



GONDWANA UNIVERSITY, GADCHIROLI.

Ordinance No. 112 of 2017.

EXAMINATIONS LEADING TO THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF LAWS (LL.B.) (SIX SEMESTER DEGREE COURSE) CHOICE BASED CREDIT SYSTEM IN THE FACULTY OF HUMANITIES ORDINANCE, 2017.

Whereas, it is expedient to provide an ordinance in respect of Examinations leading to the Degree of Bachelor of Law(LL.B.) (six Semester Degree course) Choice Based Credit System in the faculty of Humanities Ordinance, 2017 for the purposes hereinafter appearing, the Management Council is hereby pleased to make the following Ordinance :-

1. This Ordinance shall be called "Examinations leading to the Degree of Bachelor of Laws (LL.B.) (Six semester Degree Course) based on Choice based credit system in the faculty of Humanities, Ordinance, 2017."
2. This Ordinance shall come into force with effect from the date of its making by the Management Council.
3. **Duration of the Programme:** The duration of the programme shall be academic years which spread over 6 semesters with the University Examination at the end of each Semester. Each Academic Year shall be divided into Two semesters. The academic Session for Odd semesters (1st, 3rd and 5th) will commence as far as possible from 1st of July, while Even Semester (2nd, 4th and 6th) will commence from 1st of January every year.

An examination for each of the semester shall be held twice in a year at such places and on such dates as may be fixed by the University. The fees for the examination shall be as prescribed by the University from time to time.

4. Unless the context otherwise require, the following words shall have the meaning as assigned to them as mentioned below -
 - (a) **Academic Year:** Two consecutive (one odd + one even) semesters constitute one academic year.
 - (b) **ATKT:** means Allow to Keep Term in Higher Semester as per the provisions of this Ordinance.
 - (c) **Choice Based Credit System (CBCS):** Choice Based Credit System provides choice for students to select from the prescribed courses

- (d) **Course:** It is equivalent to a paper/subject in a programme. It is a complete unit of learning which will be taught and evaluated within a Semester. All courses need not carry the same weight. A course may be designed to comprise lecturing/tutorial/laboratory work/fieldwork/outreach activities/project work/vocational training/viva/seminars/term papers/assignments/presentations/self-study etc. or a combination of some of these.

The UGC guidelines on CBCS system prescribe three kinds of courses: Core, Elective and Foundation in a programme.

Core Course (CC): This is the course/subject which is to be compulsorily studied by a student as a core requirement to complete the programme. It shall be related to the discipline of study.

Elective Course (EC): Elective course is a course which can be chosen from a pool of prescribed papers. An elective course may be "*Generic Elective*" focusing on those courses which add generic proficiency to the students. An elective may be "*Discipline Centric*" or may be chosen from an unrelated discipline. It may be called as "*Open Elective*".

Foundation Course: The Foundation Courses may be of two kinds, *Compulsory Foundation (FC)* and *Elective Foundation (FE)*. "*Compulsory Foundation*" courses are the courses based upon the content that leads to Knowledge enhancement. They are mandatory for all disciplines. "*Elective Foundation*" courses are value based, and are aimed at man-making education.

Foundation Courses are of two types

- i) **Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course (AECC)**
 - ii) **Skill Enhancement Course (SEC)**
- (e) **Credit** : Credit means the unit by which the course work is measured. It is measured in terms of weekly class hours assigned to a Course. **One Credit is equivalent to 15 hours of teaching work (Lecture or tutorial) and is equivalent to 25 marks in the transcript.**
- (f) **Credit Point (CP):** It is the value obtained by multiplying the Grade Point by the Credit i.e. No. of Credits assigned for the course x Grade Points secured for that course.
- (g) **Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA):** CGPA means the value obtained by dividing total number of credit points in all

the semesters by the total number of credits in all the semesters. It is a measure of overall cumulative performance of a student over all semesters.

- (h) **Grade Letter** : Grade Letter **means** an index to indicate the performance of a student in a particular course/ Paper. It is the transformation of actual marks secured by a student in a course/paper into a letter grade. There shall be a range of marks for each Grade
- (i) **Grade Point** : Grade Point means weightage allotted to each grade letter.
- (j) **Programme**: It means the Programme of study and examination for Three year Degree of Bachelor of Law (LL.B) spread over Six semesters, the successful completion of which would lead to the award of Three Year Degree of Bachelor of Laws (LL.B.).
- (k) **Semester Grade Point Average (SGPA)**: It means the value obtained by dividing the total credit points earned by a student in all the courses of a given semester by the total number of credits assigned to that semester. It is a measure of performance of work done in a semester.
- (l) **Transcript or Grade Card or Certificate**: Based on the grade earned, a grade certificate shall be issued to all the registered students after every semester. The grade certificate will display the course details (code, title, number of credits, grade secured) along with SGPA of that semester and CGPA earned till that semester.

- 5. Eligibility** (a) Admission to the programme shall be made on the basis of merit by the respective college admission committee and in accordance with the rules and instructions provided from time to time in this regard by the Bar Council of India. The reservation policy and rules of the Government of Maharashtra governing admission to higher educational institutions issued from time to time shall also be followed.
- (b) An applicant who has graduated in any discipline of knowledge from a university established by an Act of Parliament or by a state legislature or from an equivalent national institution recognized as a deemed to be University or from a foreign university recognized as equivalent to the status of an Indian University by an authority competent to declare equivalence, may apply for a LL.B three year law degree Programme.
 - (c) Students who secure minimum 45% of the total marks in the qualifying examination are eligible for admission into the programme. As per the Bar Council of India, New Delhi directions vide letter No.

BCI:D:1379:2002(LE:Affln.), dated 2-8-2002, the 44.5% can be rounded off to 45%.

(d) For S.C & S.T students, Minimum 40% of the total marks in their qualifying examination i.e. graduation, is required for admission into the LL.B 3 year Programme.

(e) If Common Admission Test for admission into three year LL.B course is prescribed by the Government of Maharashtra, the admission into the programme shall be governed by the rules and regulations framed by the Government of Maharashtra from time to time.

6. Medium of Instruction: The medium of instructions and Examinations shall be English. Question papers for the examination shall be set in English. However, the candidates will have an option to write their answers either in English, Hindi or Marathi.

7. Attendance: No student shall be permitted to appear for the Semester Examination unless he/she has put in not less than 75% attendance of the classes held in any course/paper concerned including tutorials, moot court exercises, practical training etc. conducted in respect of that paper/course.

8. A.T.K.T RULES: The A T K T Rules shall be as under:

Semester Condition to be fulfilled for promotion

From I to II Should have appeared for atleast one theory paper in Semester-I

From II to III Should have passed minimum 40% papers in Semester-I and minimum 40% papers in Semester II

From III to IV Should have appeared for atleast one theory paper in Semester-III

From IV to V Should have passed all papers of Semester I and Semester II

AND

Should have passed minimum 40% papers in Semester-III and minimum 40% papers in Semester IV

From V to VI Should have appeared for atleast one theory paper in Semester-V

9. **Instruction, Training and Teaching Work Load:** Each Semester shall comprise of not less than 15 weeks with not less than 30 class-hours per week including tutorials, moot room exercises and seminars provided that there shall be at least 24 lecture hours per week.

- a) A Class-hours shall consist of 48 minutes duration.
- b) The number of classes for theory and practical courses/papers per week must be equal to number of credits shown against the paper as indicated in the course structure and scheme provided in the APPENDIX-I of this Ordinance.
- c) Distribution of 20 marks for internal assessment, wherever there is a provision for internal assessment shall be as follows:

i)	First Internal Examination (Descriptive)	=
	5marks	
ii)	Second Internal Examination (on-line/offline)	
	with multiple choice questions	=5marks
iii)	Seminars/Group Discussion	=
	5marks	
iv)	Assignments/Viva-voce Examination	=5
	marks	

10. **Evaluation System on the basis of Credit & Grade Pattern:** Based on his/her continuous evaluation, the academic performance of a student during a semester shall be graded on a Seven-point scale. The grade awarded to a student shall depend on his/her performance in external and internal examinations.

- (a) The academic performance of a student during a semester and at the end of the programme, shall be evaluated on the basis of:

(i) Grade Point (GP) obtained in each subject

(ii) Semester Grade Point Average (SGPA),

(iii) Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA)

- (b) Marks for Extra Curricular Components (E.C.C)/Incentive Marks are to be awarded in recognition of achievements in Sports/Cultural/N.S.S/NCC as per the rules and instructions of the University provided in this regard from time to time.

- (c) At the end of each semester examination, a student shall be awarded a Semester Grade Point Average (SGPA). A Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA) shall be awarded to each student at the end of Final Semester of the Programme. The details regarding method of calculating SGPA & CGPA is explained in detail in para 11.

11. Awards of Grade Letter, Grade Points, Credit Points, SGPA, CGPA:

Award of Grade Letter and Grade Points:

Each course/paper shall be valued in Seven Grades. The letter grades and their equivalent grade points are listed below. The Marks list shows only Grade Letter & not marks in each paper.

Range of % of Marks	Grade Letter	Grade Point
85 to 100	O - Outstanding	10
70 to <85	A+ -Excellent	9
60 to <70	A -Very Good	8
55 to < 60	B+ -Good	7
50 to < 55	B -Average	6
45 to < 50	P -Pass	5
Less than 45	F -Fail	0
Absent	Ab	0

- (a) **Calculation of Credit Points:** -Credit Points for the course = No. of Credits assigned for the course x Grade Point secured for that course.

- (b) **Semester Grade Point Average (SGPA):-** SGPA indicates the performance of a student in a given Semester. SGPA is based on the **total credit points earned by the student in all the courses** and the **total number of credits assigned to the courses/papers in a Semester**. SGPA shall be rounded off to two decimal points. (e.g - 6.578 rounded to 6.58 & 6.574 will be rounded to 6.57)

$$\text{SGPA} = \frac{\text{Total Credit Points in the Semester}}{\text{Total Number of Credits for the Semester}}$$

Provided that SGPA is computed only if the candidate passes in all the courses (gets a minimum 'P' Grade in all Courses).

(c) **Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA)** :CGPA refers to the Cumulative Grade Point Average weighted across all the semesters.

$$\text{CGPA} = \frac{\text{Total Credit Points Obtained in all Semesters}}{\text{Total Credits of all Semesters}}$$

(d) Provided that CGPA is calculated only when the candidate passes in all the courses of all the semesters. CGPA shall be rounded off to two decimal points. (e.g - 6.578 rounded to 6.58 & 6.574 will be rounded to 6.57)

12. Standard of Passing the Semester Examinations: In order to qualify in particular examination, a candidate shall have to secure atleast 45% of marks taken together of University Assessment (U.A) and College Assessment (C.A) in each and every theory and Practical/Clinical paper in each end semester examination.

All the examinees of University Examination including failures of examinations, shall be bound to study the Syllabus prescribed for a particular paper/subject/course as revised from time to time.

13.Award of the Degree: A student will be eligible for the award of LL.B (3 yrs) Degree only when he has successfully completed all the prescribed courses in para No. 10 and obtained a minimum CGPA of 5.00 out of 10.00 and after payment of prescribed fee shall receive a degree signed by the Vice-chancellor.

The result of the successful candidates shall be classified as follows:

i. First Division with Distinction: CGPA from 8.00 and

ii. First Division: CGPA from 6.67 to 7.99

iii. Second Division : CGPA from 5.56

iv. Pass Division : CGPA from 5.00 to

14. Award of Medals and Merit Certificates: Candidates who appear and pass the examination in all the papers of each and every semester at first appearance only are eligible for the award of Medals/ Prizes/Rank Certificates etc.

(Statement of object and reasons)

Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor of the university has issued Direction No.19 of 2017 Examinations leading to the Degree of Bachelor of Laws (LL.B.) (Six semester Degree Course) based on Choice based credit system in the faculty of Humanities, Ordinance, 2017 under provision of sub- section (8) of section 12 of the Maharashtra Public Universities Act, 2016 date 20/07/2017.

The above mentioned Direction was required to be converted into an Ordinance within a period of six months as provided under the proviso of sub-section (8) of section 12 of the Maharashtra Public Universities Act, 2016.

For converting Direction No.19 of 2017 into an Ordinance this Draft ordinance is prepared for its consideration and onwards recommendation to the Management Council by the Academic Council.

APPENDIX-I

COURSE AND EXAMINATION SCHEME WITH CHOICE BASED CREDIT SYSTEM (CBCS)

LL.B.(3 YEARS) COURSE

The following terminology and abbreviations are used for the course and the examination scheme of the LL.B. Three Year Course under
Note:- CBCS System

USC: Unique Subject Code

It consists of Seven Digits. The First Digit Indicates the Programme(UG/PG), Second Digit faculty (L-Law), Third Digit indicates the programme under the faculty and in the present case 3 is suggested to indicate Three Year LL.B. Programme. The Fourth digit indicates semester. The Fifth one is for code of area of subject(F- Foundation, C-Core& E-Elective). The Sixth digit indicates group or non group subject(0 for Non group)& Seventh digit indicates serial No. of the subject.

ESE: External Semester Examination

IA: Internal Assessment

P: Proficiency Level

Proficiency Level is to be judged by a committee of three faculty-member of the same Institution after completion of 45 days from the date of the commencement of the semester. The candidate can be evaluated on any of the following areas of the proficiency 1. Subject Seminars 2. Case Review and Comments 3. Use of online legal resources and software proficiency 4. Conference Papers 5. Paper Presentations 6. Project / Field work ,etc . The evaluation process will be decided by the concerned subject teachers.

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SEMESTER-I

Area	Unique Subject Code(USC)	Subject	Examination Scheme								Credit per Course
			Maximum Marks				Minimum Marks				
			ESE	IA	P, IA	Total	ESE	IA	P, IA	Total	
AECC (foundation Course)	UL31F01	Legal Language	40	10		50	23		23	2	
	UL31F02	Legal Method & Judicial Process	40	10		50	23		23	2	
Core (Core Course)	UL31C03	Constitutional Law-I	80	20	50	150	45	23	68	6	
	UL31C04	Law of Contract-I	80	20	50	150	45	23	68	6	
	UL31C05	Law of Torts	80	20	50	150	45	23	68	6	
	UL31C06	Family Law-I(Hindu Law)	80	20	50	150	45	23	68	6	
SEMESTER TOTAL			400	100	200	700				318	28

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SEMESTER-II

Area	Unique Subject Code(USC)	Subject	Examination Scheme								Credit per Course	Duration of Uni. Examination
			Maximum Marks				Minimum Marks					
			ESE	IA	P, IA	Total	ESE	IA	P, IA	Total		
AECC (foundation Course)	UL32F01	Consumer Protection Act	40	10		50	23		2	2	2hr	
	UL32F02	Right to Information Act	40	10		50	23		23	2	2hr	
Core (Core Course)	UL32C03	Constitutional Law-II	80	20	50	150	45	23	68	6	3hr	
	UL32C04	Law of Contract-II	80	20	50	150	45	23	68	6	3hr	
	UL32C05	Law of Crimes	80	20	50	150	45	23	68	6	3hr	
	UL32C06	Family Law-II(Muslim Law)	80	20	50	150	45	23	68	6	3hr	
SEMESTER TOTAL			400	100	200	700				318	28	3hr

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SEMESTER-III

Area	Unique Subject Code(USC)	Subject	Examination Scheme								Credit per Course
			Maximum Marks				Minimum Marks				
			ESE	IA	P, IA	Total	ESE	IA	P, IA	Total	
SEC (foundation Course)	UL33F01	Computer Theory	40	10		50	23		23	2	
	UL33F02	Computer Practical			50	50		23	23	2	
Core (Core Course)	UL33C03	Jurisprudence	80	20	50	150	45	23	68	6	
	UL33C04	Labour Law-I	80	20	50	150	45	23	68	6	
	UL33C05	Public International Law	80	20	50	150	45	23	68	6	
	UL33C06	Transfer of Property	80	20	50	150	45	23	68	6	
SEMESTER TOTAL			400	100	200	700	318			28	

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SEMESTER-IV

Area	Unique Subject Code(USC)	Subject	Examination Scheme								Credit per Course	Duration of Uni. Examination
			Maximum Marks				Minimum Marks					
			ESE	IA	P, IA	Total	ESE	IA	P, IA	Total		
SEC (foundation Course)	UL34F01	Moot Court			50	50			23	23	2	
	UL34F02	Interenship			50	50			23	23	2	
Core (Core Course)	UL34C03	Administrative Law	80	20	50	150	45		23	68	6	3hr
	UL34C04	Labour Law-II	80	20	50	150	45		23	68	6	3hr
	UL34C05	Company Law	80	20	50	150	45		23	68	6	3hr
DSE (Disciline Specific Elective Course)	UL34E06	Land Law	80	20	50	150	45		23	68	6	3hr
	UL34E07	Banking Law	80	20	50	150	45		23	68	6	3hr
	UL34E08	Insurance Law	80	20	50	150	45		23	68	6	3hr
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SEMESTER-V

Area	Unique Subject Code(USC)	Subject	Examination Scheme								Credit per Course	Duration of Uni. Examination
			Maximum Marks				Minimum Marks					
			ESE	IA	P, IA	Total	ESE	IA	P, IA	Total		
SEC (foundation Course)	UL35F01	Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR)			50	50			23	23	2	
	UL35F02	Professional Ethics			50	50			23	23	2	
Core (Core Course)	UL35C03	Civil Procedure Code & Limitation Act	80	20	50	150	45	23	68	6	3hr	
	UL35C04	Criminal Procedure Code	80	20	50	150	45	23	68	6	3hr	
	UL35C05	Law of Evidence	80	20	50	150	45	23	68	6	3hr	
DSE (Discipline Specific Elective Course)	UL35E06	Cyber Law	80	20	50	150	45	23	68	6	3hr	
	UL35E07	Penology ,Probation of	80	20	50	150	45	23	68	6	3hr	
	UL35E08	Tribal Act	80	20	50	150	45	23	68	6	3hr	
SEMESTER TOTAL			400	100	200	700				318	28	

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SEMESTER-VI

Area	Unique Subject Code(USC)	Subject	Examination Scheme								Credit per Course	Duration of Uni. Examination
			Maximum Marks				Minimum Marks					
			ESE	IA	P, IA	Total	ESE	IA	P, IA	Total		
SEC (foundation Course)	UL36F01	Drafting & Pleading			50	50			23	23	2	
	UL36F02	Conveyancing			50	50			23	23	2	
Core (Core Course)	UL36C03	Environmental Law	80	20	50	150	45		23	68	6	3hr
	UL36C04	Interpretation of Status	80	20	50	150	45		23	68	6	3hr
	UL36C05	IntellectualProperty Law	80	20	50	150	45		23	68	6	3hr
DSE (Disciline Specific Elective Course)	UL36E06	Law of Taxation	80	20	50	150	45		23	68	6	3hr
	UL36E07	Human Rights	80	20	50	150	45		23	68	6	3hr
	UL36E08	Women & Law	80	20	50	150	45		23	68	6	3hr
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