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TOPICS FOR INTERNAL ASSESSMENT ASSIGNMENTS 2017–18

Course : LL.M. (Previous)

Note: 1. *Students are advised to read the separate enclosed instructions, before beginning the writing Assignments.*

2. *Out of 20 Internal Assignment marks per paper, 5 marks will be awarded for regularity (attendance) to Counseling/Contact Programme Classes pertaining to the paper. Therefore, the topics given below are only for 15 marks each paper.*

3. *ANSWERS must be brief and where ever required answers must be substantiated with relevant Case Laws / Statutory Provision.*

Answer any TWO Topics/ Questions from each of the papers. Each Topic carries 7½ Marks.

Paper1:   Law and Social Transformation in India

1.   Define 'Law', explain the relation between law and social change.

2.   Is Uniform Civi Code a solution to religious inequality? Explain.

3.   "Law is evolved through the traditions and culture of a society". Elucidate.

Paper 2:   Indian Constitution: The New Challenges

1.   Explain the basic principles of law relating to resolution of interstate disputes relating to review of water sharing.

2.   Discuss the constitutional remedies available to internally displaced persons.

3.   Explain the Constitutional measures on genger justice for empowering women.

Paper 3:   Judicial Process

1.   'Judicial Activism is contributing a lot in solving new cases in the changing Indian society'. Comment.

2.   Comment on the application of the doctrine of precedent in India by the Supreme Court.

3.   Examine the place of Dharma in the administration of justice.

Paper 4:   Legal Education and Research Methodology

1.   Explain the discussion method of teaching and its suitability for post graduate level of teaching.

2.   Explain the kinds of Legal research.

3.   Discuss the usefulness of interview as a tool of data collection.

Paper 5: Doctrinal and Non-Doctrinal Research (Practical)

There is no Internal Assignment for Paper-05. Candidates are to prepare Two Dissertations one on Doctrinal and another on Non-Doctrinal mode respectively. Students are expected to follow the guidance given in the study guide lines on Paper V.

Students may select any relevant topic for the preparation of the Dissertation. The rationale behind this part of the course is to sharpen the Written, Communication skills and also to canalize their thought process.

The Non-Doctrinal work may be Comprehensive case study/Empirical study/ Field study.

1. The student may choose any Topic of his/her choice relevant to the Syllabus for the purpose of the study. (Refer Chapter II of Practical Paper)

The Dissertations must be in the following form :

The information collected has to be presented in an organized and structural way. The design of the dissertation shall consist of
1. Introduction
2. Objectives of the Study
3. Hypothesis
4. Methodology
5. Limitations
6. Core-Chapter-Evaluation
7. Findings and suggestion
8. Bibliography

Footnotes or Chapter notes is a must.

The subject matter organized as above has to be neatly typed or computerized and submitted in the hard bound form along with respective CDs. The ideal size of the Dissertation may be in the range of 50 to 60 Pages.

Submission of the Dissertation :

One copy of each Dissertation (Doctrinal and Non-Doctrinal work) shall be submitted to *"The Director, Directorate of Distance Education, Kuvempu University, Shankaraghatta – 577 451", on or before 31ˢᵗ July 2018 Dissertation received after due Date will not be considered for Valuation.*

Paper 6: The Law of Intellectual Property

1. Explain the concept, utility and scope of Intellectual Property Rights.

2. Define Copygight. Discuss the international regime of Copyright law.

3. Explain the requirements to get patent and elucidate patentable works.

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