



CERTIFICATE COURSE
on
'DRAFTING RESEARCH PROPOSAL & MARITIME LEGISLATION'
(Second Batch)
Conducted by
Institute of Law, NIRMA University
Organized by
Centre for Continuing Education, NIRMA University



[29th June 2025 to 29th December 2025 (Six Months- 24- Weeks, Part Time, Online Mode- Four Quadrant – Four Credit Course)]

INSTITUTE OF LAW

Institute of Law was set up under the aegis of Nirma University in the year 2007 with a vision to promote excellence in the field of legal education and to meet the ever-increasing demand for new and innovative legal education. The Institute is committed to exploring multidisciplinary approaches through its unique curriculum and revolutionizing legal education through modern pedagogies thereby adapting to the changing world in which law professionals operate. The Institute has been ranked 27th in India Rankings 2023 by the National Institutional Ranking Framework (NIRF), Ministry of Education, Government of India. Nirma University has been awarded a Gold Rating for its Green Campus by the Indian Green Building Council (IGBC), under the IGBC Green Campus Rating System. This award is granted in appreciation of the University's accomplishments in Site Planning and Management, Sustainable Transportation, Water Conservation, Energy Efficiency, Material and resource Management, Health and well-being, Green Education, and Innovation in Design. Nirma University is recognized as a 'Centre of Excellence' by the Government of Gujarat.

NIRMA UNIVERSITY

The University was established in the year 2003 as a statutory university under a special act passed by the Gujarat State Legislative Assembly. It is recognized by the University Grants Commission (UGC) under Section 2(f) of the UGC Act. The University is duly accredited by the National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) with an "A+" Grade. The University is a member of the Association of Indian Universities (AIU) and the Association of Commonwealth Universities (ACU). Functioning under the aegis of NERF, the University consists of the Institute of Technology, Institute of Management, Institute of Pharmacy, Institute of Law, Institute of Science, Institute of Architecture and Planning, Institute of Commerce, Department of Design. The University is identified with cutting-edge research, robust academic programmes, quality teaching-learning process, and overall personality development interventions for its students. The 110-acre sprawling state-of-the-art campus provides a refreshing environment and stimulates intellectual growth and creativity.

ABOUT THE CERTIFICATE COURSE ON 'DRAFTING RESEARCH PROPOSAL AND MARITIME LEGISLATION':

This intensive certificate course is designed for participants having a keen interest in the area of Drafting of Research Proposals and Legislative Drafting. This training program aims to make the participants aware of the essential considerations of the theoretical and practical aspects of research proposals and maritime legislation drafting. The program is designed as a training program for legislation/Rules/Regulations in consideration of the theoretical and Policy perspectives of maritime Legislation taking into account National and International Laws and domestic maritime policies and practices incorporating international treaties and conventions.

The course contents include very significant aspects of Drafting the Maritime and Shipping Contract legislation based on International Commercial Laws and practices, International Maritime Laws, and IMO Conventions. Maritime safety and security Drafting the legislation for Implementation of International Maritime Safety and Security and navigation regulation and rules related to International Maritime Laws, IMO Conventions, Treaties Domestic laws, and state practices. Maritime Marine environment - Drafting the legislation for the Implementation of International Marine environment and Legal Control related to International Maritime Laws, IMO Conventions, Treaties Policies, and state policies and practices.

OUTLINE OF THE PROGRAMME

The course is designed for 60 hours; it is a Six Months, Part Time, Online Mode Four Quadrant – Four Credit Course (Four Quadrant Approaches - Quadrant 1: e-Tutorial (Video) Quadrant 2: e-Content (PDF, Text, e-Books, Illustrations and Documents) including Web resources (Open Content etc.). Quadrant 3: Assessment (Problem/ Solutions, MCQs, Assignments etc.). Quadrant 4: Discussion

The course contents include very significant aspects of Research Proposal and Legislative Drafting in the area of Maritime Law which are: -

- (i) Introduction to 'Research Proposal and Legislative Drafting in Maritime Law
- (ii) The principles of legislative drafting and Project proposal drafting on Maritime commercial laws
- (iii) Project Proposal and Legislative Drafting in Maritime Safety and Security
- (iv) Project Proposal and legislative drafting in the area of the marine environment and its legal control

The classes will be conducted on every Saturday and Sunday from 6:30 PM to 8:30 PM through the **online mode** except on official holidays. The duration of the course will be from 29th June 2025 to 29th December 2025.

KEY FEATURES

- ✦ The Course delivery will be through virtual classes in the Learning Management System (LMS).
- ✦ Online classes are easily accessible on all devices including smartphones.
- ✦ No working experience required.
- ✦ Comprehensive 60 Hours of virtual classes and 15 hours of special discussion sessions through discussion forums.
- ✦ Experienced Faculty and expert resource person in the area of Maritime Law.
- ✦ Well-developed reference course materials.
- ✦ The four-credit course graded certificate will be awarded with a marks statement after completing the course.
- ✦ Explore new career avenues with certificate courses as a value addition to the resume.
- ✦ Access to the soft copy of structured course literature unit-wise
- ✦ Option to watch the recorded videos online.
- ✦ Continuous assessment and feedback with interactive learning through LMS.
- ✦ Enhanced your understanding of drafting the research proposal and legislative drafting in the area of maritime law.

Course Resource Persons



Dr. C. L. Yadav (*Ph.D. in Maritime Law, LL.M. in Maritime Law*)

(Internal Resource Person & Core Faculty of the Programme)

Assistant Professor, Institute of Law, Nirma University, Ahmedabad, Gujarat

Area of Expertise

The Law of the Sea and Maritime Law, Maritime Business Law, Legal frameworks of Maritime Policies and Practices, Maritime Labour Laws and Marine Environment and Legal Control.

WHAT LEARNERS SAY ABOUT Dr. C. L. Yadav's Previous Courses on "Law of the Sea & Maritime Law" and "Maritime Law, Policies and Practices"

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1AS9KISerCNbHEdt0wleCsYzXnraEOi7-/view?usp=sharing>



Dr. Madhumita Kothari (*Ph.D. Maritime Studies, LL.M. Shipping Laws from Cardiff University, UK with Distinction*)

(External Resource Person)

Area of Expertise: Law of the Sea and Shipping Law, Blue Economy and Ocean Governance, Dispute Settlement under Law of the Sea and Maritime Law, International Humanitarian Laws, and Refugee Laws.

IMPORTANT DATES

Call for Registration from: 19th March 2025 (On a First Come First Serve basis till the availability of Seats).

Last Date of Registration: 28th June 2025

WHO CAN PARTICIPATE?

Graduates, Postgraduate students, Research scholars, Researchers, Faculty Members, Maritime professionals, port officers, Seafarers, maritime stakeholders, etc.

HOW TO APPLY?

The applicants are required to fill out the registration form at the following link on or before 28th June 2025 (On a First Come First Serve basis till the availability of Seats)

LINK FOR REGISTRATION:

<https://forms.gle/G2Vwjuggj9v2yiSs7>

Keep the online transaction details handy while filling out the form. Fill out the registration form along with transaction details and attach a scanned copy of the online registration fees

REGISTRATION FEES

Fees	Types of Participants
Rs. 5,000/-	Graduate and Postgraduate students, Research Scholar, Researchers, Faculty Members, Maritime Professionals, Ports officers, Seafarers, Maritime stakeholders, etc.
Rs. 4,000/-	Student of Nirma University
USD 100	Foreign Participants

(Note: The course registration fee includes the full course fees of the Programme).

BANK DETAILS

Account Name: Centre for Continuing Education

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