

LLB 561 PUBLIC INTERNATIONAL LAW-I

Course Description

Public international law studies traditional topics of an international law course such as nature and origin, sources, subjects of Int. Law, recognition, territory, jurisdiction, state responsibility, interstate courts and tribunals, international personality, sovereignty, recognition, diplomatic immunity, extradition, state responsibility, dispute settlement, and the law of the sea.

Course contents

- Nature, origin and Basis of International Law
- Material Sources of International Law
- Subjects of International Law
- Relation between International and State Law
- States in General
- Recognition
- State Territorial Sovereignty and State Jurisdiction
- State Responsibility
- Succession to Rights and obligations
- The State and the Individual
- The State and the economic interest
- Diplomatic Envoys, councils and other Representatives
- Important Case laws

Suggested Readings:

1. Brownlie, Ian. *Principles of Public International Law*, (7th edn) Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2008.
2. Cassese, Antonio. *International Law*, (2nd edn) Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2005.
3. Crawford, J. (comp.) *The International Law Commissions Articles on State Responsibility*, Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2002.
4. Harris, D. J. *Cases and Materials on International Law*, (7th edn) London: Sweet & Maxwell, 2010.
5. Higgins, Rosalyn. *Themes and Theories: Selected Essays, Speeches and Writings in International Law*. Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2009.
6. Murphy, Sean D. *Principles of International Law*. St. Paul: Thomson/West, 2006.
7. Shaw, Malcolm N. *International Law*, (6th edn) Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2008.
8. Steiner, Henery. Alston, Philip and Goodman Ryan. *International Human Rights in Context: Text and Materials*, (3rd edn) Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2007.

Useful Websites:

1. History of International Law: <http://www.yale.edu/lawweb/avalon/avalon.htm> (Yale University Avalon Project)
2. Sources: <http://www.un.org/law/ilc/>
3. European Journal of International Law: <http://www.ejil.org>
4. Air and Space Law: <http://www.iasl.mcgill.ca> (McGill University Institute of Air and Space Law)
5. Law of the Sea: <http://oceanlaw.org> (Council on Ocean Law)

LLB 562 CONSTITUTIONAL LAW-III (PAKISTAN)

Course Description

Purpose of this course is to enable students to know about the present constitution of the country in order to understand working of the government, judiciary and the legislature. It will enable the students to comprehend the nature of federal government, nature of provincial governments and their relations with each other. The course will also enable the student to know about various constitutional institutions. It will enable students to know about fundamental rights protected in the Constitution.

Course Contents

- Introduction
- Fundamental rights and Principles of Policy
- Federation of Pakistan, Preident, Parliament, Federal Government
- Provinces, Provincial Assembly, Provincial Government
- Relations Federation and Provinces, both legislative and Administrative
- Special Provisions
- Finance, Property, Contracts, and Suits
- Borrowing and Audit
- The Judicature
- Elections
- Islamic Provisions
- Amendment to the Constitution
- Miscellaneous
- Schedules

Suggested Readings:

1. Ishaque, Khalid M. *Constitutional Limitations*, (2nd edn) Karachi: Pakistan Law House, 2008.
2. Karim, Justice (R) Fazal. *Judicial Review of Public Actions*. Islamabad: Pakistan Law House, 2006.

3. Mahmood, Shaukat and Shaukat, Nadeem. *Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan*, (3rd re edn) Lahore: Legal Research Centre, 1996.
4. Munir, Muhammad. *Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan: Being a Commentary on the Constitution of Pakistan, 1973*. Lahore, Law Pub., 1975.
5. Rizvi, Syed Shabbar Raza. *Constitutional Law of Pakistan: Text, Case Law and Analytical Commentary*. (2nd re edn) Lahore: Vanguard, 2005.
6. The Text of the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan, 1973 (as amended).

LLB 563 CIVIL PROCEDURE-I

Course Description

The object of this course is to give students of LL.B a complete understanding about the procedure that is followed in civil courts in Pakistan. In view of the extensive civil procedure, the course is divided into two modules. The course contents will include the jurisdiction of civil courts, their functioning, rules of institution of civil suits, orders, decree and judgments; execution of decrees, and appeal, review and revision. It will include all provisions of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908.

Course Contents

- Definitions
- Res Judicata,
- Res Sub Judice,
- Summons
- Jurisdiction
- Costs and Compensatory Costs.
- Joinder of Parties,
- Pauper Suits
- Reference
- Review
- Revision.

Topics

- Definitions
- Res Judicata,
- Res Sub Judice,
- Summons
- Jurisdiction
- Costs and Compensatory Costs.
- Suit by or against the Government

- Notice
- Reference
- Review
- Revision

Suggested Readings:

1. Chari, S. A. *Law of Summons and Notices*. Hyderabad: Asia Law House, 1996.
2. Khan, Aamer Raza. *Civil Procedure Code*, (10th edn) Lahore: Irfan Press, 2010.
3. Nizami, M. M. H. *The Code of Civil Procedure with Commentary*. Lahore: PLD, 2009.
4. Sial, Umer Farooq. *Law of Injunctions*. Lahore: Imran Law, 2010.

LLB 564 CRIMINAL PROCEDURE-I

Course Description

The course is expected to guide and prepare students in the procedure that is followed in criminal cases by courts in Pakistan. Like the course of Civil Procedure, this course is also divided into two modules to give students a rigorous coaching in criminal procedure. The course will include all provisions of the Criminal Procedure Code 1898.

Course Contents

- Background, history
- Introduction, Definitions
- Criminal Courts
- Powers of courts
- Arrest, Escape and retaking
- Process for compelling the appearance
- Process for the production of documents, moveable property and the discovery of persons wrongfully confined
- Public Nuisance
- Complaints to magistrate
- FIR
- Investigation
- Pre-challan proceedings
- Submission of challan

Suggested Readings:

1. Karim, Justice (R) Fazal. *The Law of Criminal Procedure*. Karachi: Pakistan Law House, 2010.
2. Khan, Munir Ahmad. *Murder Trial*, Lahore: Law Book Land, 2007.

3. Narayana, Justice P.S. *Law of Appeals*, (5th edn) Hyderabad: Asia Law House, 2006 (Chapter 13, dealing with Criminal Appeals).
4. Nizami, M. M. H. *The Code of Criminal Procedure with Commentary*. Lahore: PLD, 2009.
5. The Text of Criminal Procedure Code 1898 (as amended) with commentary.
6. Turner, J. W. Cecil. *Kennys Outlines of Criminal Law*, (19th edn) New Delhi: Universal, 2010 (I rpt.).

LLB 565 LAW OF EVIDENCE-I

Course Description

This is an important course for law students to understand the principles and rules of evidence and its application to cases and inquiries. It is divided into two parts. The course will cover both the substantive as well as procedural rules of evidence; theories, principles and provisions of the Law of Evidence. It will cover relevancy and admissibility of evidence, modes of proof and the production and effect of evidence. The objectives are to inculcate a critical appreciation of the issues and to prepare students for professional practice. The course is necessary for students to grasp the rules of evidence before joining legal profession.

Course Contents

- Definition of Evidence
- Kinds of Evidence
- Qualifications of Witness
- Privileged Communications
- Relevancy of Facts
- Admission and Confession
- Dying Declaration

Suggested Readings:

1. Chaturvedi, Gopal. *S Fields Law on Oral and Documentary Evidence*, (2nd edn) Delhi: Delhi Law House, 2002.
2. Chaturvedi, Gopal. *S. Fields Law Relating to Estoppel* (3rd edn) Delhi: Delhi Law House, 2003.
3. Chaturvedi, Gopal. *S. Fields Law on Admissions and Confessions*, (2nd edn) Delhi: Delhi Law House, 2003.
4. Mahmood, Shaikat. *The Law of Evidence: An exhaustive commentary on Qanun-e-Shahadat Order, 1984*, (2nd edn) Lahore: Legal Research Centre, 1991.
5. Murphy, Peter. *Murphy on Evidence*. Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2009.
6. Rahman, Justice Khalilur. *Principles & Digest of the Qanun-e-Shahadat, Commentary adapted from Justice Monirs Principles and Digest of the Law of Evidence*, (6th edn) Lahore: PLD, 1993.
7. Rao, Kesava. *Law of Evidence*, (18th edn) Nagpur: LexisNexis, 2009.
8. The Text of the Qanun-e-Shahadat Order, 1984 with commentary.
9. Zafar, Emmanuel. *Art of Cross Examination*. Lahore: Eastern Law Book, 1995.

LLB 566 LEGAL DRAFTING-I

Course Description

Legal Writing and Drafting is unquestionably essential for law students before joining professional practice. The course will focus on developing writing and drafting skills of students to formulate cogent arguments for their clients positions and to provide legal support for such positions. Legal drafting is central to professional practice hence the course has been divided into two modules. In this component of the course, students will learn about the drafting of plaints, written statements, drafting contracts and agreements and other legal instruments.

Course Contents

- Introduction
- Object of pleadings
- Principles of pleadings
- Amendment of pleadings
- Plaint
- Essentials of plaint
- Return of plaint
- Rejection of plaint
- Drafting plaints
- Written statement
- Essentials of written statement
- Set off
- Drafting written statement

Suggested Readings:

1. Gopal, Shiva. *Conveyancing, Precedents and Forms*, (6th edn) Lucknow: Eastern, 2007 (rpt.).
2. Inayatullah, M. *Law of Conveyancing: Law and Precedents*, (4th edn) Lahore: PLD, 2009.
3. Inayatullah, M. *Law of Pleadings: Law and Precedents*. Lahore: PLD, (Latest ed.).
4. Kothari, G. M. *Drafting, Conveyancing and Pleadings*. Bombay: Tripathi, 2003.
5. Narayana, Justice P. S. *Pleadings and Practice*, (6th edn) Hyderabad: Asia Law, 2010.