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Course Outline



SYLLABUS

MODULE 1
JANUARY 18, 2021

- a) Understanding Professional Ethics
- b) Profession & Professionalism
- c) Understanding universal human values in the Legal Profession



Adv. SWAPNIL PATIL



Adv. GAURI RANE

MODULE 2
JANUARY 19, 2021

- a) Introduction of Advocacy
- b) Brief History of the Legal Profession in India
- c) Right to Practice
- d) Rules governing Advocates
- e) Contempt of Courts Act
- f) The Advocates Act, 1961
- g) Bar Council of India

MODULE 3
JANUARY 20, 2021

- a) Duty to the Court
- b) Duty to the Client
- c) Duty to the Opponent
- d) Duty to Colleagues
- e) Duty to render Legal Aid
- f) Corporate Offices



Adv. MIKHAIL DEO



Adv. TANVI THAKKAR

MODULE 4
JANUARY 21, 2021(ONLINE)
JANUARY 22, 2021(OFFLINE)

- a) Practice v/s Corporate (Individual Advocate, Law Firms, Corporate Office)
- b) Accountancy
- c) Rules
- d) Ethics
- e) Management




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MODULE 5
JANUARY 23 & 25, 2021 OFFLINE
JANUARY 27, 2021 (ONLINE)

a) Rules on other Employments along with Legal Profession
b) Standards of Professional Conduct and Etiquette in Corporate Offices
c) Corporate Compliances
d) Comparison of Corporate Ethics in different sectors.
e) Corporate Governance



Adv. SAVINA CRASTO

ASSESSMENT: 28 & 29 JANUARY 2021



ASSESSMENT CRITERIA

THE ATTENDEES WILL BE ASSESSED THROUGH ONLINE TEST .

<p>15MCQ's (ON EACH MODULE) DATE: 2ND NOVEMBER (ONLINE)</p>		<p>75 (Marks)</p>
<p>WRITING ASSIGNMENTS AND PROJECTS DATE: 3RD NOVEMBER (ONLINE)</p>		<p>25 (Marks)</p>
<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; width: 80%; margin: 0 auto;"> Total 100 (Marks) </div>		

PASSING - 48 (MARKS)




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ABOUT THE COURSE

Professional ethics encompasses an ethical code governing the conduct of persons engaged in the practice of law as well as persons engaged in the legal sector. All members of the legal profession have a paramount duty to the court and towards the administration of justice. This duty prevails over all other duties, especially in the circumstances where there may be a conflict of duties. It means a code of rules which regulates the behaviour and conduct of a practicing lawyer towards himself, his client, his opposite party, his counsel and of course towards the court. Ethics means principles of behaviour which are applied to an ordinary citizen in the society shall be the standards of morals for a lawyer too. Professional ethics consist of those fundamental values on which the profession has been built. Legal ethics is one of the professional ethics which lays down certain duties for the observance of its members, which he owes to the society, to the court, to the profession, to his client and to himself. The practicing lawyer shall have the social responsibility and dignity of the legal profession and high standard of integrity and efficient service to his client as well as for public welfare.



COURSE OBJECTIVE

- The objective of this course is to give the students an understanding of the importance of ethics in the legal profession and to make them appreciate the core values of professional conduct in the practice of law.
- It is to help the students understand the laws governing legal practice in India and the importance of ever evolving canons of professional standards and etiquettes as recognised the world over.
- It is necessary to imbibe the values of the noble professional standards and etiquettes as recognised the world over.
- It is the paramount duty of every legal practitioner to act as an officer of the court and to assist them in the administration of justice by respecting and honouring the judicial institutions and condemning all acts of contempt of these institutions.
- In addition, the course will help the students understand the working of the various regulatory authorities like the Bar Council of India, the State Bar Councils, etc. It shall also introduce the students to the various challenges faced by the legal profession in this globalized era.



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**COURSE DETAILS**

- The Value Added Course is a 30 Hours programme and it has been bifurcated into 36 hours which are solely reserved for lectures and 10 hours for assignment, Discussion and activity. This will provide adequate time for engaging with advanced questions on the themes of discussion.
- It will also offer adequate time for discussions and deliberations by the participants over and above the general participatory nature of the Sessions.
- Lectures will be conducted HYBRID mode. The Link will be sent in advance.
- Evaluation will be done through MCQ and assignments.
- The Invited Speakers/Resource Persons for the Value Added Course would comprise of renowned academicians and professionals from leading Universities, policy makers, practitioners.

**INFORMATION FOR PARTICIPANTS**

Attendance in all sessions is mandatory.

The course will take place via HYBRID mode.

The software can be downloaded from <https://zoom.us/download>.

Participants can join the meeting by registering using the link given on the cover Page.

Please note that Zoom will ask you to register on each day.

Once a participant has registered and entered the lecture, she/he shall be placed in the waiting room. The participant will then wait until the host allows them to let in.

No participant shall be allowed to enter the meeting after 30 minutes have elapsed



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COURSE OUTCOME

Upon completing this module, you will achieve the following objectives:

- Learn the nuances of good etiquette in the legal profession to foster trust, respect, and collaboration.
- Acquire a comprehensive understanding of your obligations and ethical commitments to the court, your clients, opponents, and fellow legal professionals.
- Develops into the significance of these terms, understanding their interrelation and the distinct responsibilities of each.
- Gain insights into the basics of the law of contempt, including what constitutes contempt and how such cases are managed in the legal system.
- Equip yourself with knowledge about the regulations governing contempt proceedings, ensuring you navigate these situations with the utmost professionalism.



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