



## **ORDINANCE**

**FACULTY OF LAW, UNIVERSITY OF  
LUCKNOW MASTER OF LAWS LL.M.  
(TWO YEARS POST GRADUATE DEGREE PROGRAMME)  
(Effective from Academic Year 2020)**

**PROGRAMME BROCHURE & SYLLABUS**



**ORDINANCE FOR LL.M. TWO YEARS DEGREE COURSE, 2020-21 AND** g e | 2  
**ONWARDS**

**(BASED ON CBCS SYSTEM)**

WHEREAS, it is necessary to reorient legal education by making provision for instructions in new courses of study, extensive as well as intensive and integrated study of prescribed courses, and for adequate practical training for diverse careers open to law Post-graduates.

AND WHEREAS, with a view to reorient legal education as aforesaid and to provide sufficient opportunity for adequate instruction as well as training in law, the University of Lucknow has instituted a LL.M. Two year course study and has approved of a syllabus of studies there for: NOW, THEREFORE, the University of Lucknow frames these ORDINANCES for the implementation of the aforesaid policy decisions:

**1. The Degree of LL.M. Two Year Course**

The University of Lucknow may confer the Degree of Master of Laws LL.M. Two Year Course on such candidates who, being eligible for admission to the LL.M. Two Year Course have received regular instructions in the prescribed courses of study undergone required practical training, passed relevant examination and, being otherwise suitable by virtue of their character; have fulfilled such other conditions as may be laid down from time to time.

**2. Eligibility for Candidate:**

A candidate will be eligible for admission to LL.M. Two Year Course if he/she has completed Law Graduation from UGC recognized University and has secured not less than 50% marks at Graduation for General and OBC. However, for SC/ST candidate minimum percentage of marks will be 48%.

**3. Age Restriction**

The age requirement of the candidate must be according to guidelines of BCI and Supreme Court of India.

**4. Seats**

There shall be 60 seats

**5. Admission Procedure:**

Admission to the LL.B. **Three Year Course** will be strictly on the basis of merit prepared according to percentage of marks obtained in the entrance examination conducted by University of Lucknow or as per the Lucknow University Admission Committee decision provided that weightage and reservations shall be given as permissible under University Rules.

**Introduction to CBCS System :**

- a) The CBCS provides an opportunity for the students to choose courses from the prescribed courses comprising **Generic Core, Elective Groups** (FIVE fixed specialisation) and **Choice Based Disciplinary Courses (CBDC), Choice Based Interdisciplinary Courses (CBIC) and Half Credit/Minor Courses /MOOCS/ Value Added Courses**. The courses can be evaluated following the grading system. Grading system provides uniformity in the evaluation and computation of Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA) based on student's performance in examinations which enables the student to move across institutions of higher learning. The uniformity in evaluation system also enable the potential employers in assessing the performance of the candidates.

**b) Programme Objectives (POs):**

The LL.M. Programme is aimed at:

- Familiarising students with laws and judicial interpretations at the national and international level and provide a comparative study of the contemporary and traditional laws and judicial interpretations.
- Apprising students of the legal system, rule of law, and administration of justice, while promoting specialised branch of study and research in diverse fields of law
- Imparting interdisciplinary approaches to law and legal development by involving philosophy, economics and scientific approach towards law study and research.
- Imparting professionally and socially relevant legal education.
- Sensitising students towards the issues of access to justice of the deprived, marginalised and weaker sections of society.
- Producing internationally competent litigating lawyers, corporate lawyers, judges, judicial officers, legal officers, researchers, law reformers, law teachers, etc.
- Imparting skills of legal reasoning, problem solving, research, legal writing, oral and written communication, persuasion, leadership and teamwork.
- Promoting ethical practices in the profession of law.
- Promoting inter-disciplinary approach to legal profession.

**c. Programme Specific Outcomes (PSOs):**

At the end of the LL.M. course, the students will be able to:

- Study and explore law in an interdisciplinary and comparative manner.
- Do legal research and explore origin, development and prospect of law/laws both in national and international Law
- Understand, interpret, and apply law.
- Evaluate and compare domestic and international laws.
- Design, and formulate case theory and strategy.
- Analyze and differentiate facts and law.

- Solve problems by employing legal reasoning, research. Choose ethical practices in the profession of law and discharge their social responsibility

**d. LL.M. Programme Details Programme Structure :**

- **Programme Structure :** The LL.M. Programme is a two years course divided into four semesters. A student has to complete 96 credits for the completion of the course and award of the degree. The scheme is as follows:

Semester	Core	Elective/MOOCs/ Interdisciplinary	Value Added/ Skill Based	Internship	Total Credits
I	5 Core Papers 5X4 (20)	-	1 Credit 1X4 (4)	-	24
II	6 Core Papers 6X4 (24)	-	1 Credit 1X4 (4)	-	28
III	2 Core Papers 2X4 (8)	1 Electives +1 Elective / MOOCs 2X4 (8) 1 Interdisciplinary 1X4 (4)	-	1 Credit 1X4 (4)	24
IV	1 Core Paper 1 Dissertation 2X4 (8)	1 Electives +1 Elective 2X4 (8) 1 Interdisciplinary 1X4 (4)	-	-	20

**7. Assessment of Students' Performance and Scheme of Examination Pass Percentage & Promotional Criteria :**

1. English shall be the medium of instruction and examination.
2. Assessment of students' performance shall consist of: 70 marks (End Semester Written Examination) and 30 marks (Internal Assessment).
3. The duration of the End Semester Written Examination in Core Courses and Elective Courses shall be three hours for 70 marks.
4. For internal assessment of 30 marks, one internal Test+Assignment/Presentation/Viva shall be in the class in each course in each term.
5. Dissertation will carry 200 Marks. 150 For written Work and 50 for Viva.

**8. Grade Points:**

O (Outstanding)	10
A+(Excellent)	9
A (Very Good)	8
B+(Good)	7
B (Above Average)	6
C (Average)	5
P (Pass)	4
F (Fail)	0

**9. CGPA Calculations :****Grading Pattern and illustration of Grading Pattern**

Illustration:

Course	Credit	Grade	Grade Point	Credit Grade	SGPA
<b>Semester I</b>					
Core I	04	B+	7	28	
Core II	04	B+	7	28	
Core III	04	B+	7	28	
Core IV	04	A	8	32	
Core V	04	B	6	24	
Value Added	04	B+	7	28	
<b>Total</b>	<b>24</b>				168/24=7
<b>Semester II</b>					
Core I	04	B+	7	28	
Core II	04	B+	7	28	
Core III	04	B+	7	28	
Core IV	04	A	8	32	
Core V	04	B	6	24	
Core VI	04	B	6	24	
Value Added	04	B+	7	28	
<b>Total</b>	<b>28</b>				192/28=6.8
<b>Semester III</b>					
Core I	04	B+	7	28	
Core II	04	B+	7	28	
Core III (Summer Internship)	04	A	8	32	
Core IV (Inter Departmental)	04	B	6	24	
Elective I	04	B+	7	28	
Elective II	04	B+	7	28	
<b>Total</b>	<b>24</b>				168/24=7
<b>Semester IV</b>					
Core I	04	B+	7	56	
Core II (Dissertation)	04	A	8	32	
Core III (Intra Departmental)	04	B	6	24	
Elective III	04	B+	7	28	

Elective IV	04	B+	7	28	Page   6
<b>Total</b>	<b>20</b>				140/20=7

<b>Thus:</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>SGPA</b>
<b>Semester I</b>		
Semester I	24	7.00
Semester II	28	6.80
Semester III	24	7.00
Semester IV	20	7.00
Total	96	
CGPA=(24x7+24x6.8+24x7+20x7)/96 =6.96		

## 10. Internal Assessment Rules

In every compulsory paper there shall be an internal assessment and End Semester Examination divided in 30% & 70%.

The Internal Assessment shall be of 30 marks having following components:

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| a) Written test             | 15 marks |
| b) Assignment +Presentation | 10 marks |
| c) Attendance               | 05 marks |

In the end of semester, an end term examination of 70 marks covering the full syllabus of paper concerned shall be conducted.

The examination including Back paper/Exempted etc., of the LL.M. shall be as per the extent rule of the Examination of the University of Lucknow.

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**RULES FOR PROMOTION EXEMPTION, BACK PAPER OF LL.M. TWO YEARS DEGREE  
COURSE TO BE EFFECTIVE FROM ACADEMIC SESSION-2020-21**

**EXAMINATION**

- In every Individual paper, excluding value added (non-credit) paper there shall be an Internal Assessment and End Semester Examination divided into 30 % Internal + 70 % Theory.
- The candidate has to obtain 40% of the total marks in individual paper. However, 40% of the marks of theory paper are mandatory to pass in individual paper. For example, if theory paper is of 70 marks he/she must obtain 28 marks in that individual paper.

**PASS**

- If the candidate secures 40% of the marks in individual papers and 50% of the total marks of the semester, he/she shall be treated as pass.

**DIVISION**

- If the candidate secure 50% or above but less than 60% of the total marks he/she shall be given Second Division.
- If the candidate secure 60% or above of the total marks he/she shall be given First Division.

**FAIL**

- If the candidate could not 40% marks in more than three individual papers of a given semester, shall be considered as Fail.

**BACK PAPER**

- A candidate will be allowed to appear in Back Paper examination in maximum three Papers of a semester of the course in which he/she has not obtained 40% marks in individual papers provided has obtain minimum of 40% marks in aggregate of total marks. However, total number of back papers to be allowed to appear including even and odd semesters shall be six. It means if a candidate has more than six papers as back paper including odd and even semester he/she shall not be promoted to next semester.

**EXPLANATION**

- If a candidate secured 40% marks in individual paper and has also secured 40% in aggregate. He/she can be appear in concerned semester back paper examination with maximum of three papers.

**EXEMPTION**

- A student who has failed to secure 40% marks in aggregate in a Semester or has failed in more than three papers or remain absent in all paper of a semester shall be allowed to appear in all papers in the concerned semester as an exempted candidate.

**a. Semester I**

- i. Law & Social Transformation
- ii. Constitutional Law : New Challenges
- iii. Mass Media Law
- iv. Judicial Process
- v. Legal Philosophy –I
- vi. Value Added Course (Credited)

**b. Semester II**

- i. Legal Philosophy-II
- ii. Law and Justice in Globalised World
- iii. Family Jurisprudence
- iv. Research Methodology
- v. Alternative Dispute Resolution
- vi. Criminal Justice System & H.R.
- vii. Value Added (non-Credited)

**c. Semester III**

- i. Human Rights
- ii. Labour Jurisprudence (Core paper/MOOC)
- iii. Summer Internship
- iv. Inter Departmental Course
- v. Elective Paper-I
- vi. Elective Paper-II

**d. Semester IV**

- i. Special Contract & E-Contract
- ii. Dissertation
- iii. Intra Departmental Course
- iv. Elective Paper-III
- v. Elective Paper-IV

**Elective Papers- I : Semester III**

- i. Constitutionalism, Pluralism and Good Governance
- ii. Treatment of Offender and Victimology
- iii. Corporate Finance
- iv. Marriage under different Personal Laws
- v. Social Security Laws in India

**Elective Papers- II : Semester III**

- i. Federalism and Comparative Power Sharing
- ii. Forensic Science & Its Evidentiary Value



- vi. Matrimonial Remedies
- vii. Law relating to Industry

#### **Elective Papers- I : Semester IV**

- i. Comparative Constitutional Law
- ii. International Criminal Law and Transnational Crime
- iii. Intellectual Property Law-I
- iv. Principal of Inheritance & Succession
- v. Safeguards of Women and Child in Labour Laws

#### **Elective Papers- II : Semester IV**

- i. Administrative Process and Judicial Control
- ii. Offences & Law related to Juvenile
- iii. Intellectual Property Laws-II
- iv. Law of Adoption and Guardianship
- v. Labour Welfare Laws and Employee Insurance

### **VALUE ADDED/SKILL BASED**

#### **In each Semester candidate shall opt one paper.**

1. Environmental Studies (Faculty of Law, L.U. Lucknow)
2. Security Law (Faculty of Law, L.U. Lucknow)
3. Cyber law (Faculty of Law, L.U. Lucknow)
4. Labour Jurisprudence (Faculty of Law, L.U. Lucknow)
5. Indian Society and Culture (TMVNC-201, Sem-II, Master of Tourism and Travel Management, Value added, Non-Credited)
6. Tourism Impact and Environmental Sustainability (TMCC-302, Master of Tourism and Travel Management, Sem-III, ITS)
7. Labour Welfare and Social Security (HREL-302C, Sem-III, IMS)
8. Social Security Law in India (PPVNC-201, Sem-II, Master of Physical Health Dr. Shankar Dayal Sharma Institute of Democracy)
9. Alternative Dispute Resolution Mechanism (PPEL-302A, Sem-III, Dr. Shankar Dayal Sharma Institute of Democracy)
10. Good Governance and Public Policy (PPEL-302C, Sem-III, Dr. Shankar Dayal Sharma Institute of Democracy)
11. Mental Health (PHIRA-401, Sem-IV, MPH, Dr. Girilal Gupta Institute of Public Health and Public Affairs)
12. Therapies in Nature Cure (YOGVNC-201, Sem-II, Value added Course (Non-Credited), M.A./M.Sc. in Yoga, Faculty of Yoga and Alternative Medicine)
13. Diagnostic Methods & Management of Disease through Naturopathy (YOGITRA401, Sem-IV, Faculty of Yoga and Alternative Medicine)
14. Ancient System of Health (PHVNC-201, Sem-II, Value added (Non-Credited) Master of Physical Health, Dr. Girilal Gupta Institute of Public Health and Public Affairs)
15. Film Appreciation (MAJMCIRA-401, Sem-IV, MA-JMC, Department of Journalism & Mass Communication, Faculty of Arts )