

(Established by Maharashtra Act No. VI of 2014)

# Ph.D. COURSE WORK (Batch 2023-24)

## CALL FOR APPLICATIONS FROM EXTERNAL Ph.D. RESEARCH SCHOLARS

Maharashtra National Law University, Nagpur (MNLU, Nagpur) was established by the Government of Maharashtra by way of enactment known as the Maharashtra National Law University Act (Maharashtra Act No. VI of 2014). It is a residential University engaged in teaching and promoting research in law and allied disciplines. The objectives of the University are manifold which include serving society in the field of law by developing skills in regard to advocacy, legal services, legislation, law reforms and the likes. To promote these objectives of the University and to support the Research Scholars pursuing Ph.D. (Doctor of Philosophy) Degree in other Universities/Research Institutions, the University is inviting applications from these Scholars as External Research Scholars to attend the Ph.D. course work of Maharashtra National Law University, Nagpur under University Social Responsibility (USR) programme.

### Eligibility

The Ph.D. Research Scholars registered for Ph.D. (Doctor of Philosophy) Degree in other Universities / Institutions in the academic years 2021-22, 2022-23 and 2023-2024 are eligible to submit application for the Ph.D. course work of Maharashtra National Law University, Nagpur.

Last Date of Submission of Application along with Expression of Interest: January 23, 2024 by 5:00 p.m.

### **Online Application Link**

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=Jy5IRm3wfkyu0Hs7jtAHUv04aJFffYhIrrUIRM6p1g5UNUFYUkl EMIFHUkYxRkQxTlpFUklNOU5MWC4u

#### Instructions for Ph.D. Course Work (2024)

1. As per the Regulation 10 (i) of the Maharashtra National Law University, Nagpur Ph.D. (Doctor of Philosophy) Regulations 2017, the Ph.D. course work shall be of **22 credits** in total divided in Seven (07) Courses including the course titled "Research and Publication Ethics (RPE)" as per the University Grants Commission 543<sup>rd</sup> Meeting Resolution held on August 9<sup>th</sup>, 2019 (Vide Letter No. F. I.-l/2018 (Journal CARE) dated December, 2019). However, for external Research Scholars, only following courses will be offered:

Course Code	Title of the Papers	Credit Hours
1.1	Research Methodology and Legal Writing	4
1.2	Research Techniques and Referencing	4
1.3	Computer Application and Data Analysis	4
1.6	Teaching Methods and Techniques	2
1.7	Research and Publication Ethics (RPE)	4

- 2. No Registration fee for attending the Ph.D. course work;
- 3. The classes will be conducted online using Cisco WebEx Portal;
- 4. The total duration of the course work shall be split into three clusters, spread over the entire Semester period;
- 5. Convenor, Doctoral Council and Coordinators shall coordinate the Ph.D. course work including class schedule and liasoning withsubject experts;
- 6. The candidates who are regular in attendance and does not take part in course work Examination will get the Participation Certificate from the University;
- 7. The candidates who are regular in attendance, appeared and passed the course work Examination will get the Course Work Completion Certificate from the University; and
- 8. The University reserves the right to expel any candidate at any point of time during the period of course work if the candidate's involvement is not satisfactory.

In case of any queries, please contact Assistant Registrar (Academics) email: aracademics@nlunagpur.ac.in

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