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Semester-I

Name of Program: LL.M. (Human Rights)

Subject Code	Category	Subject Name	TEACHING & EVALUATION SCHEME								
			THEORY			PRACTICAL		L	T	P	C
			End Sem University Exam	Two Term Exams	Teacher Assessment*	End Sem University Exam	Teacher Assessment*				
LLMFC 101	DC	Research Methods and Legal Writing	60	20	20	0	0	3	0	0	3

Legends: L - Lecture; T - Tutorial/Teacher Guided Student Activity; P-Practical; C-Credit;

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Objectives of the course: After studying this paper the students will know-

1. Concept of research and its methodology.
2. Research methods and various steps involved in a research.
3. Collection of data from various sources and their analysis.
4. Process of legal writing and writing for individual purposes.

Syllabus:

Unit I:

Research Methods

Research Definition, Objective of research, Types of research, Significance of research, Research Design, Various Steps in Research: Research Process, Research Problem: Identification and Formulation, Hypothesis, Use of Library, Use of Modern Technology/ Computer Assisted Research.

Unit II:

Tools & Techniques for Collection of Data

Primary and Secondary Sources, Literature Review, Observation Method, Questionnaire, Interview, Case study, Sampling, Jurimetrics

Unit III:

Analysis and Interpretation of Data

Use of Deductive and Inductive Methods in Research, Preparation of Research Report and Writing of Research report, Budgeting of Research, Ethical and Legal Issues: Plagiarism and Copyright Violation.

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Unit IV:

Legal Writing

Essentials of Good Legal Writing, Structured Legal Writing: Organization of Legal Materials, Framing of Write Up: Research Question, Title, Identifying relevant areas of law, Identifying Literature and Case Laws, Analysis, Discussion, Recommendations and Conclusion, Sources of Authority.

Unit V:

Writing Purposes

Kinds: Informative, Persuasive; Writing for Individual Purposes; Writing for Academic Purposes; Writing for Court Purposes: Briefs, Plaints etc.; Writing for Publication: reviews, articles, books etc.; Judicial Writing, Citation, Reference and Footnoting, Editing and Proof reading, Writing of Research Proposal, Dissertation/ Thesis Writing.

Suggested Readings

1. Bruce L. Berg, *Qualitative Research Methods For The Social Sciences* (London, Allyn and Bacon, 2001).
2. C.R. Kothari, *Research Methodology: Methods and Techniques* (New Delhi: Wiley Eastern Ltd., 1985).
3. Dennis P. Force and Stephen Richer (ed.), *Stages of Social Research –Contemporary Perspectives* (New Jersey : Prentice Hall Inc., Englewood Cliffs, 1970).
4. Frederic Charles Hicks, *Materials and Methods in Legal Research* (Lawyers Cooperative Publishing, New York).
5. Goode and Hall, *Methods in Social Research* (Singapore :MacGraw Hill Book Co., 1985).
6. Harvard Law Review Association, *The Bluebook: Uniform system of Citation* (Harvard Law Review, Harvard).
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10. Pauline V. Young, *Scientific Social Surveys and Research* (New Delhi : Prentice Hall of India Pvt. Ltd., 1984).
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12. Vijay K. Gupta, *Decision Making In The Supreme Court of India (A Jurimetric Study)– Alternatives in Judicial Research* (Delhi : Kaveri Books, 1995).

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LLMFC 102	DC	Comparative Public Law / Systems of Governance	60	20	20	0	0	3	0	0	3

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1. Meaning of constitution, its nature and goal.
2. Concept of constitutionalism and essential features of constitutionalism.
3. Rule of Law and separation of power.
4. Constitutional review.

Syllabus:

Unit I:

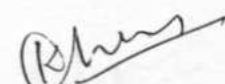
Concept of Constitution

Meaning and Idea of Constitution, Nature and Goals, Living Constitution, Constitution as Supreme Law, Relevance, Problems and Concerns in Using Comparison, Concept of constitutionalism, Distinction between Constitution and Constitutionalism, Essential features of Constitutionalism -Written Constitution

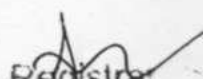
Unit II:

Separation of power

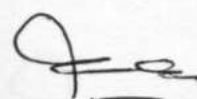
Separation of Powers, Fundamental Rights, Independence of Judiciary and Judicial Review, Supremacy of Legislature in Law Making, Rule of law; Dicey's Concept of Rule of Law, Modern Concept of Rule of Law, Social and economic rights as part of rule of law, Concept of Separation of Powers, Checks and Balances, Separation of Powers or Separation of Functions


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Unit III:

Forms of Governments

Federal and Unitary Forms; Features, Advantages and Disadvantages, Models of Federalism and Concept of Quasi-federalism, Role of Courts in Preserving Federalism, Parliamentary and Presidential Forms of Government

Unit IV:

Constitutional Review

Methods of Constitutional Review; Judicial and Political Review, Concentrated and Diffused Review, Anticipatory and Successive Review, Concept and Origin of Judicial Review, Limitations on Judicial Review

Unit V:

Amendment of Constitution

Various Methods of Amendment, Limitations on Amending Power: Comparative Perspective, Theory of Basic Structure: Origin and Development

Suggested Readings

1. Christopher Forsyth, Mark Elliott, Swati Jhaveri, Effective Judicial Review: A Cornerstone of Good Governance (Oxford University Press, 2010).
2. D.D. Basu, Comparative Constitutional Law (2nd ed., Wadhwa Nagpur).
3. David Strauss, The Living Constitution (Oxford University Press, 2010)
4. Dr. Subhash C Kashyap, Framing of Indian Constitution (Universal Law, 2004)
5. Elizabeth Giussani, Constitutional and Administrative Law (Sweet and Maxwell, 2008).
6. Erwin Chemerinsky, Constitutional Law, Principles and Policies (3rd ed., Aspen, 2006)
7. M.V. Pylee, Constitution of the World (Universal, 2006)
8. Mahendra P. Singh, Comparative Constitutional Law (Eastern Book Company, 1989).
9. Neal Devins and Louis Fisher, The Democratic Constitution (Oxford University Press, 2010)
10. S.N Ray, Judicial Review and Fundamental Rights (Eastern Law House, 1974).
11. Sudhir Krishna Swamy, Democracy and constitutionalism in India – A Study of the Basic Structure Doctrine (Oxford University Press, 2009)
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13. Vikram David Amar, Mark Tushnet, Global Perspectives on Constitutional Law (Oxford University Press, 2009).
14. Zachery Elkins, Tom Ginsburg, James Melton, The Endurance of National Constitutions (Cambridge University Press, 2009).

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1. Aman Ullah and Uzair Samee, "Basic Structure of Constitution: Impact of Kesavananda Bharati on Constitutional Status of Fundamental Rights", Vol. 26 (2) South Asian Studies 299-309 (July-December 2011).
2. Anne Smith, "Internationalization and Constitutional Borrowing in Drafting Bills of Rights", 60(4) International and Comparative Law Quarterly 867-894 (2011 October).
3. Bruce Ackerman, "The New Separation of Powers" 113 (3) Harv. L. Rev. 634-729 (2000)
4. Bryan Clark and Amanda Leiter, "Regulatory hide and seek: What agencies can (and can't) do to limit judicial review" 52(5) Boston College Law Review 1687-1732 (2011 November)
5. Chhavi Agarwal, "Rule of Law: Reflection upon we the People and Beyond" 252 (1) Madras Law Journal 8-16 (2010)
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8. David King, "Formalizing Local Constitutional Standards of Review and the Implications for Federalism" 97 (7) Virginia Law Review 1685-1726 (November 2011).
9. David Staruss, "Do we Have a Living Constitution" 59 (4) Drake Law Review 973-984 (2011 Summer)
10. Devi Prasad Singh, "Sovereignty, Judicial Review and Separation of Power", 7(5) Supreme Court Cases 1-13 (2012 September)
11. Glen Staszewski, "Political Reasons, Deliberative Democracy and Administrative Law", 97(3) Iowa Law Review 849-912 (2012 March):
12. Ishwara Bhat, "Why and how Federalism matters in Elimination of Disparities and Promotion of Equal Opportunities for Positive Rights", 54(3) Journal of the Indian Law Institute 324-363 (July-Sept 2012).
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15. K.K. Venugopal, "Separation of Power and the Supreme Court of India", Vol. 2 No. 2 Journal of Law and Social Policy 64-82 (July 2008).
16. Linda Bosniak, "Persons and Citizens in Constitutional Thought" 8 (1) International Journal of Constitutional Law 9-29 (January 2010).
17. Mark Tushnet, "The Possibilities of Comparative Constitutional Law", 108 Yale L.J. 1225 (1999).
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20. Rajvir Sharma, "Judiciary as Change Agent: Some insights into the Changing role of Judiciary in India", 58(2) Indian Journal of Public Administration 264-286 (2012 April-June).
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22. Schapiro., "Judicial Federalism and the Challenges of State Constitutional Contestation", 115(4) Penn State Law Review 983-1006 (2011 Spring).
23. Tom Ginsburg, Eric Posner, "Sub Constitutionalism" 62 (6) Stanford Law Review 1583-1628 (June 2010).

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LLMFC 103	DC	Law and Justice in a Globalizing World	60	20	20	0	0	3	0	0	3

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1. Meaning and forms of globalization.
2. Impact of globalization on sovereignty of states.
3. Impact of globalization on human right and trade law.
4. Globalization and social justice.

Syllabus:

Unit I:

Globalization: Meaning, Reach and Form, Social, Political, and Economic Dimensions of Globalization, Emergence of Transnational Law in a Globalizing World

Unit II:


Impact of Globalization on Sovereignty of States, Impact of Globalization on Federalism and Democratic Law Making, Impact of globalization on Human Rights and Trade Law


Unit III:

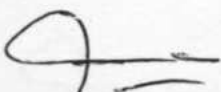
Globalization and Free Market, Impact on welfare state, Natural Resources, Environment, Displacement for Development, Problem of Unemployment

Unit IV:

Concept of Justice in a Globalizing World, Globalization and Universal Values, Concept of Global Justice, Cosmopolitanism


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Unit V:

Globalization and Social Justice/ Global Distributive Justice, Impact of Globalization on Judicial Process and administration of Justice

Suggested Readings

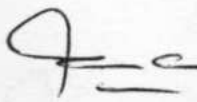
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2. Anthony McGrew, David Held (eds.), *Governing Globalization: Power, Authority and Global Governance* (Polity Press, 2002).
3. Boaventura de Sousa Santos, Cesar A. Rodriguez-Garavito (eds.), *Law and Globalization from Below* (Cambridge University Press, 2005).
4. David B. Goldman, *Globalization and the Western Legal Tradition: Recurring Patterns of Law and Authority* (Cambridge University Press, 2008).
5. David Held, *A Globalizing World? Culture, Economics, Politics* (2004).
6. David Kinley, *Civilizing Globalization: Human Rights and the Global Economy* (Cambridge University Press, 2009).
7. David Schzeiderman, *Constitutionalizing Economic Globalization: Investment Rules and Democracy's Promise* (Cambridge University Press, 2008).
8. Jean-Marc Coicaud, Michael W. Doyle et al (eds.), *The Globalization of Human Rights* (United Nations University Press, 2003).
9. John Baylis, Steve Smith, et al (eds.) *The Globalization of World Politics: An Introduction to International Relations* (OUP, 2008).
10. Karl-Heinz Ladeur (ed.), *Public Governance in the Age of Globalization* (2004).
11. Laura Valentini, *Justice in a Globalizing World: A Normative Framework* (OUP, 2011).
12. M. Abouharb, David Cingranelli, *Human Rights and Structural Adjustment* (Cambridge University Press 2007).
13. Pablo De Greiff and Ciaran Cronin (eds.), *Global Justice and Transnational Politics: Essays on the Moral and Political Challenges of Globalization* (MIT Press, 2002).
14. Percy E. Corbett, *The Growth of World Law* 184 (1971).
15. Rosalyn Higgins, *Development of International Law through the Political Organs of the United Nations* (1963).
16. Simon Coney, *Justice Beyond Borders: A Global Political Theory* (Oxford University Press, 2005).
17. Upendra Baxi, *The Future of Human Rights* (OUP, 2002).
18. Warner Menski, *Comparative Law in Global Context: The Legal Systems of Asia and Africa* (Cambridge University Press, 2006).
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20. William Twining, *General Jurisprudence: Understanding Law from a Global Perspective* (Cambridge University Press, 2009).
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2. Amit Kumar Sinha, "Human Rights in the Era of Globalization" 245 (6) *Madras Law Journal* 124-136 (2010).
3. Anupam Hazra, "Indians in Need of Rehabilitation," 8 (3) *Indian Journal of Public Administration* 29-35 (2009).
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5. B. S. Chimni, "A Just World Under Law: A View From South" 22 (2) *Am. U. Int. Law. Rev.* 199- 220 (2007).
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7. Benedict Kingsbury, Nico Krisch, et al., "The Emergence of Global Administrative Law" 68 *Law and Contemporary Problems* (2005).
8. Boutros and Branislav, "Global Leadership and Global Systematic Issues: South, North and United Nations in a 21st Century World II 46 (44&45) *Economic and Political Weekly* 23-35 (April 2011).
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10. Hiren Gohain, "Livelihood Losses and National Gains" 45 (51) *Economic and Political Weekly* 79-80 (2010).
11. Ismail Farooqi, "Changing Paradigms of Development: Assessment 28 *IASSI Quarterly* 5-26 (2009).
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30. Swapna Banerjee, "Contemporary Globalization and the Politics of Space" 46:52 *Economic and Political Weekly* 41-44 (December 2011).
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1. Human right in Indian tradition and western tradition.
2. Colonization, imperialism and human rights
3. Human rights in international law and national law
4. Human Rights and Judicial Process

Syllabus:

Unit I:

Human Rights: Concept, Human rights in Indian tradition: ancient, medieval and modern, Human rights in western tradition, Development of natural rights

Unit II:

Human rights in international law and national law, Classification of Human Rights - First, Second and Third Generations: Historical Development

Unit III:

Human Rights: Politics and Society, Colonization, imperialism and human rights, Power, practices, accountability and transparency, Liberalization, privatization and globalization,

Unit IV:

Human duties: responsibilities and obligations, Human Rights and Judicial Process, Judicial activism.

Unit V:

Human Rights Protection Agencies.

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2. Lalit Parmer, Human Rights, (1998).
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5. Lon L. Fuller, The Morality of Law
6. John Finnis, Natural Law and Natural Rights, (1980).
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10. Robert Lewngat, The Classical Law of India (1998), Oxford.

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2. Human right Protection agencies and mechanisms.
3. I L O and other Conventions and Protocols dealing with human rights
4. Role of ICJ and regional institutions for enforcement of human right

Syllabus:

Unit I:

Development of the Concept of Human Rights under International Law, Role of International Organization and Human Rights, Universal Declaration of Human Rights (1948), Covenant on Political and Civil Rights (1966), Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights (1966),

Unit II:

I L O and other Conventions and Protocols dealing with human rights, European Convention on Human Rights, European Commission on Human Rights / Court of Human Rights, American Convention on Human Rights, African Convention on Human Rights, Other regional Conventions.

Unit III:

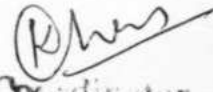
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Unit IV:


Non-Governmental Organizations (NGOs), Voluntary organizations, National and State Human Rights Commissions

Unit V:

International enforcement of Human Rights, Role of ICJ and regional institutions


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