

Pre- Ph.D. Course Work
Paper Code: DP(L)- CP-101
Paper I: Research Methodology

1. Research: Meaning propose types of Research, significance of research in social sciences especially in Law, criteria of good research.
2. Steps in Research: Identification, selection & formulation of research problem, survey of literature formulation of hypothesis, analyzing the data.
3. Report Writing-
Types of report
Contents of Research Report
Steps in drafting Report
Treatment of Quotation
Methods of Citation
Bibliography and abbreviation
4. Legal Research and its kinds:
Evolution & Development
Problems & Challenges
Tools & Techniques
Doctrinal & Non Doctrinal Research
5. Computer application & Legal Research

Recommended Readings:

- Blaster, L, C Hughes & Tight. How to Research (Buckingham: Open University Press). ISBN: 0-335-19452-4.
- Journal of Indian Law Institute, Legal Research and Methodology, Vol. 24, New Delhi.
- Buckley, P & D Clark. Rough guide to the Internet (London: Rough Guides). ISBN: 1-84353-338-3.
- Calishain, T. Web search garage (Upper Saddle River: Prentice Hall). ISBN: 0-13-147148-1.
- Clinch, P. Using a law library: a student's guide to legal research skills (London: Blackstone). ISBN: 1-84174-029-2.
- Fairbairn, G J. & Winch, C. Reading, writing and reasoning: a guide for students (Buckingham: open University Press). ISBN: 0-335-09596-8.
- Halvorson, T.R. Law of the super searchers: the online secrets of the top legal researchers (Medford, NJ: Cyber age Books). ISBN: 0-910965-34-X.
- Hanson, S. Legal Method and reasoning (London: Cavendish), ISBN: 1-85941-783-3.
- Webley, L. Legal writing (London: Cavendish). ISBN: 1-85941-919-4.

Pre- Ph.D. Course Work
Paper Code: DP(L)- OP-1
Paper II: Environmental Law

Unit- I

- a. Guiding principle: Intergenerational equity, Polluter Pays Principles, Public Trust Doctrines, Sustainable Development.
- b. International Environmental Conferences: from Stockholm to WSSD.
- c. International Conventions.

Unit-II

- a. Provisions for protection of Environmental rights under Indian Constitution
- b. Role of Judiciary in Protecting Environment
- c. Pollution Control Laws in India.
- d. Water Pollution
- e. Air Pollution
- f. Noise Pollution
- g. Environment Protection Act

Unit-III

- a. Law Relating to Natural resources.
- b. Protection of wild life and wet lands
- c. Forest Conservation
- d. Conservation of freshwater and ground water

Unit-IV

- a. Conservation of Bio-Diversity
- b. Biological Diversity and Intellectual Property Rights
- c. Environment Impact Assessment

Recommended Reading:

1. Birnie and A. Boyle, "International Law and Environment" Oxford University Press.
2. Singh Gurdeep, " Environmental Law: International and National Perspective
3. Bell & Simon, Stuart, "Environmental Law: The Law and Policy Relating to Protection of the Environment
4. Caldwell, Lynton Keith, International Environmental Policy: Emergence & Dimension
5. World Commission on Environment and Development, (Our Common Future)
6. Cullet Philippe, intellectual Property rights and Sustainable Development
7. Kailash Thakur, Environmental Protection Law and policy in India.
8. CM, Araham,: Environmental Jurisprudence in Indian
9. Singh, R.B. & Mishra, Suresh : Environmental in Indian
10. Rosencranz Armin & Divan Shyam; Environmental Law & Policy in India: Cases, Materials and Statutes.
11. Leelakrishanan P., Environmental Law in India.
12. Nomani, Md. Zafar Mahfooz, Natural Resources: Law & Policy.
13. Sahstri, S.C., Environmental Law

Ph.D. Course Work Optional Paper
Paper Code: DP(L)OP-2
Paper Name: Constitutional Governance

Module 1

Constitutionalism, Preamble. Concept of State, State as a welfare State,

Module 2

Fundamental rights, Directive principle of State Policies,

Module 3

Judiciary Constitutional framework, Judicial interpretation and practice, Judicial activism and judicial restraining, Judicial autonomy and independence, Amendment of the Constitution – Constitutionality of ordinary law and Amendment laws, Judicial review of amendment and the doctrine of basic structure – Major amendments and their constitutional values.

Module 4

Principle of good governance-Administrative responsibility and accountability-Liability of the state in Torts-Constitutional torts and compensatory Jurisprudence.
Corruption, Accountability, and good governance, Lokpal and Lokayukt, Commission of Inquiries and Vigilance Commission, Right to Information Act.

Recommended Readings:

M.P.Jain,H.M.Seervai, T.K.Tope, Subhash Kashyap, D.D. Basu, Arvind Datarm V.N. Shukla, A.V. Dicey, on Constitutional Law of India

M.P. Jain & S.N. Jain, J.F. Garner, C.K. Davis, H.W.R. Wade, Wade & Foresyth, P.P. Craig, D.D. Basu, C.K. Thakkar Griffith and Street, A.T. Markose, Hamson and Neil on Administrative Law and related topics

De Smith S.A. on Constitutional and Administrative Law, Right to Information Act, etc.

Research papers and Articles on topics mentioned above including government Programmes and Policies.

Ph.D. Course Work Optional Paper

Paper Code: DP(L)OP-3

Paper Name: Criminal Law

Unit- I

Traditional and current issues in Criminal Law with latest case laws.

Unit-II

Concept of socio economic offences, Distinction between traditional offences and Socio-economic offences, Prevention of socio-economic crimes, White Collar Crimes.

Unit-III

Criminology- Definition Nature, Scope and utility, Methods of Criminological Studies, Schools of Criminology, Differential Association, Anomie Tradition, Conflict Theory, Punishment, Treatment of offenders, Victimology, Indian Criminal justice system.

Unit-IV

Meaning, Definition and Nature and scope of cyber crimes

Statutory laws pertaining to Cyber Crimes in India: IT Act, IPC, Evidence Act,

Cyber crime and Related Concepts.

Recommended Reading:

1. Kenny's: Outlines of Criminal Law.
2. Russell: On Crime.
3. Hall Jerome: General Principles of Criminal Law.
4. Pillai P.S.A. : Criminal Law.
5. Gaur K.D.: Commentary on the Indian Penal Code.
6. Criminal Offences: A theory of Economic Criminal Law.
7. Ghosh, Srikanta; Economic Offences Universal's – Socio Economic Offences Law.
8. J.M. Balkin: Cyber Crime; Digital cops in a Networked Environment.
9. Gina De Angelis; Cyber Crimes.
10. Edwin H. Sutherland: Principle of Criminology.
11. Richard R. Kom, Lloyd W. McCorkle: Criminology and penology.
12. Peter Becker and Recharad F. Wetzell : Criminals and Their Scientists.
13. Mattew Lippman: Contemporary Criminal Law.
14. Michael Kronenwttter: 'Capital Punishment'.
15. Mehraj Uddin: 'Crime and Criminal Justice System in India' 1984.