

DAMODARAM SANJIVAYYA NATIONAL LAW UNIVERSITY, Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh, India

ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY

Damodaram Sanjivayya National Law University (DSNLU) was established in the year 2008 by the Government of Andhra Pradesh at Visakhapatnam through DSNLU Act, 2008 to impart quality legal education. The University is recognized u/s 2(f) and 12B of UGC Act 1956 and has the recognition of the BCI.

ABOUT VISAKHAPATNAM

Visakhapatnam is located in the Eastern Ghats with picturesque hills on one side and facing the Bay of Bengal blessed with scenic charm. “The Jewel of the East Coast” and the “City of Destiny”, Vishakhapatnam is the third largest city on the east coast of India. The city to its credit has several stateowned heavy industries. The city has one of the India’s largest seaports, oldest shipyard in the country and the only natural harbour. It gives a cosmopolitan touch with diverse pulsating people residing in the city and provides the best opportunities for academic pursuit.

MISSION

DSNLU is committed to design and deliver legal education, promote academic achievement and excellence in legal research.

VISION

DSNLU endeavours to be a premier law school with state-of-the-art facilities with emphasis on clinical aspects to promote and provide world class education, training, research consultancy and services.

DSNLU strives to motivate and develop quality human resources with ethics, by imparting knowledge, skills and domain expertise in regulatory and legal fields, and to attract and retain competent talent to eventually emerge as pioneers for promotion and proactive growth through interactive activities, globally competent academic programs with quality content, designed delivery



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Registrar (In-Charge)**

ACADEMICS

and synchronized support services. We strive to design and deliver unique, innovative and research-based pedagogy for holistic promotion of the students.

The University offers Five Year Integrated B.A., LL.B. (Hons.) and Oneyear LL.M. The academic year is divided into two semesters: the Monsoon Semester (July-November) and the Spring Semester (January- May). Students are required to complete 220 credits before they become eligible to graduate. Each credit course involves 60 hours of classroom teaching.

DSNLU believes that every student has the potential to make a difference and under its banner shall create a change not only within a student but also society as a whole. DSNLU provides a platform for learning with intense tradition of academic and research excellence. DSNLU provides motive of DSNLU fraternity. DSNLU promises the students to develop their skills, confidence and achieve the goals and make them think big.

DSNLU offers quality teaching and orientation towards research. The fraternity at DSNLU provides an excellent opportunity of analytical thinking and learning. The experience at DSNLU would make the student equipped to become a judge, lawyer and academician or to secure a career with corporate law firms, state departments and organizations. The University extends support in developing moot and debating skills and provides practical experience of legal learning. DSNLU encourages in conducting legal aid and legal literacy camps in various parts of the country.

In order to further enrich the law school experience, a number of optional courses and seminar papers of varying credits are offered. The students have to choose the subject and pursue the area of their interest.

The University has the credit of being the first National Law University to enter into 'Memorandum of Understanding' for student exchange programs with other National Law Universities at Bangalore, Kolkata, Patna and Patiala. In addition, the University has entered into a MOU with International Centre for Alternative Dispute Resolution. The University has also been deemed as a Study Center by the IGNOU.

The academic programs are designed to provide intensive training and exposure to various aspects in the study of law. Students are exposed to innovative and exciting opportunities to legal learning through classroom teaching, tutorials, projects, group discussions, seminar presentations on chosen topics apart from a rigorous examination process. The academic activities are intertwined with the participation in moot court competitions, quiz programs, parliamentary debates, seminars, conferences and workshops organized by various Institutions, Universities and National Law Schools. The students of the University also undertake summer and winter internship with Judges, law firms, advocates, quasijudicial and State institutions and NGOs to gain hands-on experience and expertise in the field of law. The University is

opportunities in exploring and looking things differently in the academic pursuit. DSNLU strives to provide a friendly, efficient and accessible environment in achieving the excellence. Quality education with innovative and creative learning is the determined to maintain the standards of quality legal education.

ACADEMIC ACTIVITY

DSNLU organizes number of curricular and extracurricular activities every year. DSNLU celebrated "Leventh Leap", the 11th Foundation Day Celebrations during 22nd to 30th September 2018.

'Spread Wings' Foundation Day Lecture on 'Judicial Conduct A Comparison' by Hon'ble Sri. Justice Mohan Pieris. Former Chief Justice, Supreme Court of Srilanka.

DSNLU inaugurated Center for IPR and Legal Incubation Center during this academic year. In addition, the following events were organised:

Exhortation on 'Study of Law for the sake of Liberty, Creativity and Dharma' by Sri. R. Venkata Ramani, Senior Advocate, Supreme Court of India and Member, Law Commission of India (2010).

Estate Table on 'RERA' for Estate Developers, Regulatory Authorities and Legal Professionals.

'Chitram 2018' - Center for Child and Law released "INFAN SHINE".

'LIEU DU CRIME' – Intra Varsity Crime Scene Investigation Competition, 'Lex Sportiva' – One Day training Program on "Sports Law – Aptuse, Analysis,

Abuse" and 'Green Domain': Seminar on "Environmental Degradation, Displacement and Corporate Accountability".

'Marg Darshan' – Interface with Renowned Legal Professionals & Career Exponents organised by Recruitment Coordination Committee

'Plenum Arbit' – Center for Advanced Research in Dispute Settlement (CARDS) conducted Arbitration Weekend- 2018 on Intellectual Excursion into Third Party Funding and Interplay between Blockchain and Arbitration' with a Key Note address by Sri K.V. Viswanathan, Senior Advocate, Supreme Court of India and Former Additional Solicitor General of India, Closing Curtain by Sri. V. Giri, Senior Advocate, Supreme Court of India with various legal luminaries from Law Firms sharing their experience on International Commercial Arbitration.

DSNLU regularly organizes Seminars, Workshops and training programs for the benefit of students,

young lawyers, government officials, NGOs on contemporary themes by inviting eminent experts as resource persons from academia, bar and bench. CARDS continuing with the tradition organised five-day Workshop on International Commercial Arbitration at Singapore from 13 to 17 December 2017. The third Workshop will be conducted in Paris, France during February 2019. Centre for Child and Law organized shadow play on Drug addiction, legal awareness and outreach programs on child rights and capacity building programs for NGOs, Government Officials of various state Departments and School Teachers. Legal Incubation Centre has organised Three-day Training Program for Young Lawyers on Criminal Justice and Practice.

EXAMINATION EVALUATION

DSNLU follows rigorous and continuous academic evaluation method which focus on student regularity, performance in class tests, moot court assignments, case studies, project assignments including group discussions, mid-semester and end-semester examinations as per the set Examination Rules. The students are also trained to work as a group to adapt to any environment. Specific Promotion Scheme is adopted by the University to maintain the academic performance of the students.

FACULTY

DSNLU has a team of highly dedicated and competent faculty, comprising of a unique blend of experienced academicians and young talent. The faculty has been drawn from prestigious national and international universities; each of them with their unique assortment of skills and varied experiences help to bring in an inimitable vibrancy to the life of the University. In addition, DSNLU organizes a series of guest lectures for the benefit of its students every fortnight with legal luminaries comprising of renowned judges of the Supreme Court of India and High Courts, Senior Advocates, Civil Servants, Attorneys from reputed national and international firms and experts in various fields. This unique facet of academic life enables our students to be abreast with the latest developments in the field of law and equips them with the tools of critical thinking which are necessary to become able legal practitioners. Besides, the DSNLU academic curriculum is also enriched with the help of its Visiting Faculty and Honorary Visiting Professors who represent diverse backgrounds. These include former judges of the Supreme Court of India, judges of International tribunals, representatives of WIPO,

Attorneys of international firms and eminent academicians. Such a unique resource pool of faculty members makes instruction at DSNLU one-of- its kind in India.

STUDENT ACTIVITIES

At DSNLU, we believe that education goes beyond the classroom. The life of the University is invigorated with round-the-year activities which are bolstered with the help of student driven societies and committees for the effective development of the University. Some of these include:

1. Sports Committee
2. Society for Talent Art & Culture (STAC)
3. Literary and Debating Committee
4. Campus Development Committee
5. Legal Services Committee
6. Moot and Advocacy Society
7. Tech Committee (SOLT)
8. Internship Committee
9. Visiting Faculties Committee
10. Recruitment Coordination Committee

DSNLU Established the following Advanced Research and Training Centres:

1. Centre for Advanced Research in Dispute Settlement (CARDS)
2. Centre for Child and Law
3. Legal Incubation Centre
4. Centre for IPR

Some of the important events organized by various societies include Model United Nations, Hindi Diwas, Vigilance Awareness Week, 'VAKTA' - DSNLU's intrarsity debating competition to promote oratory and debating skills amongst its students. The Legal Aid Cell of DSNLU organizes legal literacy programmes that have an outreach component not only in the State of Andhra Pradesh, but also in other States. Besides, there are a number of other intra-varsity sports and cultural events organized for students to exhibit their creative and sporting ability. Moot Court and Mock Trial competitions are held on a regular basis to enable students to develop their advocacy skills. Together these activities make the life of University vibrant and peerless.

INFRASTRUCTURE FACILITIES

DSNLU state-of-the-art, technologically advanced and ecofriendly campus is situated in 45.5 acres abutting the hill. DSNLU campus has fully air-conditioned Academic Block, Wi-Fi enabled with LAN facility. The University is a part of National Knowledge Network whereas the

Government of India has provided 1GBPS connectivity to the University. Boys and Girls Hostels consists of 160 rooms each with 2 students' accommodation in a room as per the University Rules. DSNLU has canteen building accommodating 350 students at a time. DSNLU has 11 KV Sub-station with two 320 KVA backup generators, 1.5 KLD capacity Sewage Treatment Plant, Andhra Bank ATM. 350 Kw Roof Top Solar Power Plant is also established. The students are facilitated with a worldclass library which provides access to online resources like Westlaw India, Hein Online, SCC online, Lexis Nexis, Kluwer Competition Law, Kluwer IP Law, Kluwer Arbitration, Taxmann, JSTOR and Manupatra for intensive research. The online resources are available through RemoteXs. Further, DSNLU adopts Turnitin, an antiplagiarism web tool. All the classrooms are equipped with LCD projectors, internet and public address system. DSNLU Moot Court Hall is a splendor in its own way. The University has seminar and conference hall that are made available for conducting meetings and organizing guest lectures.

ADMISSIONS

- i) Eligibility: DSNLU is governed by CLAT 2019 notification as regards eligibility criteria. ii) Intake:
 5 Year Integrated B.A, LL.B., (Hons.) -
 120 seats One Year LL.M. (Constitutional Law /
 - 24 seats Commercial Laws / Criminal Law)

RULES OF RESERVATION

- The seats in the University shall be filled as follows;
 - Out of the total sanctioned seats –
 - fifty percent of the seats shall be filled as per the rules of AP State;

TABLE INDICATING CATEGORY WISE DISTRIBUTION OF SEATS FOR UG COURSE

S. No.	Category	Unreserved	Reservation							Total
			SC 15%	ST 6%	BC					
					A 7%	B 10%	C 1%	D 7%	E 4%	
A	AP State	30	9	4	4	6	1	4	2	60
B	All India	48	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	48
C	Foreign Citizens / Non-Resident Indians	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
									Total	120

TABLE INDICATING CATEGORY WISE DISTRIBUTION OF SEATS FOR PG COURSE

S. No.	Category	Unreserved	Reservation							Total
			SC 15%	ST 6%	BC					
					A 7%	B 10%	C 1%	D 7%	E 4%	
A	AP State	6	2	1	1	1	-	1	-	12
B	All India	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10
C	Foreign Citizens / Non-Resident Indians	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
									Total	24

- 5% Horizontal reservation shall be applicable for Especially Abled Persons (SAP) All India

- forty percent of the seats shall be allotted on all India basis;
 - remaining ten percent of the seats allotted to Foreign Citizens/Non-Resident Indians
- If seats reserved for candidates from the state of Andhra Pradesh are not filled for want of eligible candidates, such vacant seats shall be filled from the candidates of other states as per CLAT 2019 ranking.
 - Seats will be distributed among the open and reserved candidates as per the table given below:
 - The seats reserved for STs shall be made available to SCs and vice-versa, if qualified candidates are not available in that category.
 - If qualified candidates belonging to SCs and STs are not available, the left-over seats reserved for them shall be treated as unreserved seats and shall be filled by the candidates of general pool.
 - If qualified candidates belonging to BCs of a particular group are not available, the left-over seats can be adjusted for the candidates of next group.
 - If qualified candidates belonging to BCs are not available to fill up the 29% seats reserved for them, the left-over seats shall be treated as unreserved and shall be filled up with candidates of general pool.

- 2% Horizontal reservation shall be applicable for Children of Armed Personnel (CAP) of Andhra Pradesh
- 1% Horizontal reservation shall be applicable for National Cadet Corps (NCC) of Andhra Pradesh
- 0.5% Horizontal reservation shall be applicable for Eminent Sports Persons of Andhra Pradesh ■ 33.33% Horizontal reservation shall be applicable for Women of Andhra Pradesh

CURRICULUM 2019-20 FOR B.A., LL.B. (HONS) COURSE

First Semester		Second Semester	
1.1 English – 2.1	Legal Language and Legal Writing		
1.2 Political Science – I	2.2 Political Science – II		
1.3 Sociology – I	2.3 Sociology – II		
1.4 History - 12.4	Legal and Constitutional History		
1.5 Law of Torts, Motor Vehicle Act and Consumer Protection	2.5 Economics - I Act		
1.6 Legal Methods	2.6 Law of Contracts - I and Specific Relief Act		
Third Semester		Fourth Semester	
3.1 Criminal Law I (IPC - I)	4.1 Criminal Law - II (IPC - II)		
3.2 Family Law - I	4.2 Family Law - II		
3.3 Constitutional Law - I	4.3 Constitutional Law – II		
3.4 Economics - II	4.4 Code of Criminal Procedure		
3.5 Jurisprudence	4.5 Law and Poverty		
3.6 Specific Contracts (Contracts - II)	4.6 Transfer of Property		
Fifth Semester		Sixth Semester	
5.1 Labour Law – I	6.1 Labour Law – II		
5.2 Law of Evidence	6.2 Administrative Law		
5.3 Code of Civil Procedure	6.3 Interpretation of Statutes		
5.4 Environmental Law	6.4 Tax Law – I		
5.5 Intellectual Property Rights	6.5 Law of Banking and Negotiable Instruments		
5.6 Public International Law	6.6 Clinical Paper - I - ADR		
Seventh Semester		Eighth Semester	
7.1 Tax Law II	8.1 Corporate Law – II		
7.2 Clinical Paper II - Drafting, Pleading and Conveyancing	& 8.2 Competition Law Moot Court		
7.3 Corporate Law – I	8.3 Private International Law		
7.4 Elective - I: International Trade Law / Natural Resources Forensic and Energy Laws	Science and Law	8.4	Elective - IV: International Humanitarian Law /
7.5 Elective – II: International Organizations / Air and Space Victimology /		8.5	Elective – V: Criminology, Penology &
Laws			Investment Law
7.6 Elective – III: Maritime Law / International Dispute Law		8.6	Elective VI: Insurance Laws / Biotechnology
Ninth Semester		Tenth Semester	
9.1 Land Laws	10.1 Legal and Professional Ethics		
9.2 Elective – VII: Health Laws / Citizenship and Immigration International		10.2	Elective - X: International Environmental Law /
Laws			E- Commerce Law
9.3 Elective – VIII: Disaster Management / Corporate Governance	10.3		Elective – XI: Insolvency Laws / International Criminal Law
9.4 Elective – IX: Women and Child Law / Information Technology Infrastructure Laws Law		10.4	Elective - XII: Sports Laws /
9.5 Seminar – I: Media Laws / Election Laws / Affirmative National		10.5	Seminar – III: War Crimes, Terrorism and
Action and Discriminative Justice			Security Laws / Comparative Constitution / Right To Information / Heritage Laws
9.6 Seminar Paper II: Refugee Laws / Drug Control Laws / Comparative Law of Carriage		10.6	Seminar Paper IV: Military Law / Mining Laws
			Criminal Procedure & Offences

CURRICULUM 2019-20 FOR ONE YEAR LL.M. COURSE

Compulsory Papers

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| I | Research Methods and Principles of State Policy | IV Fundamental Rights and Commercial Transactions | Directive Legal Aspects of the General Principles of Criminal Law | Legal Writing |
| II | Comparative Public Law V | Centre-State Relations and | Corporate Securities Laws | Comparative Criminology Theory and |

Specialization Papers

Constitutional Law Commercial Law Criminal Law

	/ Systems of Governance		Constitutional Governance		approaches including Mental Health
III	Law and Justice in a Globalizing World	VI	Administrative Law	Bankruptcy Law	Global Criminal Law
		VII	Comparative Constitution Law	IT & Commercial Law	Corporate & White Collar Crimes VIII
			Minorities Law	Investment & Trade Law	Police & Prison
			Administration ix	Educational Law	Infrastructure Law
				Criminal Law	& Human Rights
					Dissertation

Subject will be allotted by the University.

FEE STRUCTURE FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2018-19 (U.G & PG)		
Particulars	UG	PG
	Amount Rs.	Amount Rs.
Admission Fee	3,000.00 (One Time)	3,000.00 (One Time)
Tuition Fees	88,000.00 pa	88,000.00
Student Welfare Fund	5,000.00 pa	5,000.00
Examination Fee	5,000.00 pa	6,000.00
Academic Activities Fee	8,000.00 pa	2,000.00
Internet, Journals and Library fee	14,000.00 pa	14,000.00
Medical fee	1,000.00 pa	1,000.00
Electricity Charges	12,000.00 pa	12,000.00
Infrastructure & Development Fee	15,000.00 pa	5,000.00
Sports & Gym Fee	2,000.00 pa	1,000.00
Moot Court Fee	2,000.00 pa	--
Alumni Fee	2,000.00 (One Time)	--
Accommodation	18,000.00 pa	18,000.00
Library Deposit (Refundable)	5,000.00 (one time)	5,000.00 (one time)
Hostel Deposit (Refundable)	10,000.00 (one time)	10,000.00 (one time)
Canteen Security Deposit (Refundable)	10,000.00 (one time)	10,000.00 (one time)
Total	2,00,000.00 pa	1,80,000.00

In addition to the above Fee, Mess charges are as per charges agreed by the service provider and as may be fixed by the authorities from time to time.

- Note: 1. For five-year Integrated B.A., LL.B. (Hons.), the fee for Foreign Citizens / Non Resident Indian candidates is fixed at Rs. 3,00,000/- (Rupees three lakhs only) per annum.
2. For one-year LL.M. fee for Foreign Citizens / Non Resident Indian candidates is fixed at Rs. 2,80,000/(Rupees two lakhs eighty thousand only) per annum.
3. Counselling for Foreign Citizen / Non-Resident Indian Candidates category shall be done by DSNLU directly.
4. Tuition fee is increased by 10% every year.

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