

VISHWAKARMA UNIVERSITY

DEPARTMENT OF LAW

Ph.D. Entrance Syllabus

A. Legal Research Methodology

1. Concept and Meaning of Research
2. Nature & Objectives of Legal Research
3. Doctrinal & Non-doctrinal Legal Research
4. Formulation of Research Problem and Hypothesis
5. Survey of literature and legislative material

B. Constitutional Law

1. Features of Constitution of India
2. Preamble
3. Fundamental Rights and Duties
4. Judiciary and Union State Legislative Relations
5. Emergency Provisions
6. Amendment of the Constitution
7. Constitutional remedies

C. Jurisprudence

1. Natural Law Theory
2. Positive Law School
3. Sociological School of law
4. Historical Jurisprudence
5. Concepts of Person, Possession, Ownership, Right and Duties.

D. Public International Law

1. Definition, Nature and scope of International Law
2. International Law and its relationship with Municipal Law
3. Sources of International Law
4. Recognition of States and Governments

5. Settlement of International Disputes
6. International Organizations (UN System)

E. Law of Crimes

1. Nature and Definition of Offence
2. General Exceptions
3. Common Intention and Common Object
4. Offences relating to Body and Property
5. Offences against Women.