repugnant to the subject or context:*

- a) "Academic Council" means the Academic Council of the University;
- b) "Academic Regulations" means Academic Regulations, 2017 of the University
- c) "Academic Session" means a portion of an academic year, the time during which the institution holds classes which also includes summer term;
- d) "Academic Year" means the annual period of sessions of the institution usually beginning in August and ending in July;
- e) "Act" means the Presidency University Act, 2013;
- f) "Assessment Committee" means a committee constituted by the Dean of the School
- g) "Board of Examinations" means the Board of Examinations of the University;
- h) "BCI" means the Bar Council of India.
- i) "COE" means the Controller of Examinations of the University;
- j) "Course" means, a specific subject usually identified by its course-number and course-title, with specified credits and syllabus/course-description, a set of references, taught by some teacher(s)/course-instructor(s) to a specific class (group of students) during a specific academic-session/semester;
- k) "Course Coordinator" means the coordinator of a particular batch/class;
- l) "Course Instructor" means, the teacher or the Course Instructor of a Course;
- m) "DAC" means Departmental Academic Committee as defined in the Academic Regulations, 2017;
- n) "Dean" means the Dean of Faculty School of Law;
- o) "Lateral Entry" is an admission given to graduate applicants at the beginning of third year in an integrated Five Year Course;
- p) "Program" means the Five Year **BA. LL.B. (Hons.)**, Five Year **BBA. LL.B. (Hons.)** and Five Year **B.Com. LL.B. (Hons.)**, Programs, and, all other similar programs, which may be introduced in future;



- q) “Program Coordinator” means the Coordinator of specific program in School of Law;
- r) “Program Regulations” means the Five Year Integrated Degree Program Regulations and Curriculum, 2018;
- s) “School” means a constituent institution of the University established for teaching, training, guiding, supervising, monitoring students and, for conducting research activities in broadly related fields of studies;
- t) “Semester” means either of the two usually 18-week periods of instruction into which an academic year is often divided;
- u) “Statutes” means the Statutes of Presidency University;
- v) “Student” means a student of concerned program in School of Law;
- w) “Summer Term” means an academic session during the summer (typically in June-July) for a duration of about eight (08) calendar weeks, with a minimum of thirty (30) University teaching day;
- x) “University” means the Presidency University, Bengaluru established in Karnataka State by Act No. 41 of 2013;
- y) “VC” means the Vice Chancellor of Presidency University.

## 1.0 INTRODUCTION

- 1.1 The Academic Regulations, 2017 are applicable to Integrated Degree Programs of the University.
- 1.2 The Five Year Integrated Degree Program Regulations and Curriculum, 2018 are subject to, and pursuant to the Academic Regulations, 2017.
- 1.3 The Five Year Integrated Degree Program Regulations and Curriculum, 2018 are applicable to the ongoing Five Year Semester Based Full Time Programs of BA. LL.B. (Hons.), BBA. LL.B. (Hons.), B.Com. LL.B. (Hons.).
- 1.4 These Program Regulations and Curriculum may evolve and get amended or modified or changed through appropriate approvals from the Academic Council, from time to time, and shall be binding on all concerned.
- 1.5 The Academic Regulations, and any amendments made therein, shall also be applicable to new Degree and Diploma Programs that may be offered by the University in future.
- 1.6 These Program Regulations and Curriculum are structured as follows:
  - 1.6.1 **Part A:** Specific Regulations relevant to the Five Year Integrated Degree Programs in pursuant of the provisions in Section 6.0 of the Academic Regulations, 2017 of the University
  - Part B:** Program Curriculum for the specific ongoing Five Year Integrated Degree Programs of study as enumerated and named in Clause 2.1

## 2.0 PART A: FIVE YEAR INTEGRATED DEGREE PROGRAMS – SPECIFIC REGULATIONS

### 2.1 Program Description:

The School of Law is currently offering three Five Year Integrated Degree Law Programs:

- 2.1.1 Integrated Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Laws (Honors) Degree Program abbreviated as BA. LL.B. (Hons.)
- 2.1.2 Integrated Bachelor of Business Administration and Bachelor of Laws (Honors) Degree Program abbreviated as BBA. LL.B. (Hons.)



2.1.3 Integrated Bachelor of Commerce and Bachelor of Laws (Honors) Degree Program abbreviated as B.Com. LL.B. (Hons.)

**2.2 Program Duration:**

All Integrated Degree Law Programs of study offered by the School are Five Year full time programs. These programs are Semester based and the curriculum is spread over Ten Semesters. Each academic year comprises of two semesters (Odd and Even Semesters).

**2.3 Admission criteria**

The University admissions shall be open to all persons irrespective of caste, class, creed, gender or nation. All admissions shall be made on the basis of merit in the qualifying examinations; provided that forty percent of the admissions in all courses of the University shall be reserved for the students of Karnataka State and admissions shall be made through a Common Entrance Examination conducted by the State Government or its agency and seats shall be allotted as per the merit and reservation policy of the State Government from time to time.

The admission criteria to the Five Year Integrated Degree Law Programs are listed in the following Sub-Clauses:

- 2.3.1 An applicant who has successfully completed Senior Secondary School course (+2) or equivalent (such as 11+1, 'A' level in Senior School Leaving Certificate Course) from a recognized University of India or outside or from a Senior Secondary Board or equivalent, constituted or recognized by the Union or by a State Government or from any equivalent institution from a foreign country recognized by the government of that country for the purpose of issue of qualifying certificate on successful completion of the course, may apply for and be admitted into the program of the School of Law to obtain the integrated degree in law for the purpose of enrolment.
- 2.3.2 The University follows the stipulations as made by the Bar Council of India from time to time. Minimum percentage of marks in qualifying examination shall not be below 45% of total marks in case of general category applicants and 40% of total marks in case of SC and ST applicants for the purpose of applying for and getting admitted into any of the Five Year Integrated Degree Law Programs of the University in either of the streams.
- 2.3.3 Students shall appear in CLAT/ LSAT/ Presidency Admission Test (PAT) and, should secure a minimum cut off score prescribed by the University.
- 2.3.4 Reservation for the SC/ST and other backward classes shall be made in accordance with the directives issued by the Government of Karnataka from time to time.
- 2.3.5 Admissions are offered to Foreign Nationals and Indians living abroad in accordance with the rules applicable for such admission, issued by the Government of India from time to time.
- 2.3.6 The maximum age limit of the candidates is 20 years as on the first day of July of the year of admission (22 years in case of candidates belonging to the Reserved Category). Date of Birth as recorded in the Secondary Education Board only will be taken as authentic.
- 2.3.7 Candidates must fulfill the medical standards required for admission as prescribed by the University.



- 2.3.8 If, at any time after admission, it is found that a candidate had not in fact fulfilled all the requirements stipulated in the offer of admission, in any form whatsoever, including possible misinformation and any other falsification, the Registrar shall report the matter to the Board of Management, recommending revoking the admission of the candidate.
- 2.3.9 The decision of the Board of Management regarding the admissions is final and binding.
- 2.4 **Prohibition against lateral entry and exit:**
- 2.4.1 There shall be no lateral entry on the plea of graduation in any subject or exit by way of awarding a degree splitting the Integrated Degree Course, at any intermediary stage of the Integrated Degree Course.
- 2.4.2 However, the University may permit any person to audit any subject or number of subjects by attending classes regularly and taking the test for obtaining a Certificate of participation from the University/ Faculty according to the rules prescribed by the University from time to time and gives a Certificate therefore.
- 2.5 **Prohibition to register for two regular courses of study:**
- 2.5.1 No student shall be allowed to simultaneously register for a law degree program with any other graduate or certificate course run by the same or any other University or an Institute for academic or professional learning excepting in the integrated degree program of the same institution.
- 2.5.2 Provided that any short period part time certificate course on Language, Computer Science or Computer Application of an Institute or any course run by a Centre for Distance Learning of a University however, shall be excepted.
- 2.6 **Attendance:**
- 2.6.1 The attendance requirements are as prescribed by the Academic Regulations, 2017.
- 2.6.2 Provisions for any exceptions in shortage of attendance are as prescribed by the Academic Regulations, 2017.
- 2.7 **Internship**
- 2.7.1 Students of all Law programs will be required to undergo summer/winter training/internship of about 20 weeks as part of their academic program, which is a clinical paper in compliance with the BCI Legal Education Rules, 2008.
- 2.7.2 One week of Internship shall be five or more working days.
- 2.7.3 Normally internships are of four weeks' duration which is assigned 2 credits.
- 2.7.4 Students may have completed internships during their entire period of legal studies under NGO, Trial and Appellate Advocates, Judiciary, Legal Regulatory authorities, Legislatures and Parliament, Other Legal Functionaries, Market Institutions, Law Firms, Companies, Local Self Government and other such bodies as the University may stipulate, where law is practiced either in action or in dispute resolution or in management.
- 2.7.5 The student may choose to do any internship, from the above during the course but at least one of them shall be with an Advocate and observe client interviews, pre-trial preparations and civil and criminal trials as per BCI Legal Education Rules 2008.
- 2.7.6 All students shall have at least gone through once in the entire academic period with Trial and Appellate Advocates.
- 2.7.7 Students will have to keep an Internship Diary detailing out the activities that are carried out during their summer/winter training/internship in the format



prescribed by the School of Law.

2.7.8 Students placed under internship or in Moot Court exercise shall have formal dress of a legal professional in pupillage as follows:

- a. (For all) White/Black trouser, white shirt, black tie, black coat, black shoe and black socks. When students have problems of getting the entire formal dress for any reason, they have to have a white trouser, full sleeve shirt to be tucked in and covered shoe.
- b. (Optional for Girl students) Black printed saree, with white full sleeve blouse and covered black shoe or Lawyer's Suit with black covered shoe. The Organization or Advocate under whom the internee is placed is required to follow suitable dress code.

## 2.8 Honours Degree

The School of Law may offer a general Honours Degree or Honours Degree with specialization. A student shall be required to complete Eight Courses from a Group of Specialization Courses listed and offered to the Batch concerned by the School to obtain a Degree with Honours Degree in that particular specialization Group. A student who chooses all the Eight Courses from a Specialized Honours Group shall be awarded a Honours Degree under Table 6 A specializing in that Group. A student who chooses Eight different Courses not from a specific Specialization Group of Honours Courses, shall be eligible for a General Honours degree only.

## 2.9 Regulations Governing Evaluation

### 2.9.1 Evaluation- General

2.9.1.1 The School of Law shall follow an instructor-led evaluation system.

2.9.1.2 In courses that have a credit structure of L-0-0 or L-T-0, the components of evaluation shall be as detailed in Table 1.

Evaluation Components		Weightage (of the total marks)
1.	Continuous Assessment	60 %
2.	End Term Final Examination	40%

### 2.9.1.3 Continuous Assessment:

Continuous Assessment will be based on the student's performance in Mid Term Examination and Internal Assessment. Internal Assessment includes regular course work, research writing, assignments, quizzes, projects, term papers, case analysis, paper presentations, Viva-Voce, role plays, clinical exercises etc. At the beginning of each semester, the scheme of weightage of each component of Internal Assessment shall be notified by the faculty concerned, in the Course Handout.

Following shall be the allocation of marks for various components of Continuous Assessment as detailed in Table 2:



<b>Table 2</b>		
<b>Continuous Assessment Components And Weightage</b>		
Continuous Assessment Components		Weightage (of the total marks)
<b>1.</b>	Midterm Examination (One Examination of 2 hours)	30 %
<b>2.</b>	Internal Assessments Components	30 %

\*The details of the components and the respective weightage will be provided in the course handout as approved by the Dean. The Internal Assessment component of this nature may be accessed through the semester and shall be awarded by the faculty concerned at the end of each semester.

2.9.1.4 End-Term Final Examination:

End-Term Final Examination will be held at the end of each Semester. Duration of End-Term Final Examinations will be 3 hours. The End Term Final Examination will cover the entire content of the course.

2.9.2 Evaluation – Clinical and Professional Development Courses

2.9.2.1 For purely Clinical Courses, the assessment will be made on the basis of continuous evaluation throughout the semester, which may include regular course work, clinical exercises, practice work, assignments, presentations, quizzes, simulations, industrial tours and viva-voce.

2.9.3 Evaluation – Internship

2.9.3.1 Students shall maintain an Internship Diary detailing the day to day activities that are carried out during their summer/winter training/internship in the prescribed format.

2.9.3.2 Students shall submit one Internship Report in addition to the internship diary, detailing one particular task/project undertaken during the internship.

2.9.3.3 Students will be required to appear for a Viva -Voce Examination.

2.9.3.4 The students shall submit the Internship Diary and the Report to the Internship Coordinator of the respective batches on or before such dates duly notified by the Dean of the School.

2.9.3.5 An Assessment Committee constituted by the Dean of the School comprising of internal and external members will evaluate internship.

2.9.3.6 The Evaluation components for Internship and the respective weightages are detailed in Table 3:

  
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<b>Table 3</b>		
<b>Internship Evaluation Components and Weightage</b>		
Evaluation Components		Weightage (of the total marks)
<b>1.</b>	Record/Internship Diary	70 %
<b>2.</b>	Internship Report	20 %
<b>3.</b>	Viva-Voce	10 %

#### 2.9.4 Evaluation – Dissertation

2.9.4.1 Every student shall, carryout dissertation under the overall supervision of the supervisor(s).

2.9.4.2 Normally, only a faculty of the School concerned shall be allowed to supervise a dissertation. If the topic of a dissertation warrants, at the most two faculty members of the same School may be allowed to supervise a dissertation/project work. Considering the interdisciplinary nature of the work involved a faculty from other School and/or from industry/corporate organization active in the area in which the work is being carried may be allowed, to be associated as a co-supervisor. Under exceptional circumstances, an expert in the area from other academic institutions may also be appointed as a co-supervisor in addition to a faculty from the School of Law.

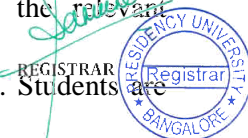
2.9.4.3 The Faculty Coordinator(s) shall, in consultation with the Dean concerned, finalize the topic for dissertation along with the name(s) of the supervisor(s) in Semester IX. For this purpose, the Coordinator shall take into account the relevance of the topic on which the candidate proposes to work. However, the Coordinator may, if he considers it necessary or expedient, ask a student to carry out dissertation on a topic other than the topic proposed by the student and/or under a supervisor other than the one under whom the student proposed to carry out his/her dissertation.

2.9.4.4 Midcourse alteration/ modification in the scope of dissertation would need explicit approval from the Dean of the School. The Coordinator shall prepare a list comprising the names of the students, topic allotted to each of them along with the name of the supervisor(s). The list duly approved by the Dean of the School shall be sent to the CoE.

2.9.4.5 A certificate in the prescribed format to the effect that the dissertation carried out by the student independently or in collaboration with other student(s) issued by the Supervisor(s) concerned and endorsed by the Faculty Coordinator concerned, shall form the part of the submission for evaluation.

2.9.4.6 Every student who spends a specified period of time in an industry/organization/institute for reasons of work related to his/her dissertation, with prior permission from the Faculty Coordinator concerned will explicitly acknowledge working in the relevant industry/organization/institute.

2.9.4.7 The dissertation will normally be of 70 to 100 pages. Students are





required to submit the dissertation in the X Semester within the stipulated time. The dissertation will not be accepted after expiry of last date as stipulated. If a student fails to submit the same by the stipulated date, he/she will be declared failed and will be required to repeat the same in the appropriate semester of the next academic session provided other provisions of the Regulations permit continuance of studies in the University.

- 2.9.4.8 The student shall submit to Program Coordinator three typed (or printed) bound copies of his/her dissertation.
- 2.9.4.9 An Assessment Committee constituted by the Dean of the School comprising of internal and external members shall conduct Viva-Voce on dissertation.
- 2.9.4.10 The Evaluation components for dissertation and the respective weightages are detailed in Table 4:

Table 4 Dissertation Evaluation Components and Weightage		
Evaluation Components		Weightage (of the total marks)
1.	Dissertation	80 %
2.	Viva-Voce	20%

2.9.4.11 The final grade on Dissertation shall be awarded by the Assessment Committee and shall be forwarded to the CoE.

2.9.5 Evaluation – Other courses

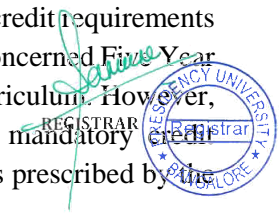
2.9.5.1 The courses with only continuous evaluation the faculty concerned shall in consultation with the Dean of the School decide on the type of evaluation component to be adopted for the course and the minimum performance criteria shall be as per the academic regulations of the university.

2.9.6.2 For the courses with grades but without grade points, ‘S’ or ‘NC’ grades shall be awarded as per the Academic Regulations of the university.

**2.10 Rules and Guidelines for Transfer of Credits from SWAYAM/MOOC/other online Courses.** (Refer Section 18.0 of the Academic Regulations.)

The provisions and rules pertaining to the transfer of credits are outlined in Section 18.0 of the Academic Regulations. The Rules and Guidelines for the transfer of credits specifically from the SWAYAM/MOOC/other On-line Courses conducted by the Massive Open Online Course (MOOC) platform/other institutes offering the Online Courses (Refer Sub-Clause 18.2 of the Academic Regulations) are as stated in the following Sub-Clauses:

2.10.1 A student may complete SWAYAM/MOOC/other online course and transfer equivalent credits to partially or fully complete the mandatory credit requirements of Honours Courses or Electives Courses as prescribed in the concerned Five Year Integrated Degree LL.B (Hons.) Program Regulations and Curriculum. However, it is the sole responsibility of the student to complete the mandatory credit requirements of the Honours Courses and Electives Courses as prescribed by the



Program Regulations and Curriculum of the concerned Five Year Integrated Degree LL.B (Hons.) Program.

- 2.10.2 Approved SWAYAM/MOOC/other online Courses shall be included as annexes to the Program Regulations and Curriculum for the concerned Five Year Integrated Degree LL.B (Hons.) Program and shall be announced through University Notifications to the students from time to time. A student shall only request for transfer of credits from such approved/notified SWAYAM/MOOC/other online Courses as published by the School of Law.
- 2.10.3 SWAYAM/MOOC/other online Courses are considered for transfer of credits only if the concerned student has successfully completed the SWAYAM/MOOC/other online Courses and obtained the SWAYAM/MOOC/other online Courses Certificate to 2.10.3 this effect.
- 2.10.4 A student cannot transfer credits from SWAYAM/MOOC/other online Courses to earn the mandatory credits assigned for any other type of Courses (other than Honours and Electives Courses) as prescribed in the concerned Program Regulations and Curriculum. However, a student may complete SWAYAM/MOOC/other online Courses and transfer equivalent credits in excess of the required mandatory credits (and Courses).
- 2.10.5 Before the commencement of each Semester or during Pre-Registration schedule as per the Academic Calendar, the School may release a list of SWAYAM/MOOC/other online Courses approved as Honours and Electives Courses for each Five Year Integrated Degree LL.B (Hons.) Program offered by them.
- 2.10.6 Students may Pre-Register for the approved SWAYAM/MOOC/other online Courses in the School and register for the SWAYAM/MOOC/other online Courses as per the schedule announced by Institute/ Organization offering SWAYAM/MOOC/ other online Courses.
- 2.10.7 The credit equivalence of the SWAYAM/MOOC/other online Courses are based on course durations and/or as recommended/approved by DAC and/or as recommended by Institute/ Organization offering SWAYAM/MOOC/ other online Courses.

- 2.10.8 The Credit Equivalence mapped to SWAYAM/MOOC/other online Courses course durations for transfer of credits is summarized in Table 5.

  
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<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Table 5</b>  <b>In reference with 2.10.8</b>  <b>SWAYAM/MOOC/other online Courses</b>  <b>Durations</b>  <b>and Credit Equivalence</b></p>		
Sl. No.	Course Duration	Credit Equivalence for Transfer of Credits
1	4 Weeks	1 Credit
2	8 Weeks	2 Credits
3	12 Weeks	3 Credits

- 2.10.9 A student who has successfully completed the approved SWAYAM/MOOC/ other online Courses and wants to avail the provision of transfer of equivalent credits to fulfill (partially or fully) the mandatory credit requirements of Honours and/or Electives as prescribed in the concerned Program Regulations and Curriculum, must submit the original SWAYAM/MOOC/ other online Courses Certificates to the Dean of the School concerned, with a written request for the transfer of the equivalent credits. On verification of the SWAYAM/MOOC/other online Courses Certificates and approval by the Dean, the SWAYAM/MOOC/other online Courses and equivalent Credits will be included in Course (with associated Credits) Registration of the concerned student in the Semester immediately following the completion of the SWAYAM/MOOC/other online Course.
- 2.10.10 The grading system for such SWAYAM/MOOC/other online Courses with transfer of credits are as recommended/approved by DAC and/or as recommended by Institute/ Organization offering SWAYAM/MOOC/ other online Courses.
- 2.10.11 A student may submit a request for credit transfer from SWAYAM/MOOC/ other online Courses before the last instruction day of the ninth (9<sup>th</sup>) Semester of the Five Year Integrated Degree LLB (Hons.) Program as specified in the Academic Calendar.
- 2.10.12 The maximum permissible number of credits that a student may request for transfer in the Program is ten (10) credits.
- 2.10.13 The University shall not reimburse any fees/expense; a student may incur for the MOOC/other online Courses.

**2.11 Course Handout:**

The Course Handout (Refer Clause 6.2 of the Academic Regulations, 2017) is a comprehensive document describing the Objectives/Outcomes of the Course, the



detailed syllabus (with the prescribed Text Book(s) and Reference Material) and the Lesson/Session-wise Plan, and all the relevant and necessary details regarding the pedagogy, expectation from the students regarding preparation, participation and self-learning, components of continuous assessment and respective weightage (in percentage (%)) of the total marks of all components of assessment) given to the components, and the method of evaluation. The guidelines for preparation of the Course Handout, its approval and delivery are listed in the following Sub-Clauses:

- 2.11.1 Normally the Course Handout is prepared by the Course Instructor(s) assigned to teach the Course. In cases of multiple sections of students registered for the same Course, an Instructor In-Charge, assigned by the DAC, shall prepare the Course Handout in consultation with the other Course Instructors assigned to the concerned Course.
- 2.11.2 The DAC shall examine each Course Handout and arrange for necessary deliberations as required. On acceptance of the completeness and quality of the Course Handout, the DAC shall approve the Course Handout.
- 2.11.3 A consolidated printed Booklet of all Course Handouts corresponding to the academic semester of a particular Program of Study shall be provided to every student concerned on the first day/Registration day of the concerned Semester.
- 2.11.4 The Course Handout is a very important guide for the students registered in the concerned course. The students are expected to use the Course Handout Booklet to prepare regularly and benefit from each session (lecture/tutorial/practical) of the course(s) and perform well in the continuous assessments and end term final examination, as applicable. Every student shall read and adhere to all the guidelines prescribed in the Course Handout.

### **3.0 PART B: Program Structure for the Specific Program of study**

#### **3.1 Program Structure for BA., LL.B. (Hons.) 2018- '23**

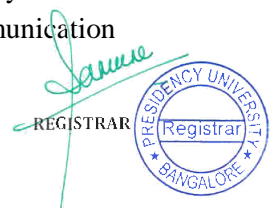
#### **PROGRAM EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES (PEOS)**

- **PEO-1)** PU Law Graduate will have successful academic and research career.
- **PEO-2)** PU Law graduates will have professional distinction for leading positions in law firms, corporate legal offices, the judiciary, and national, state, and local government.

#### **PROGRAMME OUTCOMES (POS)**

The Law graduates are able to:

- **PO-1** Ability to apply the fundamental concept of Humanities, Commerce and Management to legal problems
- **PO-2** Ability to develop critical thinking skill
- **PO-3** Ability to identify, analyze and solve legal problem with professional ethics and integrity
- **PO-4** Ability to conduct dispute resolution with professional ethics and integrity
- **PO-5** Ability to draft professional legal writing along with effective oral communication
- **PO-6** Ability to apply legal theory to factual settings
- **PO-7** Ability to apply legal theory to engage in legal argumentation
- **PO-8** Ability to conduct independent legal research specific to the case



- **PO- 9** Ability to conduct client services with necessary usage of technological tools
- **PO-10** Recognition of the need for engaging in lifelong learning
- **PO-11** Exhibit social responsibility adhering to ethical and moral values
- **PO -12** Ability to adapt knowledge of contemporary issues
- **PO- 13** Ability to function in multidisciplinary team

#### **PROGRAMME SPECIFIC OUTCOMES**

- **PSO-1)** To develop a background in fundamental areas of Humanities with strong emphasis on Political Theory and Indian Politics.
- **PSO-2)** To develop in-depth knowledge and understanding of comparative political thoughts, social and economic dimensions of law and its interface with Indian Legal systems.
- **PSO-3)** To develop intellectual rigor as well as more general transferable intellectual skills which are of value in the practice of Law and a wide range of careers.

#### **LEARNING OBJECTIVES**

- **LO-1)** Developing Lawyering Skills
- **LO-2)** Cultivating Professional Identity
- **LO-3)** Fostering Professional Ethics
- **LO-4)** Providing Competent Client Representation
- **LO-5)** Advancing Social Justice
- **LO-6)** Gaining Insight into the Law and Legal System
- **LO-7)** Encouraging Lifelong Learning and Professional Reflection
- **LO-8)** Learning to Work Collaboratively

  
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3.2 Summary of the mandatory program structure and the minimum qualifying credits are detailed in Table 6.

<b>Table No. 6</b>			
<b>Program Structure- Summary</b>			
<b>SL No</b>	<b>Courses</b>	<b>Number of Courses</b>	<b>Minimum Qualifying Credits</b>
1	Law Core Courses	25	100
2	Law Clinical Courses	15	35
3	Law Elective Courses	6	24
4	Law Honours Courses	8	32
5	Law Dissertation Course	1	4
6	Liberal Discipline Major Courses	6	24
7	Liberal Discipline Minor 1 Courses	3	12
8	Liberal Discipline Minor 2 Courses	3	12
9	Liberal Discipline Additional Courses	1	4
10	English Language Courses	2	7
11	Foreign Language Courses	1	2
12	Fundamentals of Computer	1	2
13	Professional Development	3	3
	<b>Total</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>261</b>

<b>Table No. 6 A</b>			
<b>List of Courses</b>			
<b>CORPORATE LAW HONOURS COURSES</b>			
1	LAW 401	Insurance Law	4
2	LAW 302	Corporate Governance	4
3	LAW406	Laws Relating to Mergers & Acquisition	4
4	LAW305	Securities Law	4
5	LAW405	Insolvency and Bankruptcy Law	4
6	LAW 308	Competition Law	4
7	LAW322	International Trade Law	4
8	LAW309	Corporate Finance	4
9	LAW321	Indirect Taxation	4
10	LAW311	Banking Law	4
		<b>Total</b>	<b>40</b>
			<b>(Minimum</b>

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<b>PUBLIC LAW HONORS COURSES</b>			
1	LAW312	Right to Information	4
2	LAW 301	Interpretation of Statutes and Principle of Legislation	4
3	LAW403	Media & Law	4
4	LAW314	Health Law	4
5	LAW315	Law of the Sea and International Rivers	4
6	LAW316	International Humanitarian Law and Refugee Law	4
7	LAW317	Maritime and Admiralty Law	4
8	LAW318	Regional Agreement & Regionalization	4
9	LAW319	UN and other International Institutions	4
10	LAW320	WTO	4
		Total	<b>40 (Minimum 32)</b>

**Table No. 6 B  
List of Courses**

<b>ELECTIVES (Any 6)</b>			
1	LAW 410	Air and Space Law	4
2	LAW 402	Conflict of Laws	4
3	LAW 307	Cyber Law	4
4	LAW 413	Energy Law and Policy	4
5	LAW 991	Research Methodology	4
6	LAW 303	Intellectual Property Law-I	4
7	LAW 408	Intellectual Property Law-II	4
8	LAW 409	Law of Infrastructural Development	4
9	LAW 401	Advance PIL	4
10	LAW 412	Law Relating to Infrastructure Projects	4
11	LAW 407	Laws Relating to Women and Children	4
12	LAW 406	Laws Relating to Mergers and Acquisitions	4
14	LAW 404	Sports Law	4
15	LAW 411	Water Laws	4
16	LAW602	Legal History	4
		<b>Total (Minimum Required)</b>	<b>24</b>

  
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Semester I							
Course Code	Course Name	Course Type	Credit			Credits	Contact Hours
			Structure				
			L	T	P		
BAL101	Political Science	Liberal Discipline Major Courses	4	0	0	4	4
BAL201	Microeconomics	Liberal Discipline Minor 1 Courses	4	0	0	4	4
BAL204	Introduction to Sociology	Liberal Discipline Minor 2 Courses	4	0	0	4	4
ENG101	General English	English Language Courses	4	0	0	4	4
LAW101	Legal Methods and Legal Reasoning	Law Core Courses	4	0	0	4	4
FOU101	Computer Fundamentals	Fundamentals of Computer	0	0	4	2	4
LAW103	Law of Contract	Law Core Courses	4	0	0	4	4
LAW206	Fundamentals of Moot Court	Law Clinical Courses	0	0	2	1	2
	<b>Total</b>		<b>24</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>30</b>
Semester II							
Course Code	Course Name		Credit			Credits	Contact Hours
			Structure				
			L	T	P		
BAL102	State and Political Obligation	Liberal Discipline Major Courses	4	0	0	4	4
BAL202	Macroeconomics	Liberal Discipline Minor 1 Courses	4	0	0	4	4
LAW104	Special Contracts	Law Core Courses	4	0	0	4	4
LAW106	Law of Torts and MV Act	Law Core Courses	4	0	0	4	4
ENG102	Legal Professional Communication Skills	English Language Courses	2	0	2	3	4
LAW112	Constitutional Law -I	Law Core Courses	4	0	0	4	4
LAW208	Fundamentals of Trial Advocacy	Law Clinical Courses	0	0	2	1	2
	<b>Total</b>		<b>22</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>26</b>
Semester III							
Course Code	Course Name		Credit			Credits	Contact Hours
			Structure				
			L	T	P		
BAL103	Public Administration: Core Concepts	Liberal Discipline Major Courses	4	0	0	4	4
BAL203	Indian Economy	Liberal Discipline Minor 1 Courses	4	0	0	4	4
BAL205	Sociology of India	Liberal Discipline Minor 2 Courses	4	0	0	4	4
LAW113	Constitutional Law-II	Law Core Courses	4	0	0	4	4
LAW107	Family Law-I	Law Core Courses	4	0	0	4	4

FOU102	Professional Development-I	Professional Development	0	0	2	1	2
LAW209	Fundamentals of Client Counselling	Law Clinical Courses	0	0	2	1	2
LAW105	Law of Torts and Consumer Protection Act	Law Core Courses	4	0	0	4	4
LAW211	Internships*	Law Clinical Courses	-	-	-	2	-
	<b>Total</b>		<b>24</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>28</b>
<b>Semester IV</b>							
Course Code	Course Name		Credit			Credits	Contact Hours
			Structure				
			L	T	P		
BAL104	Western and Eastern Political Thought	Liberal Discipline Major Courses	4	0	0	4	4
LAW109	Criminology and General Principles of Criminal Law	Law Core Courses	4	0	0	4	4
LAW117	Administrative Law	Law Core Courses	4	0	0	4	4
LAW108	Family Law-II	Law Core Courses	4	0	0	4	4
FOU103	Professional Development-II	Professional Development	0	0	2	1	2
BAL206	Sociological Theories	Liberal Discipline Minor 2 Courses	4	0	0	4	4
LAWXXX	Elective 1	Law Elective Courses	4	0	0	4	4
LAW203	Negotiation	Law Clinical Courses	-	-	-	1	-
	<b>Total</b>		<b>24</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>26</b>
<b>Semester V</b>							
Course Code	Course Name		Credit			Credits	Contact Hours
			Structure				
			L	T	P		
BAL105	International Politics	Liberal Discipline Major Courses	4	0	0	4	4
LAW601	Constitutional History of India	Liberal Discipline Additional Courses	4	0	0	4	4
LAW116	Civil Procedure Code and Limitation Act	Law Core Courses	4	0	0	4	4
LAW110	Indian Penal Code	Law Core Courses	4	0	0	4	4
LAW114	Property Law	Law Core Courses	4	0	0	4	4
LAW118	Company Law-I	Law Core Courses	4	0	0	4	4
FOU104	Professional Development-III	Professional Development	0	0	2	1	2
LAW211	Internships*	Law Clinical Courses	-	-	-	2	-
	<b>Total</b>		<b>24</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>26</b>
<b>Semester VI</b>							
Course	Course Name		Credit			Credits	Contact Hours

  
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Code			Structure				Contact Hours
			L	T	P		
BAL106	International Institutions and Foreign Policies	Liberal Discipline Major Courses	4	0	0	4	4
LAW119	Company Law-II	Law Core Courses	4	0	0	4	4
LAW111	Criminal Procedure Code	Law Core Courses	4	0	0	4	4
LAWXXX	Honors 1	Law Honours Courses	4	0	0	4	4
LAWXXX	Honors 2	Law Honours Courses	4	0	0	4	4
LAW102	Jurisprudence	Law Core Courses	4	0	0	4	4
LAW205	Arbitration & Conciliation	Law Clinical Courses	1	0	2	2	3
	<b>Total</b>		<b>25</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>28</b>

#### Semester VII

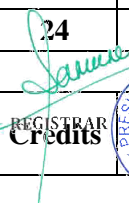
Course Code	Course Name		Credit Structure			Credits	Contact Hours
			L	T	P		
LAW121	Principles of Taxation Law	Law Core Courses	4	0	0	4	4
LAW123	Labour & Industrial Law - I	Law Core Courses	4	0	0	4	4
LAWXXX	Honors 3	Law Honours Courses	4	0	0	4	4
LAWXXX	Honors 4	Law Honours Courses	4	0	0	4	4
LAW115	Law of Evidence	Law Core Courses	4	0	0	4	4
LAW201	Drafting, Pleadings & Conveyancing	Law Clinical Courses	1	0	4	3	5
LAW122	Environmental Law	Law Core Courses	4	0	0	4	4
	<b>Total</b>		<b>25</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>29</b>

#### Semester VIII

Course Code	Course Name		Credit Structure			Credits	Contact Hours
			L	T	P		
FLG101	Foreign Language	Foreign Language Courses	1	0	2	2	3
LAW124	Labour & Industrial Law – II	Law Core Courses	4	0	0	4	4
LAW120	Public International Law	Law Core Courses	4	0	0	4	4
LAWXXX	Elective 2	Law Elective Courses	4	0	0	4	4
LAWXXX	Honors 5	Law Honours Courses	4	0	0	4	4
LAWXXX	Honors 6	Law Honours Courses	4	0	0	4	4
LAW204	Mediation	Law Clinical Courses	-	-	-	2	-
	<b>Total</b>		<b>25</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>23</b>

#### Semester IX

Course Code	Course Name		Credit Structure			Credits	Contact Hours
			L	T	P		

  
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			<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>		
LAWXXX	Elective 3	Law Elective Courses	4	0	0	4	4
LAWXXX	Elective 4	Law Elective Courses	4	0	0	4	4
LAWXXX	Elective 5	Law Elective Courses	4	0	0	4	4
LAWXXX	Elective 6	Law Elective Courses	4	0	0	4	4
LAWXXX	Honors 7	Law Honours Courses	4	0	0	4	4
LAWXXX	Honors 8	Law Honours Courses	4	0	0	4	4
LAW991	Research Methodology	Law Core Courses	4	0	0	4	4
	<b>Total</b>		<b>28</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>28</b>
<b>Semester X</b>							
Course Code	Course Name		Credit Structure			Credits	Contact Hours
			L	T	P		
LAW992	Dissertation	Law Dissertation Course	2	2	0	4	4
LAW994	Moot Court and Internship	Law Clinical Courses	1	0	3	4	4
LAW993	Alternative Dispute Resolution	Law Clinical Courses	2	0	2	4	4
LAW219	Comprehensive Internship Diary (Evaluation)	Law Clinical Courses	-	-	4	2	-
LAW220	Comprehensive Internship Viva	Law Clinical Courses	-	-	4	2	-
<b>LAW211</b>	<b>Internships*</b>	<b>Law Clinical Courses</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>-</b>
LAW202	Professional Ethics & Professional Accounting system	Law Clinical Courses	2	0	2	4	4
	<b>Total</b>		<b>7</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>16</b>

**Minimum Qualifying Credits: 261**

  
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<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>LEGAL METHODS AND LEGAL REASONING</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW101</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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## **OBJECTIVE**

Legal methods help one understand and appreciate the way law functions in the society and how lawyers, judges, and legislators think and act, and how they collectively fulfill social goals. This course will introduce the students to formal logic and legal reasoning and will help them with the development of the critical reasoning skills. Students will be able to recognise and rank information and issues in terms of relevance and importance. Students will be able to bring together information and materials, assess their argumentative sustainability and the analytical relationship between them. Students will be able to make a critical judgment of the merits of particular arguments.

## **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

### **Introduction to legal method : approaches to law & legal reasoning.**

Meaning of the term 'Law', Introduction to Legal Systems, Common law system, Introduction to the Indian legal system

### **Hierarchy of Courts under the Constitution of India.**

Civil procedure and criminal procedure Code, Courts, Arbitrators and Tribunals.

### **Sources of Law**

Custom, Precedent, Statute, Delegated Legislation, Sources of International Law, Doctrine of Prospective Overruling, Reversed Decision, Distinguished Decisions, Reasoned decisions

### **Legal Reasoning and Methods of Law Making**

Meaning of legal reasoning, Understanding Stare Decisis, Precedents, Logic and Experience., Interpretation of Statutes, Ratio Decidendi, Methods of determining Ratio Decidendi., Obiter Dictum, Precedents., Usefulness of the doctrine of Stare Decisis, Methods of Law Making

### **Legal Writing and Legal Research**

Meaning and Importance of Legal Research, Technique of Legal Research, Legal Materials – Case Law, Statutes, Report, Journals, Manuals, Digest, Legal Writing and Citation

### **Practice Exercise**

Critical Analysis of Articles, Case Law Exercise, Looking at the Critique of the case, Going through Constitutional and Division bench judgments.

### **Text Books:**

1. Fisher, A; *Critical Thinking: An Introduction*; Cambridge University Press.
2. Williams, Glanville; *Learning the Law*; Universal Law Publishers.

### **Reference Books**

1. Levi, H; *An Introduction to Legal Reasoning*; University of Chicago Press.
2. Thompson, A; *Critical Reasoning*; London, Routledge.
3. Hart, HLA; *The Concept of Law*; Oxford University Press
4. Setelwad, Atul; *Introduction to Law*; Butterworths.



<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>JURISPRUDENCE</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW102</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
			4	0	0	4

### **OBJECTIVE**

To impart basic knowledge about science and philosophy of law, various schools and theories of jurisprudence and their contemporary significance.

### **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

#### **Introduction**

Nature and scope of Jurisprudence, Jurisprudence and legal theory, Need for study of Jurisprudence, Linkage between jurisprudence and political science, sociology, history, Nature of law and various schools of law.

#### **Natural and Analytical Law Schools**

Natural Law School: role of Hobbes, Locke, Rousseau, Aquinas, Kant and St. Augustine.

Analytical Law School: role of Austin, Bentham, Hart, Kelson and Holland.

#### **Historical and Sociological Law Schools**

Historical Law School: role of Savigny, Volkgeist and Henry Maine.

Sociological Law School: role of Roscoe Pound, Ihering, Ehrlich and Duguit.

#### **Sources of Law**

Custom: essentials and kinds, Legislation: concept and classification, Precedent, *Ratio Decidendi*, *obiter dicta*, *stare decisis*.

#### **Text Books**

1. Salmond Fitzgerald, P.J; *Salmond on Jurisprudence*; Sweet and Maxwell
2. Paranjape, N.V; *Studies in Jurisprudence and legal Theory*; Central Law Agency

#### **Reference Books**

1. Dias, R.W.M.; *Jurisprudence*; Butterworth's Publication
2. Bodenheimer; *Jurisprudence: The Philosophy and Method of Law*; Harvard University Press
3. Dhyani, S.N.; *Jurisprudence: A Study of Indian Legal Theory*; Central Law Agency
4. Tripathi, B.N. Mani; *Jurisprudence*; Central Law Agency
5. Koul, A. K.; *A Textbook of Jurisprudence*; Satyam Law International
6. Paton, Georg Whitecross; *A Text of Jurisprudence*, Oxford University Press
7. Friedmann, W., *Legal Theory*; Columbia University Press



<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>LAW OF CONTRACT</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW103</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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### **OBJECTIVE**

To impart basic knowledge about general principles of law of and their contemporary significance.

### **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

#### **Formation of Contract**

Meaning, nature and essentials of a valid contract, Offer/Proposal: definition, communication, revocation, general and specific offer, invitation to offer, Acceptance: definition, communication, revocation, provisional acceptance, tenders/auctions, *e-contracts*.

#### **Consideration and Capacity**

Consideration: definition, essentials, privity of contract, exceptions under Section 25 of Indian Contract Act, 1872, Capacity to enter into a contract, Minor's position, Nature and effect of minor's agreement.

#### **Validity, Discharge and Performance of Contract**

Free consent: coercion, undue influence, misrepresentation, fraud, mistake, Unlawful consideration and object, Effect of Void, Voidable, Valid, Illegal, Unlawful and Uncertain agreements and contracts, Performance of contract, Discharge of contract, Doctrine of frustration, Breach: nature and kinds.

#### **Quasi Contracts and Remedies**

Doctrine of *Unjust Enrichment*, *Quasi* Contracts, Remedies available under Indian Contract Act, 1872, Compensation: meaning and nature, damages, kinds, remoteness, *Quantum-Meruit*, Relevant provisions of Specific Relief Act, 1963.

#### **Acts and Statutes (As Amended)**

1. The Indian Contract Act, 1872
2. The Information Technology Act, 2000
3. The Specific Relief Act, 1963

#### **Text Books**

1. Singh, Avtar; *Law of Contract*; Eastern Book Company
2. Pollock and Mulla; *Indian Contract Act, 1872*; LexisNexis

#### **Reference Books**

1. Brix, Brian H.; *Contract Law: Rules, Theory and Context*; Cambridge University Press
2. Beatson, J; *Anson's Law of Contract*; Oxford University Press





<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>SPECIAL CONTRACTS</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW104</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
			4	0	0	4

### **OBJECTIVE**

To impart basic knowledge about various forms of specific contracts and their applications.

### **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

#### **Contract of Indemnity**

Definition, Essential elements, Difference between Indian law and English law, Rights and liabilities of indemnifier and indemnity-holder, Nature of indemnity clauses, Difference between indemnity contract and contingent contract, Distinction between contract of indemnity and guarantee.

#### **Contract of Guarantee**

Guarantee: definition, essential elements, co-existence of surety and principal debtor's liabilities, joint and separate liability of surety, continuing guarantee, discharge of liability of the surety, discharge of liability of co-surety and joint co-surety, and rights of surety.

#### **Contract of Bailment**

Definition, Essential elements, Kinds of bailment, Rights and duties of bailor and bailee, Determination of bailment, Rights and responsibility of finder of goods, Provisions relating to *lien*, Rights of bailor and bailee against wrong-doers.

#### **Contract of Pledge**

Definition, Essential elements, Rights of pawner, Rights of pawnee, Pledge by mercantile agent, Suits against wrong- doers, Difference between pledge and bailment, Difference between pledge and mortgage, Difference between pledge and hypothecation, Difference between general and particular *lien*.

#### **Contract of Agency**

Meaning and definition of agency, Difference between agent and servant, Essential elements of valid agency, Mode for creation of agency, Mutual relation between principal, original agent and sub-agent, Meaning of substituted agent, Difference between sub-agent and substituted agent, Rights and duties of an agent, Agent's *lien* on principal's property, Relation between the principal and third person, Undisclosed agent, Pretended agent, Termination of agency.

#### **Law Relating to Sale of Goods Act, 1930**

Contract of sale and agreement to sell, Conditions and warranties, Rules for passing of property, Transfer of property and title, Rights of unpaid seller.

#### **Law Relating to Indian Partnership Act, 1932**

Definition of partnership, Position of minor in partnership, Mutual relations of partners, Doctrine of implied authority of the partners, Liabilities of the partnership firm to third party, Dissolutions of the firm, Registration of partnership firms.

#### **Law Relating to Limited Liability Partnership Act, 2008**

Meaning and concept of Limited Liability Partnership, Salient features of a Limited Liability Partnership Firm, Partners and their relationships, Difference between Traditional Partnership Firm, Limited Liability Partnership Firm and Company.



### **Acts and Statutes (As Amended)**

1. The Indian Contract Act, 1872
2. The Sale of Goods Act, 1930
3. The Indian Partnership Act, 1932
4. The Limited Liability Partnership Act, 2008

### **Text Books**

1. Singh, Avtar; *Law of Contract*; Eastern Book Company
2. Kapoor, N. D.; *Mercantile Law*; S. Chand Publication
3. Bangia, R. K.; *Indian Contract Act*; Allahabad Law Agency

### **Reference Books**

1. Pollock and Mulla; *Indian Contract Act*; LexisNexis
2. Anson; *Law of Contract*; Universal Publication
3. Pollock and Mulla; *Sale of Goods Act*; LexisNexis
4. Pollock and Mulla; *Indian Partnership Act*; LexisNexis



<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>LAW OF TORTS AND CONSUMER PROTECTION ACT</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW105</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
			4	0	0	4

### **OBJECTIVE**

To impart basic knowledge about law of torts, and current developments by the British and Indian courts, along with laws relating to Consumer Protection and Motor Vehicles.

### **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

**Introduction and Principle in Torts**

Nature and definition of torts, Development of torts, Torts distinguished from contract, crime and breach of trust, functions of tort, basis of tortious liability, alternative systems of compensation

**General Condition of Liability in Torts**

Wrongful act, Legal damage, Legal remedy: *Ubi jus ibi remedium*, *Damnum sine injuria*, *Injuria sine damnum*, Mental element in torts, Motive, Intention, Malice and its kinds, Duty of care, breach of duty, causation, foreseeability of damages, extent of damage, Malfeasance, Misfeasance and non-feasance, Joint tortfeasors.

#### **Parties**

Crown, Acts of State, Foreign sovereigns, ambassadors and public officials, corporations, unincorporated bodies, minors, mental disorder, prisoners, bankruptcy, principal and agents, master and servants, common employment

#### **Forms of Liabilities**

Vicarious liability, Rule of strict liability, Rule of absolute liability, Liability for animals, product, dangerous premises, dangerous goods, Tortious liability

**Defences, Remedies and Damages**

*Volenti non fit injuria*, Act of God, Inevitable accidents, Plaintiff's default, Private defense, Judicial and quasi-judicial act, Negligence and contributory negligence, Assault, Battery, False imprisonment and abuses, Malicious prosecution, Nuisance, Trespass to land and goods, Defamation, General remedies in torts, Judicial and extra judicial remedies, Damages- its notion and its kinds, the principal of compensation.

**Consumer Laws**

**Protection**

Object of Consumer Protection Act, 1986, Consumer: concept, definition, and scope, rights of consumers, enforcement of consumer rights, unfair trade practices, defect in goods, Deficiency in



Service: medical, legal, electricity, housing, postal services, banking, education, Consumer forum: jurisdiction, powers and functions, appeal, administrative remedies, consumer courts.

### Acts and Statutes (As Amended)

1. The Consumer Protection Act, 1986

### Text Books

1. Pillai P.S.A., Law of Tort, Eastern Book Company
2. Singh, Avatar and Kaur, Harpreet; *Introduction to the Law of Torts and Consumer Protection*, LexisNexis

### Reference Books

1. Ratanlal and Dhirajlal; *The Law of Torts*; Universal Publication
2. Winfield and Jolowicz; *The Law of Torts*; Sweet and Maxwell
3. Basu, Durga Das; *The Law of Torts*; Kamal Law House
4. Salmond and Heuston; *The Law of Torts*; Universal Publication
5. Lakshminath, A. and Sridhar, M.; *Ramaswamy Iyer's the Law of Torts*; LexisNexis
6. Rosser, William L; *Cases and Materials on Torts*; University Case Book Series

### Select Case Laws

1. National Insurance Co. Ltd. v. Swaran Singh and Others. [(2004) 3 SCC 297]
2. Spring Meadows Hospital v. Harjot Ahluwalia [AIR (1998) SC 1801]
3. Indian Medical Assn. v. V.P. Santha [(1995) 6 SCC 651]
4. Lucknow Development Authority v. M.K.Gupta, [(1994) 1 SCC 243]
5. Consumer Unity and Trust society v. State of Rajasthan [(1991) II CPJ 56 Raj]
6. Union Carbide Corporation v. Union of India [AIR 1989 SC 248]
7. M.C. Mehta v. Union of India [(1987) 1 SCC 395]
8. Bhim Singh v. State of J & K and Others [AIR 1986 SC 494]
9. M/s Kasturilal Ralia Ram Jain v. State of U.P. [AIR 1965 SC 1039]
10. State of Rajasthan v. Vidyawati and Others [AIR 1962 SC 1039]
11. Rylands v. Fletcher [(1868) LR HL 330]

**Note:** The above list is illustrative and not exhaustive. The updated case laws will be discussed.



<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>LAW OF TORTS AND MV ACT</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW106</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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### **OBJECTIVE**

To impart basic knowledge about law of torts, and current developments by the British and Indian courts, along with laws relating to Motor Vehicles.

### **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

**Torts affecting Person**

Assault, battery, false imprisonment, domestic relations, nervous shock - parent and child- husband and wife- death of relatives, master and servant.

#### **Torts affecting Property**

Torts against Immovable Property- Trespass to land, continuing trespass, trespass beneath and above the surface, title of the property trespass ab-initio, Torts against moveable property- goods, conversion, deceit- economic torts.

#### **Nuisance**

Nuisance- kinds, the right to enjoyment of land, who can sue, who is liable, occupier, non-occupier, defences, licenses, right to way, nuisance to a highway, non- repair of roads.

#### **Negligence**

Negligence- essentials, duty of care, breach of duty

#### **Torts affecting Reputation and Process of Law**

Defamation- definition, nature, reference to plaintiff, defamatory statement, innuendo, publication, justification, privilege- absolute and qualified, defences, malicious prosecution.

#### **Accidental Claims under Motor Vehicles Act**

Salient features of Motor Vehicles Act, 1988, Settlement of claims, Motor accidental claims tribunals, Insurance, Insurer's liability for third party risk.

#### **Acts and Statutes (As Amended)**

1. The Motor Vehicles Act, 1988

#### **Text Books**

1. Pillai P.S.A., Law of Tort, Eastern Book Company
2. Iyer, Ramaswamy; The Law Of Torts, Lexis Nexis
3. Kannan, K; *Accident and Compensation Laws*; LexisNexis

#### **Reference Books**

1. Ratanlal and Dhirajlal; *The Law of Torts*; Universal Publication
2. Winfield and Jolowicz; *The Law of Torts*; Sweet and Maxwell



3. Basu, Durga Das; *The Law of Torts*; Kamal Law House
4. Salmond and Heuston; *The Law of Torts*; Universal Publication
5. Lakshminath, A. and Sridhar, M.; *Ramaswamy Iyer's the Law of Torts*; LexisNexis
6. Rosser, William L; *Cases and Materials on Torts*; University Case Book Series

### Select Case Laws

1. Six Carpenters' Case (1610) 8 Coke 146
2. Fouldes v Willoughby (1841) 8 M&W 540
3. Armory v Delamirie (1721) 1 Strange 505
4. Youssouf v Metro Goldwyn Mayor Pictures Limited (1934) 50 TLR 581 CA
5. Newstead v London Express Newspapers (1940) 1 KB 377
6. West Bengal State Electricity Board v Dileep Kumar Roy AIR 2007 SC 976
7. Donoghue v Stevenson (1932) AC 562
8. Bourhill v Young (1943) AC 92 [HL]
9. Derry v Peak (1889) 14 AC 337 HL
10. Mogul Steamship Navigation Co. v McGregor Gow & Co. (1892) AC 25
11. Allen v Flood (1898) AC 1
12. Kirk v Gregory (1876) 1 ExD. 55

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<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>FAMILY LAW-I</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW107</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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### **OBJECTIVE**

To impart basic knowledge about laws relating to marriage, divorce and succession.

### **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

#### **Introduction**

Sources, Schools and Nature.

**12**

#### **Marriage and Divorce**

**and**

**16**

Marriage: essentials, and kinds of marriages, Obligations of spouses: *mehr*, and maintenance, *Talaq*, Dissolution of Marriage Act, 1939, guardianship and acknowledgement.

#### **Inheritance and Wakf**

Inheritance: general principles of inheritance, Sunni and Shia law of inheritance, doctrine of increase and return, rules of exclusion.

*Wakf*: definition, objectives, kinds and essentials, Appointment and functions of *Mutawalli*.

#### **Gift and Will**

Gift (*Hiba*): definition, essentials, kinds, formalities and revocation of a valid *Hiba*, Will (*Wasiyat*): definition, essentials of a valid Will, abatement of legacies and revocation of Will, Pre-emption.

#### **Acts and Statutes (As Amended)**

1. The Dissolution of Muslim Marriage Act, 1939
2. The Muslim Personal Law (Shariat) Application Act, 1937
3. The Muslim Women (Protection of Rights on Divorce) Act, 1986
4. The Wakf Act, 1995

#### **Text Books**

1. Sinha, R.K; *Muslim Law*; Central Law Agency
2. Ahmad, Aqil; *Mohammedan Law*; Central Law Agency

#### **Reference Books**

1. Halsbury's Laws of India; *Family Law-II*; LexisNexis
2. Hidayatullah and Hidayatullah; *Mulla's Principles of Muslim Law*; LexisNexis
3. Khan, I.A.; *Mohammedan Law*; Central Law Agency
4. Nazmi, Mohammad; *Mohammedan Law*; Central Law Publication
5. Saxena, Poonam Pradhan; *Lectures on Family Law-I and II*; LexisNexis





**Select Case Laws**

1. Daniel Latifi v. Union of India [(2001) 7 SCC 740]
2. Lilly Thomas v. Union of India [AIR 2000 SC 1650]
3. Sarla Mudgal v. Union of India [(1995) 3 SCC 635]
4. M. Ismail Faruqui v. Union of India [AIR 1995 SC 1569]
5. Mohd. Ahmed Khan v. Shah Bano Begum [AIR 1985 SC 945]
6. Abdul Kadir v. Salima and another [(1886) ILR 8 Allahabad 149]

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<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>FAMILY LAW-II</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW108</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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### **OBJECTIVE**

To impart basic knowledge about family relations, succession and other provisions of Hindu Law.

### **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

#### **Introduction**

**12**

Meaning of 'Hindu', Sources of Hindu law, Hindu Marriage Act, 1955.

#### **Maintenance, Guardianship**

#### **Adoption**

**and**

**16**

Maintenance under Hindu Marriage Act, 1955, Maintenance under the Hindu Adoption and Maintenance Act, 1956, Adoption, Kinds and powers of guardians under the Hindu Minority and Guardianship Act, 1956.

#### **Coparcenary**

**16**

Origin, Nature of joint family and coparcenary, Characteristics of coparcenary, Distinction between coparcenary and joint family, Classification of property: joint family property and separate property, Karta: position, powers, liabilities and debts.

#### **Partition**

**and**

#### **Succession**

**16**

Definition, Persons entitled to demand partition, Reopening and reunion, Hindu Succession Act, 1956: features, devolution of interest in coparcenary property, list of Class-I heirs and Class-II heirs of the Schedule, Hindu women's right to property, Testamentary succession.

#### **Acts and Statutes (As Amended)**

1. The Hindu Marriage Act, 1955
2. The Hindu Adoption and Maintenance Act, 1956
3. The Hindu Minority and Guardianship Act, 1956
4. The Hindu Succession Act, 1956

#### **Text Books**

1. Kesari, U.P.D.; *Modern Hindu Law*; Central Law Publication
2. Myneni, S.R; *Hindu Law*; Asia Law House

#### **Reference Books**

1. Desai, Satyajit A; *Mulla's Principles of Hindu Law, Volume-I and II*; LexisNexis
2. Diwan, Paras; *Hindu Law*; Allahabad Law Agency
3. Halsbury's Laws of India; *Family Law-I*; LexisNexis
4. Saxena, Poonam Pradhan; *Lectures on Family Law-I and II*; LexisNexis

#### **Select Case Laws**



1. Naveen Kohli v. Neetu Kohli [AIR 2006 SC 1675]
2. Seema v. Ashwani [(2006) 2 SCC 578]
3. Geeta Hariharan v. Reserve Bank of India [AIR 1999 SC 1149]
4. Sarla Mudgal v. Union of India [(1995) 3 SCC 535]
5. Saroj Rani v. Sudarshan Kumar [AIR 1984SC 1962]
6. Dastane v. Dastane [AIR 1970 Bom. 312]

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<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>CRIMINOLOGY AND GENERAL PRINCIPLES OF CRIMINAL LAW</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW109</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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### **OBJECTIVE**

This course covers the fundamentals of criminal law and criminal jurisprudence. The course extensively discusses the General principles of criminal law, concepts and ideologies of Victimology and Penology.

### **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

#### **Criminology**

Definition, Nature, Scope, Utility, Relation between Crime and Society, Schools of Criminology- Schools of Criminology- Pre-classical, Classical, Neo- Classical- Clinical, Sociological, The New Criminology, Causation of Crime, Classifications of Crime and Criminals- Patterns of Criminals, Developing Trends in Criminology

#### **Penology**

Definition and correctional philosophy of offenders, theories of Punishment, Sentencing, Principal types of sentences 'in -the Penal Code [Secs. 53-75] and special law, Sentencing in white collar crime, Sentencing for habitual offender, Classification of prisoners, Rights of prisoner and duties of custodial staff, Open prisons, Constitutionality and Judicial Attitudes towards Capital Punishment in India, Parole, Open Jails, Prevention of Crime - Identification of Potential Delinquency

#### **Victimology**

Origin and development, Definitions – Dimensions victimization – Typology – Victims in the criminal justice system, Scope of Justice - Retributive -Restorative justice, Victimology – Forms, theories, Patterns and Impact of Victimization and crime victimization, National and International Concern for Victims, Victim Assistance and Services -Needs , Concepts and forms, Role of Judiciary, Government, Citizens and voluntary, advocacy – Victim assistance during crime investigation and trial – Victim centered policing – Prevention of victimization– Police and victims

#### **General Principles of Criminal Law**

Criminal Law – meaning, need and importance, What is Morality- A two way approach to define crime, Wrongs- Distinction between Moral, Civil and Criminal Wrongs- Crimes and Civil injuries distinguished, Definition of Crime - Sir William Blackstone, Austin, Sergeant Stephen, Classifying crimes- Oldest way of classification: mala in se - mala prohibita - distinguished from Torts- Criminal Law & Morality, historical development -extent and operation of the Code, Principles of Criminal Law, Need for a Criminal Law

#### **Fundamental Elements of Crime**

Four Elements- Human Beings [Capacity to commit crime], Actus Reus nisi mensit rea- Actus Reus, Mens Rea, Injury, Actus Reus- Act, Omission, State of Affair, Causation in fact, Causation in law, Automatism, Strict Liability, Contemporaneity Rule, Mens Rea- General Principle – Its Objectives-Blameworthy mental condition-Exceptions to principle of Mens Rea- Mens Rea in IPC 1860-Exception to Mens Rea- Strict Liability –Mens Rea and Statutory Crime, Stages in Commission of a Crime –Preparation- Attempt (inchoate crime)- Criminal Attempt and Criminal Liability- Accomplishment or commission of crime Criminal Conspiracy and Abetment, Principles and Accessories



### **Stages in Commission of a Crime**

Intention, Preparation, Attempt, Inchoate offence, Attempt and preparation distinguished Sections 511 and 307, IPC, Accomplishment

### **Liabilities under Criminal Law**

Constructive Criminal Liability Common Intention-Determination of liability of each individual in a group action – Secs. 34-38, Constructive Criminal Liability Common Object - Determination of liability of each individual in a group action - S. 149

### **Abetment and Criminal Conspiracy**

English Law - A principal in the first degree -A principal in the second degree -Accessory before the fact - Accessory after the fact Indian Law, Indian Law - Abetment by instigation - Abetment by conspiracy - Abetment by intentional aiding -Abetment in General, Punishment for Abetment Sections 34 and 114, Criminal Conspiracy - Ingredients of criminal conspiracy-Single general conspiracy and separate conspiracies, Punishment Sections 34, 109 and 120-A Proof of Conspiracy Abetment and Conspiracy

### **Justifiable and Excusable Exceptions**

Secs. 76-106, - Mistake of Law and Mistake of Fact-Doli Capax, Doli Incapax-Unsoundness of Mind-Intoxication-Necessity, Accident, Judicial acts, Consent, Communication, Duress, Trivial-Private Defence

### **Acts and Statutes (As Amended)**

1. The Indian Penal Code, 1860
2. Criminal Law (Amendment) Act, 2013

### **Text Books**

1. Qadri, S.M.A.; *Ahmad Siddiquie's Criminology, Penology and Victimology*, Eastern Book Company
2. Vibhute, K.I.; *PSA Pillai's Criminal Law*, Lexis Nexis
3. K.D. Gaur, *Criminal Law – Cases and Materials*, Lexis Nexis

### **Reference books**

1. Williams, Glanville; *Text Book of Criminal Law* Universal Law Publishing Co.
2. Hall, Jerome; *General Principles of Criminal Law*, Bobbs Merrill Company
4. Huda, Shamshul; *Principles of the Law of Crimes*, Eastern Book Company
3. Y. V. Chandrachud & V. R. Manohar (ed.), Ratanlal & Dhirajlal's *Indian Penal Code*, Lexis Nexis
4. Pillai, K.N.C.; & Aquil, Shabistan; *Essays on the Indian Penal Code*
5. Ormerod, David; and Laird, Karl; *Smith and Hogan's Criminal Law*, Oxford University Press
6. Ormerod, David; and Laird, Karl; *Smith and Hogan's Text, Cases, and Materials on Criminal Law*, Oxford University Press
7. Turner, JE Cecil; (Ed.), *Russell on Crime*, Vol. 1, Stevens & Sons, London
8. Cesare Bonesana di Beccaria, *An Essay on Crimes and Punishments. By the Marquis Beccaria of Milan. With a Commentary*, Albany: W.C. Little & Co.,

### **Select Case Laws**



1. State of Maharashtra v M.H. George AIR 1965 SC 722
2. Abhayanand Mishra v State of Bihar AIR 1961 SC 1969
3. Jogendra Singh v State of Uttar Pradesh (2012)6 SCC 297
4. Birendra Kumar Ghosh v King Emperor AIR 1925 PC 1
5. K.M. Nanavati v State of Maharashtra AIR 1962 SC 605
6. Shankar Narayan Bhadolkar v State of Maharashtra (2005) 9 SCC 71
7. Dudley and Stephens v Queen [1884] 14 QBD 273
8. McNaughton's Case [(1843) 4 St Tr (NS) 847]
9. James Marin v State of Kerala (2004)2 SCC 203

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<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>INDIAN PENAL CODE</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW110</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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## **OBJECTIVE**

To impart knowledge about the offences under the Indian Penal Code and its punishments.

## **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

### **Offences affecting Human Body**

Culpable homicide and murder, Death by negligence, Hurt and grievous hurt, Wrongful restraint and wrongful confinement, Criminal force and assault, Kidnapping and abduction, Offences against Women (including Criminal Law (Amendment) Act 2013): rape, custodial rape, prevention of immoral traffic, prohibition of indecent representation of women, outraging the modesty of women, sexual harassment, voyeurism and stalking, Unnatural Offences

### **Offences against the State, Army, Navy and Air force, Public Servants, Public Justice, Elections, Coins and Government Stamps**

Against State, Army, Navy and Air Force -By and against Public Servants and relating to Elections, Against Public Justice-Relating to Coins and Government Stamps

### **Offences against Property, Documents and Property Marks**

Theft, Extortion, Robbery and Dacoity, Criminal misappropriation of property, Breach of Trust, Cheating, receiving of stolen property, fraudulent deeds and disposition of property, mischief  
Criminal trespass, House Trespass, Lurking house trespass, House breaking, Forgery

### **Offences against Marriage and Cruelty by Husband and Relatives of Husband**

Concepts, Bigamy, Fraudulent Marriages, Criminal elopement, Adultery, Cruelty and Dowry Death

### **Offences against Public Safety, Convenience, Decency, Morality and Defamation and Relating to Religion, Weights and Measures**

Secs.264-267, Secs. 268- 294A- Concepts Prohibitions under IPC, Concept and Definition- Defamation under IPC- Secs. 499-502, Secs. 295- 298- Concepts- Prohibitions under IPC

### **Acts and Statutes (As Amended)**

1. The Indian Penal Code, 1860
2. Criminal Law (Amendment) Act, 2013



### **Text Books**

1. Ratanlal and Dhirajlal; *Indian Penal Code*; LexisNexis
2. Vibhute, K. I; *P.S.A. Pillai's Criminal Law*; LexisNexis

### **Reference Books**

1. Gaur, H. S.; *Criminal Law: Cases and Materials*; Universal Publication
2. Vibhute, K.I.; *PSA Pillai's Criminal Law*, Lexis Nexis
3. K.D. Gaur, *Criminal Law – Cases and Materials*, Lexis Nexis

### **Select Case Laws**

1. State of Tamil Nadu v. Nalini [AIR 1999 SC 2640]
2. D. K. Basu v. State of West Bengal [AIR 1997 SC 610]
3. Rupan Deol Bajaj and Others v. K.P.S. Gill [AIR 1996 SC 309]
4. Kehar Singh v. State (Delhi Administrator) [AIR 1988 SC 1883]
5. Bachan Singh v. State of Punjab [AIR 1982 SC 1325]
6. State of West Bengal v. Shew Mangal Singh [AIR 1981 SC 1917]
7. Joginder Singh v. State of Punjab [AIR 1979 SC 1876]
8. Sushil Kumar Sharma v UOI and other AIR 2005 SC 3100
9. T. Venkateshwar Rao v State of Andhra Pradesh (2013) 15 SCALE 373
10. Kumari Hema Mishra v State of UP & others AIR 2014 SC 7439
11. Suresh Kumar Koushal v. NAZ Foundation, AIR 2014 SC 563.
12. NALSA v UOI Writ Petition (Civil) No.400 OF 2012 (SC)

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<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>CRIMINAL PROCEDURE CODE</b>						
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW111</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>	
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### **OBJECTIVE**

To impart basic knowledge about the general principles of Criminal Procedure and emerging themes and issues in present context.

### **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

#### **Introduction**

Object, Extent and scope of Criminal Procedure Code, Definitions, Constitution and powers of criminal courts and offices, Jurisdiction of criminal courts in inquiries and trials, Information to police and their power to investigate, Security for keeping peace and good behavior.

#### **Arrest, Process to Compel Appearance and Search**

Meaning, purpose and procedure of arrest, Arrest with a warrant, Arrest without a warrant, General provisions relating to searches, Search with a warrant, Search without warrant, Illegality in a search and its consequences, Provisions regarding bail and bonds.

#### **Initiation of Proceedings before Magistrate and Trial**

Complaint to magistrate, Commencement of proceedings before Magistrate, Framing of charge, Trial before Court of Sessions and High Court, Trial of warrant cases by magistrate, Trial of summons cases by magistrate, Summary trial, Plea bargaining.

#### **Judgment, Review Procedures and Miscellaneous**

Judgment, Appeal, Reference, Revision, Curative petition, Irregular Proceedings, Inherent power, Maintenance of: wives, children and parents.

#### **Acts and Statutes (As Amended)**

1. The Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973

#### **Text Books**

1. Kelkar, R.V.; Revised by Pillai, K.N.C.; *Outlines of Criminal Procedure Code*; Eastern Book Company
2. Takwani, C. K. and Thakker, M.C.; *Criminal Procedure*; LexisNexis
3. Mishra, S.N.; *The Code of Criminal Procedure (Cr.P.C.) with Probations of Offenders Act and Juvenile Justice Act*; Central Law Agency

#### **Reference Books**

1. Sarkar, Sudipto and Manohar, V.R.; *The Code of Criminal Procedure*; LexisNexis
2. Ratanlal and Dhirajlal; *The Code of Criminal Procedure*; LexisNexis

#### **Select Case Laws**



1. State of Haryana v. Dinesh Kumar [(2008) 3 SCC 222]
2. Lalita Kumari v. Govt. of Uttar Pradesh [(2008) 11 SCALE 154]
3. Savitaben Somabhai Bhatiya v. State Of Gujarat And Ors [(2005) 3 SCC 636]
4. Zahira Habibulla H. Shiekh v. State of Gujarat [(2004) 4 SCC 158]
5. Abdul Karim v. State of Karnataka [(2000) 8 SCC 710]
6. Dilip K. Basu v. State of West Bengal [(1997) 6 SCC 642]
7. Madhu Bala v. Suresh Kumar [(1997) 8 SCC 476]
8. Citizen for Democracy v. State of Assam [(1995) 3 SCC 743]
9. Moti Ram v. State of M.P. [(1978) 4 SCC 47]
10. Khatri And Others v. State Of Bihar and Ors [(1981) SCR (2) 408]

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<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>CONSTITUTIONAL LAW-I</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW112</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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### **OBJECTIVE:**

To impart basic knowledge of Fundamental Rights, Directive Principles of State Policy and their enforcement mechanism.

### **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

#### **Introduction**

Concept of: Rule of Law and separation of powers, Constitution: nature, sources and salient features, Preamble, Constitutionalism, Citizenship and Parliamentary system of Government.

#### **Fundamental Rights: Right to Equality**

Definition of State for enforcement of fundamental rights, Justiciability of fundamental rights, Doctrine of Eclipse, Doctrine of Severability, Doctrine of Waiver, Right to equality, Doctrine of reasonable classification and the principle of absence of arbitrariness, Non-discrimination and equal opportunity in employment.

#### **Fundamental Rights: Right to Freedom**

Fundamental freedoms: freedom of speech and expression, right to information, freedom to assemble, freedom of association, freedom of movement, freedom to reside, freedom of trade, business and profession, expansion by judicial interpretation, and reasonable restrictions, Protection in respect of conviction for offences; Right to life and personal liberty: scope and content, Preventive detention, Right against exploitation: human trafficking, forced labour and child labour, Freedom of religion, Educational and cultural rights.

#### **Fundamental Rights: Right to Constitutional Remedies**

Judicial review, Writs: *habeas corpus*, *mandamus*, *certiorari*, *quo warranto* and prohibition.

#### **Directive Principles of State Policy**

Directive principles of state policy: meaning, nature and justiciability, Inter-relationship between fundamental rights and directive principles.

#### **Fundamental Duties**

Fundamental duties, Social Justice under the Indian Constitution: protective discrimination for scheduled caste, scheduled tribes, minorities and other backward classes.

#### **Acts and Statutes (As Amended)**

1. The Constitution of India

#### **Text Books**

1. Basu, Durga Das; *Introduction to the Constitution of India*; LexisNexis
2. Singh, M. P.; *V.N. Shukla's Constitution of India*; Eastern Book Company



### **Reference Books**

1. Pylee, M.V.; *Indian Constitution*; S. Chand Publication
2. Seervai, H.M; *Constitution of India*; Universal Publication
3. Jain, M.P; *Indian Constitutional Law*; LexisNexis
4. Sharma, Brij Kishore; *Introduction to Constitution of India*; Pearson

### **Select Case Laws**

1. Tata Press Ltd. v. M.T.N.L. [AIR 1995 SC 2438]
2. S.R. Bommai v. Union of India [AIR 1994 SC 1918]
3. Indra Sawhney v. Union of India [AIR 1993 SC 477]
4. Hussainara Khatun v. State of Bihar [AIR 1979 SC 1360]
5. Maneka Gandhi v. Union of India [AIR 1978 SC 597]
6. Keshavanand Bharti v. State of Kerala [AIR 1973 SC 1461]
7. Anwar Ali Sarkar v. State of WB [AIR 1952 Cal 150]
8. Champakam Dorairajan v. State of Madras [AIR 1951 SC 226]
9. A.K. Gopalan v. State of Madras [AIR 1950 SC 27]

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<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>CONSTITUTIONAL LAW-II</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW113</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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### **OBJECTIVE:**

To impart basic knowledge about the law relating to the constitution, distribution of powers and constitutional organs.

### **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

#### **Distribution of Powers between Centre and States**

Legislative powers, Doctrine of territorial nexus, Doctrine of harmonious construction, Doctrine of pith and substance, Doctrine of repugnancy, Administrative and financial powers.

#### **Union and State Executive**

Appointment and powers of: President, Vice President, Governor, Prime Minister, Council of Ministers.

#### **Union and State Legislatures**

Lok Sabha, Rajya Sabha, Vidhan Sabha, Vidhan Parishad, Legislative privileges, Legislative procedures, Anti-defection law.

#### **Union and State Judiciary**

Composition and Jurisdiction of: Supreme Court and High Courts, Public Interest Litigation (PIL), Powers of judicial review, Independence of Judiciary and judicial accountability.

#### **Emergency and Amendment of Constitution**

Emergency and its effect, Amendment of Constitution and doctrine of basic structure.

#### **Acts and Statutes (As Amended)**

1. The Constitution of India

#### **Text Books**

1. Basu, Durga Das; *Introduction to the Constitution of India*; LexisNexis
2. Singh, M. P.; *V.N Shukla's Constitution of India*; Eastern Book Company

#### **Reference Books**

1. Pylee, M.V.; *India's Constitution*; Asia Publishing House
2. Seervai, H.M.; *Constitution of India*; Universal Publication
3. Jain, M.P.; *Indian Constitutional Law*; LexisNexis
4. Sharma, Brij Kishore; *Introduction to Constitution of India*; Pearson

#### **Select Case Laws**

1. Ashok Kumar Thakur v. Union of India [(2008) 6 SCC 1]
2. D.C. Wadhwa v. State of Bihar [(1987) 1 SCC 379]
3. Maneka Gandhi v. Union of India [AIR 1978 SC 597]
4. A.D.M. Jabalpur v. Shivkant Shukla [AIR 1976 SC 1207]
5. Keshavanand Bharati v. State of Kerala [AIR 1973 SC 1461]
6. R.K. Dalmia v. Justice Tendulkar [AIR 1958 SC 538]
7. Ram Jawaya Kapur v. State of Punjab [AIR 1955 SC 549]

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<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>PROPERTY LAW</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW114</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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## **OBJECTIVE**

To impart basic knowledge about all aspects of immovable properties and the provisions related to their transfer, and the principles of equity and trusts.

## **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

### **Concept of Property**

Concept of property, Distinction between movable and immovable property, Attestation, Notice.

### **General and Specific Principles Relating to Transfer of Property**

Transfer of property, Transferable and non-transferable property, Restraints on alienation, Restraint on free enjoyment, Transfer to an unborn child, Rule against perpetuity, Vested and contingent interest, Conditional transfer, Rule of election, Transfer by ostensible owner, Rule of feeding the grant by *estoppel*, Rule of *lis pendens*, Fraudulent transfer, Part performance.

### **Specific Transfers**

Sale, Mortgage, Charge, Exchange, Lease and license, Gift, Actionable claims, Relevant provisions of Indian Easement Act, 1882: dominant and servient heritage, kinds of easement and right of prescription.

### **Trust**

Trust: creation and kinds, Trustees: duties, liabilities, rights, powers and disabilities, Beneficiaries: rights, liabilities and remedies, Certain obligations in the nature of trust: doctrine of *cy-près*.

### **Equity**

Concept, Definition, Historical background of equity, Relation with common law and the Judicature Act, 1873, Equitable rights, Interests, Election, Conversion, Performance, Satisfaction and mistake, Redemption, Fraud, Accident and liens, Maxims of equities: meaning, its application and cases, limitations of the maxim and recognition in India.

### **Acts and Statutes (As Amended)**

1. The Transfer of Property Act, 1882
2. The Indian Easement Act, 1882

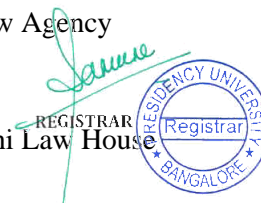
### **Text Books**

1. Saxena, Poonam Pradhan; *Property Law*; LexisNexis
2. Tripathi, T.P.; *Transfer of Property Act*; Central Law Agency

## **Reference**

### **Books**

1. Sinha, R.K.; *Transfer of Property Act*; Central Law Agency
2. Shukla, S.N.; *Transfer of Property Act*; Allahabad Law Agency
3. Ahmed, Aquil; *A Textbook of Law of Equity, Trust and Specific Relief*; Central Law Agency
4. Gour, H.S.; *Commentary on Transfer of Property Act, 1882*; Delhi Law House
5. Sarathy, V.P.; *Transfer of Property Act*; Central Law Agency
6. Rao, G.C.V. Subba; *Law of Transfer of Property (easements, trust and wills)*; Delhi Law House



7. Nair, M.R. Hariharan: *Mulla's Transfer of Property Act*; LexisNexis

  
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<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>LAW OF EVIDENCE</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW115</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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## **OBJECTIVES**

To impart basic knowledge about the importance and principles of evidence.

## **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

### **Introduction and Relevancy**

Definitions, Evidence and its relationship with the substantive and procedural laws, Relevancy and admissibility, Doctrine of *res gestae* and relevancy of facts.

### **Statement**

Relevancy and admissibility of admissions, Privileged admissions, Evidentiary value of admissions, Relevancy and admissibility of confessions, Confession of co-accused, Dying declaration, Relevance of Judgments, Expert's opinion.

### **Proof of Facts**

Character evidence, Presumptions, Judicial notice, Burden of proof, Oral and documentary evidence, and estoppels.

### **Witness and Examination**

Competence to testify, Privileged communications, Evidence by accomplice, General principles of examination and cross examination, Leading questions, Compulsion to answer questions, Hostile witnesses, Question of corroboration, Refreshing memory, Improper admission of evidence.

### **Acts and Statutes (As Amended)**

1. The Indian Evidence Act, 1872
2. The Criminal Law (Amendment) Act, 2013

### **Text Books**

1. Ratanlal and Dhirajlal; *Law of Evidence*; LexisNexis
2. Lal, Batuk; *Law of Evidence*; Central Law Agency

### **Reference Books**

1. Monir, M. Justice; *Law of Evidence*; Universal Publication
2. Sarkar, M.C., Sarkar, S.C. and Sarkar, P.C.; *Sarkar's Law of Evidence*; LexisNexis





<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>CIVIL PROCEDURE CODE AND LIMITATION ACT</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW116</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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## **OBJECTIVE**

To impart basic knowledge about the procedure adopted by the courts in civil suit and the period of limitation to file civil suits.

## **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

### **Introduction**

Definition: Decree and decree holder, Foreign court and foreign judgment, Judgment and judgment debtor, Legal representative, *Mesne* profits, Order, Public servant. Suits of civil nature, Jurisdiction, *res sub judice*, *res judicata*, Place of suing, Transfer of suits, Interest and Costs.

### **Institution of Suits**

Parties to suit, Frame of suit, Pleadings: plaint, written statement, set-off and counter claim, Summons to parties and witnesses, Appearance and non-appearance of parties, Commissions, Special Suits: Suits by or against government, Suits against public nuisance, Minors and unsound mind, Suit by indigent person, Inter pleader suits, Summary suits, Arrest and attachment before decree, Interlocutory orders and Receiver.

### **Execution of Decrees and Orders**

Payment under decree, Courts executing decree, Stay of execution, Modes of execution, Attachment in Execution, Sale in Execution.

### **Appeal, Reference, Review and Revision**

First Appeal, Second Appeal, Appeal by indigent, Appeal to Supreme Court, Reference, Review and Revision, Miscellaneous, Inherent Powers.

### **Relevant Provisions of Limitation Act, 1963**

### **Acts and Statutes (As Amended)**

1. The Code of Civil Procedure, 1908
2. The Limitation Act, 1963

### **Text Books**

1. Takwani, C.K.; *Code of Civil Procedure*; Eastern Book Company
2. Gupta, Shriniwas; *Limitation Act*; Universal Publication

### **Reference Books**

1. Mulla, A. N.; *Code of Civil Procedure*; LexisNexis
2. Jain, M. P.; *Code of Civil Procedure*; LexisNexis



<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>ADMINISTRATIVE LAW</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW117</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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### **OBJECTIVE**

To impart basic knowledge of general principles of Administrative Law to the students along with recent developments and issues in present context.

### **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

#### **Introduction**

**12**

Evolution of Administrative Law, Relationship between Constitutional Law and Administrative Law, *Droit administrative*

#### **Administrative Powers**

**16**

Administrative discretion, Administrative rule making and administrative adjudication.

#### **Judicial Control of Administrative Action**

**16**

Separation of powers, Rule of law and changing dimensions, Natural justice dimensions, Natural justice in administrative actions, Administrative action and judicial control, Remedies: public law review, Writs: *Mandamus*, *Habeas corpus*, *Certiorari*, *Prohibition* and *Quo warranto*, *Locus standi* and Public Interest Litigation, Legitimate expectation.

#### **Centre State Relation and Democratic Decentralization**

**16**

Distinction between judicial and quasi-judicial functions, Distinction between Court and Tribunal, Relations between the Union and States, Overview of Sarkaria Commission Report, Decentralization and Intergovernmental structures, Study of Panchayati Raj system.

#### **Acts and Statutes (As Amended)**

1. The Constitution of India
2. The Reports of Sarkaria Commission

#### **Text Books**

1. Massy, I.P.; *Administrative Law*; Eastern Book Company
2. Jain, M.P.; *Cases and Material on Administrative Law*; LexisNexis

#### **Reference Books**



1. Basu, Durga Das.; *Comparative Administrative Law*; LexisNexis
2. Dicey, A.V.; *Introduction to the Law of the Constitution*; Liberty Fund Inc
3. Wade, E. C. S. and Phillips, G. Godfrey; *Constitutional and Administrative Law*; Longman Publication
4. Takwani, C.K.; *Lectures on Administrative Law*; Eastern Book Company
5. Kesari, U.P.D.; *Administrative Law*; Central Law Publication

### **Select Case Laws**

1. I.R. Coelho v. State of Tamil Nadu [AIR 2007 SC 861]
2. L. Chandra Kumar v. UOI [AIR 1997 SC 1125]
3. Unnikrishnan v. State of A.P [(1993) 1 SCC 645]
4. Ajay Hasia v. Khalid Mujib [(1981) 1 SCC 722]
5. Maneka Gandhi v. Union of India [AIR 1978 SC 597]
6. ADM Jabalpur V. Shivkant Shukla [AIR 1976 SC 1207]
7. Indira Nehru Gandhi v. Raj Narain [AIR 1975 SC 2299]

**Note:** The above list is illustrative and not exhaustive. The updated case laws will be discussed.



<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>COMPANY LAW-I</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW118</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
			4	0	0	4

## **OBJECTIVE**

To impart basic knowledge about various provisions of Companies Act, 2013 and to provide an overview of corporate related issues.

## **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

### **Introduction**

Historical development of corporate law in India: comparative overview of the Company Act, 1956 and the Companies Act, 2013; Company: Definition, nature, characteristics and kinds, One-person company, Dormant Company, Company *vis-à-vis* other forms of business, Formation of companies with charitable objects, Concept of corporate personality, Lifting of corporate veil.

### **Incorporation of Company and Procedures**

Incorporation: meaning and consequences, Commencement of business, Promoters: positions, duties and liabilities, Memorandum of association: various clauses and alterations therein, Doctrine of *ultra vires*, Articles of association: various clauses and alterations therein, Doctrines of constructive notice and indoor management, Current developments.

### **Prospectus and Share**

Prospectus: definition, issue, contents and kinds, Liabilities for misrepresentation, Statement in lieu of prospectus, Share: meaning, nature and kinds, Allotment and transfer of shares, Forfeiture and surrender of shares, Rights of shareholders, Share capital: increase and reduction of share capital, Further issue of share capital, Buy back of shares, Duties of Tribunal to protect interests of shareholders and creditors, Debentures: definition, kinds, difference between shareholders and debenture holders and remedies for debenture holders.

### **Related Concepts**

Acceptance of deposits by companies, Corporate fraud, Registration of charges, Dematerialization, Depository system, Application of Companies Act, 2013 to different sectors: banking, insurance and other relevant sectors.

### **Act and Statute (As Amended)**

1. The Companies Act, 2013

### **Text Books**

1. Singh, Avtar; *Company Law*; Eastern Book Company
2. Kuchhal, M.C. and Vivek; *Modern Indian Company Law*; Shree Mahavir Book Depot

### **Reference Books**

1. Majumdar, A.K. and Kapoor, G.K.; *Company Law and Practice*; Taxmann
2. Gower, LCB & Davies; *Principles of Modern Company Law*; Sweet and Maxwell



<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>COMPANY LAW-II</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW119</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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### **OBJECTIVE**

To impart basic knowledge about various provisions of Companies Act, 2013 and to provide an overview of corporate related issues.

### **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

#### **Management and Administration**

Registers: kinds, inspection and evidentiary value, Directors: appointment, qualifications, remunerations, vacation, resignation, powers and duties, Concept of Director Identification Number (DIN), Board of directors, Independent directors, Meetings: kinds, essentials of valid meeting, calling of valid meeting, Kinds of resolution.

#### **Audit, Investigation and Sick Companies**

Audit and auditors: appointment, qualifications, remunerations, powers and duties, Dividends: declaration and payment, Corporate social responsibility, Inspection, inquiry and investigation of company affairs: conduct, reports, search and seizure, Sick companies: definition, meaning, concept, revival and rehabilitation.

#### **Mergers, Acquisition, Oppression and Winding Up**

Law relating to compromise, arrangement and amalgamation, Oppression and mismanagement: prevention, class action, powers of tribunal, Winding up: modes, circumstances, procedure, consequences, Powers and duties of liquidator, Winding up of unregistered companies.

#### **Tribunals and Courts**

National Company Law Tribunal and Appellate Tribunal: constitution, qualifications of members, powers and functions, orders and appeals, proceedings, Special Courts: establishment, offences triable and appeal.

#### **Acts and Statutes (As Amended)**

1. The Companies Act, 2013

#### **Text Books**

1. Singh, Avtar; *Company Law*; Eastern Book Company
2. Kuchhal, M.C. and Vivek; *Modern Indian Company Law*; Shree Mahavir Book Depot

#### **Reference Books**

1. Majumdar, A.K. and Kapoor, G.K.; *Company Law and Practice*; Taxmann
2. Gower, LCB & Davies: *Principles of Modern Company Law*; Sweet and Maxwell



<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>PUBLIC INTERNATIONAL LAW</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW120</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
			4	0	0	4

### **OBJECTIVE**

To impart basic knowledge and understanding about general principles of public international law and emerging themes and issues in present context.

### **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

#### **Introduction**

International Law: historical development, definition, nature and basis, Sources of International Law, Subjects of International Law, Relationship between International Law and Municipal Law.

#### **State Recognition and Succession**

Nature of State, Recognition, Succession, Acquisition and loss of territory and intervention.

#### **Nationality and Diplomats**

Nationality, Extradition, Asylum, Diplomatic Agents and their privileges and immunities.

#### **Settlement of International Disputes**

Settlement of international disputes, Geneva Convention, War crimes, Neutrality, Blockade and Prize Courts.

#### **International Organizations**

United Nations: organs and specialized agencies and International Criminal Court.

#### **Charters and Statutes (As Amended)**

1. The Charter of United Nations
2. The Statute of International Court of Justice
3. The Reports of International Court of Justice

#### **Text Books**

1. Starke, J.G.; *An Introduction to International Law*; LexisNexis
2. Kapoor, S.K; *International Law and Human Rights*; Central Law Agency

#### **Reference Books**

1. Harris, D.J.; *Cases and Material on International Law*; Sweet and Maxwell
2. Oppenheim; *International Law*; Oxford University Press
3. Aggarwal, H.O.; *Public International Law*; Central Law Publication
4. Singh, Gurdip; *International Law*, Macmillan



### **Select Case Laws**

1. International Court of Justice, 'Genocide Case', Judgment of 26 February 2007, 80-113; 121-141
2. International Court of Justice, Armed Activities on the Territory of Congo (D.R. Congo v. Uganda), Judgment of 19 December 2005, 26-27; 92-165
3. International Court of Justice, 'Wall Case', Advisory Opinion of 9 July 2004, 36-50; 59-65
4. International Court of Justice, LaGrand Case (Germany v. U.S.A.), Judgment of 27 June 2001, Page 13-42
5. International Court of Justice, Ariel Incident Case (Pakistan v. India), Judgment of 21 June 2000
6. International Court of Justice, 'Nicaragua Case' 1986, 75-80; 92-94; 226-238
7. International Court of Justice, Case concerning the United States Diplomatic and Consular Staff in Teheran (U.S.A. v. Iran), Judgment of 24 May 1980, 60-95
8. International Court of Justice, North Sea Continental Shelf Case (F.R. of Germany/Denmark; F.R. Germany/The Netherlands), Judgment of 20 February 1969, 34-39; 58-86; 100-101
9. V.D. Savarkar Extradition case (Great Britain and France), 1911

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<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>PRINCIPLES OF TAXATION LAW</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW121</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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## **OBJECTIVE**

To impart basic knowledge and understanding about the Income Tax Laws focusing on direct tax policy in India and emerging trends in present context.

## **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

### **Introduction**

Concept of Income Tax, Constitutional power of taxation, Taxing powers of Parliament, State Legislatures and local bodies, Outlines of Income Tax Law, Distinction between: tax and fee, tax planning, tax avoidance and tax evasion, Double taxation, Concepts: income, agricultural income, residential status, previous year, assessment year.

### **Heads of Income and Computation**

Heads of income: salary, house property, profits and gains of business and profession, capital gains and income from other sources, Exempted incomes, deductions, Income not forming part of total income and computation of income, Set-off and carry forward of losses.

### **Provisions Relating to Assessment**

Law and procedure for Permanent Account Number (PAN), Filing of returns including e-filing, Advanced Tax, Tax Deduction at Source (TDS), Assessment, Best judgment assessment, Authorities: powers and jurisdiction, appeals and penalties.

### **GST and Customs Duty provisions ( basic Level)**

### **Text Books**

1. Singhanian, V. K.; *Income Tax law and Practice*; Taxmann
2. Ahuja, Girish and Gupta, Ravi; *Systematic Approach to Income Tax*; Bharat Law House

### **Reference Books**

1. Dattar, P. Aravind, *Kanga & Palkhivala's Income Tax Law and Practice*. Lexis Nexis
2. Manoharan, T. N.; *Students Handbook on Income Tax Law*; Snow White Publication
3. Lal, B. B.; *Direct Taxes: Elements of Income Tax*; Konark Publication





<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>ENVIRONMENTAL LAW</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW122</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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## **OBJECTIVE**

To impart basic knowledge about national and international legal framework pertaining to environmental protection.

## **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

### **Introduction**

Environment: meaning and contents, Pollution: meaning, types, sources and effects, Indian tradition: dharma of environment, British Raj: industrial development and exploitation of nature, Provisions under penal and civil law, Environmental Law versus sustainable development, Polluter pays principle, Precautionary principle, Public trust doctrine, Inter-generational equity.

### **Constitutional Perspective and Environment Protection**

Distribution of legislative powers: relevant provisions in the State, Union and Concurrent lists, Fundamental rights, Fundamental duties, Directive principles of the state policy, Role of judiciary.

### **Legislative Framework for Environment Protection in India**

Study of relevant provisions of: Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974, Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981, Environment Protection Act, 1986, Public Liability Insurance Act, 1991, National Green Tribunal Act, 2010, Indian Forest Act, 1927, Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980, Wildlife Protection Act, 1971, Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act, 1960, Biodiversity Conservation Act, 2002.

### **International regime for Environment Protection**

Stockholm conference, Rio conference, Rio+20, Convention on Bio-diversity, United Nations Declaration on right to development, Cartagena Protocol, World Trade Organization and environment, United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change, Kyoto Protocol.

### **Disaster Management**

Disaster: concepts, definitions, causes and impacts, Disaster cycle: its analysis, phases, culture of safety, prevention, mitigation and preparedness, Disaster risk management: hazard and vulnerability profile of India, Components of disaster relief: water, food, sanitation, shelter, health, and waste management, Relevant provisions of Disaster Management Act, 2005.

### **Acts and Statutes (As Amended)**

1. The Indian Forest Act, 1927
2. The Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980
3. The Wildlife Protection Act, 1971
4. The Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act, 1960
5. The Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974
6. The Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981



7. The Environment Protection Act, 1986
8. Biodiversity Conservation Act, 2002
9. The Public Liability Insurance Act, 1991
10. The National Green Tribunal Act, 2010

### **Text Books**

1. Jaswal, P.S. and Jaswal, Nishtha; *Environmental Law*; Allahabad Law Agency
2. Leelakrishnan, P.; *Environmental Law in India*; LexisNexis
3. Sengar, Dharmendra S.; *Environmental Law*; Pearson

### **Reference Books**

1. Shastri, S.C.; *Environmental Law*; Eastern Book Company
2. Sands, Philippe; *Principles of International Environmental Law*; Cambridge University Press
3. Majumdar, B. Ariya, Nandy, Debosmita and Mukherjee, Swayambhu; *Environment and Wildlife Laws in India*; LexisNexis
4. Dube, Indrajeet; *Environmental Jurisprudence- Polluter's Liability*; LexisNexis
5. Shanthakumar, S.; *Introduction to Environmental Law*; LexisNexis

### **Select Case Laws**

1. Murli S. Deora v. Union of India [AIR 2002 SC 40]
2. M. C. Mehta v. Union of India [AIR 2002 SC 1696]
3. A P Pollution Control Board v. M V Nayudu [AIR 1999 SC 812]
4. Indian Council for Enviro-Legal Action v. Union of India [AIR 1996 SC 1446]
5. Vellore Citizens' Welfare Forum v. Union of India [AIR 1996 SC 2715]
6. M. C. Mehta v. Union of India [AIR 1988 SC 1037]
7. M. C. Mehta v. Union of India [AIR 1987 SC 965]
8. Rural Litigation and Entitlement Kendra v. State of UP [AIR 1982 SC 652]
9. Municipal Council, Ratlam v. Vardichand [AIR 1980 SC 1622]

**Note:** The above list is illustrative and not exhaustive. The updated case laws will be discussed.



<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>LABOUR AND INDUSTRIAL LAW-I</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW123</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
			4	0	0	4

## **OBJECTIVE**

To impart basic knowledge about various aspect of management- labour relationship, dispute settlement bodies and techniques and emerging themes and issues in present context.

## **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

### **Law Relating to Trade Unions**

Evolution of trade union, Salient features of the enactment and important definitions, Trade union: registration, rights and liabilities of registered trade union, cancellation of registration, penalties and procedure, Immunity enjoyed by the Union, Collective bargaining: process, merits and demerits.

### **Law Relating to Industrial Disputes**

Industrial Disputes Act: scope and salient features, Definitions: workmen, employers, industrial disputes, Authorities: appointment, powers and duties, Investigation and dispute settlement machinery: conciliation, adjudication, reference of disputes to boards, Courts or Tribunals, Awards, Settlement, Powers of the adjudicatory authorities, Managerial prerogatives and restraints thereon.

### **Instruments of Economic Coercion**

Strike, Lock-out, Lay-off, Retrenchment and closure, Unfair labour practices, Offences by industries, Penalties, Disciplinary action and domestic enquiry, Managerial prerogatives and restraints thereon, Notice of change, Hire and fire policy and its justification.

### **Law Relating to Labour Welfare and Safety**

The Factories Act, 1948: scope and salient features, Definitions: competent person, hazardous process, manufacturing process, worker, factory, occupier, Health, safety, welfare and working hours of adults, Employment of young persons, Inspectors: appointment, powers and duties, Relevant provisions of Industrial Employment (Standing Order) Act, 1946.

### **Acts and Statutes (As Amended)**

1. The Trade Union Act, 1926
2. The Industrial Disputes Act, 1947
3. The Factories Act, 1948
4. The Industrial Employment (Standing Order) Act, 1946
5. The Report of the National Labour Commission, 1967
6. The Report of the National Labour Commission, 2002

### **Text Books**

1. Singh, Avatar and Kaur, Harpreet; *Introduction to Labour and Industrial Laws*; LexisNexis
2. Misra S.N.; *Labour and Industrial Laws*; Central Law Publication



### **Reference Books**

1. Malhotra, O. P.; *The Law of Industrial Disputes*; LexisNexis
2. Kothari, G.M.; *A Study of Industrial Law*; LexisNexis
3. Padhi, PK; *Labour and Industrial Law*; Pearson
4. Malik, PL; *Handbook of Industrial and Labour Law*; Eastern Book Company

### **Select Case Laws**

1. T. K. Rangarajan v. Government of Tamil Nadu [AIR 2003 SC 3032]
2. Bangalore Water Supply and Sewerage Board v. A. Rajappa [AIR 1978 SC 548]
3. Safdarjung Hospital, New Delhi v. Kuldip Singh [AIR 1970 SC 1407]
4. Rohtas Industries Staff Union and Others v. State of Bihar and Others [AIR 1963 Patna 1970]
5. B.Y. Kshatraju (P) Ltd. v. Union of India [AIR 1963 SC 1591]

**Note:** The above list is illustrative and not exhaustive. The updated case laws will be discussed.



<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>LABOUR AND INDUSTRIAL LAW-II</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW124</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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### **OBJECTIVE**

To impart basic knowledge of labour issues relating to wages, working conditions, safeguards and compensation.

### **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

#### **Law Relating to Employees Compensation**

Conceptual frame work, evolution and scheme of social security, Employees Compensation Act, 1923: definition of dependent, workman, partial disablement and total disablement, Employer's liability for compensation: scope, doctrine of notional extension, when employer is not liable, employer's liability when contractor is engaged, amount and distribution of compensation, procedure in proceedings before commissioner and appeals.

#### **Law Relating to Maternity Benefits**

Maternity Benefits Act, 1961: aims, objects and definitions, Restriction on employment, Right to maternity benefit, Medical bonus, Leave, Dismissal during pregnancy, Forfeiture of maternity benefit, Leave for miscarriage, Penalty for contravention of Act by employer, Cognizance of offences.

#### **Law Relating to Payment of Gratuity**

Payment of Gratuity Act, 1972: aims, objectives and definitions, Controlling authority, Payment of gratuity, Recovery of gratuity, Determination of the amount of gratuity.

#### **Law Relating to Minimum Wages**

Minimum Wages Act, 1948: aims, objects, definitions, Theories and concept of wages, Fixation and revision of rates of wages, Working hours, Determination and claim of wages, Appointment and powers of authority.

#### **Law Relating to Equal Remuneration**

Equal Remuneration Act, 1976: payment of remuneration at equal rates to men and women workers and other related matters.

#### **Law Relating to Payment of Wages**

Aims and objects, Responsibility of payment of wages, Time of payment of wages and fixation of wage period, Authorized deductions, Appointment and powers of inspectors and authority for adjudication of claims, Penalty for offences under the Act.

#### **Acts and Statutes (As Amended)**

1. The Employees Compensation Act, 1923
2. The Maternity Benefit Act, 1961
3. The Payment of Wages Act, 1936
4. The Minimum Wages Act, 1948
5. The Equal Remuneration Act, 1976
6. The Payment of Gratuity Act, 1972
7. The Report of the National Labour Commission, 1967



8. The Report of the National Labour Commission, 2002

**Text Books**

1. Singh, Avatar and Kaur, Harpreet; *Introduction to Labour and Industrial Laws*; LexisNexis
2. Misra S.N.; *Labour and Industrial Laws*; Central Law Publication

**Reference Books**

1. Malhotra, O. P.; *The Law of Industrial Disputes*; LexisNexis
2. Kothari, G.M.; *A Study of Industrial Law*; LexisNexis
3. Padhi, P.K.; *Labour and Industrial Law*; Pearson
4. Malik's, P.L.; *Handbook of Industrial and Labour Law*; Eastern Book Company

**Select Case Laws**

1. Municipal Corporation of Delhi v. Female Workers (Muster Roll) [(2000) ILL J 846 SC]
2. Union of India v. All India Pensioners' Association [AIR 1988 SC 501]
3. General Manager B.E.S.T. Undertaking, Bombay v. Mrs. Agnes [AIR 1964 SC 193]
4. Greaves Cotton and Co. Ltd v. Their Workmen [(1964) ILLJ 342 SC]
5. Crown Aluminium Works v. Their Workmen [AIR 1958 SC 30]
6. National Iron and Steel Co. Ltd. v. Manorama Desai [AIR 1953 Cal.143]

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<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>FUNDAMENTALS OF MOOT COURT</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW206</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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**OBJECTIVE**

To impart basic practical knowledge and exposure regarding the proceedings of the Court. Three moot courts on assigned problems.

<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>FUNDAMENTALS OF TRIAL ADVOCACY</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW208</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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**OBJECTIVE**

To impart basic practical knowledge and exposure regarding the proceedings of the Court. Three trial Advocacy sessions on assigned problems.

<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>FUNDAMENTALS OF CLIENT COUNSELING</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW209</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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**OBJECTIVE**

To impart basic practical exposure to the art of client counseling. Three sessions of trial advocacy based on assigned role play.

  
 REGISTRAR  


<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>NEGOTIATION</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW203</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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**OBJECTIVE**

The course is required to be conducted by senior legal practitioners through simulation and case studies. Evaluation may also be conducted in practical exercises at least for a significant part of evaluation.

<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>MEDIATION</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW204</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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**OBJECTIVE**

The course is required to be conducted by senior legal practitioners through simulation and case studies. Evaluation may also be conducted in practical exercises at least for a significant part of evaluation.

<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>ARBITRATION AND CONCILIATION</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW205</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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**OBJECTIVE**

The course is required to be conducted by senior legal practitioners through simulation and case studies. Evaluation may also be conducted in practical exercises at least for a significant part of evaluation.

  
 REGISTRAR  




<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>DRAFTING, PLEADING AND CONVEYANCING</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW201</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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## **OBJECTIVES**

To impart basic knowledge about the significance and role of drafting, pleading and the role of conveyancing and its importance in legal profession.

## **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

### **Introduction**

Suits of civil nature, Cause of action, Institution of suits, Place of suing, Parties to suits, Stay of suit, *res judicata*, Jurisdiction of Courts, Inherent powers of Courts.

### **Drafting**

Introduction, Basic principles of pleadings: plead facts not law, plead material facts only, plead fact not evidence, brevity and precision in drafting.

### **Pleadings**

Signing of pleadings, verification of pleadings, Drafting a plaint: form, content, heading, title and body, drafting of written statement, Amendment of pleadings.

### **Conveyancing**

Conveyancing: meaning, object, functions and components, Registration of deeds, Types of notices.

### **Drafting of Plaints and Written Statements**

Plaint in suit for injunction, Plaint in suit for specific performance, Plaint in suit for breach of contract, Plaint in suit for accounts by the Principal against the agent, Suit for partition and possession, Suit for damages for malicious prosecution, Application to set aside ex-parte decree, Application for appointment of guardian of a minor, Written Statements.

### **Drafting of Petitions and Applications**

Petition for Dissolution of Marriage under Section 13 of the Hindu Marriage Act, 1955, Petition for Restitution of Conjugal Rights under Section 9 of the Hindu Marriage Act, 1955, Petition for Decree of Nullity of Marriage under Section 11 and 12 of the Hindu Marriage Act, 1955, Petition for Judicial Separation under Section 10 of the Hindu Marriage Act, 1955, Complaint for Maintenance of Peace and Order under Section 107 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973, Complaint for Public Nuisance, Complaint for defamation, Application for Maintenance under Section 125 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973, Application for Bail, Application for Anticipatory Bail.

### **Drafting of Deeds**

Agreement to sell property, Sale Deed, Gift Deed, Mortgage Deed, Lease Deed, Deed of Exchange, Will, Power of Attorney, Notice.

### **Text Books**

1. Aggarwal, S.P.; *Pleading-An Essential Guide*; LexisNexis
2. Chaturvedi, A.N.D.; *Pleadings Drafting and Conveyancing*; Central Law Agency
3. Bindra, N.S.; *Pleading and Practice*; Universal Publication

### **Reference Books**

1. Banerjee, B.N.; *Criminal Pleadings: Law, Practice and Procedure*; Law Book Company
2. Mogha, P.C.; *The Law of Pleadings in India with precedents*; Calcutta Eastern Law House



<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>PROFESSIONAL ETHICS AND PROFESSIONAL ACCOUNTING SYSTEM</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW202</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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## **OBJECTIVE**

To impart basic knowledge about the importance of ethics in legal profession and bar - bench relationship along with necessity of accounting system for lawyers.

## **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

### **Historical Perspective and Regulation of Legal Profession**

Historical development of Legal Profession in India, Bar Council of India and State Bar Council: constitution, function, powers and jurisdiction, Admission and enrolment of Advocates.

### **Professional Ethics and Legal Profession**

Nature and concept of Professional ethics and advocacy, Standards of professional conduct and etiquette, Conflict between interest and duty, Duty to court, Duty to client, Duty to opponent, Duty to colleagues, Duty towards society and obligation to render legal aid, Bench-Bar Relationship: Reciprocity as partners in administration of justice, Professional misconduct, Rights and privileges of advocates.

### **Accounting System for Lawyers**

Accounting system for lawyers: meaning, kinds and necessity, Valuation of suits, Court fees, Advocate fee, Advocate Welfare Fund fees, Professional tax, Service tax.

### **Law Relating to Contempt of Court Act**

Contempt of Court Act, 1971: evolution, object and constitutional validity. Definition, Kinds of Contempt by Judges, Magistrates, Lawyers and other persons cognizance, Procedure, Appellate provisions regarding contempt defences, Punishment for contempt and remedies against punishment, Defences under contempt of court.

### **Acts and Statutes (As Amended)**

1. The Advocate Act, 1961
2. The Contempt of Court Act, 1971
3. The Advocates Welfare Fund Act, 2001

### **Rule (As Amended)**

1. The Bar Council of India Rules, 1961

### **Text Books**

2. Sirohi, J.P.S.; *Professional Ethics, Accountancy for Lawyer and Bench-Bar Relationship*; Allahabad Law Agency
3. Myneni, S.R.; *Professional Ethics, Accountancy for lawyers and Bench Bar Relation*; Asia Law House



### Reference Books

1. Bhalla, Sandeep; *Advocates Act and Professional Misconduct*; Nashik Law House
2. Keith, Evam; *The Golden Rules of Advocacy, 1994*; Universal Publication
3. Gupta, S.P.; *Professional Ethics, Accountancy for Lawyers and Bench-Bar Relation*; Allahabad Law Agency
4. Rai, Kailash; *Legal Ethics, Accountability for Lawyers and Bench Bar Relations*; Central Law Publication
5. Jha, Ramachandra; *Selected Judgments on Professional Ethics*; Bar Council of India Trust

### Select Case Laws

1. Rajendra V Pai v Alex Frnandes [AIR 2002 SC 1808]
2. In re; V.C. Mishra [AIR 1995 SC 2348]
3. John D' Souza v Edward Ani [(1994) 2 SCC 64]
4. L.D. Jaisingham v Naraindas N Punjabi [(1976) 1 ACC 354]
5. P. J. Ratnam v D. Kanikaran [AIR 1964 SC 244]
6. In re; An advocate [AIR 1962 SC 1337]
7. In re; Lalit Mohan Das [AIR 1957 SC 250]
8. In re; "M" an Advocate [AIR 1957 SC 149]
9. In re; Mr. 'G' A Senior Advocate of SC [AIR 1954 SC 557]
10. Sheo Narayan Jafa v Judge of Allahabad HC [AIR 1953 SC 368]

**Note:** The above list is illustrative and not exhaustive. The updated case laws will be discussed.



<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>INTERNSHIP</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW211</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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### **OBJECTIVE**

**Objective:** The objective is to create industry ready legal professionals with all employable skills.

### **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

This is a clinical paper in compliance with the BCI norms. Students will undergo internships during the periods specified by the university. The student may choose to do any internship during the course but at least one of them shall be with a lawyer and observe client interviews, pre-trial preparations and civil and criminal trials as per BCI Education Rules 2008. One unit of internship is of four weeks duration and has assigned 2 credits. A student has to obtain minimum 10 credits during the course to be eligible for the award of Integrated LL.B. degree. It is mandatory to maintain an internship diary by each student in the prescribed format and to be submitted to the university.

This paper is offered as per the philosophy of skill based legal education at Presidency University. The objective is to create industry ready legal professionals with all employable skills. Law offers different career paths and internships shall be used as an opportunity to explore different choices available to a student.

The students are expected to gain practical knowledge and skills from the industry and legal profession through internships. They are expected to be familiar with professional working environment, professional etiquette and networking skills.

### **Reference Books**

1. Jennifer N. Mason, *Law Office Internship: An Undergraduate's First Look Into the World of Lawyers*, Abilene Christian University.
2. H. Frederick Sweitzer, Mary A. King, *The Successful Internship*, Cengage Learning.
3. Emily Finch, Stefan Fafinski, *Employability Skills for Law Students*, OUP Oxford.

  
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<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>COMPREHENSIVE INTERNSHIP VIVA</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW220</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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**OBJECTIVE**

The objective is to assess the learning through internships.

<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>MOOT COURT</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW210</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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**OBJECTIVE**

Compulsory one inter batch Moot Court Competition based on assigned problem.

<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>RESEARCH PROJECT WRITING</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW501</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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**OBJECTIVE**

This paper is intended to familiarise the students with methods of social as well as legal research. To measure the ability of the students to apply research methods every student is required to do a dissertation.

  
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<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>INSURANCE LAW</b>						
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW401</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>	
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### **OBJECTIVE**

To impart basic knowledge about the Banking and Insurance Laws and their implementation in present globalized context.

### **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

#### **Insurance Law and Practice**

History and development of insurance law in India, Kinds of insurance: life and non-life, Relevant provisions of Insurance Act, 1938 and Insurance Regulatory and Development Authority Act, 1999, Contract of insurance, Meaning and scope of risk, *causa proxima*, Assessment of the subject matter.

#### **Acts and Statutes (As Amended)**

1. The Insurance Act, 1938
2. The Life Insurance Corporation Act, 1956
3. The Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881
4. The Insurance Regulatory and Development Authority Act, 1999
5. The Banking Regulation Act, 1949
6. The Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934

#### **Text Books**

1. Tannan, M. L; *Banking Law and Practice in India*; LexisNexis
2. Murthy, K. S. N. and Sarma, K. V. S.; *Modern Law of Insurance in India*; LexisNexis

#### **Reference Books**

1. Basu, Saroj Kumar; *Review of Current Banking Theory and Practice*; Macmillan
  2. Goyle, L. C.; *Law of Banking and Bankers*; Eastern Law House
- Hardy Ivamy, E. R.; *General Principles of Insurance Law*; LexisNexis

  
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<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>BANKING LAW</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW311</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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### **OBJECTIVE**

To impart basic knowledge about the Banking and Insurance Laws and their implementation in present globalized context.

### **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

#### **Indian Banking Structure**

Evolution of banking institutions, Types and functions of banks, Banking Companies in India, RBI: constitution, management and function, Relevant provisions of Banking Regulation Act, 1949, Special Banking Services: advances to priority sectors and credit guarantee schemes, Securitization Act, 2002, International banking, Basel banking norms, Banking lokpal.

#### **Law Relating to Negotiable Instruments**

Kinds of negotiable instruments, Holder and holder in due course, Concept of: negotiation, negotiability, assignment, presentment and endorsement, Liability of parties, Payment in due course, Paying banker, Collecting banker, Penal provisions under Negotiable Instruments Act, Dishonour of cheques, Evidentiary value of Banker's book.

#### **Banker and Customer Relationship**

Definition of banker and customer, Norms for opening an account, Banker's duty of secrecy, Banker's duty to honour cheques, Banker's lien, Banker's right to set off, Appropriation of payments, Garnishee order, Customer's duties towards his banker, Credit card, Debit/smart cards, Safe deposit vaults, Gift cheques, Stock investments.

#### **e-Banking**

Nature and scope of *e-Banking*, Internet banking, Mobile banking, Automated Teller Machine (ATM) banking, Computerized banking.

#### **Acts and Statutes (As Amended)**

7. The Insurance Act, 1938
8. The Life Insurance Corporation Act, 1956
9. The Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881
10. The Insurance Regulatory and Development Authority Act, 1999
11. The Banking Regulation Act, 1949
12. The Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934

#### **Text Books**

3. Tannan, M. L; *Banking Law and Practice in India*; LexisNexis
4. Murthy, K. S. N. and Sarma, K. V. S.; *Modern Law of Insurance in India*; LexisNexis

#### **Reference Books**

3. Basu, Saroj Kumar; *Review of Current Banking Theory and Practice*; Macmillan
  4. Goyle, L. C.; *Law of Banking and Bankers*; Eastern Law House
- Hardy Ivamy, E. R.; *General Principles of Insurance Law*; LexisNexi



<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>MARITIME AND ADMIRALTY LAWS</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW317</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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## **OBJECTIVE**

This course is intended to provide students with an introductory survey of international maritime law principles.

## **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

### **Regime of Maritime Ports**

Port State Jurisdiction: Civil & Criminal, Attachment of Ships: Arrest of ships, Access of Foreign Ships to Ports, Ships in Distress, Quarantine Regulations

### **Commercial Shipping Law**

International Sales of Goods, Carriage of Goods by Sea, Contracts of Carriage, The Voyage Charterparty, The Bill of Lading, Sea Waybills, Implied Contracts on Loading, Shipowners' Bill, Agency, Assignment, Non-Contractual Obligations

### **The Hague & The Hague-Visby Rules**

Mandatory Application & Voluntary Incorporation, Contracting Out & Third Party Reliance on the Rules, The Carrier's Duties Under Article 3, The Carrier's Defences under Article 4, Shipper's Liability, The Package Limitation, Containerization

### **Laytime & Demurrage**

Stevedoring, Termination Point of the Approach & Carrying Voyages, "Wibon" & "Time Lost" Clauses, Laytime Exceptions & Demurrage, Suspending Laytime

### **Collisions**

Vicarious Liability & Standard of Care, Causation & Apportionment of Liability, Damages & Statutory Liability, Jurisdiction

### **Salvage**

Concept of Maritime Property, Geographical Limits of Salvage & Eligibility of a Salvor, Relationship between Salvor & Salvee, Salvage Awards & Remedies including Security for the Claim

### **General Average**

Extraordinary Sacrifices, Extraordinary Expenses, Voluntariness & Time of Peril, Common Safety & Fault, Assessing Contributory Values & Losses

### **Jurisdiction & Applicable Law**

Jurisdiction under Brussels Convention & Domestic Sources, Forum Non-Conveniens, Contractual Law & Tort Law, Arrest & Mareva Injunction, Other Interlocutory Reliefs

### **Text Book**

1. Hathi and Hathi; *Maritime Practice in India*; Brus Chambers.
2. Wilson, John F; *Carriage of Goods by Sea*; Pearson Longman.

### **Reference Book**

1. Mahanty Samareshwar; *Maritime Jurisdiction and Admiralty Law in India*; Universal Law Publishers.





2. Patel, Bimal M; *Maritime Security and Piracy Global issues, Challenges and solutions*; Eastern Book Company.
4. Vicuna, Orrego; *The Changing International Law of the High seas Fisheries*; Cambridge.
5. Brownlie, Ian; *Principles of Public International Law*; Clarendon press, Oxford.

**Cases:**

1. M.V.Elisabeth v. Harwan Investment and Trading Pvt. Ltd., Goa (1993 SC 1014)
2. Jayaswal Shipping Co. v. S.S. Leelawati (AIR 1954 Cal. 415)
3. Builders Supply Corporation v. Union of India (AIR 1965 SC 1061)
4. Liverpool & London S.P. & I. Asson. Ltd. v. M.V. Sea Success I ((2003)10 SCALE 1)
5. SIPPI v. OPIV (2002(2) CHN 280)
6. State of Madras v. C.G. Menon (AIR 1954 SC 517)
7. WTTCC v. SNP Shipping Services Pvt. Ltd. (AIR 1998 SC 2330)
8. Wallace Bros. v. IT Commissioner, Bombay (AIR 1945 FC 9)
9. *M.V. Free Neptune v. DLF Southern Towns Private Limited*, 2011(1) KHC 628 (DB)

**Note:** The above list is illustrative and not exhaustive. The updated case laws will be discussed.



<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>MEDIA LAW</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW403</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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## **OBJECTIVE**

To impart basic knowledge of media laws, ethics and values and its limitations in the legal framework.

## **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

### **Introduction**

Media: types and their features, Broadcasting: history and kinds, Electronic media: scope and limitations, Print media: scope and limitations.

### **Freedom of Speech and Expression and Media**

Freedom of speech and expression guaranteed by the Constitution of India and media, media as a medium of speech and expression (scope of Articles 19 and 21 in regulation of media), freedom of press.

### **Limitations on Media**

Definition of obscenity under Indian Penal Code and censorship in media, its objective and effects. Libel and Slander, Advertisement: concept, scope and limitation, Regulatory mechanism and standards of publicity.

### **Law Relating to Indecent Representation and Drugs and Magic Remedies**

Study of relevant provisions of the following Acts:

1. The Indecent Representation of Women (Prohibition) Act, 1986
2. The Cinematograph Act, 1952
3. The Drugs and Magic Remedies (Objectionable Advertisement) Act, 1954
4. The Prasar Bharati (Broadcasting Corporation of India) Act, 1990
5. The Cable Television Networks (Regulation) Act, 1995

### **Acts and Statutes (As Amended)**

1. The Indecent Representation of Women (Prohibition) Act, 1986
2. The Cinematograph Act, 1952
3. The Drugs and Magic Remedies (Objectionable Advertisement) Act, 1954
4. The Prasar Bharati (Broadcasting Corporation of India) Act, 1990
5. The Cable Television Networks (Regulation) Act, 1995

### **Text Books**

1. Basu, Durga Das; *Law of the Press*; Pearson
2. Bhatia, Sita; *Freedom of Press: Political Legal Aspects of Press Legislation in India*; Rawat Publication

### **Reference Books**



1. Carey, Peter; *Media Law*; Sweet and Maxwell
2. Overbeek, Wayne; *Major Principles of Media Law*; Harcourt Brace Publication
3. Hakemulder, Jan R.; *Media Ethics and Law*; Anmol Publication
4. Grover, A.N.; *Press and Law*; Vikas Publishing House

**Select Case Laws**

1. Neelam Mahajan Singh v. Commissioner Of Police [(1996) Cri. LJ 2725]
2. Secretary, Minister of Information and Broadcasting v. Cricket Board of Bengal [AIR 1995 SC 1236]
3. Prabhu Dutta v. Union of India [AIR 1982 SC 6]
4. Ranjit D. Udeshi v. State Of Maharashtra [AIR 1965 SC 881]
5. Indian Express Newspapers v. Union of India and Others. Etc. [AIR 1958 SC 578]
6. R v. Hicklin [(1868) L R. 3 Q.B. 360]

**Note:** The above list is illustrative and not exhaustive. The updated case laws will be discussed.



<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>SPORTS LAW</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW404</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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## OBJECTIVE

The main objective of this course is to acquaint the student of law with Historical perspective of sports regulation, commercialization of sports , legal regulation of sports governing bodies, intellectual property rights and sports.

## COURSE DESCRIPTION

### **Historical Perspective on Sports Regulations**

Definition of sports, Sociological and political aspects of sports, Need for legal definition, History of sports and historical perspectives of sports regulations and various regulatory regimes.

### **Commercialization of Sports And Models of Regulation**

Commercialization of sports, The normative rule structure of sports, Challenges to the rules, Juridification of sports – the role of law, Different types of sporting bodies

### **Legal Regulation of Sports Governing Bodies**

Self regulation and its evaluation, Judicial review, Alternate dispute mechanisms in sports, Sports ombudsman, Legal regulation of doping in sports, Sports participants and the law of discrimination

### **Contractual Terms and Obligations**

Contractual obligations and the player's obligations, Prohibition against certain activities, The employer's obligation, Other terms and conditions (primacy and regulatory authorities, term and termination, discipline)

### **Intellectual Property Rights and Sports**

Intellectual property rights and sports –how can it be protected?, The importance of branding, Trademarks, copyrights and patents, Sports personality rights, Unfair competition

### **Safety in Sports: Legal Issues**

Controlling participator law by criminal law, Defences in criminal law, Criminal law punishments, Tort and extending tortious liability, Compensation in torts, Safety of spectators and participants and stadium safety.

### **Text Books:**

1. Gardiner, Simon; *Sports Law*; Cavendish Publishing Ltd.
2. Jones, David Griffith; *Law and the business of sports*; Butterworths publishers.

### **Reference Books**

1. Grayson, Edward; *Sport and the Law*; Tottel Publishing.
2. Davis, Mitten; *Sports Law and Regulations*; Aspen Publishers, Wolters Kluwer.



<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>BANKRUPTCY AND INSOLVENCY LAW</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW405</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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## **OBJECTIVE**

To impart basic knowledge about the significance of insolvency law as a social legislation.

## **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

### **Introduction**

Insolvency and Bankruptcy: concept and historical perspective, Concurrent jurisdiction: central and state legislation, Important terms and definitions.

### **Acts of Insolvency**

Transfer of property to a third person for benefit of creditors, Transfer and absconding with intent to defeat creditors, Fraudulent preferences in transfer of property, Sale of property in execution of decree of court, Adjudication as insolvent, Notice to and by creditors about suspension of payment of debt, Imprisonment in execution of a decree of a court, Effect of insolvency on: antecedent transaction and rights of creditor, Duties of court in executing decree, Avoidance of voluntary transfer and Avoidance of preference.

### **Insolvency Petition and Proceedings**

Insolvency Petition: by creditor, by debtor, contents, admission, procedure and dismissal, Receiver: appointment and duties, Duties of debtor and interim proceedings against the debtor, Release of debtor.

### **Adjudication**

Adjudication: meaning, proceeding, effect and publication, Appeal, Proceedings after order of adjudication: protection order from arrest or detention, power to arrest, schedule of creditors, burden of creditors to prove the debt, Annulment of adjudication: power to annul, effect, failure to apply for discharge, Post adjudicatory scheme for satisfaction of the debt.

### **Text Books**

1. Neera, Bharihoke and Neera, Talwar; *Law of Insolvency*; Delhi Law House
2. Singh, Avtar; *Law of Insolvency*; Eastern Book Company

### **Reference Books**

1. Sirohi, J.P.S.; *Law of Insolvency in India*; Allahabad Law Agency
2. Manzar, Saeed; *Law of Insolvency*; Orient Publishing Company
3. Sandhya, Narain; *Mulla on the Law of Insolvency in India*; LexisNexis



<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>LAW RELATING TO MERGERS AND ACQUISITIONS</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW406</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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### **OBJECTIVE**

To impart basic knowledge about general principles of law on mergers and acquisitions and their contemporary significance.

### **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

The course contains an evaluation of the business rationale for mergers and acquisitions (M&As) and a discussion of the various types of transactions and related terminology. The regulatory issues surrounding these transactions will be analysed through examination of the applicable laws and regulations. While the course will essentially be based on applicable Indian laws, it will also incidentally draw on an international comparative perspective, with focus on the U.S., U.K. and Singapore. While corporate and securities law issues form the thrust, incidental reference will be made to accounting, tax and competition law considerations. Finally, the transactional perspective will consider various structuring matters, planning aspects, transaction costs and impact on various stakeholders.

### **Text Book**

1. ICSI, Handbook On Mergers, Amalgamation And Takeovers Law And Practice, ICSI

### **Reference Books**

1. Shishir Vayttaden, *SEBI's Takeover Regulations*, Lexis Nexis
2. Rabinowitz, Laurence, *Weinberg & Blank on Takeovers and Mergers*, sweet and maxwell
3. Ramaiya, A, *Company Law and Practice*, Lexis Nexis

  
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<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>LAWS RELATING TO WOMEN AND CHILDREN</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW407</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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## **OBJECTIVE**

To enable the students to have a focus on certain particular aspects of the rights of women and children as protected by law besides the general treatment of the subject in other papers dealing with Criminal law, Family law, Labour Law, Procedural Law etc.

## **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

### **Introduction**

Women and children – their rights and protection, a constitutional perspective- prohibition of discrimination on the basis of sex, equality of opportunity in employment- equal pay for equal work – constitutional permissibility for special provision for women and its impact- enabling provision for special treatment for children- rights of children against exploitation including child labour- right to education- obligation of State under Part II and Part IV of the Constitution of India.

**Gender Justice and Violence**

Gender Justice and domestic violence in the context of family and matrimonial relations, amniocentesis – female infanticide- the practice of Sati and its abolition- prevention of child marriage, the problem of dowry death and bride burning – Dowry Prohibition Act and its main features- protection against battering of wife, coercive cohabitation and forced prostitution- provisions for protecting the modesty of women under the Indian Penal Code.

### **Child Rights**

Rights of the child in the context of family and matrimonial disputes, restraints of child marriage, legitimacy, adoption, inter – country adoption and safeguards- custody, maintenance and guardianship of children – the test of paramount interest of the child.

### **Rights of the child under the International instruments**

The rights of the child in International Law – the definition and status of children in International Law – a brief history of international recognition of children’s right- UN Declarations and Conventions of the Rights of the Child, the best interest of the child- right of participation, right against abuse and neglect, freedom of expression, thought conscience and association, protection of privacy, right to name , identity, safeguards in adoption, right to survival, development, health care and education.

### **Acts and Statutes (As Amended)**

1. Indian Penal Code, 1860
2. Criminal Procedure Code, 1973
3. Juvenile Justice Act, 2015

### **Text Books**



1. Rao, Mamta; *Law Relating To Women And Children*; Eastern Book Company

#### **Reference Books**

1. Saxena, Shobha; *Crimes Against Women and Protective Laws*; Deep and Deep Publication
2. Agnes, Flavia; Basu, Monmayee; and Chandra, Sudhir; *Women and Law in India*; Oxford University Press

#### **Select Case Laws**

1. V. D. Bhanot v. Savita Bhanot [AIR 2012 SC 965]
2. Develluswamy v. Patchiamal [AIR 2011 SC 479]
3. Chairman, Railway Board v. Chandrima Dass [AIR 2000 SC 988]
4. Vishakha v. State of Rajasthan [AIR 1997 SC 3011]
5. Bodhisattwa v. Ms. Subhra Chakraborty [AIR 1996 SC 922]
6. Mohammed Ahmed Khan v. Shah Bano [(1985) SCR 3 844]
7. Air India v. Nargesh Meerza [1982 SCR (1) 438]
8. C.B Muthamma v. Union of India and others [AIR 1979 SC 1868]

**Note:** The above list is illustrative and not exhaustive. The updated case laws will be discussed.

  
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<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>LAW RELATING TO INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW412</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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### **OBJECTIVE**

To impart basic knowledge about general principles of law and their contemporary significance.

### **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

Law relating to Infrastructure Projects is a subject that comprehensively covers the law relating to implementation and financing of infrastructure projects in India. The subject covers the manner in which infrastructure projects can be implemented; identifies the risks associated with projects and how they are handled in legal documentation, and expounds the generally applicable legal principles such as jurisdiction over infrastructure sectors, liquidated damages, environment, taxation etc. It also provides a discussion on the financing of infrastructure projects and the issues that the Indian legal framework throws up in project financing. It deals with the legal framework of specific infrastructure sectors of Electricity, Telecom, Roads and National Highways, Water, Airports, Natural Gas (including LNG Projects and International Pipeline Projects) and Ports. It also provides an introduction to the various major documentations required to achieve financial closure of infrastructure projects as well as a discussion on PPAs, Concession Agreements, EPC Contracts, O&M Contracts, Common Loan Agreements, Intercreditor Agreements and Shareholders Agreements. Various model contract documents drafted by the Government of India is also discussed.

### **Text Book**

1. Piyush Joshi, *Law Relating To Infrastructure Projects*, Lexis Nexis

### **Reference Books**

1. Kishore Gajaria, *Gt Gajria's Law Relating To Building and Engineering Contracts In India*, Lexis Nexis
2. Emden, *Building Contracts and Practice*, Lexis Nexis
3. Vinod Kothari, *Securitisation, Asset Reconstruction and Enforcement of Security Interests*, Lexis Nexis

  
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<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>INTERNATIONAL HUMANITARIAN LAW AND REFUGEE LAW</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW316</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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### **OBJECTIVE**

To impart knowledge and understanding about the development of humanitarian law and rights of persons during war time.

### **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

#### **International Humanitarian Law: An overview**

Concept of International Humanitarian Law, Historical development, Application of criminal justice policy of International Humanitarian Law, Role of International Committee of the Red Cross, International Criminal Court.

#### **International Humanitarian Law and Conventions**

Geneva Conventions: Humanisation of warfare, Treatment of wounded and sick, Treatment of armed forces in the field and sea, Treatment of the shipwrecked, Protection and facilities for prisoners of wars, Civilians at times of war.

#### **Refugees and International Humanitarian Law**

Definition of refugees and displaced persons, and their problems, UN relief and rehabilitation administration, International refugees, International organizations and International protection, Status of refugees in India.

#### **Combating the Problems of Refugees**

Strategies to combat refugees' problems, Repatriation, Resettlement, Local integration and rehabilitation, Role of United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR), Working of United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR), Role of Amnesty International.

#### **Text Books**

1. Singh, Gurdip; *International Law*; Macmillan
2. Wallace R; *International Human Rights*; Sweet and Maxwell

#### **Reference Books**

1. Sieghart, Paul; *The International Law of Human Rights*; Oxford University Press
2. Hingorani, R; *Prisoners of War*; Oxford University Press
3. UNESCO; *International Dimensions of Humanitarian Law*; Henry Dunant Institute

#### **Select Case Laws**

1. Agiza v. Sweden [(2005) 121 HRR 958]
2. Judge v. Canada [(2004) 11 HRR 125]
3. Estrella v. Uruguay [(1983) 2 HRC 93]
4. Guerrero v. Colombia [1982 (1) HRC 112]
5. Aumeeruddy Cziffra v. Mauritius (Mauritian Women Case) [1981 HRC 67]

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<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>AIR AND SPACE LAW</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW410</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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## **OBJECTIVE**

To impart basic principles and rules of international laws affecting air, space and outer space.

## **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

### **Introduction and Scope of Air Law**

Air Law: definition, scope, history and principles, International Institutions: membership, organs and functions, Right to fly: sovereignty over the Air space, Air Transport agreements: non-scheduled flights, Paris Agreement, 1956, Scheduled air services, Transit rights: traffic and ancillary rights, Licensing of Air ports, Provision of air and air navigation facilities.

### **Law Relating to Aircraft**

Aircraft: definition, classification and legal nature, State aircraft, International recognition of rights in aircraft, Jurisdiction over aircraft, Crimes on board: search, seizure and arrest, Legal regime of crew, International standards and recommended practices, Warsaw Convention, Law relating to carriage by air, Liabilities arising from operation of aircraft and air services, trespass, nuisance, collision.

### **Introduction and Scope of Space Law**

Space Law: definition, scope, history and principles, International control and cooperation, Extraterrestrial application of international law, United Nations treaties on outer space.

### **Law Relating to Outer Space**

Outer space: definition, scope, history and principles, Legal regime of outer space: National and International, Legal status of: astronauts, spacecraft and space objects, Military uses of outer space, Commercial uses of outer space.

### **Acts and Statutes (As Amended)**

1. The Carriage by Air Act, 1972
2. The Space Treaty, 1967
3. Warsaw Convention, 1929
4. Department of Space (DOS) , Indian Space Research Organization (ISRO), Space policies

### **Text Books**

1. Diederiks, I. H. Ph. Verschoor; *An Introduction to Air Law*; Kluwer Law International
2. Mani, V.S, Bhatt, Saligram and Reddy, V. Balakista; *Recent Trends in International Space and Policy*; Lancers Books
3. Singh, Avatar; *The Law of Carriage*, Eastern Book Company



## Reference Books

1. Sandeepa, Bhat B; *Space Law: In the Era of Commercialization*; Eastern Book Company
2. McNair, Arnold. D; *The Law Of The Air*; Butterworth and Company Publishers
3. Leloudas, George; *Risk and Liability in Air Law*; Eastern Book Company
4. Giumulla, Elmar and Schmid, Ronald; *Warsaw Convention*; Kluwer Law International
5. Abeyratne, R. I. R.; *Legal and Regulatory Issues in International Aviation*; Transnational Publishers

## Select Case laws

1. Qatar Airways v. Shapoorji Pallonji & Co. [2013 AIR Bom R 164]
2. S. Abdul Salam V. Union of India [(2011) 3 KLT 662]
3. National Aviation Co. of India Ltd v. S. Abdul Salam [(2011) 4 KLT 72]
4. Trans Mediterranean Airways v. Universal Exports and Another [10 SCC 316 (2011)]
5. Air Transport Association of America, et al v. The Secretary of State for Energy and Climate Change [Case C-366/10 (Dec 21, 2011)]
6. Ethiopian Airlines v. Ganesh Narain Saboo [8 SCC 539 (2010)]
7. Kenya Airways v. Jinibai B. Kheshwala [1998 AIR Bom 287]
8. Sidhu v. British Airways [1 All E.R.193 (1997)]
9. State of Himachal Pradesh v. Ganesh Wood Products [AIR 1996 SC 149]
10. Lockerbie Incident Cases, 1992(Libya v.USA; Libya v.UK) [ICJ Reports (1992), p.3; p.114]
11. The Aerial Incident 1988(Iran v.USA) [ICJ Reports, 1989, p.132]
12. Military and Paramilitary Activities in and against Nicaragua, Nicaragua v. USA (Merits) [ICJ Reports, 1986, p.14]
13. Air India v. Wiggins [77 ILR 276; I WLR 815 (1980)]
14. The Appeal Relating to the Jurisdiction of the ICAO Council (India v. Pakistan) [ICJ Reports, 1972, p.46]
15. The Aerial Incident, 1955 (Israel v. Bulgaria) [ICJ Reports, 1959, p.127]

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<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>WATER LAWS</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW411</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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## **OBJECTIVE**

This course is intended to introduce the laws and policies relating to water at the international, regional and national level. The course specifically covers water rights including human right to water; legal issues relating to ground water; conflict resolution and liability; and regional initiatives at the South Asian region. Institutional and governance issues are not covered as a separate course deals with these issues.

## **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

### **An Introduction to the Legal Framework on Water**

An Introduction to the legal system: Difference between municipal law and international law. Sources of law, An Introduction to International Law: Sources, Subjects, Enforcement, Dispute Resolution, An introduction to legal issues in the field of water

### **International Water Law**

An overview of International water law: Diffused nature of International Water Law; Treaties at the global, regional and bilateral level; Soft law instruments, Customary principles of international law in the field of water: limited sovereignty (equitable utilization), no harm, and peaceful resolution of disputes; Principles of polluter pays, prevention, precaution, sustainability and subsidiarity. UN Convention on the Law of the Non-Navigational Uses of International Watercourses, Helsinki Rules on the Uses of Waters of International Rivers; Seoul Rules on International Ground Waters; various UN Resolutions; other initiatives.

### **Water Rights and Right to Water**

Various doctrines and their application: Riparian rights; Prior appropriation; territorial sovereignty; natural water flow, equitable apportionment; equitable utilization Ownership of water, state's power: Common law doctrines, Indian Easement Act, 1882; Various irrigation statutes (Case Study), Doctrine of Public Trust, Human Right to Water

### **Ground Water**

Treaties and other instruments at the international level: United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification in those Countries Experiencing Serious Drought and/or Desertification, particularly in Africa 1992, Regional Treaties; Non-Governmental instruments: Helsinki Rules, Berlin Rules, The Seoul Rules on International Ground waters [1986] etc. International Law relating to Transboundary Aquifers: The Guarani Aquifer Agreement; ILC Draft Articles on the Law of Transboundary Aquifers National Laws on Ground Water: Issues relating to ownership; State control; Case Study India: Various state laws; Model Ground Water Bill; Central Ground Water Commission

### **Water Pollution**

Customary and general principles of International Law, National Laws: India: Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974; Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 Bangladesh: Water Act, 2013

  
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### **Initiatives in the South Asian Region**

Issues in the region, Bilateral treaties: Indus Water Treaty; Mahakali Treaty; Sharing of Ganga Waters (Bangladesh); Other Initiatives An overview of National Water policies

### **Conflict Resolution and Liability**

Nature of conflicts; Different modes of dispute resolution, Arbitral tribunals: Kishanganga Arbitration, National Level (Case Study India): Inter-State Water Disputes Act, 1956; Role of judiciary; Liability: Nature; Tortious liability; Plachimada Tribunal Bill, 2011.

### **Text Books**

1. Dellapenna, Joseph W. and Gupta, Joyeeta ; The Evolution of the Law and Politics of Water; Springer.
2. Verghese, B G; Waters of Hope.; India Research Press, New Delhi.

### **Reference Books**

1. Iyer, Ramaswamy R.; Water and the Laws in India; Sage, New Delhi.
2. Singh, Chhatrapati; Water Law in India; Indian Law Institute, New Delhi.

  
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<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>ENERGY LAW AND POLICY</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW413</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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### **OBJECTIVE**

To impart basic knowledge about general principles of energy law and policy and their contemporary significance.

### **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

Energy Law and Policy will introduce the law and policy relating to energy sector which regulates the energy sector in India.

#### **Energy Sector and its Constitutional and Administrative Basis**

This module will explore the aspects of Constitutional law and administrative implementation that underpin the theory and practice of energy law. The module will provide an overview for the Constitutional bases for the roles of the Centre and the State Governments in energy law.

#### **Coal Sector**

This module covers the coal industry in three phases, i.e. the prospecting, exploitation and transporting & distribution, the regulatory and legislative regimes pertaining to these three phases. The module also discusses future prospects of coal mining in India, strategies to be adopted and also need for change in the existing policies.

#### **Petroleum and Energy Sector**

This module covers the three sub sectors, i.e. upstream, midstream and downstream individually with specific emphasis to Pre and Post NELP era. This module will also cover the statutory frameworks and considerations taken into account by regulatory agencies for siting, licensing and certificating interstate/inter country pipelines, LNG terminals and city gas distribution networks.

#### **Electricity Sector**

This module will cover the Indian Electricity Sector and its regulations pertaining to generation, transmission, distribution and supply of electricity.

#### **New & Renewable Energy**

This module will focus on new energy sources, such as Nuclear Energy and in case of renewable energy sources, Solar Energy and Wind Energy. Special emphasis on the development of solar energy, wind energy and nuclear energy has been provided in the 12th Five Year Plan (2012-2017). Therefore this module too gives emphasis on the regulatory and policy framework in these two sectors.

#### **Energy Efficiency & Conservation**

This module will examine the incentives for energy efficiency and conservation included in the legislations to address climate change and bridging the gap between power consumption and power availability.

#### **Text Books**

1. Mohammad Naseem, *Energy Law in India*, Kluwer International

#### **Reference Books**

1. Dr. Parag Diwan, Prof. A.C. Kher, *Energy Law And Policy*, Pentagon Press.



<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>INTERNATIONAL REGULATION ON INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW408</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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### **OBJECTIVE**

To provide knowledge in the field of law and practices related to Intellectual Property at international level and to train students to deal with legal and economic aspects of them.

### **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

The provision of rights to own intellectual assets generates both benefits and costs for society, stemming from well-known tradeoffs between static and dynamic efficiency requirements and from rent-seeking. In conjunction with various public-goods characteristics of information, these issues imply the need for regulation. Intellectual property rights – patents, trademarks, copyrights, and related devices – are the means by which society defines boundaries within which agents are provided exclusive rights to exploit their intellectual assets. Regulations consists of defining and enforcing the rights, on the one hand, and ensuring that the rights holders do not extend their power beyond intended limits, on the other hand.

The exploitation of intellectual assets has become increasingly central to the international competitive strategies of innovative firms. The course will consider the growing incongruence between territorial application of IPRs and commercial needs for stronger rights internationally underlies considerable unilateral, regional, and multilateral change in the global system. The course will also study the Agreement on Trade-Related Intellectual Property Rights (TRIPS), negotiated as a founding component of the World Trade Organisation in detail.

The International Regulation of Intellectual Property. — The WTO Agreement on Trade-Related Intellectual Property Rights (TRIPS) will usher in a markedly stronger global system of defining and protecting intellectual property rights (IPRs). This course first discusses the concept of intellectual property and the need for its protection and regulation. It presents evidence on the wide variations in IPRs across countries and discusses how TRIPS will affect these differences. Theoretical predictions about how this stronger system will influence global trade, investment, and technology innovation and diffusion are ambiguous, but limited empirical evidence suggests a modest positive effect overall. However, the distribution of costs and benefits will vary.

### **Text Books**

1. Keith Eugene Maskus, *The International Regulation of Intellectual Property*, Centre for International Economic Studies.

### **Reference Books**

1. James J. Fawcett, *Intellectual Property and Private International Law*, OUP Oxford
2. Susy Frankel, Daniel K Gervais, *Advanced Introduction to International Intellectual Property*, Edward Elgar Publishing
3. Susan K. Sell, *Private Power, Public Law: The Globalization of Intellectual Property Rights*, Cambridge University Press
4. *Common regulations under the Madrid Agreement Concerning the International Registration of Marks and the Protocol relating to that Agreement: adopted by the Assembly of the Madrid Union with effect from April 1, 1996*, World Intellectual Property Organization





<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>INTERPRETATION OF STATUTES AND PRINCIPLES OF LEGISLATION</b>						
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW301</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>	
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### **OBJECTIVE**

To impart basic knowledge about the principles of interpretation of statutes as applied by the Courts to determine the intention of the legislature conveyed expressly or impliedly in the language used.

### **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

#### **Introduction**

Interpretation: meaning, object and scope, Statute: construction and nature, Purpose of interpretation of statutes, The General Clauses Act, 1897: nature, scope and relevance.

#### **Rules of Statutory Interpretation**

Literal rule, Golden rule, Mischief rule, Rule of harmonious construction, *noscitur a sociis*, *ejusdem generis*, *reddendo singula singulis*, *delegatus non potest delegare*, *expressio unius exclusio alterius*, *generalia specialibus non derogant*, *ut res magis valeat quam pereat*, *expressum facit cessare tacitum*, *in bonam partem*.

#### **Aids to Interpretation**

Internal aids: Title, Preamble, Definitions, Headings, Marginal notes, Punctuations, Illustrations, Exceptions, Provisos, Saving clauses, Explanations, Schedules, *non-obstante* clause.

External aids: Role of Constituent Assembly debates in the interpretation of the Constitution of India, Legislative history, Legislative intention, Statement of objects and reasons, Legislative debates, Committee reports, Law Commission Reports, Dictionaries, Statutes in *pari materia*.

#### **Interpretation with reference to the subject matter and purpose**

Taxing statutes, Penal statutes, Welfare legislation, Substantive and adjective statutes, Directory and mandatory provisions, Enabling statute, Codifying and consolidating statutes.

#### **Acts and Statutes (As Amended)**

1. The General Clauses Act, 1897

#### **Text Books**

1. Singh, G.P; *Principles of Statutory Interpretation*; LexisNexis
2. Bhattacharya, T.; *The Interpretation of Statutes*; Central Law Agency

#### **Reference Books**

1. Singh, Avtar and Kaur, Harpreet; *Introduction to Interpretation of Statutes*; LexisNexis
2. Kafaltiya, A.B; *Interpretation of Statutes*; Universal Publication
3. Langan, P. St. J; *Maxwell on the Interpretation of Statutes*; LexisNexis
4. Bindra, N.S.; Revised by Rao, M. N. and Dhanda, Amita; *Interpretation of Statutes*; LexisNexis
5. Sarthi, Vepa P.; *Interpretation of Statutes*; Eastern Book Company

#### **Select Case Laws**



1. D.M., Aravali Golf Club v. Chander Hass [(2008) 1 SCC 683]
2. P. Ramachandra Rao v. State of Karnataka [(2002) 4 SCC 578]
3. Bhatia International v. Bulk Trading S.A. [(2002) 4 SCC 105]
4. Ramavtar v. Assistant Sales Tax Officer [AIR 1961 SC 1325]
5. Smith v. Hughes [(1960) 1 W.L.R.830]
6. Sri Venkataramana Devaru v. State of Mysore [AIR 1958 SC 255]
7. R.M.D.C. v. Union of India [AIR 1957 SC 628]
8. Avtar Singh v. State of Punjab [AIR 1955 SC 1107]
9. Bengal Immunity Co. Ltd. v. State of Bihar [(1955) 2 SCR 603]

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<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>LAW OF CORPORATE GOVERNANCE</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW302</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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### **OBJECTIVE**

To impart basic knowledge about general principles of law on corporate governance and their contemporary significance.

### **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

Corporate Governance is a set of relationships between a company's management, its board, its shareholders and other stakeholders. Corporate governance also provides the structure through which the objectives of the company are set, and the means of attaining those objectives and monitoring performance are determined. Good corporate governance should provide proper incentives for the board and management to pursue objectives that are in the interests of the company and shareholders, and should facilitate effective monitoring, thereby encouraging firms to use resources more efficiently.

Generally, Corporate Governance refers to practices by which organisations are controlled, directed and governed. The fundamental concern of Corporate Governance is to ensure the conditions whereby organisation's directors and managers act in the interest of the organisation and its stakeholders and to ensure the means by which managers are held accountable to capital providers for the use of assets. To achieve the objectives of ensuring fair corporate governance, the Government of India has put in place a statutory framework.

### **Text Books**

1. Bhandari, M. C., *Guide to Company Law Procedures: With Corporate Governance & E-filing*, Lexis Nexis
2. Saleem Sheikh & William Rees, *Corporate Governance & Corporate Control*, Cavendish Publishing Ltd.

### **Reference Books**

1. Charles Wild & Stuart Weinstein Smith and Keenan, *Company Law*, Pearson Longman
2. Institute of Company Secretaries of India, *Companies Act 2013*, CCH Wolter Kluwer Business
3. Lexis Nexis, *Corporate Laws 2013 (Palmtop Edition)*
4. C.A. Kamal Garg, *Bharat's Corporate and Allied Laws*, Taxmann
5. Companies Act 2013. Taxmann
6. Ramaiya, A, *Company Law and Practice*, Lexis Nexis



<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY LAW</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW303</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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## **OBJECTIVE**

To impart basic knowledge about the concepts of intellectual property law and rights and sensitize the students with the emerging issues and rationale for the protection of intellectual property rights.

## **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

### **Introduction**

Intellectual Property: meaning, nature and types, Theories justifying Intellectual property, Need and justification for protection of Intellectual Property Rights.

International Regime of IPR; An overview of: The Paris Convention, the Berne Convention, World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO), WIPO Copyright Treaty (WCT), WIPO Performances and Phonograms Treaty (WPPT), Patent Cooperation Treaty (PCT), Agreement on Trade Related Aspects of Intellectual Property Rights (TRIPs), Convention on Bio-diversity (CBD), Madrid Protocol.

### **Law Relating to Copyright**

The Copyright Act, 1957: Meaning of copyright, Subject matter: literary, dramatic and musical works, computer programs and cinematograph films, Notion of originality, Idea-expression dichotomy, Neighbouring rights, Copyright in concept, Rights of owners, performers and broadcasters, Registration of Copyright, Term of Copyright, Ownership and Assignment of copyright, Remedies for infringement of copyright, Fair use and Fair dealing.

### **Law Relating to Trade Marks**

The Trade Marks Act, 1999: Meaning and definition of: trade mark, service mark, well known trade mark, non- traditional trade mark, certification mark, Distinction between trade mark and property mark, Grounds for refusal, Registration, Passing-off and infringement of trade mark, Remedies, Domain name disputes.

### **Law Relating to Geographical Indication of Goods**

Geographical Indications Act, 1999: Meaning of Geographical Indication, Appellation of origin, Salient features of Geographical Indications of Goods (Registration and Protection) Act, 1999, Geographical Indication and Trade mark.

### **Law Relating to Patents**

The Patents Act, 1970: Concept of Patent, Evolution of the patents law in India, Patentable and non-patentable inventions, Kinds of patents, Procedure for obtaining patent, Rights and obligations of a patentee, Term of patent protection, Infringement: literal infringement and doctrine of equivalence, Compulsory licensing, Pharma patents, Patent regime and human rights.

### **Law Relating to Designs**

The Semiconductor Integrated Circuits Layout-Designs Act, 2000: Definition and characteristics of Design, Protection and rights of design holders, Copyright in design, Registration, Remedies for infringement.



### **Acts and Statutes (As Amended)**

1. The Copyright Act, 1957
2. The Patents Act, 1970
3. The Trade Marks Act, 1999
4. The Geographical Indications of Goods (Registration and Protection) Act, 1999
5. The Semiconductor Integrated Circuits Layout-Designs Act, 2000

### **Text Books**

1. Ahuja, V.K.; *Law relating to Intellectual Property Rights*; LexisNexis
2. Bhandari, M. K.; *Law relating to Intellectual Property Rights*; Central Law Publication

### **Reference Books**

1. Narayanan, P.; *Intellectual Property Law*; Eastern Law House
2. Cornish, William R.; *Intellectual Property*; Sweet and Maxwell
3. Wadhwa, B. L.; *Law Relating to Intellectual Property*; Universal Publication
4. Paul, Meenu; *Intellectual Property Laws*; Allahabad Law Agency
5. Verkey, Elizabeth; *Law of Patents*; Eastern Book Company



<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>HUMAN RIGHTS LAW</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW304</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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### **OBJECTIVE**

To impart basic knowledge about Human Rights and their significance.

### **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

#### **Introduction**

Human rights: concept, meaning, nature and scope, Historical developments, Human Rights under UN Charter, Universal Declaration of Human Rights. International law related to human rights: evolution, meaning and development, International Bill of Human Rights: first generation, second generation, third generation and fourth generation, Environmental degradation and rights of present and future generation.

#### **Human Rights under International, Regional Framework**

International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights, 1966, Optional protocol, Social and Cultural Rights, 1966, Third generation rights, Right to self determination. European Convention for the Protection of Human Rights and Fundamental Freedoms, 1950, American Convention on Human Rights, 1969, African Charter on Human and People's Rights, 1981.

#### **Human Rights and Constitution of India**

Human rights in India, Comparative analysis between: International Bill of Rights, Fundamental Rights and Directive Principles of State Policies (DPSPs), Legal aid, Uniform civil code, Rights of Prisoners, Right to life and liberty, and Directive Principles.

#### **Human Rights of Various Vulnerable Groups**

Human rights of: women, differently able, old aged people, children and migrant workers.

#### **Promotion and Protection of Human Rights**

National Human Rights Commission (NHRC) Act, 1995, National Human Rights Commission: composition, powers and functions, Various other statutory bodies of human rights at state and central level, United Nations Human Rights Commission (UNHRC), United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF), International Labour Organization (ILO) and other bodies at international level, Role of non-governmental organizations.

#### **Acts and Statutes (As Amended)**

1. The National Human Rights Commission (NHRC) Act, 1995
2. The Protection of Human Rights Act, 1993
3. The Protection of Civil Rights Act, 1955
4. The Juvenile Justice Act, 2000
5. The Universal Declaration of Human Rights, 1948



### **Text Books**

1. Kapoor, S.K.; *International Law and Human Rights*; Central Law Agency
2. Andrew Clapham; *International Human Rights: A short Introduction*; Oxford University Press
3. Wallace R; *International Human Rights*; Sweet and Maxwell

### **Reference Books**

1. Basu, Palok; *Law Relating to Protection of Human Rights*; Modern Law House
2. Sieghart, Paul; *The International Law of Human Rights*; Oxford University Press
3. Lauterpacht, H.; *International Law and Human Rights*; Cambridge Law Journal

### **Select Case Laws**

1. In Re Ramlila Maidan Incident [(2012) 5 SCC 1]
2. Suchita Srivastava v. Chandigarh Administration [AIR 2010 SC 235]
3. D.Veluswamy v. D.Patchaiammal [(2010) 10 SCC 469]
4. Aruna Roy v. Union of India [(2002) 7 SCC 368]
5. Vishakha v. Union of India and others [AIR 1997 SC 3011]
6. Enviro-Legal Action v. Union of India [AIR 1996 SC 1446]
7. Maneka Gandhi v. Union of India [AIR 1978 SC 597]

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<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>SECURITIES LAWS</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW305</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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### **OBJECTIVE**

To provide knowledge in the field of law and practices related to securities and financial markets and to train students to deal with legal and economic aspects of them.

### **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

#### **Overview of Capital and Financial Markets**

Financial Market: Introduction, meaning and significance, Regulatory authorities governing financial markets. Capital Market: Introduction, meaning and significance, Investors and companies, Securities laws and regulatory framework governing Indian capital market.

#### **Capital Market Instruments, Rating and Securities Market Intermediaries**

Shares: Meaning, types, allotment, transfer, transmission, surrender, forfeiture, share certificate and share warrant, Concept of IPO, Primary market, Secondary market, Rating and Grading of Instruments: concept, scope and significance, Rating agencies in India, Rating methodologies, Securities market intermediaries: Role, function and regulatory framework.

#### **Securities Laws**

Securities Contracts (Regulation) Act, 1956: definition, recognition of stock exchange, listing and delisting of securities; Securities Exchange Board of India Act, 1992: objectives, powers and functions, Securities Appellate Tribunal: constitution, powers and functions, Depositories Act, 1996: rights and obligations of depositories, participants, issuers and beneficial owners; Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirement Regulation, 2009: conditions for public issues, rights issues, preferential issue, bonus issue and Indian depository receipts, Laws relating to insider trading.

#### **Other Related Laws**

Venture capital, Mutual Fund, Foreign Exchange Management, Foreign Direct Investment.

#### **Acts and Statutes (As Amended)**

1. The Companies Act, 2013
2. The Securities Contracts (Regulation) Act, 1956
3. The Securities Exchange Board of India Act, 1992
4. The Depositories Act, 1996
5. The Foreign Exchange Management Act, 1999
6. Manual of SEBI
7. Manual of FEMA

#### **Text Books**

1. Singh, Avtar; *Company Law*; Eastern Book Company
2. Kuchhal, M.C. and Vivek; *Modern Indian Company Law*; Shree Mahavir Book Depot

#### **Reference Books**

1. Ferran Ellis, *Principles of Corporate Finance Law*, Oxford University Press.
2. Majumdar, A.K. and Kapoor, G.K.; *Company Law and Practice*; Taxmann
3. Gower, LCB & Davies: *Principles of Modern Company Law*; Sweet and Maxwell
4. Verma, J.C.; *Corporate Mergers, Amalgamations and Takeovers*; Bharat Law House





<b>Course Name:</b>	<b>CYBER LAW</b>					
<b>Course Code:</b>	<b>LAW307</b>	<b>Credit Structure :</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>
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**OBJECTIVE**

To impart basic knowledge relating to cyber law and its relevance in modern context.

**COURSE DESCRIPTION**

**Introduction**

Electronic governance, Attribution, Acknowledgment and Dispatch of electronic records.

**Electronic Records and Digital Signature**

Secure electronic records, Secure digital signatures, Regulation of Certifying Authorities, Digital signature certificates, Duties of subscribers.

**Cyber Crimes**

Web hacking, Foot printing, Port scanning, E-shoplifting, Web defacement, Denial of service attacks, Manipulating cookies, E-mail hacking using packet sniffers, E-mail hacking and snooping, E-mail frauds and phishing, E-mail bombing, Social engineering, Cyber stalking, Cyber terrorism, Pornography including child pornography, Cyber bullying, Piracy, Credit and fraud, Cross border offences and their resolutions.

**Punishments and Tribunals**

Offences, Adjudication, Penalties, Cyber Regulations Appellate Tribunal, Appeals and review.

**Recent Amendments and Developments in the Field of Cyber Law**

**Acts and Statutes (As Amended)**

1. The Information Technology Act, 2000

**Text Books**

1. Suri, Preeti and Associates; *Open Source And The Law*; LexisNexis
2. Gupta, Apar; *Commentary on Information Technology Act*; LexisNexis

**Reference Books**

1. Seth, Karnika; *Computers, Internet and New Technology Laws*; LexisNexis
2. Gangopadhyay, Shubhashis, Singh, Manisha G. and Singh, Nirvikar; *Waiting to Connect*; LexisNexis
3. Viswanathan, Aparna; *Cyber Law*; LexisNexis



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### **OBJECTIVE**

To impart basic knowledge of competition law and anti-competitive practices adopted in the commercial world, and to equip the students to deal with issues and themes of competition law.

### **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

#### **Basic Principles of Competition Law**

Evolution of competition law in India, Raghavan Committee Report, Competition Act, 2002: aims and objectives. Law and Economics

#### **Anti-Competitive Agreements**

Anti-Competitive Agreement: presumption of appreciable adverse effect, horizontal and vertical agreements, prohibition of anti-competitive agreements.

#### **Abuse of Dominant Position**

Dominant position: relevant market, predatory behavior, predatory pricing, discriminatory practices, abuse of dominant position.

#### **Regulation of Combinations**

Combination: Regulation of combinations viz. mergers and acquisitions, value of assets and turnover.

#### **Competition Commission of India**

Establishment, Composition, Powers, Functions and jurisdiction, Procedure for inquiry, Penalties for offences under the Competition Act, 2002.

#### **Director General**

Appointment powers and functions.

#### **Competition Appellate Tribunal**

Establishment, Composition, Powers, Functions and jurisdiction.

#### **Contemporary Issues**

Competition Advocacy, Advertisement and Competition law, Intellectual Property Rights and Competition law, Educational initiative and other related contemporary issues.

#### **Acts, Statutes and Reports (As Amended)**

1. The Competition Act, 2002
2. The Reports and Notifications of Competition Commission of India

#### **Text Books**

1. Singh, Avtar; *Competition Law*; Eastern Book Company

#### **Reference Books**

1. Aggarwal, V.K; *Consumer Protection: Law and Practice*; Bharat Law House
2. Ramappa, T; *Competition Law in India: Policy, Issues and Development*; Oxford University Press
3. Viswanathan, Suresh T; *Law and Practice of Competition Act, 2002*; Bharat Law House
4. Talati, Adi P. and Mahala, Nahar S.; *Competition Act, 2002: Law, Practice and Procedure*; Commercial Law Publisher

