

MARATHWADA MITRA MANDAL'S
SHANKARRAO CHAVAN LAW COLLEGE



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**ANNUAL REPORTS OF POST-GRADUATE DEPARTMENT
(LL.M.)**

Academic Year: 2022-23

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OBJECTIVES OF DEPARTMENT

The Marathwada Mitra Mandal's Shankarrao Chavan Law College has started Post Graduate Department in July 2010. The department is affiliated with the University of Pune and the syllabus and other rules governing the Post Graduate Dept. are provided by Savitribai Phule Pune University, Government of Maharashtra, and University Grants Commission, New Delhi. The 11th Batch of LL.M. is going to pass this year from the College.

The object behind establishing the Post-Graduation Dept. was to train the students in different research techniques, methods, and teaching Pedagogy.

The eligibility for the LL.M. Course is that the candidate should have either passed LL.B./B.A.LL.B. of three- or five-year law degree. Admissions will be given as per the selection procedure/ adopted by the respective college, in accordance conditions laid down by the University of Pune. Reservation and relaxation will be as per the university rules.

Presently, there are 117 students in Post Graduate Department, 57 Students in LL.M. IInd, and 60 students in LL.M. IstYear. The University has changed the Syllabus in July 2014 and accepted Choice Based Credit System. The main feature of the Credit System is that Students have the choice to opt for subjects from giving syllabus and they can opt for subjects that may not be from their area of specialization. The Credit System has introduced different subjects with different credits i.e. 4 credits etc. The syllabus provides specialization from the first semester to the last semester. The University has provided specialization into two subjects for LL.M. i.e. International Law & Corporate law. The University has continued with the semester pattern. The duration of LL.M. course in law colleges affiliated to University is two years and four semesters.

SEMESTER PATTERN

This semester's pattern is more effective for better user's and focused understanding of the subjects. Semester Pattern keeps students busy for the duration of the course and allows the students and teachers to understand the curriculum in detail. The University has continued with the semester pattern. For LL.M. Course, the university has provided 4 semesters.

CREDIT SYSTEM

It allows a student to have strong footings in the basics of a subject which he has studied. It also allows a student to develop the abilities a student has in the subjects of his interests. The curriculum has introduced the Choice-based Credit System so that a student who is interested in a subject of another disc can opt which any hurdle and develop interdisciplinary approach which is needed of law subject. The university has provided total of 64 Credits.

SPECIALIZATION OF SUBJECT

The curriculum has introduced specialization (Clusters) in two subjects i.e. International Law and Corporate Law. The important thing is the specialization starts with the first semester of the course. The specialized subjects are divided into four papers so that the candidate should be able to have an depth understanding of the subjects of his interest. International Law is divided into four papers a) Introduction to International Law b) International Institution c) Private International Law and d) International Economic Law.

The Business law is divided into Principles of Corporate Law b) Law of Contract- General Principles c) Consumer Law and d) Banking and Negotiable instrument.

RESEARCH ACTIVITIES

The Internal and External examinations will have an equal weightage of 50% each. As a part of regular internal assessment of the candidate, the Post Graduate Department has to take many research Activities throughout the LL.M. Course which includes Longish Term Papers (LTP), Seminar Presentations, Doctrinal Research, Non- doctrinal Research, Class Teaching, Book Review, Case Studies, and Dissertations, etc.

Longish Term Papers (LTP) are provided for 15 marks which are divided into 10+05, 10 Marks for research paper and 05 marks for viva voce. Every student has to take two LTP's in a semester. LTP's are provided for first two semesters of first year.

Seminar Presentations are provided for 15 marks which are divided into 10+05, 10 Marks for research paper and 05 marks for presentation of the paper. Every student has to take two seminars in a semester. Seminars are provided for first two semesters of first year.

Doctrinal Research & Non-Doctrinal Research has been provided for second semester of first year of LL.M. Both, Doctrinal & Non-Doctrinal research is for 25 marks each.

Class Teaching is very important part of LL.M. Course. It is expected that the student should take one topic of academic important and give a lecture on it before the graduate students. The faculty of that subject will give independent report of the class teaching but at the same time it is great opportunity for a student to face students in actual class room. This activity has been provided in second semester for 25 marks by the University.

Book Review is provided in third semester of LL.M. Course. It is expected that the student should review a law book. This activity is for 15 marks.

Case Study is essential part of last semester (IVth) of the LL.M. Course. It is expected that the student should undertake in-depth study of a particular area of research. This activity is provided for 15 marks.

Dissertation is one of most important research activity provided by University. It starts with third semester of the Course. This activity is providing for 200 Marks, 150 marks for Dissertation and 50 marks for viva voce. It is mandatory that for evaluation of Dissertation and viva voce the external examiner is required.

RESULT ANALYSIS FOR AY 2021-22

TOTAL RESULT OF LL.M. II: 92.45%

Grade	No. of students
O	37
A+	8
A	4
B+	0
F	4
Total	53

**NATIONAL SYMPOSIUM ON 'GOVERNING THE GOVERNORS IN
INDIA: CONSTITUTION, CONTROVERSIES AND A NEED FOR
REFORMS'**

(Day & Date-Saturday, 26th November 2022)



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On the occasion of

CELEBRATION OF CONSTITUTION DAY

Post Graduation Department

organizes

**National Symposium on the topic
"Governing the Governors in India: Constitution, Controversies and
the Need for Reforms"**

Day & Date-Saturday, 26th November 2022

Time: 10.00 a.m.

Venue: Dnyaneshwar Hall, Marathwada Mitra
Mandal, Deccan Gymkhana, Pune



Speaker I :

Professor Ulhas Bapat

Constitutional Scholar and Director,
Professor Bapat Academy of English, Pune

Topic: "Role of Governor under the Indian Constitution"



Speaker II:

Adv. Nitin Deshpande,

Advocate, Bombay High Court, Mumbai

Topic: "Judicial Scrutiny of Role and Powers of Governor in India"

Convenors

Prin.B.G.Jadhav

Exe.President,

Marathwada Mitra Mandal, Pune

Dr.Kranti Deshmukh

Principal,

Shankarrao Chavan Law College, Pune

Dr.Bhagwan Gawali

Head,

Post Graduation Department, MMSCLC, Pune

Asst. Prof. Nalini Ambad

Faculty,

Post Graduation Department, MMSCLC, Pune

The Post- graduate Department of Shankarrao Chavan Law College, Pune has organized One Day National Symposium to celebrate Constitution Day or National Law Day. The theme of the Symposium was "Governing the Governor in India: Constitution, Controversies and a

Need for Reforms.” The Governor is the executive head of the state in India. A Governor is appointed by the President and is a representative of the Central Government. He must play a dual role. He is the constitutional head of the state, bound by the advice of the Chief Minister and his Council of Ministers. He functions as a vital link between the Union Government and the State Government.

In India, we have the Chief Minister and the Council of Ministers to aid and advise the Governor of the state in the exercise of his function. The Governor appoints the Chief Minister and other Ministers. Though there are some discretionary powers given to the Governor in exceptional situations, in most cases, Governor has acted as per the advice given by the Chief Minister and Cabinet.

The Constitution of India provided the Parliamentary Form of Democracy which is based on the Multi-Party System. So, it is possible that the state government of many states do not belong to the ruling party in the Centre. There are instances where the Governor of the states has abused their power usually at the behest of the ruling party at the Centre. It is criticized that the behaviour of the Governor goes against the Constitutional Mandate and disturbs the federal structure of the country.

The Post- graduate Department has invited two imminent speakers from Academia and Practicing Lawyer. The Two Speakers and the topics allotted to them were:

1. **Professor Ulhas Bapat: “Role of Governor under Indian Constitution”**
2. **Adv. Nitin Deshpande, Advocate, Bombay High Court, Mumbai: “Judicial Scrutiny of Role and Powers of Governor in India”**

Both the speakers has shared their knowledge and experiences with the audience of the symposium. Professor Bapat while arguing that how there is tendency amongst the executives to violate the Constitutional framework through the position of Governor. Adv. Deshpande has taken an overview of comparative position of Constitution and Judicial decisions very lucidly and argued that how executive has been controlled effectively by the Constitutional Courts all over the world.

Dr. Kranti Deshmukh has introduced the college and society to the Guests. The program was hosted by Asst Professor Krushan Badade. The formal vote of thanks was given by Asst.

Professor Nalini Ambad. Dr. Bhagwan Gawali, Head, Post-Graduate Dept and Coordinator of the symposium was also present.

The Symposium, therefore, was a platform for Advocates, Academicians, Research Scholars, Representatives of civil society, and students to discuss, debate, and understand the issues and challenges related to the Role of the Governor in India and come up with some rational solutions to the problems.

VISITS TO LIBRARY

The Post- Graduate Dept. has celebrated the Constitution Day by visit the libraries of various institutions under Marathwada Mitra Mandal, Pune by donating the book on Constitution of India. Dr. Bhagwan Gawali, Asst. Professor Nalini Ambad and Ms. Tepasvi Kheirnar, Librarian of the law college has visited the colleges.







GUEST LECTURE SERIES

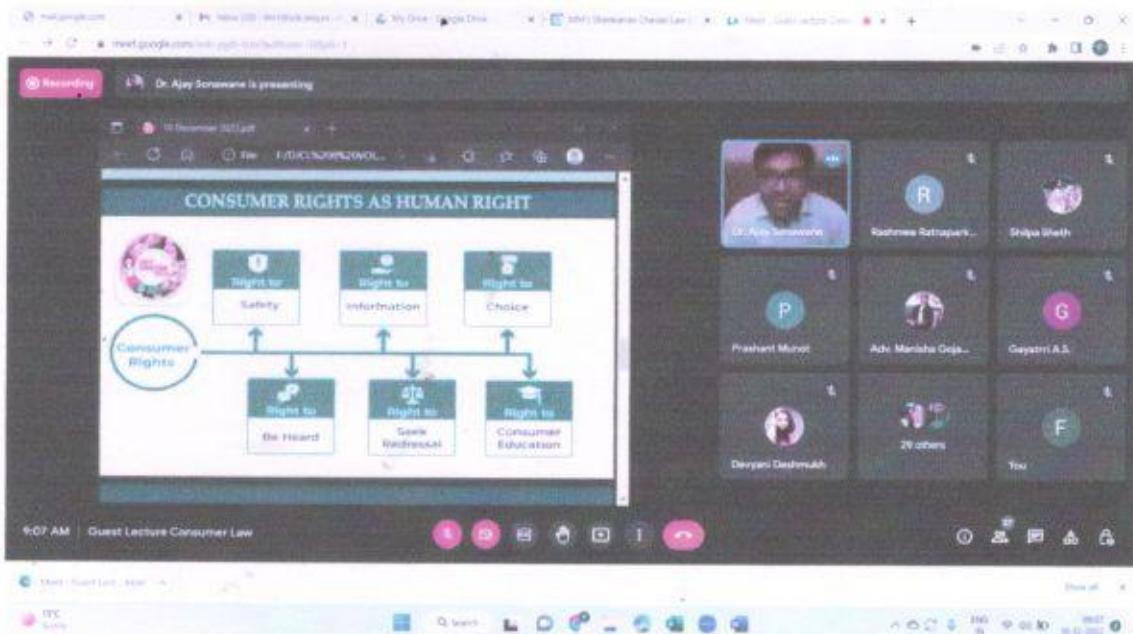
A Guest Lecture Series organized under the aegis of the Post-Graduation Department. The lectures were conducted in a hybrid manner. Students were expected to attend and submit a report for the same for the purpose of internal evaluation.

Mr. Rohit Dangare, Advocate, Shivajinagar District Court, Pune has conducted four lectures on 'General Exceptions under Indian Penal Code' and 'Right to Private Defense under Indian Penal Code.' The students of Criminal Law, second Year LL.M. has given very good feedback of the lectures conducted by Adv. Dangare.





Another Guest Lecture on 'Consumer Rights as Human Rights' was arranged by Post-Graduate Dept on the date 10/12/2022 to celebrate the International Human Rights Day. The Guest Speaker was Dr. Ajay Sonavane, Delhi University. The lecture was conducted Online Mode for LLM students.



Dr. Ajay Sonavane, Assistant professor, Delhi University was invited as a resource person for the same. Sir has covered the journey of human rights and consumer Rights and discussed the intersection between human right and consumer Rights referring to the current national and international framework.


Guest Lecture on International Commercial Drafting was organized on 20th May 2023. Guest speaker Adv. Shabbir Das, Sr. Manager, Mind crest was invited for the same who has an extensive experience in International Contract drafting. The Objective of this lecture was to make students aware about the practical aspects of International Contract Drafting. Students attended the lecture and drafted the contract as part of Internal Evaluation.



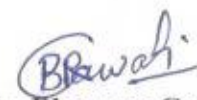
Farewell for LL.M. 2nd:

Farewell program was organized for passing out batch of AY 2022-23. Programme was organized on 2nd June 2023 and all the arrangements were made by LL.M. 1st year students. Programme was inaugurated at the hands of Dr. Kranti Deshmukh, Principal, SCLC and Dr. Bhagwan Gawali, HOD, Post-Graduation Department, SCLC. Students from passing out batch shared their experiences which were followed by various fun games and activities.




Dr. Kranti Deshmukh
Principal




Dr. Bhagwan Gawali
Head, Post-Graduate Dept.