



**School of Law, Justice & Governance
Gautam Buddha University,
Greater Noida, U.P.-201312**

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Date: 17/07/2023

Notification

This is to notify that the classes of LL. M. Two Years (Weekend Programme) shall be conducted on weekend (Saturday & Sunday), holidays and during the vacations.

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17/07/2023

Dr. K. K. Dwivedi

Dean

SoLJ&G, GBU

(Dr. K. K. Dwivedi)

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**Tentative Time Table (First Semester 2023-24), with effect from 16.08.2023
LL. M. Two Years (Weekend Programme) Ist Year, Ist Semester, Class Room – Lecture
Hall 1**

Day/ Time	08-09 am	09-10 am	10-11 pm	11- 12 pm	12- 01 pm	01-02 pm	02- 03 pm	03- 04 pm	04- 05 pm
Saturday	Class	Class	Class	Class	Lunch	Class	Class	Class	Class
Sunday	Class	Class	Class	Class		Class	Class	Class	Class
	07-08 pm				08-09 pm				
Monday	Project/ Assignment/ Research Work etc				Project/ Assignment/ Research Work etc				
Tuesday	Project/ Assignment/ Research Work etc				Project/ Assignment/ Research Work etc				
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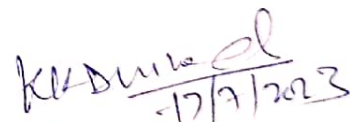
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DR RAMA SHARMA

Head

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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:

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

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ORDINANCE FOR LL.M. ONE YEAR PROGRAMME

SCHOOL OF LAW, JUSTICE & GOVERNANCE

GAUTAM BUDDHA UNIVERSITY, GREATER NOIDA (U.P.)

1. INTRODUCTION:

Introduction of One year LL.M. Programme under Center for Post Graduate Legal Studies (herein after referred as CPGLS), School of Law, Justice & Governance, Gautam Buddha University (herein after referred as GBU) from Session 2023 onwards.

2. CENTRE FOR POST GRADUATE LEGAL STUDIES (CPGLS):

- (i) There shall be a Centre for Post Graduate Legal Studies (CPGLS) in the School of Law, Justice & Governance to look after the Post Graduate Legal Studies in the School.
- (ii) The Dean, School of Law, Justice & Governance shall constitute Centre for Post Graduate Legal Studies with the approval of the Vice Chancellor consisting of the faculty members competent to guide post graduate scholars.
- (iii) The Centre shall have such number of Faculty Members and assisting staff as prescribed by the UGC.
- (iv) The Centre will be governed by the norms of UGC and GBU.

3. ELIGIBILITY FOR ADMISSION:

- (i) 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)/or equivalent degree from a foreign University. However, those who are appearing in the final examination of the aforesaid Degree course or whose results are awaited may also appear, provided such candidates shall have to produce a proof of having qualified the aforesaid degree course examination with the required percentage of marks on the date of their admission.
- (ii) The admission to One Year LL.M. programme should be based on the merit of an All India Admission Test conducted by GBU, with the objective of testing aptitude for

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teaching/research, legal reasoning, and comprehension/basic legal knowledge. The Admissions Test will be for 70% of total marks of the test and the rest of 30% will be equally distributed on the basis of work experience, publications, and statement of purpose.

(iii) All other conditions for admission will be as per GBU Admission Rules.

4. FOREIGN NATIONALS/NON-RESIDENTIAL INDIANS:

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

5. INTAKE AND RESERVATION:

There shall be 20 seats for the LL.M. One Year Programme. Reservation shall be given as per the rules of State Government.

6. FEE STRUCTURE:

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

7. DURATION OF THE PROGRAMME:

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

8. CRITERIA FOR PROMOTION :

- (i) There shall be full carry over system from 1st Semester to 2nd Semester provided the students must have complied with the attendance requirement as well as, appeared in all the 1st semester papers.
- (ii) Rules of GBU shall be applicable for award of LL.M. degree.

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9. THE COURSE STRUCTURE OF LL.M. PROGRAMME:

FIRST SEMESTER
(Common for all Specialisation Groups)

S.No	Course Code	Course Title	Marks	Credits
1	LM101	Research Methods and Legal Writing	100	3
2	LM103	Law and Justice in a Globalized World	100	3
3	LM105	Comparative Public Law	100	3
4	LM107	Human Rights	100	3
5	LM109	Environmental Law	100	3

SECOND SEMESTER
Specialization (Group Optional)
Alternative Dispute Resolution- Specialization

S.No	Course Code	Course Title	Marks	Credits
1	LM102	Evolution and Concept of ADR	100	3
2	LM 104	Law of Arbitration Practice and Procedure	100	3
3	LM106	Mediation, Conciliation and Negotiation	100	3
4	LM108	International Commercial Arbitration	100	3
5	LM110	Dissertation and Viva voce	100 (50+50)	4

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**SECOND SEMESTER
IPR Specialization**

S.No	Course Code	Course Title	Marks	Credits
1	LM102	Law of Copyright	100	3
2	LM 104	Law of Trade Marks	100	3
3	LM106	Law of Patents	100	3
4	LM108	Biodiversity and Protection of Plant Varieties	100	3
5	LM110	Dissertation and Viva voce	100 (50+50)	4

**SECOND SEMESTER
Constitutional and Criminal Law- Specialization**

S.No	Course Code	Course Title	Marks	Credits
1	LM102	Constitutional Law	100	3
2	LM 104	Administrative Law	100	3
3	LM106	General Principles of Criminal Law	100	3
4	LM108	Criminology and Penology	100	3
5	LM110	Dissertation and Viva voce	100 (50+50)	4

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- (i) 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 required.
- (ii) Medium of instruction and examination will be English.
- (iii) The contents of the course may be modified/updated from time to time subject to approval of the Board of Studies.

11. ATTENDANCE:

- (i) As per GBU rules.
- (ii) In order to ensure the transparency in attendance, a chart of attendance will be prepared monthly by the respective faculty members with the help of staff revealing the class attended by students and classes held in each subject. Dean of School of Law, Justice & Governance may change attendance pattern in the interest of students.

12. EXAMINATION & EVALUATION:

Examination & Evaluation will be as per GBU norms.

13. DECLARATION OF RESULT & DIVISION:

- (i) A candidate who has passed of 1st & 2nd Semesters 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.

14. FULL TIME COURSE:

No student shall be allowed to pursue his/her LL.M. Programme in the University who is in job without NOC and study leave of his/her department or pursuing other courses elsewhere. Appropriate action including cancellation of admission/degree or any other action, as per law for the time being in force, may be taken in case of violation of this clause.

15. DISSERTATION:

- (i) Student is required to submit a dissertation containing minimum of 30,000 words (main text) in the partial fulfilment of the Degree, at least two weeks before the commencement of 2nd Semester examination.
- (ii) Dissertation and Viva-voce will carry 4 credits and a total of 100(50+ 50) marks.

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- (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
 - (i) Award at least 50% marks or
 - (ii) Return the Dissertation for revision or
 - (iii) Reject the Dissertation.
- (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.

16. VIVA- VOCE EXAMINATION:

- (i) Viva- Voce Examination shall be conducted by a Board of Examiners.

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- (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.

17. MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS:

- (i) These ordinances contained herein shall be deemed to have come into effect from the Academic Session 2023-24.
- (ii) Any provision contained in earlier Ordinance in this regard repugnant to present ordinance shall stand repealed.
- (iii) The Vice Chancellor, Gautam Buddha University shall have the power to remove difficulties in interpretation and / or application of this ordinance, which shall be final.
- (iv) Any matter not covered above will be dealt according to Gautam Buddha University Act, Statutes and Ordinances.

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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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(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
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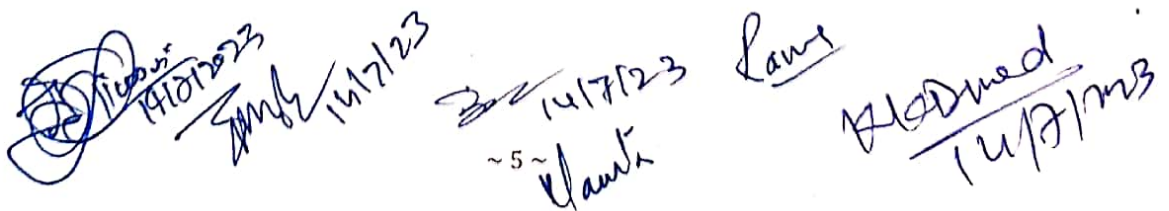
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- (vii) A dissertation can be revised only once. If the candidate fails to secure pass marks in the revised dissertation, he/she shall be declared failed in the LL.M. Examination.
- (viii) The candidate whose dissertation is rejected may with the approval 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.



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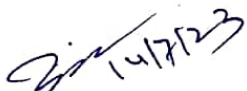
(P) EVALUATION OF PROJECT WORK:


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.

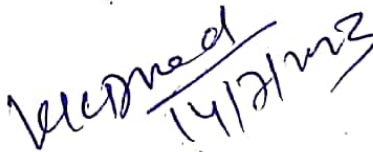

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