



Date: - 22.08.2024

NOTICE

S.Y. LL.B. (SEM. - III)

PRACTICAL TRAINING – II (ALTERNATE DISPUTE RESOLUTION)

As per the University of Mumbai Revised Syllabus for LL. B. (3 years) dated 17/05/2022, the students of II-year LL. B (SEM-III) as part of their curriculum are required to successfully complete and pass in Practical Oriented Component Course - Practical Training II Alternate Dispute Resolution.

Practical Training - II consists of the following mandatory components:

| Sr. No. | COMPONENT | MAXIMUM MARKS | EXAM/ SUBMISSION DATE |
|----------------|--|----------------------|------------------------------|
| I | Written Exam | 60 | 19/10/2024 |
| II | Client Counselling Practical Exam + Case Comment. | 30 | 1/10/2024 |
| III | Visits / Participation in ADR / Research Events. | 10 | During this Term |
| Total | | 100 | |

COMPONENT I : WRITTEN EXAM (60 Marks)

The written exam shall be conducted on the following units:

The Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996 (30 Marks)

- Arbitration: Meaning, Essentials and Types
- Arbitral Tribunal: Composition and Jurisdiction
- Conduct of Arbitral Proceedings: Place and Venue
- Arbitral Award
- Enforcement of Award under the Act
- Grounds for Setting Aside an Award

Legal Services Authorities Act, 1987 (10 Marks)

- Authorities
 - ✓ Constitution, Powers & Functions National Legal Services Authority,
 - ✓ Constitution, Powers & Functions and District Legal Services Authority
- Persons eligible for getting free legal services
- Lok Adalat
- Permanent Lok Adalat

Drafting an Abstract for a Research Paper (300 to 350 words) (10 Marks)

Students would be required to draft an abstract on **Any One** of the following Socio – legal theme or any allied topic of their choice. An abstract precedes a research paper and must be such as would give sufficient background to understand the contents of the research which the researcher desires to undertake.

- Gender Identity and Sports
- Intellectual Property Issues for AI-Generated Works
- Privacy Rights & Social Media Platforms
- Environmental Protection and notions of sustainability in India
- Contemporary Human Right Challenges

Drafting a Negotiation Plan (10 Marks)

The question paper will contain a brief set of facts based on a **breach of contract** issue. You will draft a negotiation plan from the side of the Responding or Requesting party, as specified in the question paper.

The purpose of the Negotiation Plan is to present the objectives and goals of the respective party (Responding / Requesting) to the Negotiation Simulation. A Negotiation Plan contains a brief case analysis evaluating strategic strong points and weak points of each party, an outline of your respective party wants, interests, BATNAs and what is the worst outcome if the negotiation fails. A sample format shall be provided on **3rd September, 2024**.

COMPONENT II - PRACTICAL EXAM (40 Marks)

1. Client Counselling Simulation (20 Marks)

- i. For this component each student shall be required to be present in college on the assigned date. A client interview between an Advocate and a Client shall be virtually displayed. Each student must observe the virtual session and write a report on the best solutions (counselling) that they would have given the client.
- ii. A demo session of the conduct of this simulation shall be held on **3rd September, 2024** from **2:30pm to 4:30 pm**.
- iii. The exam (simulation) schedule shall be notified subsequently.

2. Case Comment (10 Marks)

Students will have to submit a handwritten Case Comment on **ANY ONE** of the following case of their choice. The case comment shall be submitted on the day of the Client counselling exam i.e. **1/10/2024**.

- *Supriya Chakraborty v. Union of India, 2023 INSC 920*
- *Sita Soren v. Union of India, (2024) 3 S.C.R. 462*
- *Animal Welfare Board v. Union of India, 2023 INSC 548*
- *Ashwini Kumar Upadhyay v. Union of India & Anr. 2023 INSC 991*

Format - The case comment must comprise of the following particulars:

- Case Details
- Relevant law/s
- Relevant Background Facts
- Issues in the case
- Ratio / Ruling of the case
- Judgment
- Impact of the judgment.

Note: Students may add arguments of both parties if they consider it relevant.

GUIDELINES FOR COMPONENT III – VISITS / EVENTS (10 Marks)


The following activities shall be taken into consideration while awarding marks in this component:

- Participation in any Alternate Dispute Resolution Competitions (Inter or Intra Collegiate).
- Participation in any Essay, Article, or Research Paper writing competition.
- Publication of any Essay, Article or Research Paper.

Certificates must be submitted to the faculty in charge on the day of the written exam.

- Visits to Lok Adalat / Law office (A 2-page Report of the visit must be submitted along with a Photograph proof).

Faculty In-charge: Asst. Prof. Poorva Dighe & Asst. Prof. Sneha R. Nair


Dr. Priya J. Shah
(I/c Principal)