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(ii) In case of any dispute regarding the interpretation of any provision contained in this Prospectus, the decision of the Vice-Chancellor shall be final.

IMPORTANT DATES

Admission Process at HPNLU

Important Dates: 1st August, 2021

Counselling Schedule will be updated on the University website.

Please Note That The Above Dates Are Tentative And The Convener, CLAT Has Reserved All Rights To Change The Above Dates As Per Contingencies And Requirements

VISION & MISSION



Our Vision

- To be an academic institution of advanced learning in the areas of law and related fields with an unparalleled global reputation and academic output.
- To constantly strive towards curricular rigour and to nurture and produce the best of legal minds and professionals in this extremely competitive world characterized by extremely swift changes.
- To be a centre for cutting edge research in the area of legal studies with an emphasis on interdisciplinary perspectives.

The Mission

Himachal Pradesh National Law University is founded in a very firm faith in the value of sincere academic practice and interdisciplinary training. It has over the years of its foundation, amply demonstrated its capability to reinvent pedagogical tools and make education meaningful for learners. In collaboration with other globally reputed centres of legal education, HPNLU has taken and will continue to take extraordinary steps to ensure that learning of law becomes a novel experience for all the stakeholders. This novelty- the University believes, has to be drawn- both from the soundness of curriculum and a disciplined workforce. The University wishes to further work tirelessly to ensure that its students are not merely respected professionals after their degrees but also emotionally intelligent and right-thinking human beings, exhibiting regard for the human condition and possessing the sharpest of intellect that they would utilize to make the world a far better place to live in.

VISITOR'S PROFILE



Hon'ble Mr. Justice Rohinton Fali Nariman

Judge, Supreme Court of India

Date of Birth :	13 August, 1956
School :	Cathedral School, Mumbai (High 1st Division, ISC)
College :	Shri Ram College of Commerce - B.Com Faculty of Law, Delhi – L.L.B. (1st Class-2nd in the University) Harvard Law School-L.L.M. (Thesis on affirmative action: a comparison between India and US constitutional law)
Profession :	Senior Counsel, Supreme Court of India. Was made Senior Counsel by the Chief Justice of India. Justice Venkatachalaiah amended the rules in order to make him a Senior Counsel at the young age of 37 against the mandatory 45. Has practiced Maritime Law in New York at Haight, Gardener, Poor and Havens for 1 year. Has practiced law for the last 35 years. Has over 500 Reported Supreme Court Judgments to his credit. Expert in Comparative Constitutional Law and Civil Law.
Governing Board:	Gujarat Law School, Ahmedabad.
Mediation Committee :	Member, Supreme Court of India.
Lectured at :	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The Delhi Law School, University of Delhi. - The Bar Council of India at the Supreme Court of India. - Gave the keynote address at the K.L. Misra Lecture on SPIRITUALITY AND LAW along with the Chief Justice of India and other Supreme Court Judges in Allahabad in 2004. - Member of the Delegation from the Supreme Court of India to the Supreme Court of the United States of America, 2002. - Gave a talk at IIC Delhi 2007 on Beethoven.
Specializing in Comparative Religious Studies:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Ordained Priest from Bandra Agiary. - Lectured in New York to the Zoroastrian Federation. - Gave the SEARCH lecture at the IIC, Delhi in 200. - Gave religious talks at Philadelphia in 2005. - Gave two lectures in Ahmedabad at the invitation of the Ahmedabad Parsi Panchayat in 2003. - Held fortnightly Gatha classes for two years in Delhi. - Delivered the Annual K.R. Cama Lecture at K.R. Cama Institute, Mumbai on "Through the Looking Glass". - Zoroastrianism in other faiths on 11.11.2006. - Solicitor General of India from July 27, 2011 to February 4, 2013.
Elevated as :	Judge, Supreme Court of India on 7th July, 2014.

CHANCELLOR'S PROFILE



Hon'ble Mr. Justice Ravi Malimath
Acting Chief Justice, High Court of Himachal Pradesh

Date of Birth: Born on 25-05-1962.

Profession: Enrolled as an Advocate on 28-01-1987 at Bangalore. Practiced in Constitutional, Civil, Criminal, Labour, Service, Mainly at Karnataka High Court, Bangalore. Appointed as an Additional Judge of the High Court of Karnataka on 18-02-2008 and permanent Judge on 17-02-2010. Transferred to High Court of Uttarakhand and assumed office of a Judge of High Court of Uttarakhand on 05-03-2020 vide Notification No. K-13023/01/2020-US.I, Dated 26-02-2020. Appointed as Acting Chief Justice of High Court of Uttarakhand w.e.f. 28-07-2020. Took oath as the Judge of High Court of Himachal Pradesh on 7th January 2021(Forenoon).

VICE CHANCELLOR'S MESSAGE



Prof. Dr. Nishtha Jaswal
Vice-Chancellor
Himachal Pradesh National Law University Shimla

I feel ecstatic and take immense pleasure in inviting the students from all over the nation to join Himachal Pradesh Law University's diverse study programmes and be an integral part of our journey in pursuance of excellence. The HPNLU always makes the best endeavor to make the journey of new entrants comfortable, fruitful and experiential, facilitating them to fulfil their infrastructural needs, satisfy their quest for knowledge, inculcate values and ultimately prepare them to tread the arduous path of life. I assure that after crossing the threshold of parental home to enter the institutional home, you will not stop climbing the ladder of success and excellence. The HPNLU follows the wise saying:

“साविद्यायामुक्तये”
(Knowledge is one that liberates)

The Temple of Learning- 'Our University' is situated amidst the lush-green serenity of nature which offers a majestic view of the mountains that can be termed as nothing short of breath-taking, is equipped with state-of-the-art facilities aiding in a better teaching and learning experience altogether. Further, catering to student's Academic needs, the campus offers a library with a vast expanse of books and journals which are bound to offer deeper and enriched understanding over subjects spanning diversified areas of study. In addition, the University offers the students e-resource platforms such as Hein Online, SCC Online and JSTOR etc. Which can be accessed on campus via the in-campus Wi-Fi mesh, as well as off campus through remote access. Besides the curriculars, as well as off campus through remote access. Besides the curriculars, as a means for students to unwind and relax, the university also offers varied extra-curricular activities including sports.

VICE CHANCELLOR'S MESSAGE CONTD...

While it is the students who constitute the soul by providing identity and character to an educational Institution, it is the role of the faculty to nurture and guide students towards pinnacle of success. The faculty at HPUNLU consists of highly qualified, research oriented and meritorious academicians who not only excel at teaching in their respective fields but also are great mentors. They are sensitive and receptive to the individualistic nature and needs of each student. The HPNLU believes in imparting quality education and carving students into empathetic beings who will be treasured socially, nationally as well as globally.

Since HPNLU's inception in 2016, although a relatively short journey till date, we have amassed a significant number of achievements extending from academic, moot competitions, ADR competitions and debates all the way to literary, sporting and cultural events. The accomplishments till date are a sheer testament to HPNLU's culture of utmost dedication, sincerity and hard work that binds each member of the Institution to each other. The HPNLU regularly provides the students with learning opportunities by organizing national conferences & seminars, workshops and special guest lectures from distinguished professionals with expertise in different facets of law.

I am not sure whether I can put into words the magnitude of impact COVID has had around the world, knocking things out of rhythm. I understand that even though, being a part of HPNLU's the students are confined to taking classes through virtual mode. To open my heart, I would admit that the University is soulless without the energy and enthusiasm of the students beaming and resonating throughout the campus. But the safety and health of our students, faculty and staff are of paramount importance. And for that, if it means carrying out the process of learning through virtual mode for a little longer, it is our bounden duty towards the nation & humanity to pass the litmus test of trying times.

Keep your faith stronger that this will also pass.

My poetic heart would make your determination even stronger with the following lines:

मेहनत मांझी किस्मत की नैया निश्चय पतवार
फिर क्यों न पहुंचेगे इक दिन मंजिल के द्वार।

God Bless!!!

REGISTRAR'S MESSAGE



Prof. (Dr.) S.S. Jaswal

Registrar, HPNLU Shimla

An ideal educational institution should consist of a series of enhancements each raising the individual to a higher level of consciousness, empathy, understanding and kinship leading to overall all development of an individual and thereby contributing to the productive development of the society. In pursuit of this the Himachal Pradesh National Law University (HPNLU) a premier institution of legal education in the State of Himachal Pradesh has made its presence in a very short span of time. Since its inception in 2016, university is providing quality legal education, productive research and effective dissemination of information and knowledge through its curriculum and community outreach programs. The HPNLU offers undergraduate, postgraduate and doctoral programs in legal education. It offers Five Years Integrated B.A./B.B.A.LL.B program for the undergraduates and One Year LLM (Full Time) course for post graduates. The University also offers Ph.D. Programs in diverse fields of Law. University also offers various training and development programs through its various Centres, each constituted with special objectives to serve and fulfil the needs of target groups.

My best wishes for all those who seek to be a part of this Himachal Pradesh National Law University family and I congratulate all the students completing their degree programs from HPNLU and wish them to occupy the coveted positions and serve the country and fellow people.

Once again, I welcome you all to this University.
Wishing each one of you the best of luck!

ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY

The University is recognised by the UGC under Section -2(f) of the UGC Act, 1956 and The Bar Council of India.



The Himachal Pradesh National Law University, Shimla, placed in the geographical terrains of the Himalayas is in the Sixth year of its existence under the dynamic leadership of the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, Professor (Dr.) Nishtha Jaswal. The institution is one of the few educational centres in the country which enjoy the natural environment and magical beauty of locational topography, excellent and enjoyable weather conditions throughout the year. The University in these respects is bestowed with all natural conditions facilitative of creation, pursuit and dissemination of knowledge.

HPNLU, Shimla was established by the Himachal Pradesh National Law University Act, 2016 (Act 16 of 2016) in September 2016. The University shifted from the Himachal Pradesh Judicial Academy premises to its own campus during the academic session 2019-20. The new campus has been developed by the Public Works Department (PWD), Government of Himachal Pradesh. The first phase of construction that included the Academic and the Administrative blocks and hostels for girls is almost complete. The construction of boys' hostels is on at a very rapid pace and should be ready by next year. The process for construction of residential complexes for teaching and non-teaching staff is yet to be initiated.

ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY



The University started functioning from 5th October, 2016. It is a participating University of the Consortium of National Law Universities (NLUs). The Vice-Chancellor, Professor (Dr.) Nishtha Jaswal is a member of the Core Committee of CLAT 2021. The batches of B.A. LL.B. and B.B.A LL.B (Five year integrated course), LL.M. (One Year Programme) are admitted through CLAT (Common Law Admission Test). The University conducts every year, its own national level test for selecting candidates for the Ph.D. programme in law. Currently the sixth batch of Undergraduate students and the fifth batch of Post Graduate students are pursuing their respective courses.

Presently, students are provided hostel accommodation facilities in rented, private buildings that fall within a one-kilometre radius of the University. Conveyance facilities between hostels and campus are provided through the University bus. There is a central mess facility in each of the hostels. Hostel rooms are duly furnished with beds, study tables, chairs and almirahs. Hygiene and proper sanitation are maintained and WiFi facilities are available. For safety and security of residents, each hostel has security guards.

The University has an ambulance facility and medical care is provided through the Government Hospital located at Dhambi which falls within three kilometres from the University campus.

Statutory Committees



GOVERNING COUNCIL

NAME	DESIGNATION
1. Hon'ble Mr. Justice Ravi Malimath, Acting Chief Justice, High Court of Himachal Pradesh	Chancellor, H.P National Law University, Shimla
2. Prof. Nishtha Jaswal	Vice-Chancellor, Himachal Pradesh National Law University, Shimla
3. Hon'ble Mr. Justice V. Ramasubramanian	Judge, Supreme Court of India, nominated by Visitor
4. Sh.K.K. Venugopal	Attorney General of India
5. Dr. Ram Lal Marakanda	Technical Education, Tribal Affairs, I.T. , Minister (Nominee of Hon'ble Finance Minister/Chief Minister, State of Himachal Pradesh)
6. Sh. Govind Singh Thakur	Education and LAC, Minister, State of Himachal Pradesh
7. Sh. Suresh Bhardwaj	UD, TCP and Housing, Law, Parliament Affairs and Co-Operation, Minister, State of Himachal Pradesh
8. Hon'ble Mr. Justice Tarlok Singh Chauhan	Judge, High Court of Himachal Pradesh
9. Hon'ble Mr. Justice Chander Bhusan Barowalia	Judge, High Court of Himachal Pradesh
10. Sh. Tushar Mehta	The Solicitor General of India
11. Sh. Ashok Sharma	Advocate General, State of Himachal Pradesh
12. Prof. Dharendra Pal Singh	Chairperson, UGC
13. Sh. Suresh Chand Shrimali	Member, Bar Council of India, (Nominee, Chairman, Bar Council of India)
14. Sh. Ajay Kochhar	Chairman, Bar Council of Himachal Pradesh
15. Prof. I.P. Massey	Dean, Faculty of Law National Law University, Jodhpur (Rajasthan)
16. Prof. Virendra Kumar	Former Director, Judicial Academy Chandigarh
17. Prof. R.D. Sharma	Former Vice Chancellor, Noida International University
18. Prof. Ranbir Singh	Former Vice Chancellor, National Law University, Delhi
19. Prof. S.M. Afzal Qadri	Former Dean and Head, Faculty of Law, University of Kashmir, Srinagar
20. Prof. Sikander Kumar	Vice-Chancellor, Himachal Pradesh University, Shimla
21. Prof. Parvinder Kaushal	Vice-Chancellor, Dr. Y. S. Parmar University of Horticulture & Forestry
22. Prof. S.S. Jaswal	Registrar, H.P. National Law University, Shimla

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EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

NAME	DESIGNATION
1. Prof. Nishtha Jaswal	<i>Vice-Chancellor, H.P National Law University, Shimla</i>
2. Sh. Ashok Sharma	<i>Advocate General of H.P.</i>
3.	<i>The Chief Secretary to the Government or an officer not below the rank of the Secretary to the Government, to be nominated by him.</i>
4.	<i>Secretary, (Finance). Government of Himachal Pradesh</i>
5.	<i>Secretary, (Higher Education), Government of Himachal Pradesh</i>
6.	<i>LR-Cum Secretary (Law), Government of Himachal Pradesh</i>
7.	<i>Secretary (Home) to the Government</i>
8. Prof. Ranbir Singh	<i>Former Vice-Chancellor, National Law University, Delhi</i>
9. Prof. Parmjit Singh Jaswal	<i>Vice-Chancellor, SRM, University, Sonipat</i>
10. Prof. Vijender Kumar	<i>Vice-Chancellor, Maharashtra National Law University, Nagpur</i>
11. Prof. Makarand R. Paranjape	<i>Director, Indian Institute Of Advanced Study, Shimla</i>
12. Sh. Ajay Kochhar	<i>Chairman, Bar Council of Himachal Pradesh</i>
13. Prof. Ajay Ranga	<i>Professor, H.P. National Law University, Shimla, Himachal Pradesh</i>
14. Dr. Ruchi Sapahia	<i>Associate Professor, H.P. National Law University, Shimla, Himachal Pradesh</i>
15. Prof. S.S. Jaswal	<i>Registrar, H.P. National Law University, Shimla, Himachal Pradesh</i>

SAMADHAN COMMITTEE

NAME	DESIGNATION
1. Prof. Nishtha Jaswal	Vice-Chancellor, Himachal Pradesh National Law University, Shimla
4. Prof. Ranbir Singh	Former Vice-Chancellor, National Law University, Delhi
3. Prof. Manoj Kumar Sinha	Director, Indian Law Institute, New Delhi
4. Prof. S.S. Jaswal	Registrar, H.P. National Law University, Shimla

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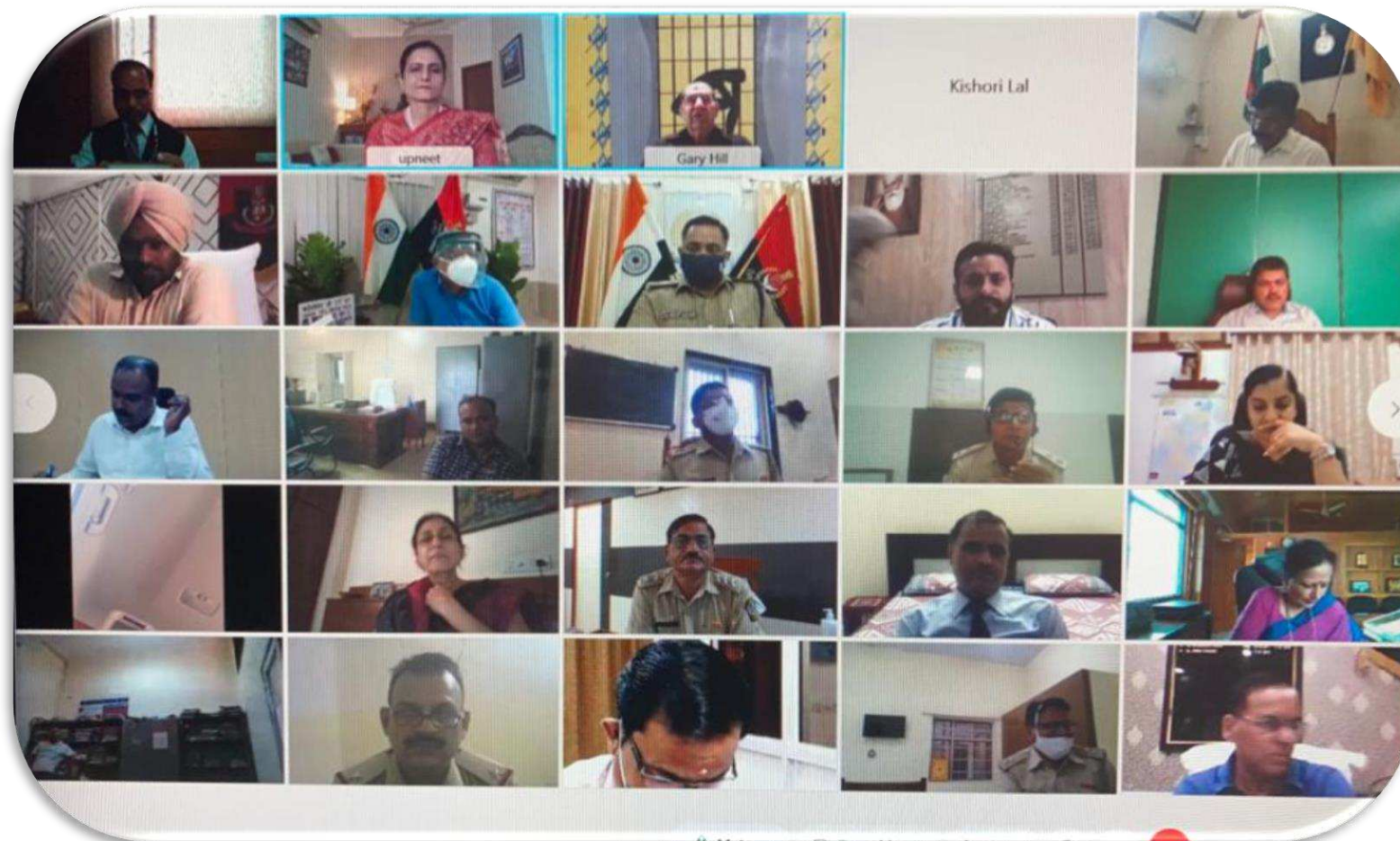
ACADEMIC COUNCIL

NAME	DESIGNATION
1. Prof. Nishtha Jaswal	<i>Vice-Chancellor, H.P National Law University, Shimla, Himachal Pradesh</i>
2. Prof. P.S. Jaswal	<i>Vice-Chancellor, SRM, University Sonipat</i>
3. Prof. V. Vijay Kumar	<i>Director, National Law Institute University, Bhopal</i>
4. Prof. K.P.S. Mahalwar	<i>Chair Professor, Professional Ethics, National Law University, Delhi.</i>
5. Prof. Raghuvinder Singh	<i>Dean, Faculty of Law, Himachal Pradesh University, Shimla</i>
6. Sh. Desh Raj Sharma	<i>Member, Bar Council of India</i>
7. Prof. Ajay Ranga	<i>Professor, Himachal Pradesh National Law University, Shimla</i>
8. Dr Chanchal Kumar Singh	<i>Associate Professor, Himachal Pradesh National Law University, Shimla</i>
9. Dr. Santosh Kumar Sharma	<i>Assistant Professor, Himachal Pradesh National Law University, Shimla</i>
10. Sh. I.N. Mehta	<i>Member, Bar Council of Himachal Pradesh</i>
11. Prof. S.S. Jaswal	<i>Registrar, Himachal Pradesh National Law University, Shimla</i>

FINANCE COMMITTEE

NAME	DESIGNATION
1. Prof. Nishtha Jaswal	Vice-Chancellor, Himachal Pradesh National Law University, Shimla
2.	The Secretary (Finance) to the Government
3. Sh. Rajeev Bhardwaj	LR-Cum Secretary (Law), Government of Himachal Pradesh
4. Sh. Ajay Kochhar	Chairman, Bar Council of Himachal Pradesh
5. Prof. Ranbir Singh	Former Vice-Chancellor, National Law University, Delhi
6. sProf. S.S. Jaswal	Registrar, H.P. National Law University, Shimla

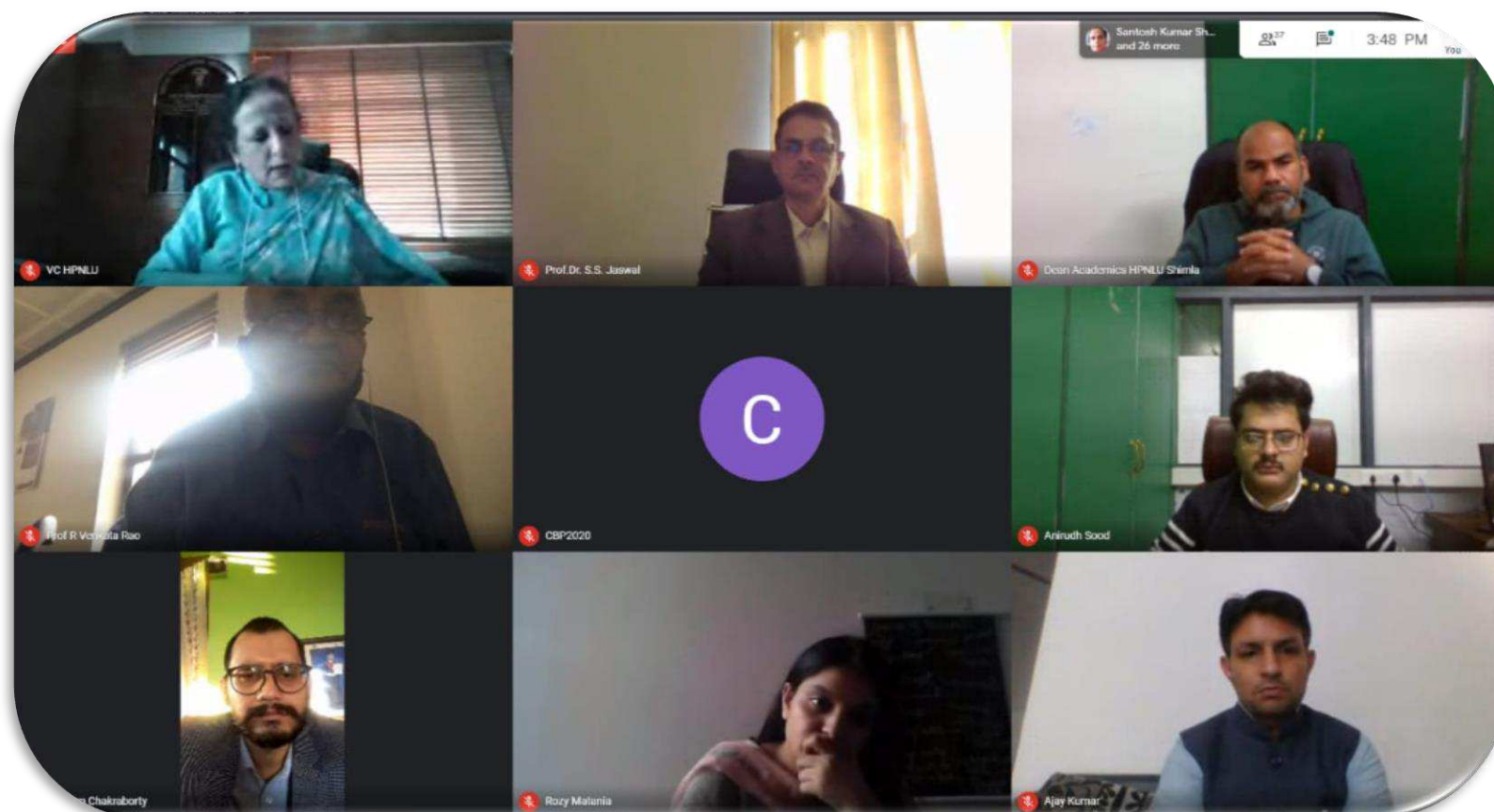
SPECIAL LECTURES



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- The Colloquium was organized on 'Quintessential of Securing Women's rights in the Changing World: Exploring the Judicial Approach' by The Centre for Child and Woman Studies, Himachal Pradesh National Law University, Shimla on the 25th July, 2020.
- The Colloquium was organized on "Law of Sedition in India vis-a vis Freedom of Speech and Expression", with the prime objective of rekindling the debate on Sedition on the 29th July, 2020.
- The Colloquium was organized on "Fundamental Duty to develop Scientific Temper Humanism, Spirit of Enquiry and Reform" to celebrate the 8th Fundamental Duty under the Article 51A (h) on the 5th August, 2020.
- The Colloquium was organised on "Human Rights and Covid-19" by the Centre for Human Rights, Himachal Pradesh National Law University, Shimla on the 24th August 2020.
- A Two day webinar was organised on "Reproductive Rights of Women in the Changing World: Expressing Autonomy of Choice" by the Centre for Child and Woman Studies, Himachal Pradesh National Law University, Shimla from 29th -30th August, 2020.
- The Colloquium on "Fundamental Duties" was organized to commemorate 70 years of the adoption of the Constitution of India on the 9th September, 2020.
- A special event was organized on the occasion of "Hindi Diwas", on the 14th September, 2020.
- The Colloquium was organised to commemorate the seventieth year of the adoption of the Constitution of India and with special reference to the significance of Article 51-A of Constitution of India on the 25th September, 2020.
- An e-Colloquium was organised on "Spirit of Harmony and Brotherhood" to commemorate the 70th year of the Constitution of India on the 26th September, 2020.
- A Virtual Environment conclave was organised by the Centre for Environment and Disaster Management of the Himachal Pradesh National Law University, Shimla on the 13th October 2020.
- A twelve-day online Capacity Building Programme was organized on "Legal Research Methodology, Research and Publications Ethics" from the 16th -28th October, 2020.
- A week long University Students' Orientation Programme: AAROHAN 2020 was organised from 19th -27th October, 2020.
- A Special lecture on "Inclusivity of LGBTQIA Community" was delivered by Prof. (Dr.) Kamaljit Kaur, Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law, Patiala on the 2nd November, 2020.
- A Special Lecture on "Alternative Dispute Resolution" was delivered by Dr. P.C. Markanda, Senior Advocate, Supreme Court of India on the 18th, 19th & 25th of November, 2020 for students of final year of BALL.B (Hons).
- A Special Lecture on "Public Accountability" was delivered by Professor Nishtha Jaswal, Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, Himachal Pradesh National Law University, Shimla on the 23rd November, 2020 for the students of LL.M. Ph.D and Faculty members.
- A Special Event was organized to celebrate the Law Day on the 26th November, 2020.
- A Special Lecture on "Law Drafting, Pleading and Conveyancing" was delivered by Mr. Amar Vivek, Senior Advocate, Supreme Court of India and Punjab and Haryana High Court on the 2nd & 3rd December, 2020.
- A Special Lecture on "Freedom of Speech and Expression" was delivered by Professor Nishtha Jaswal, Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, Himachal Pradesh National Law University, Shimla on the 4th December, 2020 for the students of LL.M., Ph.D and Faculty members.

SPECIAL LECTURES



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- A one day Workshop was organised on “Rural Management” in collaboration with the Mahatma Gandhi National Council of Rural Education (MGNCRE), Department of Higher education, Ministry of Education, Govt. of India, on the 8th December, 2020.
- A seminar was organized on “Implementation of Bangkok Rules in Indian Prison System” in collaboration with Institute of Correctional Administration, Chandigarh, to mark the International Human Rights Day by the Centre of Human Rights on the 10th December, 2020.
- One day National Conference was organized on “Right to Education & National Education Policy-2020” on the 26th December, 2020.
- A Special Lecture on "Right to Privacy" was delivered by Professor Nishtha Jaswal, Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, HPNLU, Shimla on the 5th January, 2021.
- The Campus Mentoring Cell organized a Student-led group discussion on “The Meanings of Being a Young Indian: Roles and Responsibilities” to mark the National Youth day on the 12th January, 2021.
- A Special Lecture on “Application of SPSS in Data Analysis” was delivered by Dr. Kamal Kishore, Assistant Professor, Department of Biostatistics, PGIMER, Chandigarh on the 16th, 17th & 23rd January, 2021.
- The Campus Mentoring Cell organized a day-long online Acupressure Session on the 23rd January, 2021.
- The Campus Mentoring Cell organized a special lecture on “Shahadat ka Hausla aur Mera Desh (The spirit of martyrdom and my country)” to mark National Martyr’s Day on the 30th January, 2021.
- A Special Lecture on “Sociology of Contemporary India” was delivered by Dr. Amita Sharma, Army Institute of Law, Mohalli, from the 1st & 3rd March, 2021 for the students of B.A.L.L.B.
- A Special Lecture on "Sociology of Contemporary India" was delivered by Prof. Sanjay Singh, RMNLU, Lucknow on 9th & 10th March 2021.
- A Special Lecture on "Sociology of Contemporary India" was delivered by Dr. Atul Pandey, NLIU, Bhopal on 22nd & 24th March, 2021 for the students of LL.M.
- A virtual seven day long Faculty Development Programme was organised on “Human Rights in Contemporary India: Issues and Challenges” from 5th -11th April, 2021 by the Centre of Human Rights.
- A Special Lecture on "Rule Making Power Doctrine of Pleasure and Safeguards to Civil Servants under Article 309-311 of the Constitution of India” was delivered by Professor Nishtha Jaswal, Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, HPNLU, Shimla on the 17th April, 2021.
- A Special Lecture on "Restore Our Earth" on World Earth Day was delivered by Dr. Chandreshwari Minhas and Mr. Anirudh Sood on the 22nd April, 2021.
- Two Special lectures on “Criminal and Correctional Psychology” were delivered by Dr. Upneet Lalli on 8th & 15th May, 2021.
- A Special Lecture on “Sustainable Development” to celebrate World Environment Day was delivered by Prof (Dr.) P.S Jaswal, Vice Chancellor of SRM University Delhi-NCR, Sonapat, Haryana on the 5th June, 2021.
- The Campus Mentoring Cell organized a session on “Yoga and Breathing Kriyas” with the aim of celebrating International Yoga Day on the 21st June, 2021.

LIBRARY

HPNLU Library functions as the primary Information Resource Centre and Repository of printed and Electronic Resources to fulfill the teaching and research activities at the University. The Library has a collection of 6800 books and 25 Periodicals in the field of Law, Economics, Political Science, Management, Sociology, Psychology etc.

The Periodical section includes the Supreme Court Case, All India Reporter, Criminal Law Journal, Harvard Law Review, and Judgement Today. Columbia Law Review, Contribution to Indian Sociology, International Journal of Constitutional Law, Oxford Journal of Legal Studies, The American Journal of Comparative Law, The British Yearbook of International Law, Journal of Intellectual Property Rights, Himachal Law Reporter, and the Cambridge Law Journal.

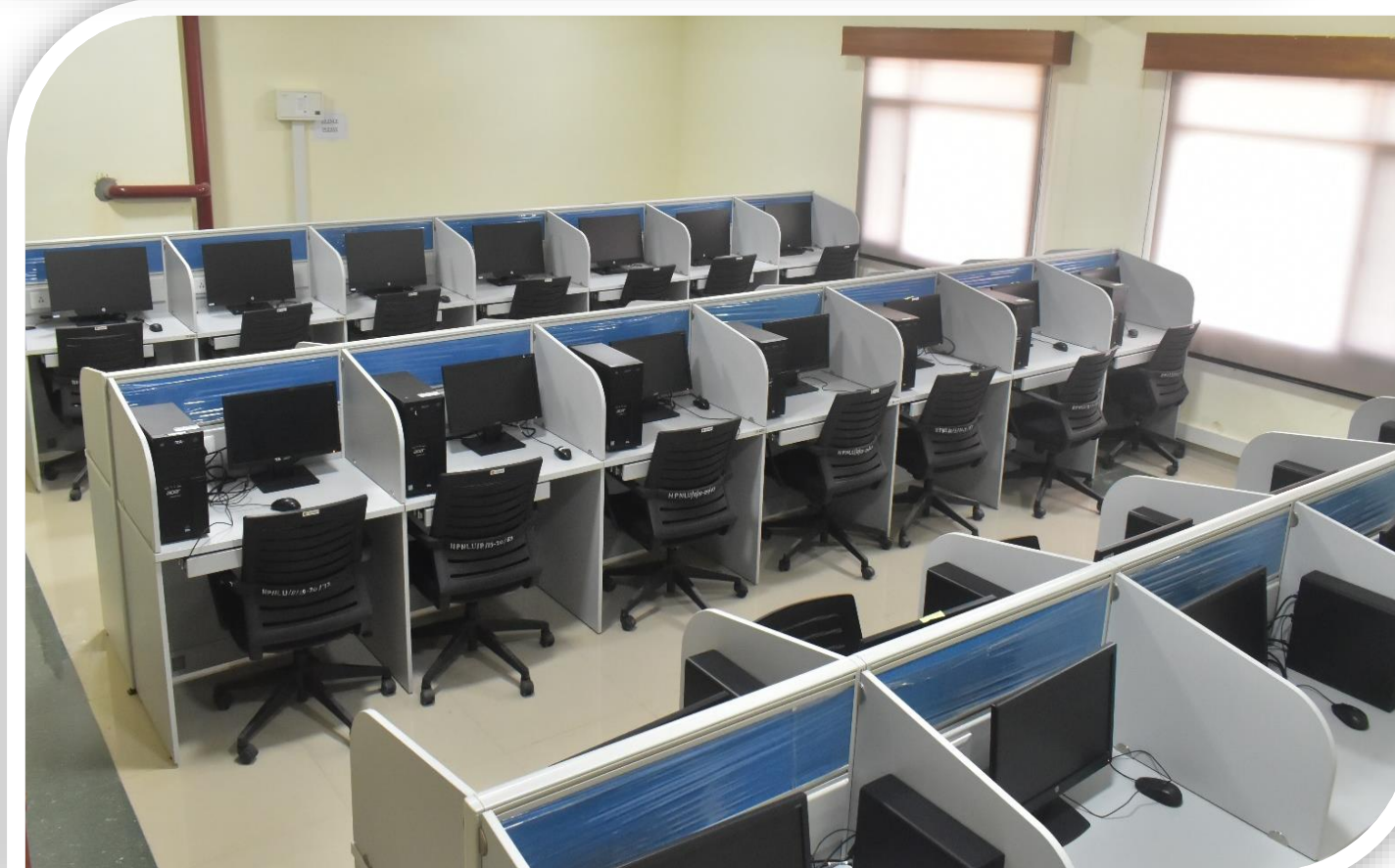
The Reference section includes the Law Reports, Bare Acts, Commentaries, Proceedings, Legislative & constitutional material, Encyclopedias, and Dictionaries etc.

The library is facilitating access to e-Resources namely: WestLaw, Hein Online, Manupatra, Scc Online, and LexisNexis, JSTOR and Economic & Political Weekly (EPW), which are accessible anywhere (within campus as well as outside the campus also) on any electronic platform.

The library operations are automated using 'KOHA' Library Management Software. The Online Public Access Catalogue (OPAC) which is on public domain enables users to search documents in possession of the library. It helps the users to search documents from the library holding, and guides them to its location on stacks.



LIBRARY



FACULTY MEMBERS-PROFESSORS



Prof. S. S. Jaswal
Professor of Law

Prof. (Dr.) S.S. Jaswal, is LL.M. Ph.D., Post Graduate Diploma in Personal Management and Labour Welfare from Himachal Pradesh University, Shimla. Joined the Indian Law Institute, New Delhi as Assistant Research Professor in 19th March 2002.

He was appointed as Professor of Law in Mody University of Science and Technology, Lakshmangarh, Sikar, Rajasthan and joined there on 1st February 2014 and served there till the appointment of first Registrar of the Himachal Pradesh National Law University, Shimla. He joined Himachal Pradesh National Law University, Shimla on 19th September, 2016 as Registrar.

He is having more than twenty years of research and teaching experience. His area of interest is Constitutional Law and Human Rights. He has been supervising LL.M and Ph. D scholars for their dissertation. He is author of books such as Child Labour and the Law, Reservation Policy and the Law, Human Rights: International Perspective, Human Rights and Media, Human Rights, Media Laws and Ethics, Education at Your Doorstep: Philosophical Foundation of Education and contributed chapters/ units for several books. He has also assisted in preparation of books, Treatise on Consumer Protection (2004) and Legislative Drafting-Shaping the Law for the New Millennium, (2007), published by The Indian Law Institute, New Delhi. He has also written more than sixty research papers on wide range of subjects in leading law journals and participated in various National and International Seminar/ Conferences/ Colloquium.

He has been Coordinator/ Co-coordinator/ Convener of various Training Programme/ Refresher Course/ Colloquium/ Seminars/ Conferences/ Diploma Programme etc. He is life member of Indian Law Institute, New Delhi and member of various committees of universities and government bodies; such as Academic Council, Board of Studies, Peer Reviews Board, Editorial Committee, Board of Advisors, Evaluation Committee, Ministry of Law & Justice, Government of India, Legislative Department, Vidhi Sahitya Prakashan, New Delhi etc.

Projects: He has completed research projects such as 'Study of Local Laws of Scheduled States to bring it in Conformity with the Provisions of Panchayat (Extension to Scheduled Areas) Acts, 1996', 'Judiciary and the Evaluation of Panchayati Raj Jurisprudence: 1995-2000', 'A Study of Case Law', 'Study of Central Laws Relating to Scheduled Areas With a View to Harmonize their Provisions with the Aims and Objectives of Panchayat (Extension to Scheduled Areas) Acts, 1996' sponsored by the Ministry of Panchayati Raj, Government of India, Pendency of Criminal Cases, and Digest of Judicial Pronouncements Relating to Centre-State Relations (Post Sarkaria Commission on Centre-State Relations) from 1988-2009.

FACULTY MEMBERS- PROFESSORS



Prof. Ajay Ranga
Professor of Law

Professor Ajay Ranga did his school education from Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya Khunga Kothi, Jind, Haryana, India. He completed his B.A. (Law) LL.B. from Department of Law, Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra, India and LL.M., Ph.D. from Department of Laws, Panjab University, Chandigarh, India. Prior to joining HPNLU, Shimla, he was working as Associate Professor (Law), University Institute of Legal Studies, Panjab University, Chandigarh (India). He teaches Criminal Law, Jurisprudence, Right to Information Law, Law and Justice in Globalising World and Forensic Science. Professor Ranga has presented sixty research papers in different international, national and regional seminar/conference etc. He has published thirty research papers in different research journals of national and international repute with high impact factor. His one book on the title "Crime Escalation and Slum Development" has been published with an International Publisher. Many research scholars have done Ph.D. and LL.M. research work under his supervision. Presently, many are pursuing their research work under his supervision. He has been invited number of times and participated as panelist in Prime Debates on different TV News Channels/National & International Conference etc.

He has been 'Fellow' (Senator) of Panjab University, Chandigarh (2012-2016 Nominated by Hon'ble Vice-President of India and 2016-2020 Elected from Teachers Constituency, Panjab University, Chandigarh). He is former Member Syndicate, Academic Council, Board of Finance, Panjab University, Chandigarh and Member Board of Studies, University Institute of Legal Studies & Department of Laws, P.U. Chandigarh.

He was member of the selection committee for selection of coaching institutions for grant of central assistance for imparting free coaching to the students belonging to SC/OBC under the Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment, Government of India. He has been member of different selection committees for the selection of Assistant Professor/ Associate Professor/Professors etc. in university and colleges. He has been member of editorial board and member advisory board, of many reputed research journals. He is subject expert on the Penal of Bar Council of India (BCI) for granting approval to Law Department/Colleges/ Institutes etc. in India.

Being a sports person he is National President, General Secretary of World Sport Federation 'Drop Roball'. He is also State President, Chandigarh of many other popular games.

FACULTY MEMBERS- ASSOCIATE PROFESSORS



Dr. Girjesh Shukla
Associate Professor of Law

Dr. Girjesh Shukla is working as Associate Professor at Himachal Pradesh National Law University, Shimla. He has previously served Campus Law Centre, University of Delhi; National University of Study & Research in Law, Ranchi; Symbiosis Law School NOIDA, and Vivekananda Law School Delhi. He has been a Visiting Faculty at Jharkhand Judicial Academy Ranchi, HP. Judicial Academy Shimla, Police Training Centre, New Delhi and many other Universities. He is also Member of IUCN-World Commission on Environmental Law. Dr. Shukla has completed his LL.B. from University of Allahabad, and LL.M. and Ph.D. from Faculty of Law, University of Delhi. Qualified UGC-NET in December 2005 and has more than 14 Years of Teaching and Research Experience. Has published more than 30 research papers at International & National journals, and also completed UGC Minor Research Project entitled “Compensation to Victim and Judicial Mechanism: An Alternative Approach for Access to Justice 2017”. He has authored 7 books including CRIMINOLOGY (LexisNexis); TAX LAW-I&II (LexisNexis); HANDBOOK ON CRIMINAL PROCEDURE (Gogia Pub. Hyderabad). Dr. Shukla has also worked as Researcher for Supreme Court of India on Project “Supreme Court Re-statement of Law-Public Interest Litigation”.



Dr. Ruchi Sapahia
Associate Professor of Law

Dr. Ruchi Sapahia (Associate Professor of Law) has done B.A.LL.B (Army Institute of Law, Mohali, Punjab-1999-2004); LL.M. (Punjabi University, Patiala, Punjab-2004-2006); Ph.D. (Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra, Haryana-2011-2015); PGDCJ (IGNOU)-2018; UGC-NET-December, 2005. Dr. Ruchi Sapahia taught in Punjab College of Law, Punjab; Regional Centre, Dharamshala, H.P. and Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law, Patiala, Punjab before joining Himachal Pradesh National Law University, Shimla. Dr. Ruchi Sapahia has delivered lectures at H.P Judicial Academy, H.P and Jail Training School, Punjab, etc. She has set and evaluated papers of Judiciary and is associated with a Public Service Commission. She has more than 20 research paper publications (National and International) to her credit. She has participated and presented more than 55 research papers at National and International Seminars, Conferences etc. She has chaired and co-chaired many sessions at National and International Seminars and Conferences. She has been a mountaineer, swimmer and a sports person during her School, College and University time. She has also cleared the Army SSB (JAG Branch). She is currently the member of Executive Council & Covid -19 Cell. She has organized many events under the Centre for Human Rights as its Director. She has also hosted multiple University events in which Honourable Judges of the High Court of Himachal Pradesh and Supreme Court were the guests. She has been the member of Academic council as well in the past.

Area of Interest- Criminal Law and Civil Law

FACULTY MEMBERS- ASSOCIATE PROFESSORS



Dr. Alok Kumar
Associate Professor of Law

Dr. Alok Kumar is a graduate in Economics (Hon); did his gradation, post-graduation And doctorate in Law from the University of Delhi. Prior to joining HPNLU, Shimla, he has taught at the Faculty of Law, University of Delhi for five year. He teaches Administrative law, legal System, and Commercial Laws. He has delivered lectures/talks at various institutions such as NACEN, Faridabad, GAIL India Ltd and International Centre for ADR, Vasantunj, Delhi and Himachal Pradesh Judicial Academy; presented papers in several national and international seminars/conferences organized in India; published research articles/papers in reputed law journals including the Journal of Indian law institute; Journals Published by the University of Delhi. Projects: Dr. Alok has been associated with the Indian Council of Social Science Research on a project on “Impact of Microfinance on the Empowerment of Tribal women in Himachal Pradesh” and Content writer of the PG-E_Pathsala Project [An MHRD Project under its National Mission on Education Through ICT 9NME-ICT) (2014-2015)], <http://epgp.inflibnet.ac.in/search.php>. Area of Interest: His area of interests and research range over Tribunals, Commercial Laws and Child Rights.



Dr. Chanchal Kumar Singh
Associate Professor of Law

Dr. Chanchal Kumar Singh is a graduate in Political Science (Hons.) from BRA Bihar University, Muzaffarpur, Bihar (India), LL.B., LL.M. from the University of Delhi (India), and Ph.D. from the same University. Prior to joining HPNLU, Shimla, he has taught at the Faculty of Law, University of Delhi for nine years. He teaches Constitutional Law, Legal Philosophy, Comparative Public Law, Law and Justice in a Globalising World, Administrative law, Legal Systems, and Judicial Process and Administration. Dr. Singh has 11 Years of full time teaching and research experience (on an average, 16-18 hours of teaching and about 24 hours of research, Per Week). Dr. Singh has supervised 13 LL.M. dissertations in addition to guiding LL.B. students in respect of their project works, seminar, and writing of research papers. He has delivered lectures/talks at various institutions such as Directorate of Training (UTCS)-Delhi, NACEN-Faridabad, colleges of Delhi University, Training Program(s) organized by the National Commission for Women; presented papers in several national and international seminars/conferences; published research articles/papers in reputed law journals including the Journal of Indian law institute; Journals published by the University of Delhi. He is the founder editor of *Shimla Law Review- SLR, (ISSN-25821903)* and *HPNLU Law Journal (ISSN: 2582-8533)* published by Himachal Pradesh National Law University, Shimla. Previously, he has been editor of the *Journal of Law Teachers of India -JOLTI (ISSN 2231-1580)* published by Law Centre-I, Faculty of Law, University of Delhi.

Projects: Dr. Singh has been associated with the Supreme Court Project on ‘Restatement of the Indian Laws’, *Public Interest Litigation* (2009-2011) occasioning publication of a book with identical title, by the Indian Law Institute; and Co-ordinator of the paper on ‘Judicial Process and Administration’ of the PG-E-Pathsala Project [An MHRD Project under its National Mission on Education through ICT (NME-ICT) (2014-2015)], ensuing into creation of twenty-one modules on the subject, accessible at: <http://epgp.inflibnet.ac.in/search.php>. Presently, Dr. Singh is the principal Investigator of the project: *Socio-Economic Rights and Building & Construction Workers: A Study of Implementation of Laws and Rules in the State of Himachal Pradesh* (2020-2021) established by the Centre for Comparative Public Law (CCPL), and sponsored by the HPNLU, Shimla. He is co-director of the two Weeks capacity development programme (CBP) that is being organised by CCPL, in July 2021, and funded by the Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR), New Delhi. The topic of the CBP is ‘Comparative Public Law and Hindu Philosophy: Research and Teaching Dimensions in 21st Century India’.

Area of Interests: - His area of interests and research range over Constitutional Law, Legal Philosophy, Comparative Public Law, Law and Justice in a Globalising World, Administrative law, Legal Systems, and Judicial Process and Administration. Constitutional law theory, philosophical and historical investigation into the fundamental conceptions in law: State Property and society, liberty, equality, and Access to Justice in ancient India, with the long-term academic ambition of pursuing studies in indigenous legal theory and traditions of legal Knowledge.

FACULTY MEMBERS- ASSISTANT PROFESSORS



Dr. Santosh Kumar Sharma
Assistant Professor of Law

Dr. Santosh Kumar Sharma did his graduation in Political Science and History from K.G.K.College, Moradabad. He completed his LL.B. from Bareilly College, Bareilly, 2004; LL.M. from M.J.P. Rohilkhand University Campus, Bareilly, 2006. He is pursuing his Ph.D. from the Faculty of Law, University of Delhi. Before joining HPNLU, Shimla, he worked as Assistant Professor at the Faculty of Law, University of Delhi for six years. He has also taught at Law College Dehradun and Invertis University, Bareilly. He has taught several subjects including Constitutional Law, Law of Crimes and the Code of Criminal Procedure, IPR, Labour Laws, Indian Legal System, Environmental Law, Pleadings and Conveyancing. Mr. Sharma had a brief stint of law practice at lower courts and High Court of Punjab and Haryana, Chandigarh. He has delivered lecture to the batch of trainees at IIPA, New Delhi. He has presented papers on Environmental Law, Senior Citizens, Road Space Rationing and Sedition, in various national and international seminars. He has chaired a Session of Elderly People in India, at International Congress organized by International Society of Criminology at Jindal Global University, 2016. He has organized many moot court competitions at national level. Mr. Sharma has keen interests in Constitutional Law, Laws relating to Senior Citizens, Criminal Law and Criminal Justice System, Marginalized people and their problems, Environmental Law and its role in social Justice.



Dr. Chandreshwari Minhas
Assistant Professor of Law

Dr. Chandreshwari Minhas did her LL.B, LL.M. and PhD from Punjab University, Chandigarh. Her area of specialization is Environmental Law in LL.M. as well as in PhD. She has over 12 years of teaching and research experience. Before joining HPNLU, Shimla she served in Rayat College of Law, Rajasthan, Gujarat National Law University and Amity Law School Delhi (Indraprastha University, New Delhi). Her research area is Environmental Law, Public International Law & Health Law. She has published research papers in diverse fields in National and International Journals and also contributed Chapters in edited books and presented papers in various national and international Conferences. Dr. Chandreshwari Minhas has been the Convener of the Legal Awareness Programme: **Nari Uthan Vikas Ka Parman: A Legal Awareness Programme funded by National Commission for Women, New Delhi held in November, 2015** for the state of Himachal Pradesh. She also delivered lectures on training programmes and Induction Training Programmes for Addl. District and Session Judges in H.P Judicial Academy. Dr. Chandreshwari Minhas guided post graduate research students and also supervising PhD researchers. She also chaired sessions in International and National Conference. She organized Intra Moot Court Competitions, delivered lecture in the moot court workshop, Faculty Convener of the Virtual National Moot Court Competition organized by HPNLU, Shimla. She is among the organizing member of the various national and international conferences conducted and coordinated client counselling workshop. She is also the coordinator of Centre of Environment and Disaster Management of HPNLU, Shimla, Convener of Mentoring and Counselling Cell of the University, member of Legal Aid Committee.

FACULTY MEMBERS- ASSISTANT PROFESSORS



Ms. Navditya Tanwar Kaundal
Assistant Professor of Law

Ms. Navditya Tanwar Kaundal holds a bachelor degree (Hons.) from Miranda House & LL.B. from Faculty of Law, University of Delhi. She has done her Post Graduate Diploma in Journalism & Mass Communication with A+ grade. Thereafter, she pursued her LL.M with specialisation in Criminal Law & Human Rights from the Indian Law Institute, New Delhi. She has been awarded Gold Medals for scoring highest marks in Criminal Law (Prof K.N.C Pillai Gold Medal) and for being the Best Researcher (Late Sh. M.K. Nambyar Gold Medal) in LL.M at Indian Law Institute. Her work profile includes the teaching experience of eight years as an Assistant Professor. She has taught at Law Centre-I, Faculty of Law, Delhi University for almost four years and also at Amity Law School, Delhi. She is the Director for Centre of Child & Woman Studies, HPUNLU, Shimla. She has authored various research papers and articles in the area of biomedical technology, environmental law and Human Rights. She is currently pursuing her Ph. D. research titled "Impact of Regulations related to Human Protection in Clinical Research of Pharmaceuticals" from Faculty of Law, Delhi University.



Dr. Hari Chand
Assistant Professor of Economics

Dr. Hari Chand has done M.A. (Economics 2nd in HPU), M.Phil. (Gold Medal), PGDPS (Gold Medal), B.Ed., Ph.D., NET and SET. Dr. Hari Chand, Assistant Professor, Himachal Pradesh National Law University, Shimla has completed his education from Himachal Pradesh University Shimla. He has done M.Phil. on the title "INTER TEMPORAL GROWTH OF EXPENDITURE AND HUMAN CAPITAL FORMATION IN INDIA" and Ph.D. on "AN ANALYSIS OF EXPENDITURE AND SOCIAL SECTOR DEVELOPMENT ACROSS VARIOUS STATES IN INDIA." He started his career from Central School for Tibetans, Chhota Shimla as Guest faculty in 2010-11. After that he moved to HPU Regional Centre Dharamshala in July 2012 where he taught PG Classes as Guest Faculty for one year. In July 2013 he joined DAV AVN School Darlaghat as PGT where he taught for more than three years. In October, 2016 he joined Himachal Pradesh National Law University, Shimla as founding faculty of this University. Though he has taught a variety of courses at both post-graduate as well as undergraduate levels, but the courses of Micro Economics, Macro Economics, Development and Planning, Industrial Economics, Economics of International Trade, Indian Economy, Public Finance, Mathematical Economics and Statistics have been the ones that he enjoys teaching the most. He has presented research papers in plenty of National and International Conferences and Seminars. He has also published research papers in several reputed journals. He has more than 9 years of teaching experience and has excelled throughout his academic and professional life. He is presently Nodal Officer for Scholarships, UGC, Bar Council, AIU, Coordinator SC/ST/OBC Welfare Cell, Liaison Officer for Welfare of OBCs. He is also member of Standing Technical Committee and Standing Admission Committee. Apart from this he is also coordinator of Centre for Law, Business and Economics.

FACULTY MEMBERS- ASSISTANT PROFESSORS



Dr. Ved Parkash Sharma
Assistant Professor, Political Science

Dr. Ved Parkash Sharma did his Ph.D in 2012 on 'Relevance of Nehru's Idea of World Peace in the Post-Cold War Era'. He remained Research Associate w.e.f. 2012 to 2014 on the project "Surviving a People and Culture: A Study of Beda Tribe in Ladakh'. He has been an ICSSR Post Doctoral Fellow and has worked on the project 'Articulating the Gujjar Identity in Himachal Pradesh: A Study in Continuity and Change'. He has thus far published 11 research papers and attended 10 national and international conferences. Before his current service, he also served as Assistant Professor in the Department of Political Science in H.P University Centre of Evening Studies for the last five years.



Dr. Ruchi Gupta
Assistant Professor of Law

Dr. Ruchi Gupta is a graduate from St. Bede's College Shimla H.P. She has done LL.B. and LL.M. from Himachal Pradesh University Shimla and has always been among toppers of the batch with good academic record throughout. Dr. Gupta has completed her Doctorate in law from Himachal Pradesh University, Shimla on the "Rights of Children with Special Needs". Before joining this institution, she was teaching as Assistant Professor in Law at University Institute of Legal Studies, Avalodge, Shimla. She has more than Ten years of teaching experience in law. She has to her credit various research papers published in National and International journals of repute and articles in books with ISBN number. She has also attended and presented Papers in National Seminars and International Conferences. Beside this, she has done research work on a project 'Women Laws in India' for a N.G.O, named Himalayan Development Society.

FACULTY MEMBERS- ASSISTANT PROFESSORS



Dr. Ambika
Assistant Professor of Law

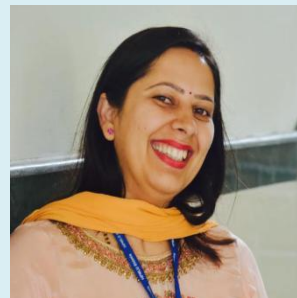
Dr. Ambika holds a teaching experience of ten years and has taught at various institutions like Department of Law, Himachal Pradesh Regional Centre, Dharamshala; L. R. Institute of Legal Studies, Solan; School of Law, Bahra University, Solan and Amity Law School, Noida. Dr. Ambika was also the Head of Department of Law at Bahra University. She has presented papers at National Seminars and conferences and attended National Workshops. She holds experience of organizing National Level Seminars and Conferences. Dr. Ambika has also been an active member of Board of Studies at Bahra University. She has published legal articles in National Journals.



Ms. Sarita
Assistant Professor of Law

Ms. Sarita is B.A. LL.B (Gold Medalist), and LL.M from Guru Nanak Dev University. She is pursuing her Ph.D from Panjab University Chandigarh. She has experience of teaching at Guru Nanak Dev University, Regional Campus, Jalandhar and at University Institute of Legal Studies, Panjab University Chandigarh. She has also to her credit many research papers published in National Journals. She also presented papers in various national and international conferences and seminars. Currently, she is member of journals, conference, seminar, workshops, cultural and newsletter committees. Ms. sarita has keen interests in Legal research Methodology, Procedural laws, Constitutional Law, Laws relating to Criminal Law and Criminal Justice System, Marginalized people and their problems and Media Laws.

FACULTY MEMBERS- ASSISTANT PROFESSORS



Dr. Deepika Gautam
Assistant Professor, Management

Dr. Deepika Gautam has been in the academic field for more than 9 years. Prior to joining Himachal Pradesh National Law University, Shimla, she has taught at St. Bede's College Shimla. Dr. Deepika has an excellent research experience and has to her credit two dozen research papers in reputed and referred National and International journals. She has authored books on Ethics and Corporate Social Responsibility (V.K Publications) and Industrial Relations (V.K Publications). Dr. Gautam has written various lesson plans for students of B.Com and M.Com of International Centre for Distance Education and Open Learning, Himachal Pradesh University, Shimla. She has represented in different national and international conferences and seminars and has attended numerous faculty development programs and workshops. She is also a member of board of studies and Life time member of All India Commerce Association and Indian Accounting Association. She is currently Director of the Centre for Human Resource Development and also a member of Covid -19 Cell.

Projects: She has successfully completed a MHRD project entitled, "e-PG Pathshala" funded by NME-ICT (Ministry of Human Resource and Development) in which she has written 23 Modules on Accounting and Financial Analysis.

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She has successfully completed Minor Research Project with a grant-in-aid of Rs. 2, 10,000/ on "Impact of Microfinance on the Empowerment of Tribal Women of Himachal Pradesh" funded by Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR), New Delhi. Recently, she has been Awarded Major Research Project with a grant-in-aid of Rs. 7, 30,000/ on "Impact of MGNREGA on Socio-economic Conditions of Tribal People of Himachal Pradesh" by Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR), New Delhi.



Ms. Esha Sharma Bhagra
Assistant Professor, Management

Ms. Esha Sharma Bhagra currently Assistant Professor (Management) in HPNLU, is pursuing her Doctorate in the field of Human Resource Management from Himachal Pradesh University (H.P.U), Shimla. She qualified UGC NET-JRF in 2012 and is a scholarship holder. A graduate in Engineering (Electronics and Communication), has done her Masters in Business Administration (MBA) with specialization in Human Resource and Finance from Himachal Pradesh University Business School (HPUBS), Shimla and was among the toppers of her batch. Ms. Esha has an academic experience of more than 4 years and she started her career in teaching as Assistant Professor in department of Management in Bells Institute of Management & Technology, Knowledge City, Mehli, post which she joined as Research Scholar in HPUBS, Shimla. In addition to this she has also been visiting as guest faculty (Management) at ICDEOL, H.P.U, Shimla. Her areas of interest and expertise are Human Resource Management (HRM), International Human Resource Management (IHRM), Organization Behaviour and Industrial Psychology, Industrial and Human Relations, Strategic Management & Analysis, Ethics and Values and Financial Management. She is also an active publisher rolling out various publications spanning across topics like Corporate Governance, Corporate Social Responsibility, Tourism in Globalized Regime, Stress Management in reputed National and International Books/Journals and has attended and presented papers in various National/International Conferences and Workshops.

FACULTY MEMBERS- ASSISTANT PROFESSORS



Dr. Praveen Kumar
Assistant Professor, Management

Dr. Praveen Kumar has done his graduation in Biotechnology (Hons.) from Guru Nanak Dev University Amritsar (Punjab). He did his M.B.A from H.P. University Business School (HPUBS), Himachal Pradesh University in 2008 with specialization in Marketing & HR. He started his teaching career from National Institute of Technology Hamirpur, Himachal Pradesh as lecturer in department Of Humanities & Management in 2011. Later he joined Dr. B.R.Ambedkar National Institute of Technology, Jalandhar, Punjab, Department of Humanities & Management, as Assistant professor. He is pursuing Ph.D. in the field of Marketing from HPUBS, Himachal Pradesh University, Shimla. He has written papers on Cross border E- Commerce, Brand Management, Work Place Spirituality, Counterproductive Work Behaviors, Advertising. He has attended several National & International conferences and has presented research papers. Besides his research work he has been guest faculty to Department of Journalism & Mass Communication, ICEDOL Himachal Pradesh University, Shimla. His areas of interests are Quantitative Research Methods, Statistics and Marketing Research.



Mr. Digvijay Singh Katoch
Assistant Professor, Management

Mr. Digvijay Singh Katoch holds a B.A.LL.B. degree from University of Jammu (2002-2007), and MBA (Finance) and LL.M degree from National Law University, Jodhpur (2009-2012) where he specialized in corporate finance, marketing and corporate laws. He has qualified UGC NET in both the disciplines of Management and Law. He has more than 3 years of experience of working in the banking sector where he joined as a probationary officer. He has to his credit many papers published in National and International Journals. He has also presented papers in various National Conferences and Seminars.

FACULTY MEMBERS- ASSISTANT PROFESSORS



Dr. Honey Kumar
Assistant Professor, Sociology

Dr. Honey Kumar is Assistant Professor of Sociology at HPNLU, Shimla. Before joining this institution, he was teaching as Assistant Professor in Sociology at Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law Punjab. He has completed his Masters and Doctoral Research in Sociology from Punjabi University Patiala and cleared UGC NET in sociology many times. In academic career, he has more than six years of teaching and two years of research experience. He has a keen interest in Sociology of Gender, Sociology of Law, Sociology of Alcoholism and Drug Abuse, Sociological Theories and Sociological Research. He has to his credit many research papers published in UGC CARE, NAAS, international and national journals. He has edited four books and also written lessons for distance education departments of various institutions. He has also participated in workshops and presented papers in several national and international conferences. Besides this, he has also organized conferences and workshops sponsored by various research agencies and has been a member of editorial board of different journals. He has chaired and co-chaired many sessions at National and International seminars and conferences. He also holds a life membership of various sociology organizations.

FACULTY MEMBERS- ASSISTANT PROFESSORS



Dr. Ruchi Raj Thakur
Assistant Professor, English

Dr. Ruchi Raj Thakur has a teaching experience of more than ten years. She is a former student of Himachal Pradesh University, Shimla from where she pursued M.A. English and M.Phil. Her M.Phil. is on the topic, "STORIES BY EXPATRIATE WOMEN WRITERS: PATTERNS OF ASSIMILATION AND ASSERTION, DISPLACEMENT AND OVERLAPPING PERSPECTIVES". Her Ph.D., also from Himachal Pradesh University, is on HISTORY, CULTURE AND SOCIAL COMMITMENT IN YASHPAL'S SELECTED WORKS. Diaspora, Expatriate Writings and social issues pertaining to the underprivileged, disregarded and oppressed sections of society have been her area of research. She is also exploring newly-founded synthesis of Literature and History, Literature and Law. She has to her credit many research papers published in National online and offline Journals. She has vehemently opposed certain social shenanigans by writing various chapters which have been published in various edited books. She has also presented papers in several national and international seminars/conferences organised in India. She also has a translated book titled Adivasi Abhiyukti: Woes of Adivasi, A long Expression of the Unacknowledged Tribal Existence. She has worked as Assistant Professor in the School of Basic Sciences and Language, Department of Communications Skills, at Bahra University where she taught at both undergraduate and postgraduate level for five years. At Bahra University, she got an opportunity to teach various subjects such as Communication Skills (MBA), Workshop on Business Communication (BBA), Technical English (B.PHARMA), CS/GD (BCA), English-I (BALLB), Technical Communication (B.TECH). She was a member of the Finishing School established by Bahra University with an objective to groom the overall personality of the students and to prepare them for job interviews. She has also worked as the Counsellor at IGNOU for FEG and MEG programs offered by from September 2010 to June 2012.

FACULTY-TEACHING ASSOCIATES



Mr. Aayush Raj
Teaching Associate

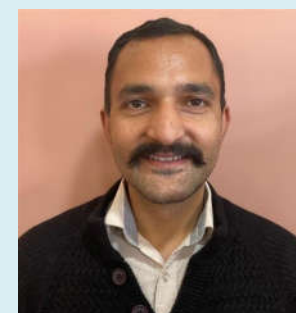
Mr. Aayush Raj holds a Masters in Law from Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai. Before joining the HPNLU, Aayush was working as a Technical Consultant to the Center for Child Rights, NUSRL, Ranchi. Prior to that, he was working with Confederation of Indian Industry as Research Associate at its Gurgaon Office. He was associated with the Global Siemens Integrity Initiative (SII) being driven by the Centre of Excellence for Sustainable Development (CESD) of CII in India. Under the SII, he has supported the team lead in formulating e-modules on topics of Anti-corruption mechanism and laws, Whistle-blower policy, public procurement in India and laws therein, etc. Aayush holds a bachelor's degree in Law from the National University of Study and Research in Law, Ranchi. He has experience in legal research and drafting of Public Interest Litigation matters in India. His areas of interest include constitutional governance, international law, the juvenile justice system, human rights, and interface of information technology law with human rights



Dr. Nutan Kanwar
Teaching Associate

Dr. Nutan Kanwar has done LL.B., LL.M. and Ph.D from Department of Laws, Himachal Pradesh University, Shimla. The topic of her doctoral research was "Law Relating To Drug Abuse In India: A Study With Special Reference to District Solan Of Himachal Pradesh". In addition to this she has also done pharmacy from Govt. Polytechnic College for women, Chandigarh. She was HPU Junior Research Fellowship holder and has qualified UGC -NET in 2011. She started her career from HPUIILS, Eva-lodge, Chaura Maidan, Shimla as guest faculty in 2012. She taught in that institution till 2017. After that she moved to department of law, Summerhill, HPU, Shimla in August 2017 where she taught PG classes as guest faculty till March, 2021. In the month of April, 2021, she joined Himachal Pradesh National Law University, Shimla as teaching associate. Though she has taught a variety of subjects at both post-graduate as well as undergraduate levels, but criminal law and civil law is her area of interest. She has more than eight years of teaching experience and have excelled throughout her academic and professional life. She has presented papers in various national and international conferences and seminars and participated in various workshops also. She has got many research papers and articles published in reputed journals. Live in relationship, freedom of press: issues in relation to media trial, changing dimension of status of women in light of judicial pronouncements, drug abuse and judicial roles etc. are few of the highlighting area of her published articles. She has also published a reference book on "Drug Abuse: Socio- Legal Perspective and judicial role in India. At present she is teaching criminal psychology and service law in National law university Shimla.

FACULTY- TEACHING ASSOCIATES



Mr. Rohit Sharma
Teaching Associate

Mr. Rohit Sharma passed out from Kullu Valley School (affiliated to ICSE Board Delhi) in the year 2003, and passed out 12th Standard from Govt. Senior Secondary School (Dhalpur) Kullu in Medical Stream. Passing out from Government Degree College Kullu and completion of BS.c (Medical stream) in the year 2008, he qualified the entrance exam and got admitted in Department of Laws, Himachal Pradesh University in the year 2008 and successfully completed my Bachelor's in law in the year 2011 (stood 2nd in V & VI semester). The area of Specialization being Environmental Law in his LL.M. he completed his Master's in the year 2013 from, Himachal Pradesh University. After qualifying UGC-NET in the Year 2012, he qualified UGC-JRF in the year 2015 and got enrolled in Ph.D program in Himachal Pradesh University. He holds a Gold Medal in Post Graduate Diploma in Tribal Studies for the year 2016. Having presented number of research papers in number of National and International conferences, and a chapter in book he has successfully submitted a research project as a Research Assistant in Institute of Tribal Studies to the Ministry of Tribal Affairs, on the Topic, "Implementation of Forest Rights Act, 2006 in District Lahaul Spiti, of Himachal Pradesh" in the year 2018. He hold NCC 'C' certificate in 'A' Grade in Senior wing NCC and stood as Senior underofficer (SUO) of the Unit during graduation in the year 2007-08 in college. He holds a Gold medal in Skeet Shooting competition in All India Vayu Sainik Camp, 2007 (National Level Camp) at Bangalore and at Pre Vayu Sainik Camp at Haryana. He joined the prestigious Institution, Himachal Pradesh National Law University as Teaching Associate & is teaching Jurisprudence and International Humanitarian and Refugee Law.



Dr. Arun Klair
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Dr. Arun Klair is working as Teaching Associate at HPNLU, Shimla. He did his Graduation, LL.B. and LL.M. from Guru Nanak Dev University. He qualified UGC-NET in 2014. Currently, he is pursuing his Ph.D. from Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar. He has teaching experience at Guru Nanak Dev University, Regional Campus, Jalandhar and Sant Baba Bhag Singh University, Jalandhar. He has also to his credit many research papers published in National Journals. He has also presented papers at various national and international conferences and seminars. He has keen interests in Consumer Laws, Railway Laws, Contract and Constitutional Law.

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Mr. Anirudh Sood
Research Associate

Mr. Anirudh Sood completed his BA.LL.B. (Hons.) from Himachal Pradesh University Institute of Legal Studies, Shimla wherein he topped in all 10 semesters of the said course as a result of which he was awarded with Himachal Pradesh University Junior Research Fellowship for LL.M. two year course. He was also awarded with Certificate of Merit by Centre for Post Graduate Studies, Himachal Pradesh University for having secured the First position. He qualified UGC-NET in law twice while pursuing LL.M. He was awarded three Gold medals for having topped the LL.M. Examination, with specialization in Criminal Law, including Lala Jai Lal Nagal Freedom Fighter Memorial Gold Medal for having secured highest marks in 4th Semester of the LL.M. Examination. He has been meritorious throughout his academic career till date. Apart from this, he has expertise in Legal Research and drafting Judgments in Civil, Criminal and Constitutional and Service matters for he has worked as Research Assistant under Hon'ble Mr Justice Sanjay Karol, the then Hon'ble Acting The Chief Justice, High Court of Himachal Pradesh till his Lordship's elevation and thereafter under Hon'ble Mr Justice Surya Kant, the then Hon'ble The Chief Justice of High Court of Himachal Pradesh till his Lordship's elevation. Thereafter he worked in the same capacity under Hon'ble Ms Justice Jyotsna Rewal Dua, Hon'ble Judge, High Court of Himachal Pradesh.



Mr. Tijinder Kumar Singh
Research Associate

Mr. Tijinder Kumar Singh is working with the Himachal Pradesh National University of Law, Shimla as a Research Associate. He completed his B. Com(H) from Zakir Husain College, Delhi University, and went for his LLB from Campus Law Centre, Delhi University. After that, he practiced for more than one year in various district courts in Delhi. He completed his LL.M from the Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law in the Business Law specialisation. His area of interest is Family Law, Competition Law, and Corporate law. He has a Post-Graduation Diploma in Company Laws and Management from Indian Law Institute, Delhi. He qualified UGC NET in law. He has more than 2 years of teaching experience to BA LLB & BBA LLB. Before HPNLU he was teaching in law college Affiliated to Guru Gobind Singh Indraprastha University, Delhi. He has attended three Faculty Development Program and one Capacity Building Program conducted by various reputed Law Colleges and Universities. He has presented a paper in one day International Seminar on "Protection of Child Rights & Law Relating to women Empowerment". He is pursuing his Ph.D. in Competition Law from HPNLU.

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COURSE STRUCTURE

Sr. No.	Course Code	1st Semester			Course Code	2nd Semester		
1.	LB-101	Law of Torts, MV Act & Consumer Protection Act			LB-201	Law of Contract-I (General Principles and Specific Relief Act)		
2.	LB-102	Legal Methods and Research Methodology (HP ² -1)			LB-202	Legislative Drafting (HP ² -2)		
3.	LB-103	English-I			LB-203	English-II		
4.	LB-104	Economics-I (Micro Economics)			LB-204	Economics-II (Macro Economics)		
5.	BL-101	Political Science - I (Political Theory)	BBL-101	Management Theory & Practice	BL-201	Political Science-II (State & Political Obligation)	BBL-201	Organizational Behavior & Behavioral Psychology
6.	BL-102	Sociology-I (Introductory Sociology)	BBL-102	Financial Accounting	BL-202	Sociology-II (Sociology of Contemporary India)	BBL-202	Audit Practice

Course Code		3rd Semester			Course Code	4th Semester			
B.A/B.B.A. LL.B.					B.A/B.B.A. LL.B.				
1.	LB-301	Constitutional Law-I			LB-401	Constitutional Law-II			
2.	LB-302	Law of Crimes-I (Indian Penal Code)			LB-402	Law of Crimes-II (Code of Criminal Procedure)			
3.	LB-303	Law of Contract-II (Special Contract)			LB-403	Administrative Law			
4.	LB-304	Economics-III (Economics of International Trade)			LB-404				
					LB-405				
5.	Course Code	B.A.LL.B.	Course Code	B.B.A. LL.B.	Students are required to choose one measure course out of the three related subjects they have studied in previous semesters. The Courses on major subject shall continue till 6thSemester i.e. each major course shall comprise of six papers respectively.				
	BL-301	Political Science-III (International Relations)	BBL-301	Strategic Management	Course Code	B.A.LL.B.	Course Code	B.B.A. LL.B.	
					LB-406E	Economics-IV (Indian Economy)	LB-406E	Economics-IV (Indian Economy)	
					BL-406P	Political Science-IV (Public Policy and Public Administration)	BBL-406M	Human Resource Management	
6.	BL-302	Sociology-III (Sociology of Law)	BBL-302	Management Accounting	BL-406S	Sociology-IV (Sociology of Religion)	BBL-406A	Financial Management	

COURSE STRUCTURE

Sr. No.	Course Code	5th Semester			Course Code	6th Semester		
		B.A/B.B.A. LL.B.				B.A/B.B.A. LL.B.		
1.	LB - 501	Family Law-I			LB - 601	Family Law-II		
2.	LB - 502	Property Law			LB - 602	Jurisprudence-I		
3.	LB - 503	Company Law			LB - 603	Code of Civil Procedure and Limitation Act		
4.	LB - 504	Law of Evidence			LB - 604	Information Technology Laws		
5.	Course Code	B.A.LL.B	Course Code	B.B.A. LL.B.	Course Code	B.A.LL.B.		B.B.A. LL.B.
	LB-505E	Economics-V (Public Finance)	LB-505E	Economics-V (Public Finance)	LB-605E	Economics-VI (Quantitative Techniques)	LB-605E	Economics-VI (Quantitative Techniques)
	BL-505P	Political Science-V (Comparative Politics)	BBL-505M	Human Resource Development	BL-605P	Political Science-VI (Recent Trends in Indian Politics)	BBL-605M	Entrepreneurship Development Management
	BL-505S	Sociology-V (Tribal Society)	BBL-505A	Money and Banking	BL-605S	Sociology-VI (Contemporary Sociological Theory)	BBL-605A	Investment Management

	Course Code	7th Semester	Course Code	8th Semester
		B.A/B.B.A. LL.B.		B.A/B.B.A. LL.B.
1.	LB-701	Principles of Taxation Law	LB-801	Media Law (including Right to information) (HP ² -5)
2.	LB-702	Intellectual Property Rights -I	LB-802	Intellectual Property Rights -II
3.	LB-703	Public International Law	LB-803	Environmental Law
4.	LB-704	(Drafting, Pleading and Conveyance) (CP ¹ -2)	LB-804	(Professional Ethics and Professional Accounting System)(CP ¹ -3)
5.	LB-705	International Trade Law (HP ² -4)	SP.. 805*	SP-I *

COURSE STRUCTURE

	Course Code	9th Semester	Course Code	10th Semester
		B.A/B.B.A. LL.B.		B.A/B.B.A. LL.B.
1.	LB-901	Law of Interpretation of Statutes (HP ² -6)	LB-1001	Service Law (HP2-8)
2.	LB-902	Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR)(CP ¹ -4)	LB-1002	Labour Law
3.	SP..903*	SP-II*	SP.. 1003*	SP-V*
4.	SP..904*	SP-III*	SP.. 1004*	SP-VI*
5.	SP.. 905*	SP-IV*	LB-1005	Minor Acts and Supreme Court Rules
6.			LB-1006	Moot Court Exercises and Internship) (CP ¹ -1)

¹CP: Clinical Paper; ²HP: Honours Paper;

*SP: Specialisation papers: There are four specialisation Groups. Group (A)- Constitutional Law; Group (B)- Business Law; Group (C)- Crime & Criminology, and Group(D)-International Law. The Coding of papers of each Group starts with ‘SP’-Specialisation followed by Group Sign indicated as A or B or C or D. Followed by a numerical number (1-6) indicating paper number of that group concluded by numerical number indicating semester and paper number of that semester. For example, the code-SPA1-805, indicated specialisation paper of group ‘A’ (i.e., Constitutional Law Group) specialisation paper 1 of that group, offered in VIII Semester and 5th paper of that semester.

Specialization Papers/Groups (SP)								
Sr.No.	Course Code	(A) Constitutional Law Group	Course Code	(B) Business Law Group	Course Code	© Crime & Criminology	Course Code	(D) Inter-national Law
1.	SPA1-805	Legal Philosophy including theoriesof Justice	SPB1-805	Corporate Governance& Finance	SPC1-805	Prison Admin- istration	SPD1-805	International Organizations
2.	SPA2-902	Local self-government including panchayat self-administration		Banking Law (including Negotiable Instrument Act)	SPC2-903	Penology & Victim-ology	SPD2-903	International Human Rights
3.	SPA3-903	Comparative Constitution	SPB3-904	Bankruptcy & insolvency and Insurance Law	SPC3-904	Forensic Science	SPD3-904	International Environmental Law
4.	SPA4-904	Health Law	SPB4-905	Investment and Security Law	SPC4-905	Offences against child & woman	SPD4-905	Law of the sea
5.	SPA5-1003	Federalism	SPB5-1003	Competition Law	SPC5-1003	White collar crimes	SPD5-1003	Humanitarian& refugee law
6.	SPA6-1004	Human Rights	SPB6-1004	Energy Law	SPC6-1004	Criminal psychology	SPD6-1004	International Criminal Law

Note1: Each Paper (in B.A./B.B.A. LL.B. (Hons) are of four Credits.

NOTE2: This is to be noted that students (Batches admitted till 2019-2020 Academic Session) opting for major in Human Resource Managementwill complete their total 06 courses by Semester 5th only.

Alternatively, in case University offers major Course in all the three streams, i.e., Human Resource Management, Accounts and Audit andEconomics following subjects with the following arrangements for Batches of 2018-2019 & 2019-2020 shall apply.

Major Course	1st Sem	2nd Sem	3rd Sem	4th Sem	5th Sem	6th Sem	7th Sem
HRM	Paper 1st& 2nd	Paper 3rd	Paper 4th	Paper 5th	Paper 6th	N.A.	N.A.
Accounts and Audit	N.A.	Paper 1st	Paper 2nd	Paper 3rd	Paper 4th	Paper 5th	Paper 6 th

COURSE STRUCTURE

HPNLU Post Graduate Course Curriculum LL.M. (One Year Programme) (Applicable from the Academic Session 2020-2021)

LL.M. (One Year) Programme				
		1st Semester		
S.No.	Course Code	Compulsory Papers		
1.	LM-101	Legal Research Methodology		
2.	LM-102	Law and Justice in a Globalizing World		
3.	LM103	Term Paper		
		Specialization Papers		
	Course Code	Constitutional Law	Course Code	Compulsory Papers
	LM104	Constitutional Governance and Federalism	LM-106	Criminology and Criminal Justice Administration
5.	LM105	Global Administrative Law	LM-107	Criminal Justice System and Human Rights
	Optional Papers			
6.	LM-108	Media Law		
7.	LM-109	Victimology		
8.	LM-114	Internationbal Human Rights Law		
9.	LM-115	Intellectual Property Law		
	Course Code	Compulsory Papers		
1.	LM-201	Comparative Public Law		
2.	LM-202	Dissertation (3 Credits)		
		Specialization Papers		
	Course Code	Constitutional Law	Course Code	Criminal law
3.	LM-203	Constitutional Rights & Theory	LM-205	International Criminal Law
4.	LM-2 04	Service Law	LM-206	Sentences and Sentencing
		Optional Papers		
5.	LM-207	Health Law		
6.	LM-208	Cyber Crimes & Cyber Security		
7.	LM-213	Environmental Law		
8.	LM-214	Corporate Social Responsibility		

*Optional Specialization papers Shall be offered when atleast 5 students have opted for the same course.

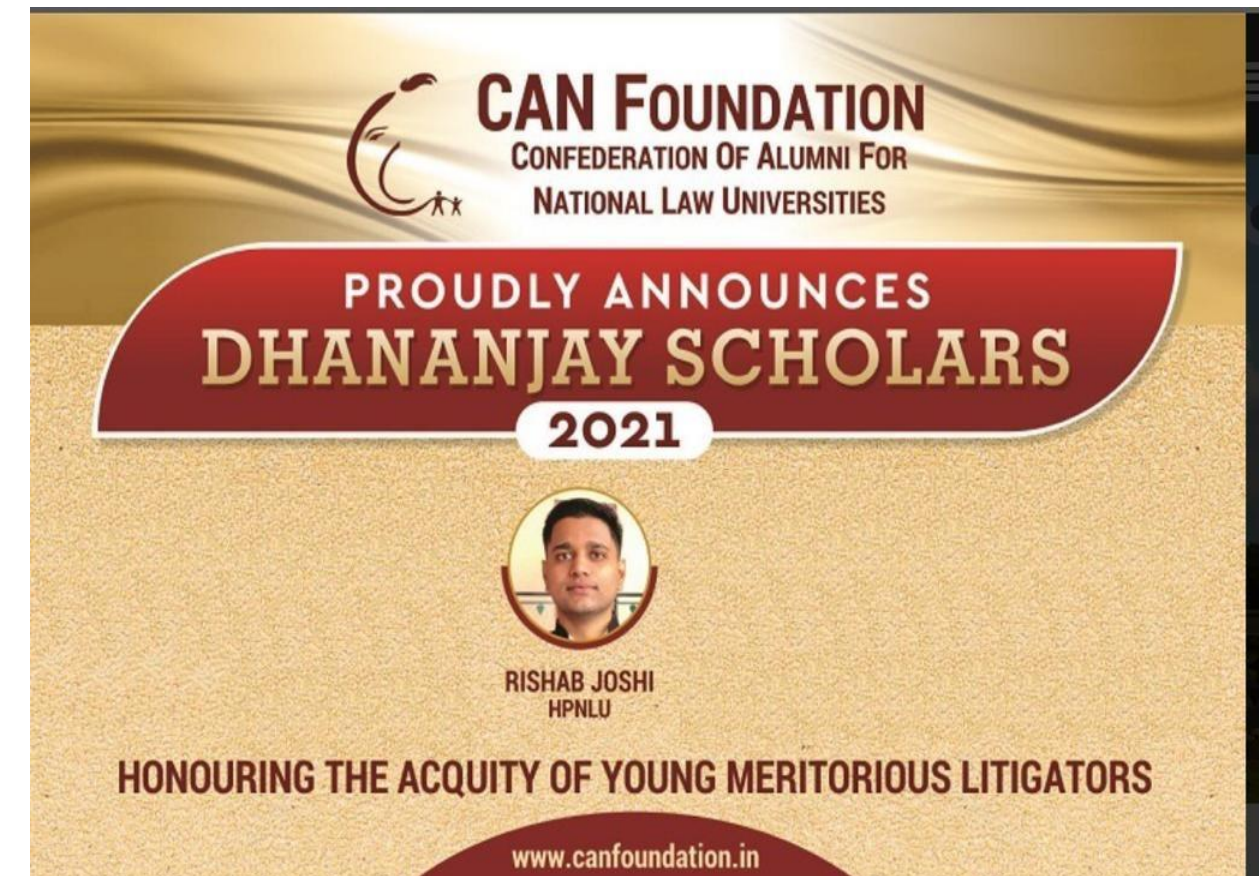
Note: Each Optional Paper L.L.M. (One Year Programme) are of Two Credits, except compulsory/foundation Courses and Dissertation which are of three Credits each.

FEE STRUCTURE

Sr. No.	Fee Detail	Annual Fee	First Half (At time of Admission)	Second Half (Before 10th of Jan)
1	Admission Fees	5000	5000	-
2	Tuition Fees	120000	60000	60000
3	NRI Students	750000	750000	-
4	SAARC Candidates (Excluding Indians)	350000	350000	-
Examination & Facilities Fee				
5	Facilities Fee	35500	17750	17750
6	Campus Development Fee	10000	5000	5000
7	Examination Fee	10000	5000	5000
8	Library Fee	5000	2500	2500
9	Moot Court	5000	2500	2500
10	Hostel Charges	20000	10000	10000
	Refundable Security	10000	10000	
	Total Fees	220500	117750	102750
	Mess Bill	30000	15000	15000
	First year (2021-22)		220500	
	Second year (2022-23)		210500	
	Third year (2023-24)		215500	
	Fourth Year (2024-25)		220500	
	Fifth Year (2025-26)		225500	

There shall be annual increase of Rs. 5000/- in the Tuition Fee in every academic session of every programme. Such increase will equally apply to supernumerary. *The fee amount in *is not included in the fee structure.

SCHOLARSHIPS



Students from different states get scholarship under State Sponsorship Schemes. During the year 2018-19, total 19 students applied for scholarship out of which, 17 were from Uttar Pradesh and 2 from Madhya Pradesh. Students from Uttar Pradesh got scholarship worth of Rs. 59,000 each and Madhya Pradesh received scholarship of worth Rs. 2,10,500 each. The University is under process of registration for UGC Junior Research Fellowships.

CENTRES OF RESEARCH

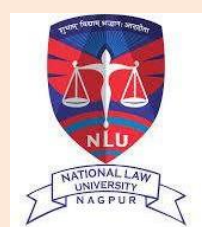
Specialised Centres of Research

In the age of advance international developments as well as the development in legal profession, the demand is to have competent graduates who are in know-how of comparative international law and are competent to start earning immediately after the courses.

To achieve above stated objective, University intends to create special centres for learning. The Executive Council on the recommendation of Academic Council has established following Centers:

Sr. No.	Name of the Research Centre
1.	Centre for Parliamentary Studies
2.	Centre for Alternative Dispute Resolution and Professional Skills
3.	Centre for Environment and Disaster Management
4.	Centre for Law, Business and Economics
5.	Centre for Human Resource Development
6.	Centre for Comparative Public Law
7.	Centre for Human Rights
8.	Centre for Child and Women Studies
9.	Centre for Advocacy, Court Management & Judgement Writing

MEMORANDUMS OF UNDERSTANDING

	National Law University, Delhi
	National Law School of India University, Bangalore
	Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law, Punjab
	Maharashtra National Law University, Nagpur
	Institute of Correctional Administration, Chandigarh
	SJVN Limited
	Police Law Interaction Forum (PoLIF)

HOSTEL RULES

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HOSTEL RULES

1. Short Title, Extent and Commencement

- 1.1 These regulations may be called, the Himachal Pradesh National Law University resident Regulations, 2019.
- 1.2 These Regulations shall come into force *w.e.f.* 25th December, 2019.
- 1.3 These regulations shall be applicable to all residents of hostels of HPNLU Shimla.
- 1.4 For effective implementation of these regulations various committees may be constituted by the Vice-Chancellor from time to time.

2. Hostel Administration

- 2.1 The Dean Students Welfare:** There shall be a Dean Students Welfare who shall be appointed by the Vice Chancellor.
 - 2.1.1 The Dean Students Welfare shall be responsible for the hostel administration and all issues pertaining to the residents in the hostels.
 - 2.1.2 The Dean Students Welfare shall also be responsible for the discipline issues in the University Campus.
 - 2.1.3 The office of the Dean Students Welfare shall have staff including superintendent, clerk, steno typist, caretakers and peon/s who shall be under general Regulation/s of the University.
- 2.2 Warden:** There shall be a Warden appointed by the Vice-Chancellor for each hostel of the University. The Vice Chancellor may give additional charge of Warden to any faculty member. However, the Dean Students Welfare, with the approval of the Vice Chancellor, may give charge of more than one hostel to the Warden.
 - 2.2.1 The Warden shall perform his/her duties in consultation with the Dean Students Welfare.
 - 2.2.2 The office of the Warden shall have staff, including clerks, attendants, security guards etc., and shall be under general regulation of the University.
- 2.3** The Dean Students Welfare and Wardens shall be paid such honorarium as decided by the Vice-Chancellor from time to time.

3. Admission:

- 3.1 Students who have joined a regular course of B.A/B.B.A LL. B., LL. M. and Ph. D. in the University shall be eligible for hostel accommodation for the duration of his/her course. The University shall have discretion to allot the Hostel accommodation to a particular student or a group of students based on the parameters of suitability and need, in the broader interest of the academic environment of the campus. The admission to the hostel shall be made on the filling of the prescribed form along with the following documents:
 - a. photocopy of the fee receipt,
 - b. medical disclosures/records specifically mentioning blood group, any serious disease and any specific allergies.
 - c. Any other relevant document.
- 3.2 The University may use its discretion judiciously as per the availability of rooms based on proportionality of students.
 - 3.2.1 Allotment of the rooms generally shall be made on sharing basis for B.A/B.B.A. LL. B. students.
 - 3.2.2 LL.M. and Ph. D. students may be provided single room accommodation subject to the availability of rooms.
 - 3.2.3 Fresh room allocation will be made in the beginning of each academic year and each resident of the hostel shall vacate the hostel at the end of each Academic Session.
- 3.3 The students shall be allotted rooms by the Dean Students Welfare in consultation with the Wardens.
 - 3.3.1 The students shall occupy the respective rooms allotted to them. The rooms once allotted to the students for an academic year shall not be changed except under exceptional situations. Under no circumstances the inmates shall exchange rooms without the permission of the Warden.
 - 3.3.2 In exigencies, the Warden in consultation with the Registrar, may shift inmates from one room to another.
- 3.4 Those students, who have been suspended, expelled or rusticated for any reason by the University, shall have to vacate the hostel and may not be considered for hostel admission for subsequent session(s).
- 3.5 It shall be the responsibility of the Warden to remove unauthorized occupant from the Hostel on the approval of the Dean Students Welfare.

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4. Residence:

- 4.1 The hostel/s shall remain closed during the vacations as specified in the Academic Calendar of the University
The residents shall not be allowed to stay in the hostel during that period except research scholar who shall be allowed by the Dean Students Welfare on the recommendation of the supervisor and countersigned by the Dean, Academic Affairs.
- 4.2 The residents shall not remain absent from the hostel/s except in case of academic leave or other leave with prior permission of the Warden on the recommendation of the Dean Academic Affairs/respective Committees and countersigned by the Dean Students Welfare. Any resident who is going to represent the University in any external event shall submit a copy of Academic Leave granted for the same to the office of the Warden.
- 4.3 Entry time for the residents is 9.30 p.m. Every resident of the hostel shall make an entry, while leaving and returning to the hostel, in the prescribed form in the Entry-Exit Register. The resident shall take prior permission from the Warden if he/she has to stay out of the hostel after 9.30 p.m. for 4.4 some unavoidable reasons.
- 4.4 Parents/Local Guardians can meet them during visiting hours prescribed by the University at the visitor Room The visitors shall not be allowed go beyond the visitor's room.
- 4.5 The residents while going Home or Local Guardian's place or other place shall seek prior permission from the Warden on the prescribed leave form of the University.
 - 4.5.1 In case Warden is not satisfied with the reason, then approval of the Dean Students Welfare shall be required. Such approval shall be obtained on the prescribed leave form of the University.
 - 4.5.2 The student's copy of the permission slip must be shown to the guard before leaving for home or Local Guardian's place.
 - 4.5.3 It is compulsory for every resident to submit the student's copy of the permission slip duly signed by parents/Local Guardian's on returning from home or Local Guardian's place.
 - 4.5.4 If the resident's stay at home or at Local Guardian's place exceeds the time duration that is mentioned in the permission slip, the parents or guardian shall inform the Warden in this regard through a duly signed letter.
- 4.6 The resident shall not remain in the hostel during class hours except with prior permission of the Warden and, that too, on the justified grounds.
- 4.7 The change of address or phone/mobile number/s of the parents or Local Guardian shall immediately be communicated to the Warden in writing by the parents. The residents shall submit their cell phone number in the hostel office and inform the Warden in case of any change in the number.
- 4.8 The resident shall ensure that his/her room is locked properly before they leave.
 - 4.8.1 The resident shall deposit the duplicate keys of the room in the hostel office.
 - 4.8.2 The resident desirous of keeping expensive items, shall do so at his/her own risk and the University shall not be responsible for any loss.
- 4.9 In case of any complaint regarding the fittings or repairing in the room, the resident is required to leave his/her keys of the room with the guard in order to get the work done.
- 4.10 The residents shall maintain hygiene in the hostel by using use dustbins and avoid littering.
- 4.11 The resident shall be responsible for the maintenance of the furniture and fixtures of his/her room. No furniture shall be removed from hostel or shifted from one place to another within the hostel without the prior permission of the Warden. The resident shall hand over the charge of the articles provided by the University to the Warden at the end of each Academic Session.
- 4.12 A resident may be provided the vehicle/ambulance of the University only on medical grounds for visiting government hospital on the recommendation of the University primary health centre or government primary health centre. All the medical expenses except first aid shall be borne by the resident himself/herself.

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- 4.13 The residents shall not create any nuisance for other residents as well as to the general public. The residents shall not indulge in mid night parties or gathering.
- 4.14 The resident of the hostel shall not possess/use any weapons, licensed or unlicensed.
- 4.15 The resident of the hostel shall not possess/use any prohibited drugs, liquor or cigarette/e-cigarettes and any other prohibited intoxicating substance.
- 4.16 The residents shall not keep any two/four-wheeler in the hostel campus.
- 4.17 The residents shall not use electrical appliances other than the one permitted by the University. Any resident found in violation of this regulation shall be subject to disciplinary action.
- 4.18 The residents shall not cook food in the hostel premise/rooms.

5. Hostel Mess:

- 5.1 All residents shall accept the responsibility of the membership of the Mess Committee by rotation.
- 5.2 It shall be compulsory for every resident to take his/her meals in the hostel mess.
- 5.3 The residents shall take his/her meal in the dining hall of the mess. Mess crockery/utensils shall not be taken outside the mess. However, the meals may be served in the room provided it is permitted by the Warden.
 - 5.3.1 Proper discipline, etiquette and manner of the dining table shall be maintained.
 - 5.3.2 The residents are not permitted to enter into the pantry, cooking area unless specifically authorized by the Warden.

6. Hostel Campus

- 6.1 The resident shall stay in his/her respective room and shall avoid visiting the rooms of other fellow residents after the prescribed timing unless it is necessary for academic purposes and that too with the prior permission of Warden.
- 6.2 The main gate of the hostel shall be closed at 9.30 p.m. and entry of the residents shall be permitted after recording reasons of delay. The residents found without valid permission shall be dealt with as per the rules.
- 6.3 The residents are required to take care of the University property and articles issued to them by the University for Bonafede use. Any damage/loss of the property shall be borne by the concerned resident in addition to the disciplinary action as per the merit of the case.

7. Visitors

- 7.1 The residents shall inform about the visiting hours to their parents, friends so that visit of the guest/s inside the Campus can be facilitated.
- 7.2 Entry of the female visitor/s into male hostel/s and vice versa without the permission of warden shall be prohibited. Close relative may visit the hostel for short period to the visitors' Lobby during the visiting hours with the permission of the Warden.

8. Disciplinary control:

The resident of the hostel shall be subject to the disciplinary control and jurisdiction of the authorities as provided in the Himachal Pradesh National Law University Discipline among Students/Residents Regulations 2019.

9. Power of Inquiry from Residents and Search & Seizure:

- 9.1 The Dean Students Welfare or Warden or any other person authorized by the University shall have the power to demand from the residents their identity cards and such other information as may be required.
- 9.2 The Dean Students Welfare or the Warden or any other person authorized by the University shall have the authority of search and seizure of any material which is prohibited according to the Himachal Pradesh National Law University Discipline among Students/Residents Regulations 2019, with reference to the residents and their respective rooms.

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PART-II
The HPNLU Shimla, Discipline among Students/Residents Regulations, 2019

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- 1. Short Title, Extent, Commencement, Scope and Application**
(1)These Regulations may be called the HPNLU Discipline among Students/Residents Regulations, 2019.
(2)These Regulations shall be applicable to all the students/residents of HPNLU on Roll in all the courses/hostels.
(3)These Regulations shall come into force *w.e.f.* 25th December, 2019.
(4)All HPNLU students/residents are required to maintain good conduct, discipline and decency within and outside the University.
(5)Any student/resident who commits breach of this regulation or act of any kind of indiscipline shall be liable to be punished under the HPNLU Discipline among Students/Residents Regulations.
- 2. Indiscipline**
Indiscipline is categorized according to the gravity of the act as under:
(1)Indiscipline
(2)Serious Indiscipline
(3)Grave Indiscipline
3 The following acts are identified as acts of indiscipline in different categories:

(1) Indiscipline: Incidents of Indiscipline shall include the following:

(i) causing disturbance in the classroom/hostels
(ii) Misbehavior with staff/employees of the University or contractors
(iii) abusing/insulting the fellow students
(iv) leaving campus/hostel without permission
(v) reporting late at class/hostel
(vi) allowing any guest to stay in hostel room
(vii) cooking meals in the hostel room
(viii) changing room without the permission of the Warden
(ix) removing/shifting the furniture/fixture in the hostel
(ix) using unauthorized electric gadgets in hostel rooms
(x) organizing parties in the hostel rooms
(xi)bringing vehicle at the University Campus without permission
(xii)any other act notified by the University from time to time
- 3. Serious Indiscipline:** Incidents of Serious Indiscipline shall include the following:

(i) Misbehavior with Teacher /University authorities/Warden
(ii) using/bringing/supplying/possessing prohibited drugs, liquor or cigarette/e-cigarettes and any other prohibited intoxicating substance at the Campus/hostel
(iii) third incident of indiscipline in one academic session or fifth incident of indiscipline in the course.
(iv) threatening/intimidating fellow students/ employees
(v) vulgarity in any form
(vi) damaging or defacing University property
(vii)theft in hostel or at the Campus
(viii) any other act notified by the University from time to time
- 4. Grave Indiscipline:** Incidents of grave indiscipline shall include the following:
(i) ragging in any form
(ii) physical assault on any person in the campus/hostel
(iii) indecent behavior of sexual nature in the campus/hostel (both consensual and non-consensual)
(iv) any act of violence or moral turpitude that is an offence under any law in force in the country committed in or outside the campus
(v) three repeated incidents of serious indiscipline shall be considered as grave indiscipline

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5. Punishment for Indiscipline:

Any student found guilty of indiscipline shall be liable for fine upto Rs. 5,000 with or without community service in the form of duty in the library/computer lab/ hostel/any office/working place of the University for a period up to one week.

6. Punishment for Serious Indiscipline:

Any student found guilty of serious indiscipline shall be liable for fine up to Rs. 10, 000 with or without community service in the form of duty in the Library/Computer Lab/ Hostel/any office or other working place of the University up to two weeks.

7. Punishment for Grave Indiscipline:

A student found guilty of grave indiscipline shall be-
liable to a fine as determined by the Vice-Chancellor
Or
debarred from examination with or without fine Or
rusticated from the University/Hostel.
Or, wherever prescribed by the UGC from time to time.

Explanation:

- (i) Debarring a student from examination may be for one or more papers in a semester/s.
- (ii) Rustication shall be construed as expulsion of the student from the University for all times.

8. Procedure to deal with the act of Indiscipline:

- (1) On commission of an act of indiscipline, the matter shall be reported by the Warden/Teacher/ Officer/Security men/other concerned person to the Dean Students Welfare.
- (2) The Dean Students Welfare shall hold an inquiry into the matter himself or through an Inquiry Committee of the following:
 - (1) Warden/Teacher concerned
 - (2) Nominee of the Vice-Chancellor
- (3) The Dean Students Welfare/the above said Inquiry Committee, as the case may be, shall give the opportunity of hearing to the concerned student/s and collect the relevant evidence. In case, the enquiry is done by the Committee it shall on completion of the inquiry, submit the report to the Dean Students Welfare.
- (4) The Dean Students Welfare, if satisfied with the report of the Fact Finding Committee may impose the appropriate punishment as per these Regulations. In case, the Dean Students Welfare if not satisfied with the report of the Fact Finding Committee on justified
- (5) For any grievance regarding disciplinary action under these provisions a student may make an application for review to the Registrar. The decision of the Registrar shall be final, for all matters of indiscipline.

9. Procedure to deal with “Serious Indiscipline:

- (1) On commission of an act of serious indiscipline the Administrative Officer/ Warden/Teacher/Officer of the University shall report the matter to the Dean Students Welfare.
- (2) The Dean Students Welfare shall conduct a preliminary inquiry and if satisfied that act of the student amounts to an act of serious indiscipline, submit a report to the Vice-Chancellor through the Registrar.
- (3) The Vice-Chancellor may constitute an Inquiry Committee to inquire into any act of serious indiscipline that may comprise the following:

- 1. Dean Students Welfare
- 2. Administrative Officer, if any
- 3. Warden/Senior Teacher to be nominated by the Vice-Chancellor
- (4) (i) The Inquiry Committee shall give an opportunity to the concerned student to explain his/her position and shall also collect/record relevant evidence.
- (iii) If the student is found guilty, the Committee shall give an opportunity of hearing to such student on nature and quantum of proposed punishment. After the hearing, the Committee shall make its recommendations to the Vice-Chancellor regarding guilt and also the nature and quantum of the proposed punishment.

(iv) The Vice-Chancellor on perusal of the recommendations of the above said Committee and record may pass an appropriate order/ award punishment as prescribed by these regulations for indiscipline/ serious indiscipline. The decision of the Vice Chancellor shall be final.

10. Procedure to deal with acts of “Grave Indiscipline”:

- (1) On commission of an act of grave indiscipline the matter shall be immediately reported to the Vice-Chancellor by anyone having the information about the “grave indiscipline”.
- (2) On the basis of the information/preliminary report, the Vice-Chancellor may pass an order of suspension of the student from classes or/and order vacation of hostel by the student involved in grave indiscipline.
- (3) The Vice-Chancellor may constitute a Committee to inquire into the matter which may comprising the following:
 - (i) Registrar
 - (ii) Dean Students Welfare
 - (iii) Administrative Officer
 - (iv) A Senior Teacher
 - (v) Hostel Warden
- (4) The Committee shall hold inquiry and collect relevant information/ evidence about the incident. The concerned student shall be given opportunity to explain his/her position.
- (5) The Committee shall submit its report on the facts and circumstances of the case, as also its finding on the guilt of the student, to the Vice-Chancellor along with proposed nature and quantum of punishment.
- (6) (i) The Vice-Chancellor may pass an appropriate order/ punishment as per these regulations and in case the punishment to be awarded is debarring the student from the Examination or rustication from the University or the hostel, give an opportunity of hearing to the student/his or her parents. If Vice-Chancellor is of the view that punishment should be of debarring the student from examination or rustication of the student from the University or Hostel, report shall be submitted to the Executive Council along with substance of reply of the student.
- (ii) The Executive Council may take an appropriate decision on the guilt and punishment after considering the recommendation of the Vice-Chancellor and, if required, perusal of the record of the case.

In case of grave indiscipline attracting punishment of debarring the student from examination/rustication from the University, the result of the student shall be withheld and shall be subject to the decision of the Executive Council in such cases of indiscipline.

PART-III
SAVING

Removal of difficulty: The Vice Chancellor is authorized to make necessary changes in these Regulations to remove difficulty and bring it in consonance with the corresponding statutory requirement.

ABSOLUTE ZERO TOLERANCE TO RAGGING



The immoral practice of ‘Ragging’ has become a menace; it is inhumane, thereby illegal and punishable. It not only violates the discipline and pollutes the benign aura of an educational institution but also adversely deteriorates the standards of higher education. An educational institution which is vowed to empower students by fostering healthy competitive, aspirational and inspirational atmosphere, this heinous practice of ragging causes fear and shock for the freshers and hurts the victim’s psyche for life.

Ragging in educational institutions is banned by the Hon’ble Supreme Court of India. More so, the apex court has issued mandatory orders to curb the menace of ragging in educational institutions. Enshrined in the 3rd Amendment to UGC regulations on 29th June, 2016, Section 3(i) entails the definition of ragging as:

“Any act of physical or mental abuse (including bullying and exclusion) targeted at another student (fresher or otherwise) on the ground of color, race, religion, caste, ethnicity, gender (including transgender), sexual orientation, appearance, nationality, regional origins, linguistic identity, place of birth, place of residence or economic background.”

Owing to the seriousness and heinous character of this practice, HPNLU, Shimla has the policy of ‘Zero Tolerance’ to any kind of acts of ragging. In the eventuality where an applicant for admission is found to have indulged in ragging in past or if it is noticed later that he/she has indulged in ragging, his/her admission may be refused; his/her candidature may be cancelled or he/she may be expelled from the educational institution. The punishment may also be in other forms viz suspension from classes for a limited period, or fine with a public apology, debarring from representation in events, withholding results, suspension or expulsion from the hostel or mess, and the like. If the Head of the Institution is not satisfied with any of the aforesaid arrangements for action, a First Information Report (FIR) can be filed without exception by the institutional authorities with the local police. The discretionary power vests solely with the university authorities.

In accordance with the relevant UGC regulations, an Anti-Ragging mechanism is set up by the university, including awareness activities. The details of officers, contact numbers and procedure for redressal of complaints are displayed on the notice board and at appropriate places in the campus and hostel premises. HPNLU Shimla endeavours to keep intact its sanctity as the temple of knowledge and any student demeanour found to be counterproductive to this endeavour shall be taken to task.

LIST OF HOLIDAYS - 2021

Sr. No.	Public Holiday	Date	Day
1.	Statehood Day	January 25	Monday
2.	Republic Day	January 26	Tuesday
3.	Guru Ravidas's Birthday	February 27	Saturday
4.	Maha Shivaratri	March 11	Thursday
5.	Holi	March 29	Monday
6.	Good Friday	April 02	Friday
7.	Dr. B.R. Ambedkar's Jayanti	April 14	Wednesday
8.	Himachal Day	April 15	Thursday
9.	Ram Navami	April 21	Wednesday
10.	Parshuram Jayanti & Id-ul-Fitr	May 14	Friday
11.	Buddha Purnima	May 26	Wednesday
12.	Idul Juha (Bakrid)	July 21	Wednesday
13.	Independence Day	August 15	Sunday
14.	Muharram	August 19	Thursday
15.	Raksha Bandhan	August 22	Sunday
16.	Krishna Janmashtami	August 30	Monday
17.	Mahatama Gandhi's Jayanti	October 02	Saturday
18.	Dussehra	October 15	Friday
19.	Maharishi Valmiki's Birthday	October 20	Wednesday
20.	Karva Chauth	October 24	Sunday
21.	Diwali	November 04 & 05	Thursday, Friday
22.	Bhai Duj	November 06	Saturday
23.	Guru Nanak's Birthday	November 19	Friday
24.	Christmas Day	December 25	Saturday

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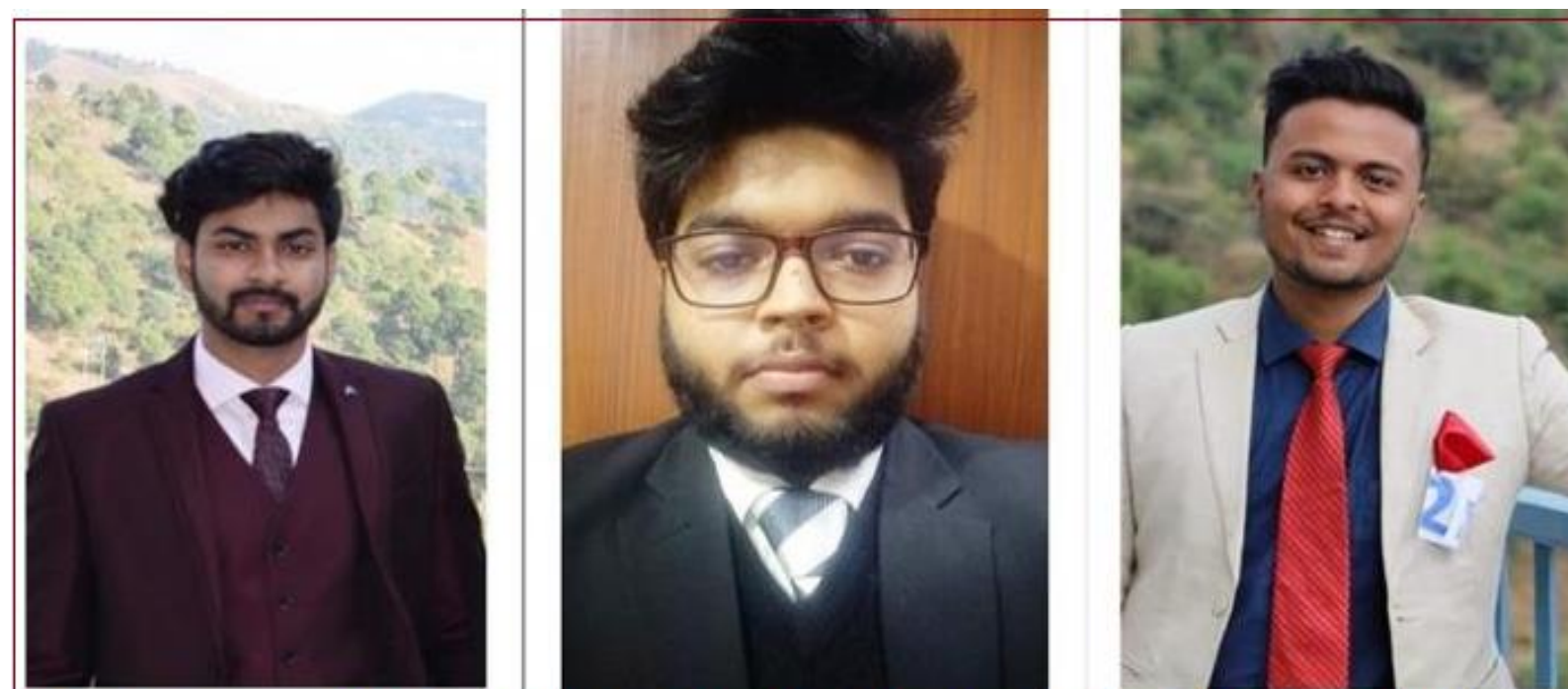


Team Comprising of Ankita Sharma, Deb Zyoti Das from 2nd Year & Akshansh Sharma from 3rd Year were the 'Semi-finalist' in the National Hybrid Moot Court Competition organized by IMS Law College, Noida. Ankita has also been awarded the Best Speaker Award in the Competition.



Team Comprising of Shrey Sharma & Ayushi Soni from 2nd Year have been adjudged as '1st Runner-ups' in the 1st National Arbitration Moot organized by 'Lei Ipsu', SVKM NMIMS School of Business Management, Mumbai.

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Team Comprising of Ishaan Singh Jain, Ishu Dayal Srivastava & Ayush Singh from 2nd Year represented HPNLU, Shimla at National Moot Court Competition, 2021 organised by Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur and were declared as the Winner of the Competition.



Team Comprising of Madhusudhan Joshi, Madhu Verma & Prayag Soni from 3rd Year were adjudged as 'Runner-up' in the Shri. Koneru Lakshmaiah 3rd All India National Moot Court Competition organised by KLU College of Law, Guntur.

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HPNLU, Shimla in 1st National Virtual Moot Court Competition by Faculty of Law, University of Allahabad and Droit Penale Group and bagged "The Best Memorial Award" in the competition along with a wholesome Cash Price.



Team Comprising of Saswat Sahoo, Shreya Singh & Abhishek Bisht from 1st Year students represented HPNLU, Shimla in 4th National Moot Court Competition, 2021 organised by Maharishi Markandeshwar University, Mullana and they won the 'Best Memorial Awards'

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