

Symbiosis Law School, NOIDA
Master of Laws
Programme Structure 2024-25

1.	OBJECTIVE	The highlight of this programme is its emphasis on an interdisciplinary, comparative and global approach in the study of law and research orientation. This is done by underlining the relevance of research methodology with utmost technical precision and scientific sophistication. The student has the option of a cafeteria approach in terms of specialization, cross specialization courses combining innovation, cutting edge legal acumen, clinical skills and theoretical insights.			
2.	DURATION (IN MONTHS)	12 (Full Time)			
3.	INTAKE	20			
4.	RESERVATION	I.Within the sanctioned intake	a) SC (In Percentage)	b) ST (In Percentage)	c) Differently abled (In Percentage)
			15	7.5	3
		II.Over and above the sanctioned intake	a) Kashmiri Migrants (In Seats)	b) International Students (In Percentage)	
			2	20	
5.	ELIGIBILITY	Three Years or Five Years LL.B. degree from any recognised University/ Institution of National Importance with a minimum of 50% marks or equivalent grade (45% marks or equivalent grade for Scheduled Caste/ Scheduled Tribes).			
6.	SELECTION PROCEDURE	1. All India Admission Test. 2. Personal Interaction for shortlisted candidates based on All India Admission Test.			
7.	MEDIUM OF INSTRUCTION	English			
8.	PROGRAMME PATTERN	Semester			
9.	COURSE & SPECIALISATION	As per Annexure A Specializations Offered: Business and Corporate Law Criminal and Security Law			
10.	FEE		Academic Fee p.a	Institute Deposit	Total
	Indian Students (Amount in INR)		170000	10000	180000
	International Students	NRI/ PIO/ OCI Category (Amount in US\$)	3300	150	3450
		Foreign National Category (Amount in US\$)	1950	150	2100
11.	ASSESSMENT	The courses will have 60% Continuous Assessment and 40% Term End			

		[University] examination however, some courses (not more than 30% of the total programme credits) may have 100% Continuous Assessment.						
12.	STANDARD OF PASSING	The assessment of the student for each examination is done, based on relative performance. Maximum Grade Point (GP) is 10 corresponding to O (Outstanding). For all courses, a student is required to pass both internal and external examination separately with a minimum Grade Point of 4 corresponding to Grade P. Students securing less than 40% absolute marks in each head of passing will be declared FAIL. The University awards a degree to the student who has achieved a minimum CGPA of 4 out of maximum of 10 CGPA for the programme.						
13.	AWARD OF DEGREE	Master of Laws (LL.M.) will be awarded at the end of semester 2 examination by taking into consideration the performance of all Semester examinations after obtaining minimum 4.00 CGPA out of 10 CGPA.						
14.	CLASSIFICATION OF CREDITS							
Semester	Generic Core	Generic Elective	Specialisation Core	Specialisation Elective	Open Elective	Mandatory Non-Credit Course/s	Non-Letter Grade Audit Course/s	Total
Common								
1	9	0/2	0	4/2	0	0	As per the student's choice	13
2	5	2/0	0	6/8	0	2		13
Total	14	2	0	10	0	0		26
The revised programme structure supersedes the previously approved programme structure dated 09/08/2024 for the programme.								

This Programme Structure is aligned with the norms laid down by the University and is approved by the Academic Council.
Hereafter changes (if any) which conform to the policy on "Curriculum Development and Review" would be permissible, subject to revision of the Programme Structure, following the specified processes.

Director - Academics

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Catalog Course Code	Course Code	Course Title	Specialisation	Credit	Continuous Assessment	Term End Examination	Total Marks
Semester : 1							
Generic Core Courses							
T1159	0102410101	Research Methods and Legal Writing		3	90	60	150
T1056	0102410102	Law and Justice in a Globalizing World		3	90	60	150
T1586	0102410103	Comparative Public Law		3	90	60	150
Total				9	270	180	450
Human Rights Law (One course from the Human Rights Law Specialization Group has to be compulsorily opted by students from every specialization either in Semester-I or Semester-II in lieu of one course from their chosen specialization. However if a student from Criminal and Security Law specialization opts for 'Comparative Crime Justice and Human Rights' course in Semester I or a student from Business and Corporate Law Specialization opts for 'Corporate Governance and Human Rights' course in Semester-II then he/she need not choose a course from the Human Rights Law Specialization Group)							
Generic Elective Course Group							
T1208	0102410105	Science, Technology and Human Rights		2	60	40	100
T1055	0102410106	Human Rights and International Order		2	60	40	100
T1382	0102410107	Comparative Concept and Development of Human Rights		2	60	40	100
T1600	0102410108	Law Relating to Non-Profit voluntary organisation in India		2	60	40	100
Total Required Credits				2	60	40	100
Specialization Elective : Business and Corporate Law							
T1600	0102410108	Law Relating to Non-Profit voluntary organisation in India	Business and Corporate Law	2	60	40	100
T1238	0102410109	International Trade Law	Business and Corporate Law	2	60	40	100
T1375	0102410110	Comparative Corporate Law	Business and Corporate Law	2	60	40	100
T1601	0102410111	Comparative Banking and Insurance Law	Business and Corporate Law	2	60	40	100
Total Required Credits				4	120	80	200
Specialization Elective : Criminal and Security Law							
T1381	0102410112	Comparative Crime Justice and Human Rights	Criminal and Security Law	2	60	40	100
T1240	0102410113	International Criminal Law	Criminal and Security Law	2	60	40	100
T1380	0102410114	Comparative Criminology and Criminal Justice Administration	Criminal and Security Law	2	60	40	100

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Total Required Credits				4	120	80	200
Semester : 2							
Generic Core Courses							
T1705	0102410201	Dissertation		5	250	0	250
TH4788	0102410218	Health and Wellness Module I		0	0	0	Mandatory Non-Credit Course
TH4789	0102410219	Health and Wellness Module II		0	0	0	Mandatory Non-Credit Course
Total				5	250	0	250
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Generic Elective Course Group							
T1057	0102410202	International Humanitarian Law and Refugee Law		2	60	40	100
T1383	0102410203	Comparative Human Rights of Women and Children		2	60	40	100
T1594	0102410204	European Union Human Rights Law		2	60	40	100
Total Required Credits				2	60	40	100
Specialization Elective : Business and Corporate Law							
T1094	0102410205	Taxation Laws	Business and Corporate Law	2	60	40	100
T1091	0102410206	Competition Law	Business and Corporate Law	2	60	40	100
T1093	0102410207	Corporate Governance and Human Rights	Business and Corporate Law	2	60	40	100
T1384	0102410208	Comparative Investment Law	Business and Corporate Law	2	60	40	100
T1397	0102410209	Carriage of Goods by Air, Land, Sea and Multimodal Transport	Business and Corporate Law	2	60	40	100
T1597	0102410210	EU data Protection and Privacy Law	Business and Corporate Law	2	60	40	100
Total Required Credits				8	240	160	400
Specialization Elective : Criminal and Security Law							

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T1587	0102410211	Police Law and Administration	Criminal and Security Law	2	60	40	100
T1170	0102410212	Sentences and Sentencing	Criminal and Security Law	2	60	40	100
T1270	0102410213	Victimology	Criminal and Security Law	2	60	40	100
T1242	0102410214	White Collar Crimes	Criminal and Security Law	2	60	40	100
T1268	0102410215	Comparative Criminal Law	Criminal and Security Law	2	60	40	100
T1620	0102410216	Principles and Practices of Fair Trial in Europe and Asia	Criminal and Security Law	2	60	40	100
T1721	0102410217	Comparative Climate Justice	Criminal and Security Law	2	60	40	100
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Common				
Semester 1	0	13	13	650
Semester 2	5	8	13	650
Total	5	21	26	1300