

# One Year LL.M. (Master of Laws) Degree Programme CURRICULUM

## SEMESTER – I (July to December)

Mandatory Courses	Course Credit	Maximum Marks
Research Methods and Legal Writing	3	100
Comparative Public Laws / System of Governance	3	100
Law and Justice in Globalising World	3	100
Elective Courses	Course Credit	Maximum Marks
Optional Paper - I	2	100
Seminar Paper - I	2	100
Seminar Paper - II	2	100

## SEMESTER - II (January to May)

Elective Courses	Courses Credits	Maximum Marks
Optional Paper - II	2	100
Optional Paper - III	2	100
Seminar Paper - III	2	100
Dissertation	3	200

### Definitions

**Mandatory Courses:** Students admitted to this programme are required to study and complete the mandatory courses as per each of the mandatory course requirements.

**Elective Courses:** Elective Courses are courses which a student chooses to study exercising the options available and include both optional and seminar papers.

**Optional Papers:** Optional papers are taught through contact classes and are evaluated on the basis of an end semester/end of course examination.

**Seminar Papers:** Seminar papers are transacted through contact classes and are evaluated on the basis of research draft/report and presentation.

The One Year LL.M. Degree Programme requires the students to complete their mandatory papers, elective papers and dissertation as per the below mentioned scheme :

## **SEMESTER – I**

The first Semester will commence on July 15 and will conclude on December 10. Three mandatory papers and three Elective Papers will be completed in the first Semester in the following manner :

### **Three Mandatory papers**

The three mandatory papers are :

- 1) Research Methods and Legal Writing
- 2) Comparative Public Laws / Systems of Governance
- 3) Law and Justice in Globalising World.

Research Methods and Legal Writing paper will commence on July 15 and will be completed by September 15. It will be evaluated through continuous evaluation process.

Two mandatory papers (Comparative Public Laws / Systems of Governance and Law and Justice in Globalising World) will be conducted through lectures from July 15 to September 15. Examination for these papers will be held in the last of week of September for 100 marks each.

### **Three Elective Papers**

Three Elective Papers (whether from the specialisation or from the general stream as per the option of the student) will be conducted as follows :

- A. One Elective Paper will be Seminar Paper-I (Research Paper) which shall commence on July 15. This paper will be transacted through classes from July 15 to October 15 and evaluated through the submission of Research Paper and Presentation to a group of faculty members. The marks division for this paper will be 30 marks for Presentation and 70 marks for Research Paper. The Research Paper has to be submitted by October 31.
- B. One Elective Paper will be an Optional Paper-I conducted through lectures from July 15 to October 31. Examination for this paper will be held in the last week of October for 100 marks.
- C. One Elective Paper will be Seminar Paper-II (Research Paper) which shall commence on October 16, transacted through classes till November 30 and evaluated through the submission of Research Paper and presented to the course teacher in the third week of January. The marks division for this paper will be 30 marks for Presentation and 70 marks for Research Paper. The Research Paper has to be submitted by December 15.

*Note : If a teacher indicates any one paper from among the pool of specialisation papers as mandatory to be studied to obtain that specialisation, such a paper must be offered and completed within the stipulated period.*

Dissertation topics from the students shall be sought in the last week of November and supervisors shall be allotted before December end.

## **SEMESTER – II**

Three Elective Papers and the Dissertation will be completed in this semester which will commence on January 15 and concluded on May 31.

A. One Elective Paper will be a Seminar Paper-III (Research Paper) which will commence on January 15 and transacted through classes till March 15. The paper will be evaluated through a Research Paper which shall be presented to the group of teachers. The marks division will be 30 marks for Presentation and 70 marks for Research Paper. The Research Paper has to be submitted by March 31.

B. Two Elective Papers will be Optional Papers conducted through lectures from January 15 to March 15. These papers will be evaluated by an end term examination which will be held in the last week of June for 100 marks each.

Dissertation must be submitted with due approval from the supervisor by June 15.