

Minutes of Board of Studies (BoS) Meeting held on 14.07.2023

A meeting of Board of Studies of School of Law, Justice & Governance held on 14th July, 2023 at 4:00 PM in the Chamber of Dean of the School. The following members were present in the meeting:

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| Dr. K.K.Dwivedi (Dean, SoLJ&G) | Chairperson |
| Dr Rama Sharma (Head of Department, SoLJ&G) | HoD & Member |
| Dr. Mamta Sharma (Assistant Professor, SoLJ&G) | Member |
| Dr. Satish Chandra (Assistant Professor, SoLJ&G) | Special Invitee |
| Dr. Santosh Kr. Tiwari (Assistant Professor, SoLJ&G) | Special Invitee |
| Dr. Poonam Verma (Assistant Professor, SoLJ&G) | Special Invitee |
| Prof.(Dr.) Amar Pal Singh (Dean of Law, GGS IP University, New Delhi) | External Expert |

The Committee approved and recommended the following after full deliberation and discussion which is as under:-

1. Approval of one year LL.M. Programme with Specialisation of IPR, ADR and Constitutional and Criminal Law , Ordinance, Course structure and Course Curriculum (**Annex-01**).
2. Approval of two year LL.M. weekend Programme, Ordinance, Course structure and Course Curriculum (**Annex-02**).

On leave
(Dr. Poonam Verma)
Special Invitee

Mamta
(Dr. Mamta Sharma)
Member

Santosh
(Dr. Santosh Kr. Tiwari)
Special Invitee

Satish
(Dr. Satish Chandra)
Special Invitee

Rama
(Dr. Rama Sharma)
HoD
School of Law, Justice & Governance
Gautam Buddha University
Greater Noida (U.P.)

Amar
(Prof.(Dr.) Amar Pal Singh)
External Expert

K.K.Dwivedi
(Dr. K.K.Dwivedi)
Dean

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ORDINANCE FOR INTRODUCTION FOR LL.M. (WEEKEND PROGRAMME)

SCHOOL OF LAW, JUSTICE & GOVERNANCE

GAUTAM BUDDHA UNIVERSITY

(A) INTRODUCTION:

Introduction of two year LL.M. Weekend Programme under Department of Law, Gautam Buddha University from session 2023 onwards.

(B) BOARD OF STUDIES:


Constitution, Power and Functions of Board of Studies will be as per GBU ordinance/rules.

(C) ELIGIBILITY FOR ADMISSION:

- (i) The candidates shall be selected for admission to the LL.M. Weekend Programme on the basis of their *inter se* merit as announced in the result of the written test to be conducted by the GBU.
- (ii) The minimum eligibility requirement for appearing in the test shall be Law Degree or an equivalent degree from any University recognized by the UGC with not less than 50% marks in aggregate (45% in case of SC/ST candidates of Uttar Pradesh). However, those who are appearing in the final examination of the aforesaid Degree course or whose results are awaited may also appear, however such candidates shall have to produce a proof of having qualified the aforesaid degree course examination with the required percentage of marks generally on the date of their admission.
- (iii) All other conditions for admission will be as per GBU admission rules.


(D) FOREIGN NATIONALS/NON-RESIDENTIAL INDIANS/NRI SPONSORED:

- (i) Foreign Nationals/Non-Resident Indians (NRI) may be admitted to the LL.M. Programme, provided that they fulfill the prescribed minimum eligibility requirements. They may be exempted from the written test.
- (ii) Only those foreign nationals/NRI's shall be admitted to the course, who have a valid visa to stay in India.
- (ii) The number of supernumerary seats for this category shall be not more than ten.


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(E) INTAKE AND RESERVATION

There shall be 30 seats for the LL. M. Weekend Programme. Reservation shall be given as per rule of State Government.

(H) FEE STRUCTURE:

Fee shall be decided by the University from time to time.

(I) DURATION OF THE PROGRAMME:

The duration of the programme shall be of two years in four semesters. However, the candidate has to complete the course within maximum period of four years from the date of registration in LL.M. programme.

(J) SCHEME OF STUDY OF LL.M. WEEKENED PROGRAMME:

The course structure for the LL.M. Programme shall be as follows:

First Semester

| S. No. | Course Code | Course Title | Marks | Credits |
|--------|-------------|---------------------------------------|-------|---------|
| 1 | LM101 | Research Methods and Legal Writing | 100 | 4 |
| 2 | LM103 | Comparative Public Law | 100 | 4 |
| 3 | LM105 | Law & Justice in the Globalized World | 100 | 4 |
| 4 | LM107 | Comparative Administrative Law | 100 | 4 |
| 5 | LM109 | Project Work | 50 | 2 |

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Second Semester

| S. No. | Course Code | Course Name | Marks | Credits |
|--------|-------------|------------------------------------|-------|---------|
| 1 | LM102 | Environmental Law | 100 | 4 |
| 2 | LM104 | Human Rights Law | 100 | 4 |
| 3 | LM106 | General Principles of Contract Law | 100 | 4 |
| 4 | LM108 | Family Law | 100 | 4 |
| 5 | LM110 | Project Work | 50 | 2 |

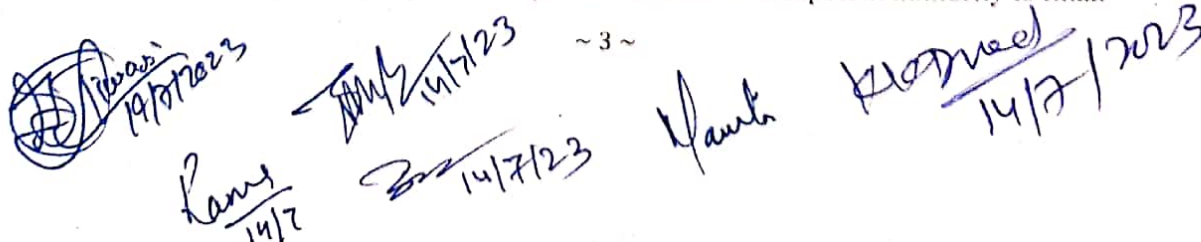
Third Semester

| S. No. | Course Code | Course Name | Marks | Credits |
|--------|-------------|--------------------------------------|-------|---------|
| 1 | LM201 | Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) | 100 | 4 |
| 2 | LM203 | General Principles of Criminal Law | 100 | 4 |
| 3 | LM205 | Intellectual Property Rights Law | 100 | 4 |
| 4 | LM207 | International Law | 100 | 4 |
| 5 | LM209 | Project Work | 50 | 2 |

Fourth Semester

| S. No. | Course Code | Course Name | Marks | Credit |
|--------|-------------|-----------------------------|-------|--------|
| 1 | LM202 | Dissertation and Viva- Voce | 200 | 24 |

Note- In case of any ambiguity/difficulty, the decision of competent authority is final.

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(K) TEACHING:

- (i) Only approved courses can be offered during any Semester
- (ii) Each course so offered shall be conducted by the assigned teacher. The teacher shall be responsible to conduct the course and its related components including, group discussion or field work if need be.
- (iii) Teaching and examination will be only in English language.
- (iv) The List of courses to be offered by the University during any Semester shall be finalized by Board of Studies.
- (v) The contents of the course may be modified/updated from time to time subject to the prior approval of the Board of studies

(L) ATTENDANCE:

As per GBU rules.

(M) EXAMINATION & EVALUATION:

As per GBU rules and CBCS system

- (i) A candidate who has passed in all the papers of the LL.M. Programme taken together shall be declared as 'Passed' if he/she has secured minimum 50% marks.
- (ii) Division/Distinction will be awarded as per GBU rules.

(N) DISSERTATION:

- (i) Student is required to submit a dissertation containing minimum of 30,000 words (main text) in the partial fulfillment of the Degree, at least two weeks before the commencement of 4th Semester examination.
- (ii) Dissertation and Viva-voce will carry 24 credits and a total of 100(50+ 50) marks.
- (iii) A guide shall be assigned to the student by the CPGLS within one month of the admission.
- (iv) The candidate shall be required to secure at least 50% marks in the Dissertation to pass the examination.
- (v) The Examiner shall either
 - (a) Award at least 50% marks or
 - (b) Return the Dissertation for revision or
 - (c) Reject the Dissertation.

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- (vi) The candidate whose dissertation is returned for revision may revise the dissertation and re-submit it within period of two months. Failure to submit the revised dissertation within stipulated period may disentitle the candidate from LL.M. Degree.
- (vii) A dissertation can be revised only once. If the candidate fails to secure pass marks in the revised dissertation, he/she shall be declared failed in the LL.M. Examination.
- (viii) The candidate whose dissertation is rejected may with the approval of the Dean of School of Law, Justice & Governance write a dissertation on another topic and submit it within period of six months, and if he/she fails to secure pass marks in respect of this dissertation, also, he/she shall be declared failed in LL.M. degree examination.
- (ix) A dissertation shall be examined by a Board of two examiners at least one of them shall be necessarily external examiner.
- (x) Each examiner shall award marks out of 50 and average of both will be the final marks for determination of result.
- (xi) The guide of dissertation will be internal examiner.
- (xii) External Examiner shall be appointed by the Dean, School of Law, Justice & Governance with the approval of Vice Chancellor.
- (xiii) Candidate will submit three copies of dissertation.

(O) VIVA- VOCE EXAMINATION:


- (i) Viva- Voce Examination shall be conducted by a Board of Examiners.
- (ii) The Board of Examiners shall consist of:
 - (a) Dean of the School.
 - (b) Head of the Department.
 - (c) One external member appointed by the Dean with the approval of Vice Chancellor.
- (iii) The Viva- Voce Examination shall carry 50 marks.
- (iv) The Candidate shall be required to secure a minimum of 50 marks to pass Dissertation and Viva Voce examination.
- (v) Sitting fee, TA and dissertation evaluation fee will be provided to external expert as per GBU norms.

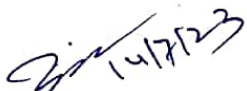
(P) EVALUATION OF PROJECT WORK:


Objective of this paper to develop the practical understanding in the students about the matter related to the topic. They will therefore be given project work for conducting empirical work. The Project work will be supervised by the faculty member as assigned. The evaluation of work shall be exclusively internal by the Board of Examiner which includes Dean, HOD and Course Coordinator/Faculty Member.


(Q) REMOVAL OF DIFFICULTY:


The Vice Chancellor, on the recommendation of the Committee to be constituted by him, shall have power to make such modification, alteration or amendment in these Regulations as may be necessary to remove any difficulty arising out of its application during a period of first four years from the date of the commencement of these Regulations. The amendment so made will be reported to the Academic Council in its next meeting.

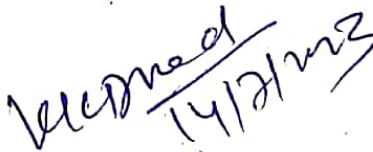

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