## SYLLABUS FOR PhD PROGRAMME IN LAW UNDER CREDIT-CUM-SEMESTER SYSTEM FOR THE SESSION 2018-19

The six months Pre-PhD Course work in Law under Semester-cum-Course Credit System shall comprise of 5 numbers of papers/courses spread over one semester and carrying a total credit load of 20 Credit Hours. Distributions of the courses along with their respective titles are given below.

## **COURSE STRUCTRUE**

Course No.	Course Title	Credits	Univ. Exam	Internal assessment / periodic Test	Home Assignment	Full Mark / Total
PD-611	Legal Education	4	60	20	20	100
PD-612	Comparative Constitutional Law OR Socio-Economic Legislations (Theory Elective)	4	60	20	20	100
PD-613	Research Methodology (Quantitative Analysis and Computer Application)	4	60	20	20	100
PD-614	Legal Essay	4	60	20	20	100
PD-615	Review of Research Papers Published in Peer- Reviewed Journals(Any five research papers to be reviewed) Reports = 2 CH Presentation=2 CH	4	60	20	20	100

#### Legal Education-611 (THEORY COMPULSORY) (Full Mark-100, 4 credits)

## **Unit- 1. Fundamentals of Legal Education**

- 1.1 .Basic concept of Legal Education
- 1.2 .Purpose and objective of Legal Education in India
- 1.3. Importance of legal education in India and International Level
- 1.4. Status of Legal Education and Law Teachers
- 1.5. Role of Government, UGC and Bar Council of India in improving the status of Legal education

#### **Unit 2. Teaching Methods**

- 2.1. Teaching Methods in Legal Education
- 2.1.1 Lecture Method
- 2.1.2 Case Method
- 2.1.3. Problem Method
- 2.1.4. Discussion Method
- 2.1.5 Collaborative Teaching
- 2.1.6. Seminar Method
- 2.1.7. Other method

#### Unit 3. Curriculum, Evaluation system and Supervision

- 3.1 Curriculum Planning and developing Teaching Plans
- 3.2 Evaluation system
- 3.2.1 Examination System and over emphasis of examination system
- 3.2.2 Problems in Evaluation
- 3.2.3 Methods of Evaluation -Continuous Evaluation and End term Exams and Assessment
- 3.3 .Supervision
- 3.3.2. Extension Services
- 3.3.3 Legal Aid and Legal Awareness

#### Unit 4. Legal Profession and Social Justice

- 4.1 Legal Profession and Ethics
- 4.2. Strengthening Bar, Bench and Academia relationship
- 4.3. Relationship between Legal Education and Legal profession
- 4.4. Legal Profession in India: Issues, Challenges and Recent trends
- 4.5. Access to justice and Legal Aid
- 4.6. Role of Law School Legal Aid Clinics
- 4.7. Legal Services Authorities

## **Suggested Reading:**

- 1. S.P. Sathe Access to Legal Education and the Legal Profession in India(Rajeev Dhavan Ed., Butterworths, London, 1989)
- 2. P.L. Mehta, Sushma Gupta Legal Education and Profession in India(2000)
- 3. N. R. Madhava Menon (ed.) Clinical Legal Education: Concept and Concerns, A Handbook on Clinical Legal Education (Eastern Book Co., 1998)
- 4. A.S. Anand, Legal Education in India Past, Present and Future S.C.C (Jour.) 1 (1998)

- 5. Frank S. Bloch and M. R. K. Prasad, "Institutionalizing A Social Justice Mission For Clinical Legal Education: Cross-National Currents From India And The United States",13 Clinical Law Review 165 (2006-2007)
- 6. Frank S.Bloch, Iqbal S. Ishar, "Legal Aid, Public Service and Clinical Legal Education: Future Directions from India and the United State", Mic. J. Int'l. L.(1990)
- 7. Upendra Baxi, "Notes Towards Socially Relevant Legal Education: A Working Paper for the UGC Regional Workshop in Law", 51 Journal of the Bar Council of India(1975-76).
- 8. Uprendra Baxi, "The Pathology of the Indian Legal Professions", XXII IBR,(1995)
- 9. American Bar Association, Section of Legal Education and Admissions to the Bar, Legal Education and Profession Development An Educational Continuum, Report of the Task Force on Law Schools and the Profession: Narrowing the Gap, (ABA 1992)
- 10. Law Commission of India,184th Report on The Legal Education and Professional Training and Proposal for Amendments to the Advocates Act 1961 and the University Grants Commission Act 1956
- 11. Legal Education in a Changing World -Report of the Committee on Legal Education in the Developing Countries International Legal Center, New York

# COMPARATIVE CONSTITUTIONAL LAW OR SOCIO-ECONOMIC LEGISLATIONS: 612 ((THEORY COMPULSORY) (Full Mark-100, 4 credits)

#### **Unit 1: Forms of Government**

- 1.1 .Presidential and parliamentary form
- 1.2 .Government under USA constitution
- 1.3. Governments under French Constitution
- 1.4. Nature of government in U.K
- 1.5. Comparison with the government in India

#### Unit 2: The Evolution and development of civil Rights

- 2.1 Evolution of Rights of in U.K, USA and France.
- 2.2 Status of the rights in U.K
- 2.3 Status of the rights in USA
- 2.4 Status of the rights in France
- 2.5 Comparison with the status of Rights in India

#### **Unit 3: Judicial Process and Review**

- 3.1 Organization of the Judiciary in U.K, USA and France
- 3.2 Judicial review evolution and implementation
- 3.3 Evolution of Tribunals

- 3.4 Separation of Judiciary from the Executive And Legislature
- 3.5 Comparison with the Indian System

### **Unit 4 : organization of Legislative and executive powers**

- 4. 1 Distribution of legislative powers
- 4. 2 Extent of Executive power
- 4. 3 Emergency powers
- 4. 4 Resolution of Conflicts
- 4. 5 Law making process in U.K, USA and France in comparison with India

## **Suggested Reading:**

- K.C.Wheare, Modern Constitutions.
- Dauglus W.O, Studies in Indian and American Constitutional Law.
- A.V.Dicey, Introduction to the Study of Constitution.
- Rotunda and Nowak, Treatise on American Constitution.
- Bernad Schwartz Commentary on American Constitution
- E.S. Venkataramaiah, Federalism Comparative Study
- Mason and Beany, American Constitutional law
- Rodney Brazier, Constitutional Practice.
- Godfrey and Blondel, The French Constitution and Government.
- Tom Ginsburg, Rosalind Dixon, Comparative Constitutional Law
- Vicki C. Jackson, Mark V. Tushnet, Comparative Constitutional Law
- Bhagwan Vishnoo, Bhushan Vidya, World Constitutions
- Vicki C. Jackson, Mark V. Tushnet, Comparative Constitutional Law
- Bhagwan Vishnoo, Bhushan Vidya, World Constitutions

Unit I Right to Information Act, 2005

The Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Act, 2009 the Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989

The Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Act, 2005

Unit II The Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act, 2012

the Child Marriage Restraint Act, 1929

Child Labour (Prohibition and Regulation) Act 1986

Law Relating To Child Trafficking

the Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2015

Unit III Dowry Prohibition Act, 1961

The Protection of Women from Domestic Violence Act 2005

The Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition and

Redressal) Act, 2013

Law Relating To Maintenance Of Women and Children

Unit IV Consumer Protection Act, 1986

Competition Act, 2002

The Prevention of Money Laundering Act, 2002

## Research Methodology: PD 613 (THEORY COMPULSORY) (Full Mark-100, 4 credits)

Unit I Legal Research : Meaning, Characteristics, objectives, Scope of Legal Research, doctrinal and Non-Doctrinal, Legal Reasoning – Deductive & Inductive, Legal

Research Problem, Review of Tentative Literature relevant to selected problem,

Hypothesis: Meaning, source, type of hypothesis, Null Hypothesis,

Tools and techniques of Data Collection: observation, Questioner, Interview

Schedule, Survey, Case Study Preparation of Research Design

Unit II Sampling: types, classes,

Diagrammatic representation of Data

Application of statistical concepts: Probability, measures of central tendency, Measures of dispersion, simple co-relation, multiple co-relation, Regression

analysis

Unit III Testing of Hypothesis, t-Test, f-Test, chi-square test, ANOVA, Analysis of

standard deviation, analysis of variance, One way analysis of variance, Two-way

analysis of variance, Follow up Test, Non-parametric Procedure

Unit IV Writing Legal Research Report, Bibliography, Articles, Books, Graphs and Table

of Cases

Universal citation style: APA, MLA, Chicago, Harvard Citation style

Use of Google doc, SPSS Package, AMOS

### **Suggested Readings:**

- 1. Bhattacharya, D.K. Research Methodology, Excel Books, New Delhi, II edn. 2006
- 2. Kothari, C.R., Research Methodology
- 3. Gupta, S.c. and Kapporl, V.R., Fundamentals of mathematical Statistics, S.Chand, New Delhi
- 4. Sinha, P.K and Sinha, Priti, Computer Fundamentals, BPB Publications
- 5. Comdex Computer Course Kit, BPB Publication
- 6. Russel, A. Stultz, Larn Microsoft Office.

## Legal Essay - 614 ((THEORY COMPULSORY) (Full Mark-100, 4 credits)

Each student will have to write an essay on any aspect of legal issue. The course teacher/coordinator will select the topic.

#### **Report**: (F.M: 50)

## Review of research papers published in refried journals (any five research papers to be reviewed)

A Review of research papers published in referred journals on an assigned topic will be prepared by each candidate. A candidate has to submit a review report .

## **Seminar (F.M.: 50)**

Each candidates has to present a seminar on an assigned topic.