



NALSAR
University of Law, Hyderabad
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Directorate of Distance Education



One Year Advanced Diploma in CRIMINAL LAW AND FORENSIC SCIENCE



About the Programme

Crime is as old as mankind and justice as old as civilised society. With the passage of time, the methods of crime and systems of justice have evolved. While yesteryears' systems of justice were rather crude and barbarous, today's legal system looks for "Evidence beyond reasonable doubt".

The course is designed to expose the candidates to the existing legislations in the area of crimes, contemporary and special legislations such as money laundering, cyber crimes, the comparative jurisprudence, emerging challenges to deal with the procedural issues in the criminal justice process etc. The course would also deal with various branches of forensic science such as toxicology, serology, DNA, fingerprinting, Digital Forensics and more significantly cyber investigation.

Eligibility

- Bachelor's Degree or an equivalent Degree in any discipline from any recognized University; or
- Candidates who complete three years of their 5-Year Integrated LL.B. Degree Programme in Law; or
- Candidates appearing for the final year examination of Graduation / Engineering are also eligible to apply.

Admission Procedure

Direct Admission subject to fulfilment of the eligibility criteria.
Tentative Admission Schedule : June -August every year.

Course fee

Rs. 30,000/- p.a. (5% fee concession to the candidates belonging to SC / ST / PWD Category)

Course Structure

Subject Code	Subject
SEMESTER - I	
1.1.1.	Criminology and Restorative Justice
1.1.2.	Criminal Law and Legislative under pinnings
1.1.3.	Criminal Justice Administration and Process
SEMESTER - II	
1.2.4.	Introduction to Forensic Science & Forensic Physical Sciences
1.2.5.	Forensic Chemical & General Science
1.2.6.	Forensic Medicine, Biology & DNA

Conduct of the programme

Personal Contact Programme (PCP) sessions will be conducted by the subject experts each semester. Each subject shall consist of 15 teaching hours. The recorded videos of the classes will be uploaded on the dedicated website. Case study analysis / projects / assignments will be part of the concerned subjects and will be discussed in onsite / online sessions. The Assignments / Projects / Case Study in each subject will be evaluated for 30 marks and the end semester examination will be evaluated for 70 marks.

Award of the Diploma

A candidate to be eligible for the award of the Diploma, should submit all the assignments / projects / case studies and should secure 50% marks or 'B' grade in all the subjects obtaining at least CGPA 5.50 out of 10.00.



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