

SVKM's Narsee Monjee Institute of Management Studies

School of Law, Mumbai

Ph. D. in Law (Batch 2017)

Instruction Sheet

1. Program: Doctor of Philosophy (Law)

2. Eligibility:

The basic qualification criteria for the purpose of admission to Ph. D. Programmes shall be as under:

a) Ph.D. in Law:

- Candidates for admission to the programme must have a LL.M. of any Statutory University or equivalent there to with **at least 55% marks in aggregate or its equivalent grade 'B' in the UGC 7-point scale** (or an equivalent grade in a point scale wherever grading system is followed) or an equivalent degree from a foreign educational Institution accredited by an Assessment and Accreditation Agency which is approved, recognized or authorized by an authority.

Note:

- Candidates appearing or awaiting for final year result are **NOT** eligible to apply.
- Candidates are required to submit Graduation Mark Sheets of all years & AIU Certificate (by the candidate who has completed their studies at foreign country) at the time of Admission.
- Ph. D is a full time program. All students will have to complete Pre-Ph. D. course work. On successful completion of Pre-Ph.D. course work student will be registered for Ph. D.
- Those candidates who have obtained their degree by doing a part-time course or through distance learning, correspondence courses, externally, open school from recognized University are eligible to apply and register as per UGC guidelines.

3. Duration of the Programme: Minimum 3 Years including course work & Maximum 6 Years (full time)

4. Intake: 10 Seats

5. Online registration & Payment of Registration Fee:

- Online registration at www.nmims.edu (SAP Online Registration Link will be given).
- Before filling the online form, please read all the instruction carefully mentioned in instruction sheet, important dates and also Terms & Condition given in online application form
- Registration Fee is non-refundable.
- Online Registration Fee of Rs. 2000/- paid by Credit Card. (Please refer online registration for payment details.)

6. Submission of Documents

After online registration and payment of registration fee please forward below mentioned documents to the following address latest by closure of registration/s.

- Copy of duly filled Online application form and payment advice form
- Attested copies of Graduation Mark sheet (All Years) and Degree Certificate (Convocation certificate)
- Attested copies of Post-Graduation Mark sheet (All Years) and Degree Certificate (Convocation certificate)
- UGC-NET / SET / M.Phil for Law examination Passing certificate
- Statement of Purpose (Format attached).SOP should describe area of research

No Candidate will be permitted to join the Programme unless he/ she submit the application along with SOP in time AND completes the selection process successfully.

To:

Deputy Registrar (Admission)
SVKM's Narsee Monjee Institute of Management Studies
V. L. Mehta Road, JVPD Scheme, Vile Parle (West),
Mumbai – 400 056

Candidate's application form will not be considered if they fail to submit the above mentioned document till 11th July'2017.

7. Selection Process: For Ph.D. in Law

- a) **Written Test:** The written test will comprise of
1. 50 marks in total – each question carries 1 Mark - no negative marking
 2. There will be total compulsory 50 questions only, in the form of MCQ and all need to be answered.
 3. This question will be asked from the broad areas of Legal reasoning, General legal aptitude, Legal research methodology, Constitution of India, Jurisprudence, Human Rights, Administrative Law, and International Law.

The candidate must have passed Admission Test conducted by the NMIMS University.

Candidates those who have qualified (with valid period & valid score) in NET/SET/M. Phil for law examination of the apex bodies in higher/technical professional education such as UGC, or other equivalent examinations mentioned on the score card, such candidates are exempted from NMIMS entrance test. However they have to appear for Personal Interview.

b) Personal Interview:

- Presentation based on Statement of Purpose followed by Personal Interview.
- During interviews, doctoral candidates are expected to discuss their research interest/area.

8. Program Fees:

The Fees for Ph. D. (Batch-2017) will be intimated at the time of Personal Interview.

9. Refund rules:

In case an admitted student does not join the institution within 7 days of opening commencement of the program i.e. 07th August'2017 of the Institution, the Institution shall refund as follows:

1. Intimation of cancellation received at least seven days before the Course Commencement of the Programme i.e. 01st August'2017	100% of the fees less processing charges (Rs. 10,000/-)
2. Intimation of cancellation received within six days before course commencement & upto 30 days after course commencement of the program i.e. from 02nd August'2017 to 07st September'2017	If seat is filed up by another candidate, within 30 days of course commencement - 100% of the fees less processing charges (Rs.10,000/-)
	If seat is not filed up by another candidate within 30 days of course commencement - 50% of the fees less processing charges (Rs.10,000/-)

- Note: If a student joins the Institutions, and then leaves it in mid-session then the entire fees collected shall be forfeited.

10. Important Instructions:

- Please note that it is responsibility of the candidate to check whether he/she is eligible to apply for the Program as per the eligibility criteria declared on the website.
- NMIMS has full right to disqualify a candidate at any stage of admission process if found ineligible. No separate intimation will be given. In such case, the admission of the candidate even if selected and fees paid stands cancelled and the fees paid will be forfeited.

- University will not be responsible for non-delivery or non- receipt of documents sent through postal authorities or courier.
- Please see the important dates and preserve it as a guide. All announcements from the University will be through its website www.nmims.edu and there will be no separate mail sent.
- Canvassing in any form will disqualify the candidate
- All matters of dispute will be subject to the legal jurisdiction of Mumbai only.
- For cancellation of admission required cancellation request letter & original fee receipt to be scanned and send by courier/post to Mumbai address as below :

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Vile Parle (West), Mumbai – 400 056.
The cancellation form is made available on the website www.nmims.edu

- It is the sole responsibility of the candidate to check whether he/ she is eligible for the respective Program as per the eligibility criteria stated above.