COURSE WORK IN LAW FOR Ph.D.

RULES AND SYLLABI OF COURSE WORK

FOR Ph.D.



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"Course work" for Ph.D Programme in Law

- 1. Title: "Ph.D Course Work in Law"
- 2. Year of Implementation: New-syllabus will be implemented with effect from July 2013 onwards.
- 3. Duration: The Ph.D Course work in Law programme is of six months.
- 4. Medium of instruction: the medium of instruction shall be English.
- Every student admitted to Ph.D Programme in the Department of law shall be required to pass a "Course Work".
- 6. The Course work shall be treated as Pre Ph.D preparation. A candidate can take maximum of two attempts for passing two papers of the course work. There shall be no Provision of supplementary examination.

EXAMINATION AND EVALUATION

- Student shall compulsorily have minimum 75% of attendance, However Teachers of the Department admitted to Ph.D research programme are exempted from attending classes of the course work.
- 2. Student shall complete and submit Tutorials, Assignments, etc. which will be given to him/her.
- 3. Student shall actively participate in all the works such as presentation, Simulation, etc.
- 4. Student shall compulsorily conduct field work whenever they are asked to do so.
- 5. The examination shall be conducted at the end of each term/academic year.
- 6. The presentation should be for a minimum duration of 20 minutes and maximum 30 minutes.
- 7. The student will also be required to appear for a test on each paper at the end of the course work.

- **8.** The evaluation of the course work shall be continuous. Field work, Seminar, Review of research papers, etc., shall form part of continuous evaluation.
- **9.** At the end of the course work all the students shall have to appear for external examination of two papers. The examination shall be conducted by the Department. The passing criteria for each subject/paper shall be 50% marks with an aggregate of 50% in both the papers.
- 10. Those who fail to get minimum pass marks shall have to appear in both the papers.

COURSE WORK

The course work shall carry 10 credits (one credit equal to 8 hours).

- 1. Five Credits for "Legal Research And Method"/(PHD141)
- 2. Five credits for "Legal Theory And Present day" (PHD142)

Paper I

LEGAL RESEARCH AND METHOD (PHD141)

- Criteria of good research: meaning and objects of research; importance of research methodology; kind of legal research; historical, analytical, philosophical.
- 2. Legal research in India; evolution and development; problems and challenges.
- **3.** Interdisciplinary perspective on legal research.
- 4. Identification of research problems; survey of literature; working hypothesis.
- 5. Tools and technique of legal research; doctrinal and empirical research; interview technique; scaling technique of socio-legal research; determination of sample design; data collection and analysis.
- **6.** Main steps in research writing; lay out; chapterization; preparation of introduction and conclusion; treatment of quotations; method of citation; bibliography; abbreviations.

7. Computer application in legal research

Paper II

(PHD142) LEGAL THEORIES AND PRESENT DAY

- 1. Law as an instrument of change.
- 2. The idea of justice; ethics, morality and law.
- 3. Economic approach to law.
- 4. Interrelationship between law and modernization in a developing society.
- Modern challenge to legal formalism and recent legal theories; critical legal studies; feminism; theories of right.
- 6. New perspective on legal theories: human rights; sustainable development; globalization.
- 7. Theories of punishment and their relevance in present day.