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VIDYA VIKAS MANDAL'S

# GOVIND RAMNATH KARE COLLEGE OF LAW

Affiliated to Goa University, recognized by UGC under Sec. 2(f) and 12(b) and the Bar Council of India  
Last accredited by NAAC with 'B++' Grade (CGPA of 2.78 on a 4.0 Point Scale)

## PROSPECTUS

### PROGRAMMES OFFERED

**B.A. LL.B. - 5-year Integrated Double Degree Programme**

**LL.B. - 3-year Degree Programme**

**LL.M. - 2-year Post-Graduate Degree Programme**

**Ph. D. Programme for Doctoral Studies in Law**



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## ABOUT VIDYA VIKAS MANDAL

The seeds of the Vidya Vikas Mandal (VVM) were sown in the year 1971 by visionaries with a strong sense of social commitment towards the noble cause of education. The founder members of the educational society felt a pulsating need to bring education to the doorsteps of the people of South Goa and cater to their educational needs. This noble step marked the birth of its first institution, the Shree Damodar College of Commerce and Economics in the year 1973.

The year 1979 set another milestone for the VVM which witnessed the birth of the Govind Ramnath Kare College of Law, which was the second Institution under its umbrella. This thoughtful step proved to be a respite to law aspirants and bridged the yawning gap between the need and availability of higher education opportunities for students of South Goa and saved them of the hardships and expenses involved in commuting to the capital city in North Goa and across the country for pursuing their legal education. This was followed by the establishment of various other institutions, namely, Ramakrishna Madeva Salgoacar (R. M. S) Higher Secondary School offering Commerce and Vocational streams under the Goa Board of Secondary and Higher Secondary Education; the Vidya Vikas Academy, a school with Higher Secondary Section in the Science stream under the Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE); the H.M.N. Gaunekar Institute of Management, Training and Research (IMTR) and the Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU) Study Centre.

## MOTTO

Excellence Always in Legal Education

नीतिशिक्षायां सर्वदा उत्कृष्टता

## VISION

To be a Centre of Excellence providing Quality Legal Education and to Develop Professionalism with Social Commitment

## MISSION

To Lead the way in Legal Education through Innovative Teaching and Learning Experiences and to Create Legal Professionals with Qualities of Commitment towards Society, Social Justice and Ethical Values

## CORE VALUES

Govind Ramnath Kare College of Law is committed to teaching, mentoring, skills training, inculcating professional ethics and providing students practical experience in legal education. The Institution endeavours:

- To provide students with a personal educational experience that will transform them into accomplished professionals.
- To inculcate in students values traditionally associated with the legal profession, such as honesty, fairness, preparedness, competence, self-development, commitment towards society and ethics, which are the focus of the Institution.
- To instill advocacy skills through practical learning in order to infuse professionalism among the students.
- To ensure that students are benefitted from opportunities created for them wherein co-curricular activities, in addition to curricular aspects, help to develop professionalism.
- To provide service to society, social justice and ethical values through innovative teaching-learning experiences.
- To sensitize people towards civic rights and duties through legal aid and other awareness programmes/activities.



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विश्वविद्यालय अनुदान आयोग का स्वायत्त संस्थान  
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*An Autonomous Institution of the University Grants Commission*

# *Certificate of Accreditation*

*The Executive Committee of the  
National Assessment and Accreditation Council*

*is pleased to declare the*

*Vidya Vikas Mandal's*

*Sovind Ramnath Kare College of Law*

*Jansor-Comba, Margao, affiliated to Goa University,*

*Goa as*

*Accredited*

*with CGPA of 2.78 on four point scale*

*at B<sup>++</sup> grade*

*valid up to February 22, 2026*

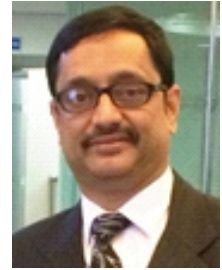
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# Message from the President & Chairman of the Governing Council

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Shri. Nitin A. Kunkolienker

My hearty greetings to the aspirants and students of Govind Ramnath Kare College of Law. As you take a leap into this fresh academic year, I welcome you all into the portals of this centre of legal learning. The success of an Institution is deeply rooted in its ability to keep pace with the rapidly changing expectations of time and academic needs and Govind Ramnath Kare College of Law, established in the year 1979, has evolved to cater to this growing demand. Its expansion in the avenues of legal education amply speak for itself. In addition to offering under-graduate and post-graduate programmes and Research Centre for Doctoral studies, the Institution offers diploma and certificate programmes to the general public also.

This Institution has a passionate focus on value-based education that instills social responsibility and professional ethics amongst students, as also the application based methodology and training imparted to them in the skills of advocacy, negotiation, research, etc., through moot court competitions, negotiation competitions, student seminar and paper presentations, gears and equips them to face the growing and diverse challenges of the profession. This helps refine and polish their academic and professional skills and enables them to effectively manage the needs and demands of the profession.

To attain the noble vision and mission of the College, the Institution maintains inclusive learning-teaching environment through intensive and effective teaching learning methods, technological support, skill-based training, infrastructural enhancement and individual attention, whenever required. Importantly, the academic results in recent years reflect the focused endeavour of a committed Institution and its faculty.

While touching new highs of excellence in Legal Education, the Institution never fails to continue its efforts to retain, sustain and expand on its social responsibility and commitments in order to make the facilities and infrastructure available to all irrespective of traditional bias and barriers.

The Institution is empathetic towards the underprivileged, particularly girl students and rural masses as also first generation learners and accordingly ensures them equality of opportunities as well as an inclusive environment.

I take great pride in the fact that over the four decades of the existence of the College, we have transcended various obstacles to evolve into an Institution of national repute. The Institution has also made its presence globally through cooperation agreements signed with foreign institutions. Its alumni occupy position of pride across the country and even beyond.

For the Vidya Vikas Mandal, it is a momentous year! The Mandal is commemorating its golden jubilee and as the torchbearer of this society, I shoulder the noble responsibility of furthering its vision and transforming it into an educational hub to strengthen the education sector and expand the talent pool of South Goa and beyond.

I am glad that the Institution, has under the able leadership of its Principal, Dr. Saba V. M. Da Silva, been re-accredited by NAAC with 'B++' Grade, CGPA 2.78 on a 4.0 point scale.

The institution has satisfactorily achieved most of its earmarked objectives, and it further looks forward to enhance the learning experience of the students. In order to cope and keep in tune with the current need, a bandwidth of 200 to 250 mbps is sought to be made available to the users on campus. We also foresee the idea of formally establishing a Legal Centre for Research and Training of Law students.

I am really happy to say that the team at the Law College is headed by an eminent academician, who leads from the front and will leave no stone unturned to provide the best of legal education to the learners. I wish G. R. Kare College of Law great strides of success to march and reach even greater heights of excellence.

# Message from the Principal's Desk



Dr. Saba V. M. Da Silva

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Welcome to the portals of Vidya Vikas Mandal's Govind Ramnath Kare College of Law – a premier Institution imparting Legal Education in South Goa, recently assessed and accredited by NAAC with B++ Grade with a CGPA of 2.78 on a 4.0 pt. scale. This accreditation makes the College, the only institution offering Legal Education in the State, having a CGPA of above 2.75. This Centre of legal academics offers a five-year integrated B.A.LL.B. programme and a three-year LL.B. Degree programme, both carried out in accordance with the Legal Education Rules, 2008. It also offers a post-graduate two-year LL.M. Degree programme with several specialisations and the Ph.D. programme through its Research Centre. The College is recognised by the Bar Council of India and is a significant component of the Goa University, being its affiliated College with permanent affiliation.

The College provides opportunities to its students to enrol in add-on Certificate Programmes a one-of-its-kind Programme on Portuguese Language with Legal Inputs taught by dedicated faculty member and a Programme on Comparative Legal Studies in India and Europe, which is jointly offered by the University of Lisbon, Portugal, one of our MoU partners. It also facilitates the enrolment of students at diploma and certificate programmes in law, through the IGNOU Law Study Centre on campus. These and other courses, mostly offered jointly with MoU partners, which are customized on topical issues and concerns meet the needs of the in-house students and other learners, as observed from a phenomenal response these courses receive.

Entry into MoUs has been the forté of the College and there exist approximately 20 functional MoUs with bodies/institutions, including foreign Universities like the reputed University of Minho, Portugal and the renowned 13<sup>th</sup> century UNESCO heritage University of Coimbra, also in Portugal, the popular University of Fortaleza in Brazil and the fairly modern British College of Applied Studies in Sri Lanka. The College joins an elite group of institutions from the Lusophone world by signing the protocol of the Lusophone Law Research Network, along with University of Minho (Portugal), University of Fortaleza (Brazil), Eduardo Mondlane University (Mocambique), University of the Itajai valley (Brazil), Institute of Higher Police and Criminal Sciences (Angola) and the Institute of Higher Juridical and Social Sciences (Cabo Verde), for the purposes of collaborative research. These collaborations facilitate academic growth of the faculty and create huge opportunities for the students, in terms of knowledge and cultural exchange.



I am happy to state that the College has been consistently setting benchmarks in the areas of teaching-learning, legal research and discipline and taking giant strides to be mapped at the State and National Level and become a leader in Legal Education. It has always been the endeavour of the College to provide quality legal education by inviting resource persons and arranging guest lectures and making life on campus a fulfilling and rewarding experience. Curricular learning is also facilitated through the best of infrastructure using smart classrooms, state-of-the-art moot court hall as also a well-equipped library with a large volume of reference books, legal search engines, databases and other e-resources, which have been made available to all students of the College. The independent website of the library is widely accessed by the faculty and students, including from other institutions. The adoption of an intense mentoring system has complemented the need for channelizing the journey of every student.

Organizing activities like debates, quiz, in-house seminars, moot court competitions and training students in client counselling, mock trials, negotiation, mediation and such other are a routine co-curricular platform at the College which the students avail the benefits of. For these, the faculty members take efforts to provide students with a wide practical exposure, including through legal aid and facilitate students to hone their skills and supplement their curricular needs.

The College is proud to have dedicated a huge playground and a gymnasium for the students on campus and also to provide a repertoire of indoor and outdoor sports and other recreational facilities. The students have manifested a fine blend of brain and brawn by excelling in Sports as also setting records at such events.

The success story of the College is not complete without recognizing the several alumni of the College – our brand ambassadors, who have excelled in academics and won several gold medals at the many examinations over the years and have reached far and wide keeping the flame of G. R. Kare Law College burning, whether they be Judicial officers, particularly Hon'ble Judges of the High Court, members of the Bar, academicians, the bureaucracy and all other officers of the echelons of society, who have made us proud over the last four decades.



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## About G. R. Kare College of Law

From a humble beginning, in a rental premises in Borda-Margao, the Institution prospered to own its independent building with State-of Art facilities.

The institutional premises, a multi-storeyed building is situated on a spacious stretch of land at Tansor- Comba, Margao which, though in bustling city environment, is in the lap of natures' bounty, providing a serene and conducive atmosphere for learning. It is well-equipped in terms of infrastructure, has spacious and well-ventilated class rooms equipped with IT facilities, a state-of-the-art Moot Court hall, a resourceful library, discussion room, a large auditorium and activity hall as well as provisions for other basic institutional facilities, such as broadband Wi-Fi connectivity, book bank scheme, IT enabled smart class room, gymkhana, recreational room and self-contained girls common room.

The Institution has qualified and competent faculty who are committed to the institution's vision and mission.

The Institution is the only Centre for Legal Studies in South Goa and offers different under-graduate and post-graduate degree programmes affiliated to Goa University. In addition, the college has a Research Centre for Doctoral Studies for the Ph.D. Programme in Law, affiliated to Goa University.

## Programmes

The following programmes are offered:

- 1) **Five Year Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Laws (B.A. LL.B.) Double Degree Integrated Programme**
- 2) **Three Year Bachelor of Laws (LL.B.) Degree Programme**
- 3) **Two Year Post Graduate Master of Laws (LL.M.) Degree Programme**
- 4) **Ph.D. Programme for Doctoral Studies in Law**

In addition, the Institution offers a Certificate Programme in Portuguese Language Course with Legal Inputs and a Certificate Programme in Indo-European Comparative Legal Studies.

The Institution proposes to offer Diploma in Labour Law and Certificate programmes in ADR, RTI, Child and Law, Disability Rights and Consumer Rights.

A total of 20 MoUs/Cooperation agreements have been entered into with National and Foreign institutions and bodies, and the institution regularly conducts programmes and courses in association with them.

- Asian School of Cyber Law; Modern Law College, Pune-Maharashtra
- Office of the Collectorate of South Goa
- Lusophone Society of Goa
- The School of Law, University of Lisbon, Lisboa-Portugal
- Faculty of Law, University of Minho, Braga- Portugal
- Sangath - Porvorim, Goa
- P.E.S.'s Modern Law College, Pune- Maharashtra
- The Goa State Biodiversity Board
- Protocol of the Institution of the International Lusophone Law Research Network
- Sanjeevan Society for Youth Development, Goa
- The All Goa Senior Citizen Federation
- M/s Lions Club of Margao (Central)
- V.M. Salgaocar College of Law, Miramar-Goa
- Universidade de Fortaleza, Brazil
- P.G. Department of Psychology, Carmel College of Arts, Science and Commerce, Goa
- Carmel College of Arts, Science and Commerce, Goa
- Sakhi - One Stop Centre, South Goa
- University of Coimbra, Portugal (for Civil Law and other Legal Aspects)
- University of Coimbra, Portugal (for Portuguese Language and Culture)
- School of Legal Studies, British College of Applied Studies, Colombo; Sri Lanka

The Institution has a distinguished and excellent record for almost four decades. It has organized various State and International events such as seminars, symposia, moot court competitions, negotiation competition, client-counseling competitions, legal aid camps and law festivals namely, *Juris Open*, on themes of socio-legal importance.

The Institution banks on an intensive mentoring system which builds and fosters a strong teacher-student rapport. Such continuous interest taken by the mentor in the students' progression enables the mentor and the students to mutually benefit from this exercise and thereby provides scope for effective guidance and proper regulation, wherever required.

Looking back at its glory, the Institution has given to the society and community, alumni whose services to society has been laudable and who presently occupy eminent positions in various and diverse arenas of legal and social life. Besides this, the institutional performance at the University examinations is consistently outstanding. The Institution prides itself for the several gold medals and recognitions earned at the University Examinations as also at the various State level competitions in curricular, co-curricular, extra-curricular and sports activities.



▲ MoU with Sanjeevan society for youth development, Bandora



▲ MoU with University of Lisbon, Portugal



▲ School of Legal Studies, British College of Applied Studies, Colombo, Sri Lanka



▲ MoU with Modern Law College, Pune

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# BACHELOR OF ARTS AND BACHELOR OF LAWS B.A.LL.B.

## ELIGIBILITY FOR ADMISSION TO THE B.A.LL.B PROGRAMME

### I. ELIGIBILITY FOR ADMISSION TO THE FIRST YEAR OF B.A.LL.B PROGRAMME IN ACCORDANCE WITH ORDINANCE OC-34 A.1.3(i)

Candidates who have passed the Higher Secondary of 12<sup>th</sup> standard Examination of Goa Board of Higher Secondary Education or any other equivalent examination recognized by Goa University in any stream of knowledge within a minimum of 45% marks (40% Marks in case of SC/ST and 42% Marks in case of OBC) shall be eligible for admission to the First Year provided the candidate:

- a. Appears and is declared passed at the common or college entrance examination.
- b. If the candidate is from any Board or University other than Goa Board of Higher Secondary Education, the candidate obtains the eligibility certificate from Goa University.

### DOCUMENTS TO BE SUBMITTED FOR VERIFICATION AND CONFIRMATION

1. Birth Certificate or Original S.S.C. /H.S.S.C. Passing Certificate for proof of age (along with self-attested copy).
2. Self-attested copy of Aadhar Card of the candidate.
3. Two copies of passport size coloured photograph of the candidate
4. Original Statement of Marks of H.S.S.C. Examination or equivalent passed (along with self-attested copy).
5. Leaving Certificate/Transfer certificate from the Principal of the college last attended.
6. In case of students other than from Goa Board of Higher Secondary Education, Eligibility Certificate and/or Migration Certificate as the case may be, from the Goa University for the purpose of confirmation of admission.

### ADMISSION PROCEDURE

Candidates who are desirous of seeking admission are required to fill in the application form, completed in all respects, along with relevant documents, in accordance with directions provided on the website of the College.

The College shall conduct an entrance examination for eligible candidates. This examination shall be conducted in the English language consisting of objective type multiple-choice questions (MCQ) based on the knowledge of general English, general knowledge and current affairs, logical reasoning and legal aptitude, elementary computer knowledge and simple mathematical ability, details of which are provided on the website of the College.

Admissions will be based on merit giving weightage to performance at both - the qualifying examination and entrance examination and accordingly names of short-listed candidates who can take admission will be displayed.

Candidates who have been short-listed will have to compulsorily appear for an interview and counseling session along with parents before the Admission Committee, on which basis the admission will be finalized. Admission formalities will be completed only upon payment of necessary fees.

The intake capacity shall be a division of 60, in accordance with the Legal Education Rules, 2008 of the Bar Council of India, inclusive of the State Reservation Policy.

## **II. ELIGIBILITY FOR ADMISSION TO SECOND YEAR OF B.A. LL.B. PROGRAMME IN ACCORDANCE WITH ORDINANCE OC-34 A.1.3(ii) [with effect from 12<sup>th</sup> February 2019]**

Candidates who are eligible to appear for Semesters I and II shall be eligible for admission to Second Year irrespective of backlogs in Semester I and II.

## **III. ELIGIBILITY FOR ADMISSION TO THIRD YEAR OF B.A. LL.B PROGRAMME IN ACCORDANCE WITH ORDINANCE OC-34 A.1.3(iii)**

Only those candidates, who have passed Semesters I and II, have fulfilled the requirements of Semesters III and IV and do not have more than FIVE papers as backlog from Semesters III and IV taken together, shall be considered eligible for admission to the Third Year.

## **IV. ELIGIBILITY FOR ADMISSION TO FOURTH YEAR OF B.A. LL.B. PROGRAMME IN ACCORDANCE WITH ORDINANCE OC-34 A.1.3(iv) [with effect from 12<sup>th</sup> February 2019]**

Only those candidates, who have passed Semesters I, II, III and IV, fulfilled the requirements of Semesters V and VI and have not more than FIVE papers as backlog from Semesters V and VI taken together, shall be considered eligible for admission to the Fourth Year.

## **V. ELIGIBILITY FOR ADMISSION TO FIFTH YEAR OF B.A. LL.B. PROGRAMME IN ACCORDANCE WITH ORDINANCE OC-34 A.1.3(v) [with effect from 12<sup>th</sup> February 2019]**

Only those candidates, who have passed Semesters I, II, III, IV, V and VI examinations, fulfilled the requirements for Semesters VII and VIII and have not more than FIVE papers as backlog in Semesters VII and VIII taken together, shall be considered eligible for admission to the Fifth Year.

Eligibility shall be in accordance with provisions of relevant Ordinance of Goa University mentioned above. Such candidates are required to submit the application form, duly filled in with original mark-sheets of the respective semesters, along with certified copies of the same and will have to compulsorily appear for an interview and counseling in order to complete admission formalities by paying necessary fees.

### **SUBJECTS OFFERED**

#### **SEMESTER I**

1. General English I
2. Legal Research and Methodology
3. Environmental Studies
4. Major Paper I: Political Science
5. Minor Paper A I: Economics

#### **SEMESTER II**

1. General English II
2. Law of Contract I
3. Law of Torts
4. Major Paper II: Political Science
5. Minor Paper A II: Economics

#### **SEMESTER III**

1. Constitutional Law I
2. Law of Crimes
3. Law of Contract II
4. Major Paper III: Political Science
5. Minor Paper A III: Economics

#### **SEMESTER IV**

1. Family Law I
2. Property Law and Easement
3. Constitutional Law II
4. Major Paper IV: Political Science
5. Language (Foreign): Portuguese/Special English

**SEMESTER V**

1. Family Law II
2. Company Law
3. Environmental Law
4. Major Paper V: Political Science
5. Minor Paper B I: History

**SEMESTER VI**

1. Legal Theory
2. Labour Law I
3. Major Paper VI: Political Science
4. Minor Paper B II: History
5. Optional: Insurance/Interpretation of Statutes/Health Law

**SEMESTER VII**

1. Labour Law II
2. Law of Evidence
3. Administrative Law
4. Minor Paper B III: History
5. Optional: Human Rights/Child and Law

**SEMESTER VIII**

1. Civil Procedure Code and Limitation Act
2. Criminal Procedure Code
3. Public International Law
4. Optional: Criminology, Penology & Victimology/Patent Rights: Creation & Registration/IT Law
5. Optional: Banking Law/Legislative Drafting/Competition Law

**SEMESTER IX**

1. Law of Taxation
2. Practical Paper I: Drafting of Pleadings and Conveyancing
3. Practical Paper II: Professional Ethics
4. Optional: International Trade Law /Law and Medicine/ Trademarks & Designs Law
5. Optional: Land Laws/Maritime Law/Air and Space Law

**SEMESTER X**

1. Practical Paper III: Alternative Dispute Resolution
2. Practical Paper IV: Moot Court
3. Optional: Copyright/Media and Law /International Commercial Dispute Resolution
4. Optional: Law and Education/ Investment Law/Humanitarian & Refugee Law
5. Optional: Right to Information and Law/Women and Law

# BACHELOR OF LAWS - LL.B. DEGREE

## ELIGIBILITY FOR ADMISSION TO THE LL.B. DEGREE PROGRAMME

### I. ELIGIBILITY FOR ADMISSION TO FIRST YEAR LL.B. DEGREE PROGRAMME IN ACCORDANCE WITH ORDINANCE OC-35A.1.3(i)

Any person who has graduated in any discipline from the Goa University or any other University recognized as equivalent by Goa University and has obtained a minimum of 45% marks in aggregate (40% marks in case of SC/ST applicants and 42% in case of OBC applicants) at the final year of the Degree examination or an equivalent grade point shall be eligible for admission to the First Year LL.B., provided students from other than Goa University should obtain the necessary Eligibility Certificate from Goa University before seeking admission.

### DOCUMENTS TO BE SUBMITTED FOR VERIFICATION AND CONFIRMATION

1. Birth Certificate or Original S.S.C. /H.S.S.C. Passing Certificate for proof of age (along with self-attested copy).
2. Self-attested copy of Aadhar Card of the candidate.
3. Two copies of passport size coloured photograph of the candidate
4. Original graduation Certificate and statement of marks (along with self-attested copy).
5. Transfer certificate from the Principal of the college last attended.
6. In case of students from other than Goa University, Eligibility Certificate and/or Migration Certificate, as the case may be, from the Goa University.

### ADMISSION PROCEDURE

Candidates who are desirous of seeking admission are required to fill in the application form, completed in all respects, along with relevant documents, in accordance with directions provided on the website of the College.

Admissions will be based on merit and accordingly the names of the short-listed candidates will be displayed.

Candidates who have been short-listed will have to compulsorily appear for an interview and counseling session before the Admission Committee, on which basis admission will be finalized. Admission formalities will be completed only upon payment of necessary fees.

The intake capacity is a division of 60, in accordance with the Legal Education Rules, 2008 of the Bar Council of India, inclusive of the State Reservation Policy.

**II. ELIGIBILITY FOR ADMISSION TO SECOND YEAR OF LL.B DEGREE PROGRAMME IN ACCORDANCE WITH ORDINANCE OC-35A.1.3(ii) [With Effect from 11<sup>th</sup> March 2019]**

Candidates who are eligible to appear for Semesters I and II Examinations, shall be eligible for admission to Second Year LL.B, irrespective of backlogs in Semester I and II.

**III. ELIGIBILITY FOR ADMISSION TO THIRD YEAR OF LL.B DEGREE PROGRAMME IN ACCORDANCE WITH ORDINANCE OC-35A.1.3(iii) [With Effect from 11<sup>th</sup> March 2019]**

Only those candidates, who have passed Semesters I and II, and are eligible to appear for Semesters III and IV Examinations and have not more than FIVE papers as backlog from Semesters III and IV taken together, shall be considered eligible for admission to the Third Year.

Eligibility shall be in accordance with provisions of relevant Ordinance of Goa University mentioned above. Such candidates are required to submit the application form, duly filled in with original mark-sheets of the respective semesters, along with certified copies of the same and will have to compulsorily appear for an interview and counseling in order to complete admission formalities by paying necessary fees.

## **SUBJECTS OFFERED**

### **SEMESTER I**

1. Contract I
2. Law of Crimes
3. Law of Torts
4. Constitutional Law I
5. Family Law I

### **SEMESTER II**

1. Contract II
2. Law of Property
3. Family Law II
4. Constitutional Law II
5. Optional: Right to Information & Law/ Women & Law

### **SEMESTER III**

1. Public International Law
2. Administrative Law
3. Jurisprudence/Legal Theory
4. Optional: Human Rights/ Children and Law
5. Optional: Interpretation of Statutes/ Insurance/ Health and Law

### **SEMESTER IV**

1. Environmental Law
2. Law of Evidence
3. Company Law
4. Optional: Law of Banking/ Legislative Drafting/ Competition Law
5. Optional: Penology & Victimology/ Patent Rights: Creation & Registration

### **SEMESTER V**

1. Labour Law I
2. Civil Procedure Code and Limitation Act
3. Optional: Land Laws/ Maritime Law/ Air and Space Law
4. Practical Paper I: Drafting of Pleadings and Conveyancing
5. Practical Paper III: Professional Ethics, Accounting & Bar Bench Relations

### **SEMESTER VI**

1. Labour Law II
2. Criminal Procedure Code
3. Law of Taxation
4. Practical Paper III: Alternative Dispute Resolution
5. Practical Paper IV: Moot Court, Observation of Trial & Interview Techniques

# MASTER OF LAWS - LL.M.

## **ELIGIBILITY FOR ADMISSION TO THE FIRST YEAR OF LL.M. (CHOICE BASED CREDIT SYSTEM) PROGRAMME IN ACCORDANCE WITH OC-33 A.4**

To be eligible for admission to the LL.M. Programme, a candidate shall be required to have obtained a minimum of 50% marks in aggregate (45% in case of SC and ST candidates) at the 5 years or 3 years LL.B. Programme, recognized by the Bar Council of India.

### **DOCUMENTS TO BE SUBMITTED**

1. Birth Certificate or Original S.S.C. /H.S.S.C. Passing Certificate for proof of age (along with self-attested copy).
2. Self-attested copy of Aadhar Card of the candidate.
3. Two copies of passport size coloured photograph of the candidate
4. Original LL.B. Certificate and statement of marks (along with self-attested copy).
5. Transfer Certificate from the Principal of the college last attended.
6. In case of students other than from Goa University, Eligibility Certificate and/or Migration Certificate as the case maybe, from the Goa University.

### **ADMISSION PROCEDURE**

Candidates who are desirous of seeking admission are required to fill in the application form, completed in all respects, along with relevant documents, in accordance with directions provided on the website of the College.

Admission to the LL.M. Programme shall be based on merit. The Merit List shall be prepared, based on the highest score obtained by the candidate at the 5 years or 3 years LL.B. Programme and the short-listed candidates that can take admission will be displayed.

Candidates who have been short- listed will have to compulsorily appear before the Admission Committee and exercise choice of specialization, on which basis, the admission will be finalized. Admission formalities will be completed only upon payment of necessary fees.

The intake capacity is a division of 40, in accordance with provisions of the relevant Ordinances.



## **SPECIALISATIONS OFFERED**

1. Labour and Industrial law
2. Criminal Law
3. Intellectual Property Rights
4. Corporate and Commercial Law
5. Constitution and Administrative Law

## **SUBJECTS OFFERED**

### **SEMESTER - I**

1. Comparative Public Law
2. Research Methodology
3. Law, Society and Legal Thought

### **SEMESTER - II**

1. Legal Education and Legal Pedagogy
2. Specialization Core Course - I
3. Specialization Core Course - II

### **SEMESTER - III**

1. Specialization Core Course - III
2. Open Elective Course - I
3. Dissertation

### **SEMESTER - IV**

1. Specialization Core Course - IV
2. Open Elective Course - II
3. Dissertation

### **DISSERTATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH OC- 33 A. 7& OC - 33 A.10**

1. The dissertation work shall be spread over the third and fourth Semesters.
2. Topics for dissertations shall be finalized by the student in consultation with the Departmental Faculty Committee (DFC) before the end of the second semester.
3. Dissertation being 8 credit course, a student is required to engage 120 hours on dissertation work, of which at least 10% (12hours) shall be compulsorily spent on consultation with the Guide, who shall supervise the student on a regular basis.
4. The final dissertation is required to be an original work and shall be screened for similarity test as per the University norms.

The dissertation shall be assessed for a total of 200 marks, of which 50 marks shall be for the presentation and viva-voce and 150 marks shall be for the dissertation that is submitted. The average marks of the panel of three examiners shall be considered.

## Scheme of arrangement of Specialization Courses

Sems	Criminal Law	Intellectual Property Rights	Corporate & Commercial Law	Constitutional & Administrative Law	Labour and Industrial Laws
<b>Core Courses (For Semesters II, III and IV)</b>					
<b>II</b>	Crime, Criminology and Crime Prevention	Patent Law- Creation and Registration	Corporate Law	Constitutional Theory and Practice	Industrial Relations Law
	Contemporary Forms of Crime	Copyright- Law and Practice	International Trade Law	General Principles of Administrative Law	Law Relating to Industrial Injuries And Social Security
<b>III</b>	Penology and Treatment of Offenders	Law on Designs, Trademarks and Geographical Indications	Banking and Insurance Law	Constitutional Framework of Governance	Law Relating to Labour Welfare
<b>IV</b>	Victims and Criminal Justice System	Law on Traditional Knowledge, Bio diversity, and Plant Varieties– Promotion and Protection	Consumer and Competition – Law and Practice	Federalism and Inter government al Relations	Trade Unionism, Collective Bargaining and Industrial Adjudication
<b>Elective Courses (For Semesters–III &amp; IV)</b>					
<b>III &amp; IV</b>	International Criminal Law	Information Technology and IPR– Law and Practice	Investment and Securities Law	Constitutional Review and Adjudication	Law Relating to Service Regulations
	Human Rights and Criminal Justice	Biotechnology and Intellectual Property Rights	Corporate Governance & Human Rights	Freedom of Expression, Religious pluralism and Minorities	Agricultural Labour Law
	Juvenile offenders and the Law	International Trade Law	Corporate Social Responsibility	Disadvantageous Groups and Constitutional Framework	Dispute Resoluti onin Labour Management Relations
	Indian Constitution and Criminal Justice Administration	Economic Development and Intellectual Property Rights Law	Business and Trade Law (IPR)	Comparative and Global Administrative Law	Laws Relating to Wage Determination and other Bene? ts

# PH.D. PROGRAMME FOR DOCTORAL STUDIES IN LAW

## RESEARCH GUIDE

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## ELIGIBILITY FOR ADMISSION IN ACCORDANCE WITH ORDINANCE OA – 19A

### ADMISSION PROCEDURE

Candidates who are desirous of seeking admissions to the Ph.D. Programme shall clear an Entrance Examination of the Goa University followed by a personal interview at the Research Centre. However, candidates who have qualified in the examinations of apex bodies such as CSIR-UGC/UGC NET JRF/lectureship, SET/SLET examination of different Indian States/GATE with a valid certificate, or regular M. Phil. Degree holders are exempt from the entrance examination.

Every candidate shall have to compulsorily reside within the territorial jurisdiction of Goa University during the first three years of the period of research leading to the Ph. D. Degree.

### FEES

1. Fees are to be paid by the Research Scholar to the Goa University towards registration for the Ph.D. Programme and its continuation. The period of leave/absence shall be allowed in accordance with the relevant Ordinance and/ or Notification, issued by the Goa University from time to time.
2. The Research Scholar shall be required to pay the prescribed annual fee to the College towards the Research Centre, in accordance with the directions issued from time to time.



▲ International Conference on CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS: NEW CHALLENGES in association with *JUSGOV*, University of Minho, Portugal.



▲ National Seminar on PROTECTION OF RIGHTS OF SENIOR CITIZENS: SOCIO-LEGAL PERSPECTIVES, supported by Directorate of Extra-mural Studies and Extension Services, Goa University.

# GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

## **INTERNAL ASSESSMENT**

Communications pertaining to all forms of internal assessment through assignments, presentations, tests and /or related activities will be notified from time to time and shall be strictly followed.

## **ELIGIBILITY FOR APPEARANCE AT EXAMINATIONS**

A candidate who has been admitted to the B.A.LL.B./LL.B. Degree programme of the college is required to fulfill the criteria laid down for attendance of lectures/classes/tutorials, including moot-court exercises, mock trial activities, negotiation and mediation sessions, and such other activities in accordance with the Goa University Ordinance OA-17 and Rule 12 of the Legal Education Rules, 2008 of the Bar Council of India. Failure to fulfill the requirements laid down in the above mentioned Rules will be treated as ineligible to appear at the examination and an unsuccessful completion of the semester/term.

A candidate who has been admitted to the LL.M. (Choice Based Credit System) programme of the college is required to fulfill the criteria laid down for attendance of lectures/ classes/ tutorials in accordance with the Goa University Ordinance OA-17. Failure to fulfill the requirements laid down in the above mentioned Rules will be treated as ineligible to appear at the examination and an unsuccessful completion of the semester/term.

## **CHOICE OF SPECIALISATION AND/OR OPTIONAL COURSES/SUBJECTS**

A student has to compulsorily exercise in the application form, the choice of specialization and/or optional courses/subjects, if any, for the respective semesters, in the beginning of the Academic year and appear before the Admission Committee. The college will offer specialization and/or optional course/subjects, only in case the requisite number of students for a particular specialization and/or optional courses/subjects is enrolled.

## **DURATION FOR COMPLETION OF A PROGRAMME**

The total duration available for a student to complete any programme is twice the actual duration prescribed for the respective programme. Rules for completion of the programme are in accordance with the Goa University Ordinance OA-16.11.

## **INFORMATION AS TO FEES**

1. The annual tuition fee is fixed with the approval of Goa University and the Government. If there are any changes in the Fee Structure, the students will be required to pay such fees accordingly. Changes in Fee Structure, if any, will be informed /notified as per University Fee Structure Committee Guidelines.
2. All fees will be paid online for which instructions will be provided by the College office.
3. Students who are in requirement of relaxation of time for payment of fees must obtain a written permission from Principal by submitting an application which will be granted only in exceptional circumstances, solely at the discretion of the Principal.
4. Students applying for a Transfer Certificate from the College should have cleared all dues. A student applying for a Transfer Certificate shall pay the prescribed fees for the same.
5. Fees payable for each Semester Examination is notified by the University from time to time and is payable accordingly. The examination form of a student having arrears will not be forwarded to the University.

## **CANCELLATION OF ADMISSION**

A student who wishes to cancel his/her admission will be eligible for refund of fees as per the Rules laid down by the Goa University and notified from time to time.



▲ Faculty awaiting NAAC Peer Team

## SOCIETIES AND CLUBS

### MOOT COURT AND ALTERNATE DISPUTE RESOLUTION (ADR) SOCIETY

The College has a vibrant and active mooting culture which seeks to channelize the students on the mooting path towards achieving new heights in the mooting arena. The Society provides opportunities to harbour research, oral advocacy and legal drafting skills. In order to achieve this objective, the Moot Court and ADR Society organizes various events like Mooting Primer for all the novice mooters and inter-class moot court Championship. The Moot Court Society also actively endeavors towards organization of 'Juris Open' a National level event of the College. The Society of the college also equips the students with the necessary skills to be better mediators and arbitrators and creates awareness amongst students on ADR as a supplement to litigation through the methods of Negotiation, Mediation and Arbitration.

### LEGAL AID SOCIETY

The College is fulfilling its obligation in relation to access to justice through its Legal Aid Society. The legal aid society has been established with a mission to serve legal aid by organizing legal literacy and legal awareness camps. The college has 21 clinics established in the state of Goa.

### LITERARY SOCIETY

The Literary Society of the College is pro-active in organizing debates, quiz and other activities on contemporary socio-legal issues and gives expression to poetry, original essays etc. The Society complements the curriculum with the knowledge of current events.

### INTERNATIONAL LAW SOCIETY

The International Law Society of the college organizes and conducts programmes on International relations, issues and concerns by inviting experts in the field of International Law from different Universities across the world.

### CHILD RIGHTS CELL

The Child Rights Cell of the College conducts awareness of the rights of the child through programmes and encourages students and faculty members to publish research articles and literature on the rights of the child.



Legal awareness programme by members of Legal Aid Clinic

### **WOMEN'S CELL**

The Women's cell focuses on creating awareness about gender equality & gender justice. It also helps in creating awareness about important issues related to women and provides a forum for discussion and deliberation on a range of issues on empowerment. The cell organizes group discussions, debates, essay writing, on gender issues to sensitize students.

### **ENVIRONMENTAL LAW AND BIODIVERSITY CELL**

The mission of Environmental Law and Biodiversity Cell is to promote awareness of environmental sustainability and conservation issues. The club hosts many speaking events focusing on current environmental issues. The club also hosts film screenings of documentaries that educate on environmental issues.

### **ENTREPRENEURSHIP CELL**

The Entrepreneurship Cell aims to foster entrepreneurship skills among the students. The cell hopes to achieve this by conducting stimulating workshops, competitions and interactive sessions with eminent personalities who are role models when it comes to business development.

### **PLACEMENT CELL**

The Placement cell organizes various talks on career options and guidance. The core commitment of the placement cell is to train the students and provide for placements through its annual placement fair.

### **LEGAL COUNSELING AND FACILITATION CENTRE**

The Legal Counseling and Facilitation Centre provides legal advice to the senior citizens in distress and assists them in approaching the appropriate legal forum to seek justice.

### **ARBITRATION AND MEDIATION CENTRE AND EVIDENCE RECORDING CHAMBER**

The Arbitration and Mediation centre is established to take forward the mission of ADR with a facility to its stakeholders. So also, an Evidence Recording Chamber to supplement the needs of commissions appointed for this purpose. Both ventures provide students with an unparalleled exposure to the respective systems.

### **THE TAXATION CELL**

The Taxation Cell focuses and creates awareness about different taxation laws. It conducts programmes in order to provide guidance to the public in different areas of taxation related aspects.

### **CRIMINAL LAW CLUB**

The Criminal Law Club mainly organizes field trips to police stations and jails to give the students a practical exposure on the prevailing criminal functioning and administration.

### **HUMAN RIGHTS CLUB**

The objective of the Human Rights Club is to promote a human rights culture and to raise awareness on human rights issues and violations. The club annually conducts a candle light march to commemorate the Human Rights Day.

### **MEDICAL LAW CLUB**

The Medical Law Club organizes talk(s) on issues focusing on law and medicine, in particular, organ transplant and its implications, awareness on autism etc.

### **RIGHT TO INFORMATION CLUB**

The Right to Information Club focuses on the right to information for citizens to secure access to information under the control of public authorities which ensures to promote transparency and accountability in the working of every public authority. The club conducts awareness programmes and its members assist the general public in drafting applications and guiding them with the procedure.

### **INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS (IPR) CLUB**

The IPR Club creates conducive environment for the awareness of IPR as an economic tool as a marketable financial asset and development of intellectual property. The club conducts seminars to advise and guide students and faculty on the importance of IPR.

### **CONSTITUTIONAL LAW CLUB**

The Club provides a platform to the students to learn beyond the curriculum. The Club activities facilitate to sensitize students about recent happenings through research, debate, discussion sessions, poster making, quizzing and also through various competitions.

### **RED RIBBON CLUB**

Red Ribbon is the international symbol of HIV and AIDS awareness. The club is concerned with creating awareness and eliminating stigma associated with HIV and AIDS.



## **STUDENTS' COUNCIL**

The Students' Council is a body of student representatives which functions under the supervision of faculty in-charge. It acts as a link between the student community and management of the College.

## **NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME (NSS)**

NSS is aimed at developing students' personality through community service. The cardinal rule is that it is organized by the students themselves, and both students and teachers through their combined participation in community service, get a sense of involvement in the tasks of nation building. It conducts various events like blood donation camps, awareness rallies on socio-legal issues, medical camps, visit to old age homes, orphanages, etc.

## **ALUMNI ASSOCIATION**

The Alumni Association is a registered body which serves as an interface between the College and the Alumni Community. The alumni support the Institution and contribute to its general welfare in terms of institutional, academic and infrastructural development.

## **PARENT-TEACHER ASSOCIATION(PTA)**

The PTA functions under a committee duly constituted in accordance with the Bye-laws framed for the purpose. PTA works for college activities and generally supports all efforts to work effectively for the students' welfare.

## **RESEARCH, CONSULTANCY AND EXTENSION SERVICES CELL**

The main objective of the cell is to promote research in the institution. It aims at encouraging and assisting the faculty and the students to conduct research on various socio-legal topics. It undertakes the publication of Kare Law Journal, the annual peer reviewed journal of the institution. The cell is also responsible for exploring the avenues for the research funding and consultancy assignments

## **PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT AND SKILL AUGMENTATION CELL**

The cell aims at skill development of the employees of the institution. It conducts professional development programmes for employees and undertakes training of skill development of the employees, including that of support staff..



▲ Winners of Intra-collegiate Mediation competition

## DEPARTMENT OF LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE

Library plays the vital role in enhancing the quality of academic environment in educational Institution in particularly law institution. The Library is well equipped and has a collection of approximately 16,500 bar-coded books including an exclusive rare collection of about 50 books and with subscription to vital law reports, journals, magazines and newspapers.

The Reading room is well furnished and can accommodate 60 students. In addition, the Library has a Discussion Room and a Research Centre with a capacity for 20 students each. The Library also has study carrels to make individual studying conducive. Library is also equipped with desktop computers, laptops and Kindle which are used by the students to pursue academic excellence. CCTV cameras are installed for proper surveillance.

Library is automated with the Open Source NewGenLib Library Management Software. OPAC (Online Public Access Catalogue) is provided through college computer network and students can access bibliographic details of the books available in the library. The library also has a subscription to Digilegal database wherein students have an access to the old and latest judgments of the Supreme Court of India and all other High Courts of India, including Bare Acts and Notifications. An offline access is also available to All India Reporter. The Library also has the Database of ILI Law Journals Article Since its inception (i.e. 1965 till 2010) and Annual Law Reports from (1965 to 2010). Each student has an access to e-journals, e-books with separate user ids and passwords through a subscription to N-List. The Library also has caliber e-book management software wherein about 800 public domain law books are made available to the students. The Library is a repository of dissertations, question banks, college cultural programmes videos, videos of guest lecturers, and of articles published by college lectures.

The Library has a Book Bank Scheme in which books are issued for every course/subject to all the *bona fide students* in addition to the books issued by the library otherwise, for each semester till the end of examination of the respective semester.

The Library's exclusive website i.e. [www.grkarelawlibrary.yolasite.com](http://www.grkarelawlibrary.yolasite.com) contains all latest and updated details of the college along with other relevant information such as syllabus, question papers, links to the free legal sources for the students, and so on.

Library also has a facility of photocopying machine wherein students are allowed to take print, photocopy or scan books or other relevant documents.

## DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND SPORTS

Our college actively participates in the tournaments such as Weight lifting, Power lifting Badminton, Table tennis, Chess, Football, Cricket, Athletics Handball, Tennikoit to name few, organised by the Goa University besides our students all participates in Open tournaments and Organized by other colleges in Goa and won many laurels to college. Many students in addition participate in individual games like Judo, Taekwondo, Carom tournaments planned by other organization in state.

Every year, Sports Council of Vidya Vikas Mandal Felicitates Outstanding Sports Achievers, who represent University, State and win Places at State/University level are awarded and encouraged with Sports Awards & various incentives besides Practice and Kit allowances.

College has its own spacious playground in the campus for outdoor sports activities wherein sports like football, Volleyball, cricket and Athletics events such as Shot put, Javelin, Discuss, Running are practiced.

In addition the College is using Common Multipurpose Hall wherein students play and practice sports like table Tennis, Badminton, Chess, Judo, Taekwondo, Power-lifting, weight lifting. It is also housed with Gym facilities for the physical fitness of the students.



Harshad Bandodkar Created a new record in shot put at 34<sup>th</sup> All Goa Inter-collegiate Athletic Championship 2019-20 organised by Goa University.



Runners up at Inter-Collegiate Power Lifting Championship 2019-20 organised by Goa University



Annual Sports meet 2019-20

## GENERAL INFORMATION AND CODE OF CONDUCT

1. The College is under CCTV surveillance.
  
2. The dress code prescribed for students is as per the Bar Council of India guidelines.
  - a. All students shall wear decent and modest attire and shall not wear clothes such as shorts, T-shirts and/or body-hugging, revealing or clothes with inappropriate messages.
  - b. They shall compulsorily be dressed in black and white formal attire on every Saturday. (Boys to be dressed in white shirt and black trousers and girls to be dressed in white shirt and black trousers or white kurta and black salwar/churidar with/without black dupatta or white top with a black skirt below knee-length).
  - c. Violation of any of the above Rules will be subject to strict disciplinary action as decided by the Disciplinary Committee.
  
3. All students shall maintain proper standards of personal hygiene and cleanliness of the premises and campus.
  
4. Use of mobile phones is strictly prohibited in the classrooms and library and will be governed by the Rules relating to fines in this regard.
  
5. Possession and/or consumption of alcohol and/or drugs is strictly prohibited and subject to strict disciplinary action as decided by the Disciplinary Committee.
  
6. All students shall wear the Identity Card at all times while in the college campus.
  
7. Entry of motor vehicles in the campus wherein drivers/riders do not possess valid driving/ riding licence is prohibited. In case of motorcycles, use of helmet is compulsory.
  
8. Any inappropriate/violent behavior in the campus is subject to strict disciplinary action.

## STATUTORY COMPLIANCES

### RIGHT TO INFORMATION

The following authorities have been duly appointed in accordance with the requirements of the Right to Information Act, 2005

First Appellate Authority (FAA)

Public Information Officer (PIO)

Assistant Public Information Officer (APIO)

Any applications relating to seeking information from the College are processed by the APIO/PIO and appeal may be filed before the FAA

### ANTI-RAGGING

The Anti-Ragging Committee constituted under the Goa Prohibition of Ragging Act, 2008 and mandated by the University Grants Commission (UGC) is duly constituted. Students are strictly prohibited from any activities of ragging and any such incident shall be immediately reported to this committee for necessary action.

### PREVENTION OF SEXUAL HARASSMENT

An Internal Complaints Committee (ICC) is duly constituted in accordance with the Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Act, 2013 to deal with complaints of sexual harassment.

### PREVENTION OF SMOKING AND SPITTING

The Goa Prohibition of Smoking and Spitting Act, 1997 prohibits smoking and spitting in the premises and on the campus.



## COMMITTEES

### DISCIPLINE COMMITTEE

This committee is headed by all the faculty members of the institution and ensures discipline in and around the institutional premises.

### EXAMINATION COMMITTEE

The main function of this committee is to conduct internal examinations and to undertake related work pertaining to exams.

### GRIEVANCE REDRESSAL COMMITTEE

Takes cognizance of grievances of students in matters directly/indirectly related to assessment of internal examination conducted by the college and undertakes necessary steps in order to redress it.

### COLLEGE UNFAIR MEANS INQUIRY COMMITTEE

Authorized to take disciplinary action and conduct inquiries against any student who is found to employ unfair means during internal examinations conducted by the college



▲ Inauguration of Arbitration and Mediation Centre and Evidence Recording Chamber at the hands of Hon'ble Justice C. V. Bhadang, Judge, High Court of Bombay at Goa.

# GOVERNMENT SCHEMES & COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS

## GOVERNMENT SCHEMES

- 1) Dayanand Bandodkar Scheme for Higher Education for orphans
- 2) Fee waiver scheme for SC/ST students pursuing higher education  
(contact College office for details)

## SCHOLARSHIPS FOR 5 YEAR INTEGRATED B.A., LL.B.

- 1) Shri. R.G. Kare Scholarship : Cash prize of Rs. 1000/- to be awarded to the student of 5th Year LL.B. (Integrated) for the **ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE**.
- 2) Ramcrishna M. Salgaonkar Scholarship: Cash prize of Rs. 1000/- to be awarded to the student of Final LL.B. achieving 1st Rank in the college but securing at least First Class.
- 3) Scholarships/Award of Rolling Trophies instituted by Smt. S.M.N. Gaunekar in the name of her husband Adv. H.M.N. Gaunekar :
  - o Rolling Trophy and Cash prize of Rs. 500/- to the Best Student Advocate of the year.
  - o Rolling Trophy and Cash prize of Rs. 500/- to the Best All Round Student of the final year LL.B.
- 4) Late Shri Vishnu Pundalik Prabhu Chodnekar Scholarship :  
To be awarded to the student of 1st year LL.B., 2nd year LL.B., 3rd year LL.B. for the Academic year fulfilling the following criteria / conditions :
  - o Needy and deserving applicant/student. The income criteria will be the same as applicable to EBC (Economic Backward Class) students for Government Scholarships.
  - o A Student/applicant should satisfy the merit condition, i.e. he/she should have been declared pass for the qualifying examination in the first attempt.
  - o The Student is entitled to this scholarship provided he/she continues his/her studies in this college regularly without gaps and passing each examination in the first attempt.
- 5) Laxman Parab Scholarship: Rolling trophy instituted by Sitaram Parab in the name of Late Shri Laxman Parab to the student of 5th Year LL.B. (Integrated) for securing highest marks in the subject of Cr.P.C.
- 6) Late Umakant (Babush) Nilkanth Shenvi Kakodkar Scholarship : Cash prize of Rs. 1200/- to be awarded to the student of 5th Year LL.B. (Integrated) for achieving highest marks.

## SCHOLARSHIPS FOR 3 YEARS LL.B. DEGREE PROGRAMME

Cash Prize of Rs. 1000/- to the **MERITORIOUS STUDENT OF THE YEAR** instituted by Shri. R.G. Kare, President, Vidya Vikas Mandal in the name of his father Late Govind Ramnath Kare.

## ADV. JOSE INACIO CANDIDO DE LOYOLA SCHOLARSHIP

Endowment of Rs 1,00,000/- offered by his daughter, Smt. Yona Nazareth. Interest on the amount will be equally distributed to meritorious students from all programmes.



▲ Visit to college by Dr. António Chrystêllo Tavares, Consul General of Portugal in Goa



▲ MoU with the Coimbra University, Portugal in presence of H.E. the President of Portugal, Mr. Marcelo Rebelo De Souza, Hon'ble Chief Minister of Goa, Dr. Pramod Sawant and officials of The University Of Coimbra.



▲ Ms. Adriana Natalie Fernandes made the college proud by ranking first and securing a distinction with record percentage of 76.7% at B.A.LL.B. examination, April 2019.



▲ NAAC Peer Team visit - February 2021



▲ NAAC Exit Meeting



## From the Visitors' Diary . . .

*"Delighted to visit G. R. Kare College of Law. The Moot Court Room is better than some of the real courtrooms. The management, faculty and students of the Law College are really involved in legal education with several social justice initiatives. Wishing you all the best."*

Mohit S. Shah, J., Chief Justice, Bombay High Court. 22<sup>nd</sup> Aug 2015

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*"Thank you for your invite. The College is wonderful. The time your Managing Committee members are investing in this endeavor is remarkable. This shows your care for Goa and its future. Best wishes."*

Mahesh S. Sonak, J., Judge, Bombay High Court, 10<sup>th</sup> Feb 2019

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*"Amazing law school! Very intelligent faculty. Students and faculty are very friendly and professional !! The seminar was well put together and very informative. Thank you for allowing me to be part of the inaugural seminar! Wish you well."*

Hon. Kristi Harrington, Ninth Circuit Judge, South Carolina, USA, 6<sup>th</sup> Jul 2016

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*"Re-visited memories to my alma mater. Superb atmosphere and great Institution"*

Atmaram Nadkarni, Additional Solicitor General of India, 10<sup>th</sup> Jan 2015.

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*"Thank you to Kare College of Law for the warm welcome during my visit today and many congratulations for the Centre for Lusophone Culture and Legal Studies inaugurated on the occasion. All the best"*

Prof. Dário Moura Vicente, Faculty of Law, University of Lisbon, Portugal, 11<sup>th</sup> Jan 2018.

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*"We must know to distinguish between knowledge and wisdom. Knowledge can be acquired from various sources but wisdom can be acquired by interpretation of words. Lawyers must possess knowledge and wisdom. Best wishes"*

Ujjwal D. Nikam, Special Public Prosecutor, Mumbai, 8<sup>th</sup> Feb 2018.

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*"Much honoured with the marvelous reception and exceptional achievements. Congratulations to Kare College of Law"*

Pedro Costa Gonçalves, General Council Member, University of Coimbra, Portugal, 7<sup>th</sup> Feb 2020.