



PRE-INDUCTION ONLINE COURSE

COURSE :: INTRODUCTION TO LAW

Topic :: Legal and Constitutional History



**PROF. NIMESH
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Date & Time ::
Wed. 03, Thu. 04,
Fri. 05 Aug. 2022
IST 08 - 09 pm

Topic :: Common Law Methods



**DR. MADHUKER
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Deputy Director
Lloyd Law College

Date & Time ::
Sun. 07, Mon. 08,
Tue. 09 Aug. 2022
IST 08 - 09 pm

Topic :: Legal System and Lawyers Reasoning



Dr. MD.SALIM

Director
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Date & Time ::
Fri. 12, Sat. 13,
Sun. 14 Aug. 2022
IST 08 - 09 pm





Tue.-02-Aug.-2022

Dear Student / Parent

Greetings to you all!

You all are welcome to the Lloyd Academic Community where we all will collaborate to make journey of all the students at Lloyd a worthy experience. We will commence the regular physical classes for the **BA.LL.B/B.Com.LL.B. (Batch : 2022-27) and LL.B. (Batch : 2022-25) First Semester (Academic Yr. 2022-23)**. Before we begin with regular classes, let us have few introductory sessions on 'what the law is'.

It has always been interesting to keep exploring every time in every situation '**what the law is**'? This question is asked by the students and the teachers, both, throughout their tryst with the subject matter of 'law'. Though number of definitions have been given to this term, still complete meaning is yet to be given to this term. Legal scholars, jurists, and judges have interpreted this term in their own way; and, a teacher and a student understand this term in their own. Neither of them is found to be incorrect when they make us understand what the law is, still no-one has given us a complete meaning of this term. Actually, law is like a living organism that keeps changing its meaning and the scope of its meaning. And, this is what the beauty of this subject matter. With these words, all the students of **BA.LL.B/B.Com.LL.B. and LL.B. First Semester (Academic Yr. 2022-23)** are mandated and invited to join the **ONLINE sessions** on '**INTRODUCTION TO LAW, LEGAL SYSTEM, & LEGAL METHOD**' as per following modules and the schedule. Kindly take notice, this is not like a regular class-room teaching-learning, this is just an **ICE-BREAKING** with the subject of LAW. Course Module and reading material is provided in the Attachments.

COURSE OBJECTIVE ::

The only purpose & objective of these sessions is to make the students acquainted with the term LAW, to introduce this term in the life of a LAW STUDENT who has just begun her/his journey to attain a degree in the subject of law. The environ of these sessions, including the content and the structure, is kept very informal so as to have the two, the LAW and the STUDENT, have on introduction with each other so both find each other to be familiar in the class-room environment.

COURSE OUTCOME ::

Once these sessions have been attended by a student, and she/he has participated with all the attention, the student will have a very basic understanding of the term law, as well as what the legal system is, and how a layman should read & understand the law.

Zoom Meeting Joining Link :: <https://lloydcollege-in.zoom.us/j/91484528004>

Hope to see you all in regular classes, additional courses, practical academics, skilling opportunities and professional guidance of excellence and standard.

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Sl. No.	Module	Schedule
Prof. Nimesh Das Guru		
Module I :: Historical evolution legal and constitutional system of India		
1	Evolution of Courts and other Judicial Forums	03 August, 2022 (08 pm - 09 pm)
2	Development of Constitutional System	04 August, 2022 (08 pm - 09 pm)
3	Development of Legal Professionals	05 August, 2022 (08 pm - 09 pm)
Dr. Madhuker Sharma		
Module II :: Legal Methods & Legal Research		
4	Legal Methods	7 th August, 2022 (08 pm - 09 pm)
5	Legal Reasoning & Logic	8 th August, 2022 (08 pm - 09 pm)
6	Legal Research	9 th August, 2022 (08 pm - 09 pm)
Dr. Md. Salim		
Module III :: Legal System and Lawyers Reasoning		
7	R v. Dudley and Stephens (1884) 14 QBD 273, DC (Hyperlinked here)	12 th August, 2022 (08 pm - 09 pm)
8	Aruna Shanbaug v. UOI & Others, (2011) 4 SCC 454 (attached here)	13 th August, 2022 (08 pm - 09 pm)
9	Dobbs v. Jackson, 597 US (2022) (Hyperlinked here)	14 th August, 2022 (08 pm - 09 pm)



Prof. Nimesh Das Guru	
Module I :: Historical evolution legal and constitutional system of India	
Evolution of Courts and other Judicial Forums	
Wednesday 03 Aug. 2022, 08 pm	<p>The aim of this session is to familiarize learners with the development of the different types of courts and other adjudicatory platform functioning in India. At the end of the session, learners would have a general understanding of existing network of courts and other judicial institutions operating in India, their general jurisdiction, the kind of relief one could expect from these forums.</p> <p>Readings:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Raj Kumari Agrawala, "History of Courts and Legislatures" Available here
Thursday 04 Aug. 2022, 08 pm	<p>Development of Constitutional System</p> <p>This aim of this session is to introduce learners with constitutional system of India. Constitution of India was not the product of any revolution but evolved through a series of gradual reforms introduced through several (constitutional) acts of British parliament in colonial era which were passed with an aim to bring more participation of native population in the governmental system. In addition to giving a brief overview of some of the major constitutional acts passed in the colonial era, the session would primarily focus on discussing some of the basic features of Indian constitution. At the end of the session, the learners would have a general understanding of the constitutional vision of independent India.</p> <p>Readings:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Sadat Hasan Manto, 'Naya Kanoon' Available Hindi, English2. M. Ramaswamy, Constitutional Developments in India 1600-1955, Stanford Law Review Vol. 8, No. 3 (May, 1956), pp. 326-387 Available here3. Constitutional Identity, Gary Jeffrey Jacobsohn, in 'The Oxford Hand Book of Indian Constitution' Available here
Friday 05 Aug. 2022, 08 pm	<p>Development of Legal Professionals</p> <p>This session would primarily focus on history of the development of legal profession in India. In pre-colonial era India has no professional equivalent to modern day's lawyers. This session would discuss growth of legal profession in India, reforms introduced under Indian Advocates Act 1961 and the contemporary challenges the legal professionals are facing with the expectation that people have from the profession.</p> <p>Readings:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Samuel Schmitthener, A Sketch of the Development of the Legal Profession in India Available here2. In Re Mr. G, A Senior Advocate.... 1955 1 SCR 490, Available here



Dr. Madhuker Sharma

Module II :: Legal Methods & Legal Research

Legal Methods	
Sunday 07 Aug. 2022, 08 pm	<p>With the introduction of legal history and the legal system, students will have a basic knowledge on 'what the law is'; after attaining knowledge, what is required is 'to have understanding what the law is'. For that understanding, it is essential that the student has knowledge that 'how that law can be read & understood'.</p> <p>This session will be devoted to share the very basic knowledge of various methods of reading & understanding the law.</p>
Legal Reasoning & Logic	
Monday 08 Aug. 2022, 08 pm	<p>Law requires justification to be termed as 'law'; that justification must be a reasoned justification having strong logic behind the process of reaching to the conclusion that is defended by the person justifying her/his take on the law.</p> <p>This session will be devoted to make the students understand that why understanding the reasoning behind the law is essential for a person who is dealing with the law in whatever capacity. It is essential for a teacher as well as a judge as it is essential to understand for a law student.</p>
Legal Research	
Tuesday 09 Aug. 2022, 08 pm	<p>Dealing with any legal subject matter is nothing but one or the other form of conducting legal research. When a teaching is preparing for class, or a lawyer is preparing for a case, or a judge is in the process of writing a judgment, it is essential for all the three to substantiate their view point with legal literature. This piece of legal literature may be is a judgment, or a statutory provision, or a commentary written on a statutory provision by a jurist, or a book on legal philosophy.</p> <p>This session will be devoted to make the students understand importance of legal research in their student life as well as in their career.</p>

Dr. Md. Salim

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