



Date: 08-12-2023

Admission Notification for Ph.D. Program - 2023-24

DSNLU is inviting applications for eligible candidates for the following Ph.D. Degree programs:

- I. Ph.D. (Full-time)
- II. Ph.D. (Part-time)
- III. Ph.D. (Executive)

1. ELIGIBILITY FOR ADMISSION in to Ph.D. Program:

The candidate must possess Master's Degree in Law (LL.M) or social sciences or natural sciences (from any recognized University or its equivalent from an accredited institution /Foreign University) with a minimum of 55% of marks or B+ grade.

*Relaxation of 5% marks will be given to SC/ST/BC/ Specially Abled and other categories of candidates as per the UGC Regulations, 2022.

2. Full-time and Part-time Candidates:

2.1. Full-time candidates: the above rule 1. would be applicable.

2.2. Part-time candidates (Internal/External): for admission to the Ph.D. program Part-time, the candidate can be either an Internal or External.

2.2.1. **Internal:** Faculty working in the DSNLU will fall under this category. They can be both permanent as well as contractual Faculty

2.2.2. **External:** Person working as academician will come under this category.

Candidates with 3 years of full-time experience in Law teaching in any Law University or Law College at the time of applying for the Ph.D. program with other required qualifications as per the regulations under rule 1.

3. Executive:

Eligibility for admission under Executive category shall be as follows

3.1 Executive candidates: the above rule 1. would be applicable

3.2 Judicial Officers and Advocates/ Law Officers Executives / Administrators having completed at least 3 years of service.

3.3 Executive candidates under this category are exempted from admission test.

4. PROCEDURE FOR ADMISSION FULL TIME/ PART TIME/EXECUTIVE PROGRAMME:

For Full Time/ Part Time Ph.D. Programme candidates should appear for Entrance Test conducted by the University. However, the following candidates are exempted to appear for the Entrance Test.

4.1.1. Candidates who have qualified in JRF, if they apply within two years of their date of eligibility.

4.1.2. Candidates who have qualified UGC- JRF (after two years) NET/SLET and having a minimum of two publications in any referred Journal of National/International standards i.e., ISBN/Books or ISSN/ eISSN.



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The candidate shall appear for interview for admission in Ph.D. program. Admission is based on the performance in the interview and Entrance Examination.

Interested Candidates seeking admission into Ph.D. program has to submit the application in the format available at DSNLU website www.dsnlu.ac.in with necessary supporting documents along with registration fee of Rs. 5000/- *non-refundable* (for SC & ST Rs. 1000/- only) / processing fee of Rs. 10,000/- *non-refundable* (For executive Ph.D.) by online payment (RTGS/ NEFT) to the Registrar, Damodaram Sanjivayya National Law University, Visakhapatnam. The duly filled in scanned application along with the details of online payment and necessary enclosures is to be submitted by email to admissionsphd.lld@dsnlu.ac.in addressed to the Registrar, Damodaram Sanjivayya National Law University, 'NYAYAPRASTHA', Sabbavaram, Visakhapatnam – 531035 on or before **December 25, 2023**. Candidates are required to check Ph.D. Regulations Visit **DSNLU Website:** www.dsnlu.ac.in.

Bank Details:

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Important Dates:

Issue of Notification	December 08, 2023
Last Date for Receiving Application Forms (online)	December 25, 2023
Last Date for Receiving Hard copy of Application Forms	December 31, 2023
Tentative Entrance Examination for Ph.D. Full Time /Part Time Candidates	January 19, 2024
Entrance Examination Results Announcement	January 23, 2024
Tentative Interview / Presentation of Research Proposals	January 27, 2024
Tentative Date of Admission	February 05, 2024

Sd/-
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