



**MAHARASHTRA NATIONAL LAW
UNIVERSITY MUMBAI
LL.M. (PROFESSIONAL) PROGRAMME
Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs')**

Q1. Why LL.M. (Professional) Program?

LL.M. (Professional) Programme is unique and tailored to meet the needs and expectations law professionals who want to upgrade their knowledge but for personal or professional reasons, are unable to take a rigorous regular residential LL.M. program.

Q2. What is special about this LL.M. (Professional) Program?

Programme and Courses are devised to benefit and advance careers of law professionals. The aim is to (a) impart Specialized Legal Training in functioning of law, compliances, Practices, Procedures etc. (b) provide students with multidisciplinary exposures to various laws relevant in contemporary times. The lectures shall be delivered by expert, experienced and renowned practitioner, judges, academicians, professionals. Programme helpful for those preparing for competitive exams, JMFC, Public Service Commission's etc. also this degree may be considered for the purposes of internal growth by respective organizations as per their internal policies. Besides providing prospect for Continuing Legal Education the programme shall also give an opportunity to build a network in legal fraternity. Students of the programme shall be benefitted with University's Library which is full of rich Online and Offline content.

Q3. What is the Academic Eligibility Criteria for the LL.M. (Pro) program?

A person who has completed his/her LL.B. (3 years or 5 years) and has been in service or had professional experience will be eligible to enroll for the said programme.

Q4. Who should participate for LL.M. Programme?

Litigation lawyers, Consultants, Judges, Law Teachers, Attorney, Journalists, Legal Professionals in Firms, Companies, Banks, PSU, MNC, NGO, etc.

Q5. What is the total number of seats in the LL.M. Program?

The total numbers of seats are 100. However, the University reserves the right to alter the number of seats for the programme in a given academic year without prior notice.

Q6. What is the attendance criteria?

Every student has to secure a minimum of **50% attendance** in all the subjects taken individually in each Semester

Q7. What is the duration of the programme?

One Year from **August 2020 to July 2021.**

Q8. What is the reservation policy?

As per Maharashtra Government Rules

Q9. What is the syllabus of the entrance exam of LL.M. Program?

The Programme will be of Twenty-seven (27) Credits comprising of

- i. Four mandatory courses of **three (3) credits** each
- ii. Five Elective papers (**3) credits each**

A. Compulsory

- a. Constitutional Law
- b. Law and Justice
- c. Alternative Dispute Resolution
- d. Information and Technology Law

B. Electives

1. Company Law
2. Merger and Acquisition Law
3. Insolvency and Bankruptcy Law
4. Corporate Finance
5. Corporate Governance
6. Investment and Securitization Law

7. Intellectual Property Law
8. Taxation Law
9. Banking Law
10. Law of Specific Relief and Remedies
11. Property Law
12. Code of Criminal Procedure
13. Code of Civil Procedure
14. Family Law
15. Labour Laws
16. Courts and Litigation Management

Q10. Weather the LL.M. degree is recognized by other universities for pursuing higher studies or eligibility for exams like NET, SET conducted by UGC?

LL. M (Professional) shall not qualify a candidate to the academic benefits of regular LLM degree like admission to M.Phil./Ph.D. It shall not provide eligibility for NET/SET/SLET Exams.

Q11. What is the Selection Process of LL.M. course?

Candidates for admission will be selected on the basis of percentage secured in LL.B. The merit cut-off list will accordingly be prepared for admission.

Q12. Is distance learning available for LL.M.?

No. But certain number of classes shall be held online/virtual.

Q13. Is there any upper age Limit for the Program?

No

Q14. How can I apply?

- a. Fill the application form attached to admission brochure along with the application fee payment details.
- b. After the application is successfully accepted students has to submit relevant documents and fees for the programme on prescribed date.

Q15. When shall the classes be conducted?

Classes will be preferably conducted on Saturday/Sunday / Public holidays as notified by the University in advance. Mode of conduct of classes shall be both online/virtual and offline.

Q16. What is the application form fee?

The application fees/payment of Rs. 3,500/- (Rupees Three Thousand and Five hundred only).

Q17.What is the fees for this LL.M. (Pro) program.

1. Rs.60,000/- (Rs. Sixty Thousand only) for Indian students.
2. USD 1500/- (USD One Thousand Five Hundred only) for Foreign Nationals.

Q 18. Is there a different fees for reserved category candidates?

Being a professional program there is no consideration for differential fees to any category.

Q 19. What are the important dates?

Last date for filling application 15th August 2020

Q20. For any specific query, whom should I contact?

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