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# SCHOOL OF LAW

Forensic Justice & Policy Studies  
(Decoding Forensics for Public Welfare)

due process equality

liberty reasonableness

equity policy forensic justice

governance constitutional morality

constitutional values rights

duties wisdom

wisdom life long learning

knowledge freedom

fulfilment truth

# NFSU



National Forensic  
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An Institution of National Importance  
Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India  
Gujarat | New Delhi | Goa | Tripura | Bhopal

# FROM DESK OF THE VICE CHANCELLOR

It gives me great pleasure to state that the National Forensic Sciences University has been scaling new heights since its inception as an Institution of National Importance (INI). The predominant objective of our University is the strengthening systems domain experts in the area of Forensic sciences and Law and Justice-domains that require dynamic specialists and advanced scientific knowledge. The university was established in 2009 by the Hon'ble Prime Minister of India Shri. Narendra Modi ji, the then Chief Minister of Gujarat. The institution has come a long way to become a Central University known as the National Forensic Sciences University with a tag of 'Institution of National Importance'. While this is a matter of pride, it is also a responsibility and opportunity to invest, time, energy and resources to the best of our ability. Our faculty and staff work tirelessly to accomplish the objective of stimulating an intellectual atmosphere in the university. The University has made great efforts to become internationally acclaimed in this highly demanding area of specialization. To cater to the huge demands of the domain experts and to provide easy access to various specializations, the Government of India has established new campuses at New Delhi, Goa and Tripura.



We will be delighted to welcome all interested in joining us and in fostering an academic atmosphere at the university campuses. We look forward to seeing you at the National Forensic Sciences University and being a part of our family.

**Padma Shri. Dr. J. M. Vyas**

Vice-Chancellor

National Forensic Sciences University

# FROM DESK OF THE DEAN

I am pleased to share this brochure with you that will unlock the paths to advanced learning in the domain of Law!

With a vision to empower students with Legal education, intensive training, and hands-on practical experience, we offer Law programs reflecting contemporary trends. Through theoretical and application-based learning in our courses for law students, we aim to transform the learning experience and enhance human-resource skilling across academic, industrial, public, and private organizations.

The idea is to enhance critical thinking and problem-solving skills - and match the standards of the market and industry requirements. We have state-of-the-art infrastructure and experienced faculty who have consistently engaged in teaching and research. We envision providing advanced solutions to complex problems using legal, forensic, and technological frames.

Our academic programs include courses, seminars, and international conferences, all aiming to cater to wide-ranging challenges and needs in the employment sector. Our specialized training programs, domain-specific workshops, and lectures on niche subjects stem from years of experience, creativity, and innovation.

I am confident that our attempts to build a strong connection between theory, academics, and practical training will be meaningful for everybody; and I am sure that you will find our programs and initiatives meaningful in the context of industry-relevant niche skills requirements.

All the best in your learning journey! I look forward to your association with NFSU!

**Prof. (Dr.) Purvi Pokhariyal**

Dean, School of Law, Forensic Justice and Policy Studies

Campus Director, Gandhinagar (HQ)

National Forensic Sciences University



# ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY

National Forensic Sciences University, the erstwhile Gujarat Forensic Sciences University is the brain child of Government of Gujarat. It was established by the Honorable Prime Minister of India Shri. Narendra Modi ji, then Chief Minister of Gujarat in 2009 with a sole objective of creating professional experts in the field of Forensic sciences. At a juncture of spiking number of crimes involving sophisticated technologies and much evolved modus operandi, there was a need for scientists and technocrats. This has been prudently considered by the Government of Gujarat and the University came into existence as a unique and first of its kind academic institution dedicated to Forensic Sciences across the globe.

The National Forensic Sciences University with the status of an Institution of National Importance is the world's first and only University dedicated to Forensic, behavioral, cyber security, digital forensics, and allied Sciences. It was established by the Government of India through Act, 2020 (32 of 2020) with the objective of fulfilling the acute shortage against the increasing demand for forensic experts in the country and around the world.



## Vision

- To fulfill the acute shortage of forensic experts in the country and the world
- To make the world a better and safer place to live
- To carry out research in the area of Forensic Science, Crime Investigation, Security, Behavioral Science and Criminology



## Mission

- Education through investigation
- To impart high quality education of international standards
- To carry out research in the area of Forensic Science, Crime Investigation, Security, Behavioral Science and Criminology





# ABOUT THE SCHOOL OF LAW, FORENSIC JUSTICE AND POLICY STUDIES

The School of Law, Forensic Justice and Policy Studies was established with the aim of imparting professional education with a special focus of forensic application in all allied areas of law and policy framework. The school aspires to be the leading provider of forensic justice understanding to all professionals from different areas of governance including justice administration. Through forensic lenses it focuses on crime prevention, crime reduction, crime mapping, speedy and fair dispensation of justice, thereby contributing to overall welfare of people. The school ultimately envision to produce sound techno-legal experts who can contribute in all areas of governance improving the efficiency leading to peace and happiness among the people through the highest index of Rule of Law and Justice.

## Programmes

- B.Sc.; LL.B. (Hons.) (Five year integrated programme after 10+2)
- B.B.A.; LL.B.(Hons.) (Five year integrated programme after 10+2)
- LL.B. (Hons.) (Three year programme after graduation)
- LL.M. in Cyber Law and Cyber Crime Investigation (One year programme after three year LL.B. or five year integrated law programme)
- LL.M. in Criminal Law and Criminal Justice Administration (One year programme after three year LL.B. or five year integrated law programme)
- Post Graduate Diploma in Cyber Law (One year programme after graduation)

## Unique Features

- Innovative curriculum design with perfect blend of theory, practice and clinical exposure
- Nurturing by professionals and practitioners from core expertise area
- Exclusive advanced laboratory facility for better understanding of forensic application
- Learning through simulations
- Exclusive clinical design for all programmes to facilitate experiential learning
- Classroom learning through discourse and reflective pedagogy
- Limited intake of students with individual focus and mentoring
- Career counselling and design of development graph of each student
- Teaching pedagogy is designed to advance professionals in forensic justice and policy making





# B.Sc.; LL.B. (Hons.)

## (Gandhinagar Campus)

**FIVE YEAR INTEGRATED PROGRAMME WITH  
SPECIAL FOCUS ON DATA SCIENCE AND LAW**

B.Sc.; LL.B. (Hons.) is India's first five-year integrated programme with special focus on Data Science and Law and it is one of the first of its kind five-year integrated programme designed to train future technology proficient lawyers who can contribute immensely in technology driven world. This programme aims at integrating data analytics in legal research and practice by employing machine learning, natural language processing, and other state-of-the-art data science methodologies in research across a range of disciplines including studies of crime, consumer bankruptcies, comparative competition law and comparative judicial decisions. Students benefit from comparative study of knowledge and practices in the classroom and through high end laboratories and other experiential learning opportunities.

### Why to study this programme?

To discover an array of courses, how artificial intelligence is disrupting and influencing the study of nearly every area of the law: antitrust, business, criminal justice, cyber security, human rights, intellectual property, international law, legal history, securities regulation, social policy, and many more. The programme offers the futuristic cognitive aptitude for law and technology, providing students with opportunities to learn about various sectors within legal tech and the legal services market as a whole through on-campus and off-campus opportunities that draw on the expertise of academics, technocrats, scientists and industry professionals, leveraging the robust University network and industry contacts.

### Eligibility

Eligibility Criteria for candidates seeking admission in the First Year of five-year integrated B.Sc.; LL.B. (Hons.) Programme under the School of Law, Forensic Justice and Policy Studies, NFSU

- Candidate has to qualify CLAT exam and admission is based on merit list of CLAT Score of the admission year; and
- Passed Intermediate/Higher Secondary Board Exam (10+2) in Science Stream or Commerce/Arts Stream with Mathematics or Statistics subject with 50% marks or equivalent (45% or equivalent marks for SC/ST and PWD category)

### Tuition Fee

- Rs. 65,000/- per semester

# Programme Outline\* - B.Sc.; LL.B. (Hons.)

## Semester I

- Legal Methods
- Law of Tort and Consumer Protection Laws
- Law and Literature
- Fundamentals of Computer Organization & Embedded Systems
- Basic Programming Concepts using C
- Discrete Mathematics

## Semester II

- Legal Language and Writing
- Law and Society
- Jurisprudence
- Object Oriented Programming using C++
- Relational Database Management System
- Statistics

## Semester III

- Law of Crimes I
- Constitutional Law I
- Law of Contract I
- Family Law I
- Web Programming
- OS Concepts

## Semester IV

- Criminal Procedure Code, Juvenile Justice Act
- Constitutional Law II
- Law of Contract II
- Family Law II
- Computer Network and Security
- Data Warehousing and Data Mining

## Semester V

- Company Law
- Code of Civil Procedure Code
- Law of Evidence
- Intellectual Property Law
- Elective – I
- R Programming
- Programming in Python
- Elective – II
- Big Data Analytics Using Hadoop
- Image Processing & Biometrics Technology

## Semester VI

- Property Law
- Alternative Dispute Resolution
- Law of Taxation
- Cyber Law
- Elective – III
- Cyber Security
- AI & Machine Learning
- Project based on Data Analytics

## Semester VII

- Honors Course I
- Honors Course II
- AI and Law
- Public International Law
- Interpretation of Statutes and Judicial Process
- Labour Law I

## Semester VIII

- Honors Course III
- Honors Course IV
- Forensic Science and Law
- Drafting, Pleading, Conveyancing
- Elective Course I
- Labour Law II

## Semester IX

- Honors Course V
- Honors Course VI
- Honors Course VII
- Honors Course VIII
- Professional Ethics and Bar- Bench Relations
- Foreign Language

## Semester X

- Elective Course II
- Elective Course III
- Elective Course IV
- Elective Course V
- Elective Course VI
- Moot Court, Internships and Legal Aid



# B.B.A.; LL.B. (Hons.)

(Delhi Campus)

## FIVE YEAR INTEGRATED PROGRAMME WITH SPECIAL FOCUS ON CORPORATE FORENSICS

B.B.A.; LL.B. (Hons.) is a specialized programme focused on the study and identification of key concepts in corporate law and the field of management education. The course is aimed at analyzing a situation and collaborate effectively with issues of corporate forensics. It is to enhance communication by engaging in a persuasive style, and demonstrate oral advocacy skills. The specialized programme further aims to recognize, evaluate and resolve ethical dilemmas in legal and other professions. The study of this course shall help the students employ appropriate legal analysis by reasoning and problem-solving skills to solve complex corporate governance issues.

### Why to study this programme?

This is a premier programme fostering excellence in legal learning and business administration with a multidisciplinary approach at the world's only forensic sciences university with an aim to decode forensic for public welfare. The thrust of the programme is on Business Administration and Law where students will blend statistical methods, business decisions and communications with Law to equip them for one of the most in demand and lucrative careers in the world.

B.B.A.; LL.B.(Hons.) programme at the School of Law, Forensic Justice & Policy Studies will provide education for students in the principles and practices of law, that facilitate creation of a new generation of empowered lawyers. The curriculum benefits from the forensic and investigative science expertise at NFSU, offering opportunity with dual expertise to find better ways to use both domains, viz business administration, including marketing, finance, human resource management, international business, and the policy studies, including corporate laws in the field of corporate governance, banking, investment, insurance, competition and acquisition & mergers, etc., thereby facilitating a truly multidisciplinary approach to legal learning.

### Eligibility

Eligibility Criteria for candidates seeking admission in the First Year of five-year integrated B.B.A.; LL.B. (Hons.) Programme under the School of Law, Forensic Justice and Policy Studies, NFSU

- Candidate has to qualify CLAT exam and admission is based on merit list of CLAT Score of the admission year; and
- Passed Intermediate/Higher Secondary Board Exam (10+2) from any Stream with 50% marks or equivalent (45 % or equivalent marks for SC/ST and PWD category).

### Tuition Fee

- Rs. 65,000/- per semester



# Programme Outline\* - B.B.A.; LL.B. (Hons.)

## Semester I

- Legal Methods
- Law of Tort and Consumer Protection Laws
- Law and Literature
- Economics
- Business Statistics
- Principles of Management

## Semester II

- Legal Language and Writing
- Law and Society
- Jurisprudence
- Managerial Economics
- Financial Management
- Organizational Behavior and Human Resource Management

## Semester III

- Law of Crimes I
- Constitutional Law I
- Law of Contract I
- Family Law I
- Principles of Accounting
- Marketing Management

## Semester IV

- Criminal Procedure Code, Juvenile Justice Act
- Constitutional Law II
- Law of Contract II
- Family Law II
- Advanced and Forensic Accounting
- Business Environments

## Semester V

- Company Law
- Code of Civil Procedure
- Law of Evidence
- Intellectual Property Law
- Business Policy and Strategic Management
- Management Control and Information Systems

## Semester VI

- Property Law
- Alternative Dispute Resolution
- Law of Taxation
- Cyber Law
- Corporate Governance and Business Ethics
- Leadership and Entrepreneurship

## Semester VII

- Honors Course I
- Honors Course II
- AI and Law
- Public International Law
- Interpretation of Statutes and Judicial Process
- Labour Law I

## Semester VIII

- Honors Course III
- Honors Course IV
- Forensic Science and Law
- Drafting, Pleading, Conveyancing
- Elective Course I
- Labour Law II

## Semester IX

- Honors Course V
- Honors Course VI
- Honors Course VII
- Honors Course VIII
- Professional Ethics and Bar Bench Relations
- Foreign Language

## Semester X

- Elective Course II
- Elective Course III
- Elective Course IV
- Elective Course V
- Elective Course VI
- Moot Court, Internships and Legal Aid



# LL.B. (Hons.)

## (Gandhinagar Campus)

### THREE YEAR PROGRAMME WITH SPECIAL FOCUS ON FORENSIC JUSTICE

This is a highly advanced and specialized law programme with a specific focus on forensic justice, ethics and professionalism. This is an extensive case study based programme offering practice ready experiences through exhaustive clinical experience and internships, guided by accomplished lawyers, policy makers and distinguished legal professionals.

#### Why to study this programme?

This is premier programme fostering excellence in legal learning and research with multidisciplinary approach at world's first University dedicated to the study of forensic science and allied studies. It works with the aim of decode forensic for public welfare. Recent developments have demonstrated that a solid grounding in the scientific method and forensic evidence is critical for lawyers and justice professionals. The School of Law, Forensic Justice and Policy Studies is proud to be a pioneer in the criminal justice field by offering the country's first and only graduate law programme with forensic justice specialization. The curriculum benefits from the forensic and investigative science expertise at NFSU, offering opportunity to students to combine breadth (that is, exposure to a wide range of forensic methods) with depth (the opportunity to conduct original, independent research in a narrower area of interest). The programme curriculum offers flexible, practical and application-based pedagogy to develop expertise and skills.

#### Eligibility

Eligibility Criteria for candidates seeking admission in the three year LL.B. (Hons.) Programme under the School of Law, Forensic Justice and Policy Studies, NFSU

- Marks obtained in Bachelor's degree in any discipline from a recognized university with minimum 45% marks in aggregate. (40% or equivalent marks for SC/ST and PWD category)
- Admission shall be undertaken on the basis of the rank obtained by the candidates in the All-India Entrance Examination conducted by School of Law, Forensic Justice and Policy Studies, National Forensic Sciences University

#### Tuition Fee

Rs. 60,000/- per semester



# Programme Outline\* - LL.B. (Hons.)

## Semester I

- Legal Methods
- Law of Tort and Consumer Protection Laws
- Law of Crimes
- General Principles of Contract
- Jurisprudence

## Semester II

- Constitutional Law I
- Code of Criminal Procedure and Juvenile Justice Act
- Law of Specific Contract
- Legal Language and Writing
- Family Law I

## Semester III

- Constitutional Law II
- Family Law II
- Law of Evidence
- Public International Law
- Labour Law I

## Semester IV

- Administrative Law
- Property Law
- Code of Civil Procedure
- Interpretation of Statutes
- Labour Law II

## Semester V

- Alternative Dispute Resolution
- Intellectual Property Law
- Law of Taxation
- Forensic Science and Law
- Human Rights Law

## Semester VI

- Environment Law
- Professional Ethics and Bar-Bench Relations
- Drafting, Pleading & Conveyancing
- Cyber Law
- Artificial Intelligence and Law

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# LL.M. in Cyber Law and Cyber Crime Investigation (Gandhinagar Campus)

**ONE YEAR PROGRAMME WITH SPECIALIZATION IN  
CYBER LAW AND CYBER CRIME INVESTIGATION**

This programme covers all the cutting-edge topics under cyber laws and forensics. Students will be able to comprehend and function in the fields of internet-enabled online trade and analyze the consequences of online social interactions and behavior. This Course will cover interdisciplinary subjects like cyber space technology, social issues, commerce and cyber space, digital forensic etc. The programme focuses emerging cyber-crimes and examine how new technologies and their implementations are intertwined with the existing laws, policy trends, and realistic applications of cyber laws and forensics. Post this programme, students will play key roles in policy-making, law enforcement and the advancement of business and social policies which harness information technology capabilities.

## Objectives:

- To identify the emerging cyber laws, cybercrime and cyber security trends and jurisprudence impacting cyberspace in today's scenario.
- To study emerging legal, policy and regulatory issues pertaining to cyberspace and cybercrimes.
- To examine the privacy issues in realm of cyber technology and cyber regulation.
- To enable the students to appreciate, evaluate and interpret the judicial decisions with reference to the Information Technology Act and other laws associated with cyberspace.
- To provide vivid knowledge about different types of digital forensics such as mobile device forensics, network forensics, cloud based forensics etc.

## Eligibility

Eligibility Criteria for candidates seeking admission in the LL.M. Programme under the Center for Post Graduate Legal Studies, School of Law, Forensic Justice and Policy Studies, NFSU

- Candidate has to qualify PG CLAT exam of the admission year and admission is based on merit list of PG CLAT Score of the admission year; and
- Passed three year LL.B. programme after graduation or five year integrated law programme with 50% marks in aggregate or equivalent.

## Tuition Fee

Rs. 60,000/- per semester



# LL.M. in Criminal Law and Criminal Justice Administration

(Delhi Campus)

**ONE YEAR PROGRAMME WITH SPECIALIZATION IN CRIMINAL LAW AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE ADMINISTRATION**

The one-year LL.M. course in Criminal Law and Criminal Justice Administration will focus on Principles of Criminal Law, Theories of Crime and Punishment, Forensic Evidence, Financial Crimes, Transnational Crimes and Criminal Justice Administration, including Research Methodology. Recent developments in the field of science and technology have demonstrated that solid grounding in forensic jurisprudence is need of the time for defense lawyers and Criminal Justice Functionaries. Therefore, the programme is framed in such a manner that it will be give deep insight about various aspects of forensic science.

Knowledge gained during the course will equip the students with the skills required for formulating the Legislative and Administrative Guidelines, Rules, Regulations and other related legal documents for the prevention and control of crime. The teaching based on the curricula will gain benefit of the expertise of NFSU offering opportunity to students to combine breadth (that is, exposure to a wide range of forensic methods) with depth (the opportunity to conduct original, independent research in a narrower area of interest). The programme curriculum offers flexible, practical and application-based pedagogy to develop expertise and skills.

## Objectives:

- To develop critical understanding about the principles of criminal law, forensic evidence and its importance for forensic justice.
- To strengthen the research capabilities and develop critical eye for practical understanding of criminal law and Criminal Justice System.
- To offer deeper insights to the students about various roles and responsibilities of Criminal Justice System in prevention and control of crime.
- To provide the practical exposure to the students about the various practical aspects of Criminal Law and Criminal Justice system.

## Eligibility

Eligibility Criteria for candidates seeking admission in the LL.M. Programme under the Center for Post Graduate Legal Studies, School of Law, Forensic Justice and Policy Studies, NFSU

- Candidate has to qualify PG CLAT exam of the admission year and admission is based on merit list of PG CLAT Score of the admission year; and
- Passed three year LL.B. programme after graduation or five year integrated law programme with 50% marks in aggregate or equivalent.

## Tuition fee

Rs. 60,000/- per semester







## Programme Outline\* - LL.M. (Cyber Law and Cyber Crime Investigation)

### Semester I

- Comparative Public Law
- Research Methods and Legal Writing
- Law and Justice in Globalizing World
- Cyber Technology and Cyber Crime
- Introduction to Cyber laws and other Laws
- Internship

### Semester II

- Auditing, Risk Management and Financial Fraud Investigation
- Digital Forensics
- Cyber Space Technology: Constitutional and IPR Issues
- Mobile and Network Forensics/ Multimedia Forensics
- Internship
- Dissertation

## Programme Outline\* - LL.M. (Criminal Law and Criminal Justice Administration)

### Semester I

- Comparative Public Law
- Research Methods and Legal Writing
- Law and Justice in Globalizing World
- Criminal Justice System
- Theories and Principles of Criminal Law
- Internship

### Semester II

- Forensic Justice
- Criminal Justice System and Human Rights
- Victimology and Restorative Justice
- Financial Crimes/ Transactional Crimes
- Internship
- Dissertation

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# Post Graduate Diploma in Cyber Laws

(Gandhinagar Campus)

**ONE YEAR DIPLOMA WITH  
SPECIAL FOCUS ON CYBER LAWS**

With the advancement of Information Communication Technology and the good amount of knowledge shared through internet has encouraged the techno savvy young generation to indulge in cyber-crime. This Cyber Space and its IT infrastructure are very much vulnerable to a wide range of risk stemming from both physical and cyber threats and hazards. As the cyber-crime is borderless and very delegate to handle, it needs special tools and technology in-order to prevent different types of Cyber-attacks and gather digital evidence without any kind of damage. For the admissibility of the evidence in the court, the evidence must be preserved and handled to ensure that it hasn't been changed. Apart from this the rise and evolution of social media has changed the definition of communication and social interaction. Due to the anonymous nature of the Internet, it is possible to engage into a variety of criminal activities with impunity and people with intelligence, have been grossly misusing this aspect of the Internet to perpetuate criminal activities in cyberspace. Hence there is a need for cyber laws. This course will allow the participants to get a vivid knowledge of how crime is committed in the cyber world, the manner in which these crimes are being investigated including evidence collection and examination of the evidences and the laws pertaining to such crimes, handling evidences, maintaining the chain of custody and presenting the facts and findings in the court.

## Objectives

- This course will look at the emerging legal, policy and regulatory issues pertaining to cyberspace and cybercrimes.
- To cover all the topics from fundamental knowledge of Information Technology and computer architecture so that the participant can use to understand various aspects of working of a computer.
- To identify the emerging cyber laws, cybercrime & cyber security trends and jurisprudence impacting cyberspace in today's scenario.
- To enable the participants, appreciate, evaluate and interpret the case laws with reference to the IT Act and other Laws associated with the cyberspace.
- To provide vivid knowledge about different types of Digital Forensics such as mobile device forensics, network forensics, cloud based forensics etc., including the standard operating procedures for IO's which will be useful in investigating real-time cases pertaining to cybercrime.
- To provide knowledge related to auditing of computer systems, managing and mitigating risk situations in the organization and techniques for investigating financial frauds.

## Special Features

- Focus on practical inputs
- Classes at flexible timings
- Lecture by experts from the industry





## Eligibility

Eligibility Criteria for candidates seeking admission in the PGDCL under the School of Law, Forensic Justice and Policy Studies, NFSU

- Graduate degree from any discipline with minimum 50% for General/OBC(NCL)/EWS category candidates, and 45% for SC/ST/PWD candidates.
- Admission shall be undertaken is on the basis of merit list drawn out Bachelor's Percentage obtained by candidates in their respective graduation course.

## Tuition Fee

Rs. 20,000/- per semester

# Programme Outline\*- Post Graduate Diploma in Cyber Laws

## Semester I

- Fundamentals of Computers & Networking
- Introduction to Cyber Crime
- Network and Cyber Security
- IT Act and Allied Laws-I
- IT Act and Allied Laws-II

## Semester II

- Cyber Space Technology: Constitutional and IPR Issues
- Digital Forensics
- Mobile and Network Forensics/ Cloud and Virtual Technology Security
- Commerce and Cyber Space
- Project

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