**COURSE STRUCTURE**

**LL.M. TWO YEARS (2022-2023)**

**Group- π**

**Human Rights**

**FIRST SEMESTER**

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| **Subject Code** |  **Paper**  | **L** | **Credits** | **Total Marks** |
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| LLM-101 | Research Methodology and Legal Writing | 5 | 3 | 20 | 80 | 100 |
| LLM-102 | Indian Constitutional Law: The New Challenges | 5 | 3 | 20 | 80 | 100 |
| LLM-103 **π** | Criminal Justice System and Human Rights | 5 | 3 | 20 | 80 | 100 |
| LLM-104 **π** | International Human Rights Law | 5 | 3 | 20 | 80 | 100 |
|  | **Sub Total** | **20** | **12** |  |  | **400** |
| **SECOND SEMESTER** |
| LLM-201 | Law and Social Transformation in India | 5 | 3 | 20 | 80 | 100 |
| LLM-202 **π** | Environment and Human Rights | 5 | 3 | 20 | 80 | 100 |
| LLM-203 **π** | Women, Children and Human Rights | 5 | 3 | 20 | 80 | 100 |
|  | **Sub Total** | **15** | **9** |  |  | **300** |
| **THIRD SEMESTER** |
| LLM-301**π** | Human Rights, Equality and Inclusion (Vulnerable Groups, - SC, ST, OBC, Disabled, Elderly Persons, Minorities and Workers | 5 | 3 | 20 | 80 | 100 |
| LLM-302 **π** | Science, Technology and Human Rights  | 5 | 3 | 20 | 80 | 100 |
| LLM-303 **π** | Practical Training (Teaching Assistance) | 5 | 3 | 20 | 80 | 100 |
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|  **FOURTH SEMESTER** |
| LLM-401**π** | Dissertation | 10 | 5 |  |  | 100 |
| LLM-402 **π**  | viva voce | 10 | 5 |  |  | 100 |
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**FIRST SEMESTER**

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| LLM-101 | Research Methods and Legal Writing |  5 | 3 | **20** | **80** | **100** |

**Unit-I**

**Introduction of Legal Research**

* Meaning; objectives and scope of legal research.
* Socio-legal Research in India
* Research Method *vis-à-vis* Research Methodology
* Kind of Legal Research- Doctrinal and Non-Doctrinal legal research; Inter/ Multidisciplinary, etc.
* Arm chair research *vis-à-vis* empirical research

**Unit-II**

**Research Design and Techniques**

* Primary and Secondary -Source
* Workable Hypothesis – formulation and evaluation
* Major steps in research design
* Sampling
* Survey and Case Study method

**Unit-III**

**Research Tools and Data Processing**

* Observation
* Interview and Schedule
* Questionnaire
* Socio - Metrics and Jurimetrics
* Data processing (deductions and Inductions) analysis and interpretation of data.

**Unit-IV**

**Legal Writing**

* Essentials of good legal writing
* Structured Legal Writing; Organization of Legal Material
* Report / Article writing in legal research
* Use of definitions, maxims, concepts, principles, doctrines in legal research
* Modern- Technology- Computer, Internet, etc.
* Citation, Reference and Footnoting Methodology
* Book review and case comments
* Dissertation and Thesis Writing
* Plagiarism as an offence in Research.

**Suggested Readings:**

1. Agrawal, S.K; Legal Education in India; Eastern Book House
2. Legal Research and Methodology; Indian Law Institute
3. Pauline, V.; Scientific Social Survey and Research; Prentice-Hall of India
4. Madhava Menon, N.R.; A Handbook of Clinical Legal Education; Tata McGraw Hill
5. William, J.Goode; Methods in Social Research; Tata McGraw Hill
6. Journal on Research Methodology; Indian Law Institute
7. Index to Indian and Foreign Legal Articles; National Law University, Delhi.

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| LLM-102 | Indian Constitutional Law: The New Challenges | 5 | 3 | 20 | 80 | 100 |

**Unit–I**

**Constitution and Federalism**

* Concept of Constitution
* Meaning and idea of Constitution, Nature, Scope and Goal
* Constitution as Supreme law
* Forms of Government: Unitary and Federal-salient features of both
* Nature of Indian Federalism

**Unit-II**

**Legislative relations between Centre and State**

* Theory of Separation of Powers
* Separation of Powers under the Indian Constitution
* Interrelationship among the three organs of the state
* Distribution of Legislative Powers: The Scheme of the distribution of legislative powers in India, the judicial approach and the present position
* Recommendation of Sarkaria Commission & Venkatachaliah Commission
* Centre's responsibility and internal disturbance within states
* Directions of the Centre to the state under Articles 356 and 365

**Unit-III**

**Emerging regime of new rights and remedies**

* Concept and nature of fundamental rights
* Right to Equality
* Rights against Exploitation, Cultural Rights, Rights to Freedom of Religion
* Right to education; Commercialization of education and its impact; and Brain drain by foreign education market
* Directive Principles of State Policy and Fundamental Duties

**Unit-IV**

**Democratic Process**

* Nexus of politics with criminals and the business
* Election: Status of election commission, electoral reforms
* Coalition government: “stability, durability, and corrupt practice”
* Grass root democracy

**Unit-V**

**Constitutional Remedies, Emergency and Amendment of the Constitution**

* Right to Constitutional Remedies - Features of Writ Jurisdiction under Art. 32
* Concept of locus standi - Dynamic approach of Supreme Court on Public Interest Litigation – Judicial Activism - Comparison between Art. 32 and 226
* Freedom of trade and Commerce
* Types of Emergencies and their impact on Federal structure
* Recent amendments

**Suggested Readings:**

1. Pandey, J.N.,*Constitutional law of India*, Central Law Agency, 2019
2. Shukla,V.N.,*Constitution of India*, Eastern Book Company, 13th Edition, 2017
3. Jain, M.P.,*Indian Constitutional Law,* J[ustice JastiChelameswar](https://www.amazon.in/s/ref%3Ddp_byline_sr_book_2?ie=UTF8&field-author=Justice+Jasti+Chelameswar&search-alias=stripbooks) (Editor), [Justice Dama Seshadri Naidu](https://www.amazon.in/s/ref%3Ddp_byline_sr_book_3?ie=UTF8&field-author=Justice+Dama+Seshadri+Naidu&search-alias=stripbooks) (Editor), LexisNexis, 8th Edition, 2018
4. Basu, D.D.,*Introduction to Constitution of India,* LexisNexis, 23rdEdition, 2018
5. Mahajan, V.P.,*Constitution of India,* Eastern Book Company, 7th Edition, 1991
6. Seervai,H.M.,*Constitution of India*, Vol. 1-3, 1992, Tripathi, Bombay
7. Kauper and Beytagh*Constitutional law: Cases and materials (Law school casebook series),*Publisher: Little, Brown; 5th Edition, 1982
8. Basu, D.D., *Select Constitutions of The World (Including International Charters)* Bhagbati Prasad Banerjee, B.M. Gandhi, LexisNexis, 4th Edition
9. Tripathi, *Constitution law of India,* Bombay H.M. Seervai (Vols. 3).
10. Derret, Duncan, *The State, Religion and Law in India*, OUP, 1999
11. Indian Law Institute, *Law and Social Change: Indo-American Reflections*, Tripathi Publications, 1988
12. Stone, Julius, *Social Dimension of Law and Justice, Marc Galanter*, Law and Society in Modern India, Oxford Publications, 1997
13. Lingat, Robert, *The Classical Law of India*, Oxford, 1998
14. Baxi, Upendra, *The Crisis of the Indian Legal System*, Vikas Publications, 1982
15. Bhatt, P.Ishwar, *Law and Social Transformation*, Eastern Book Company, Lucknow,2008

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| LLM-103 **π** | Criminal Justice System and Human Rights |  5 | 3 | **20** | **80** | **100** |

**Unit-I**

**Introduction**

* Historical, Philosophical and Social Perspective
* Conceptual perspective
* Concept of crime and criminal liability
* Offences involving Human Rights
* Role of Criminal Justice System
* Human Rights Problems:
* Police Atrocities and Accountability
* Violence against Women and Children
* Communal Violence
* Terrorism and Insurgence

**Unit-II**

**Rights to Accused**

* Rights to Accused
* Ex post facto law
* Double Jeopardy
* Protection against Self Incrimination
* Production before Magistrate
* Fair Trial
* Speedy Trial
* Appeal

**Unit-III**

**Rights of Inmates of Prison and Custodial Homes**

* Rights of Inmates of Prison and Custodial Homes
* Protection and Reformative Homes
* Prison
* Rights to Legal Aid and Access to Justice
* Compensation to victims of crime
* Punishment and Human Rights

**Unit-IV**

**Administration of Criminal Justice**

* Ordinary courts
* Special Courts
* District Human Rights Courts
* Nyaya Panchyats

**Unit-V**

**International Perspectives**

* International Crimes and role of Interpol
* International Cooperation in combating of Trans-national Organized crimes and International terrorism
* Palermo Convention on Transnational Organized Crime, 2000;
* Convention Against Illicit Trafficking in Narcotics and Psychotropic Substances, 1988-90
* Extradition and Mutual Assistance in Criminal Proceedings
* International Criminal Courts, Rome Statute, 1998
* International Norms on Administration of Criminal Justice

**Suggested Readings:**

1. Sharma, P.D., *Criminal Justice Administration*, Rawat publications, Jaipur, 1998
2. Rao, S. VenuGopal, *Criminal Justice, Problems and Perspectives in India*, Konark Publications, 1991)
3. Sharma ,P.D. ,*Police and Criminal justice Administration in India*, Uppal publication, 1985
4. South Asia Human Rights Documentation Centre, *Handbook of Human Rights and Criminal Justice in India*, O U P, (2010).
5. Vibhute, K.I., *Criminal Justice-Perspectives of the Criminal Justice Process in India,* Eastern Book Company, 1st Edition, 2004
6. Gaur, K.D., *Criminal Law: Cases & materials*, LexisNexis; 9thEdition , 2019
7. Rajan, V.N., *Whither Criminal Justice Policy?,* Sagar Publications, 1983
8. Rao S. Venugopal, *Female Criminality*, The Indian Society of Criminology, 1981

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| LLM-104 **π** | International Human Rights Law |  5 | 3 | **20** | **80** | **100** |

**Unit-I**

**Protection of Individual in International Law**

* Concern of International Law
* League of Nations and Human Rights Protection
* UN Charter and Human Rights System

**Unit-II**

**Universal Declaration of Human Rights**

* Making of the Declaration
* Structure and Process of UDHR
* Legal Significance

**Unit-III**

**International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights and Economic, Social and Cultural Rights**

* ICCPR
* Structure and Process of ICCPR
* Human Rights Committee: Power and Functions
* ICESCR
* Structure and Process of ICESCR
* Implementation of ICESCR

**Unit-IV**

**European Convention on Human Rights and Fundamental Freedoms**

* Structure and Process of ECHR
* European Court on Human Rights
* European Social Charter

**Unit-V**

**Inter-American Convention on Human Rights**

* Structure and Process of IACHR
* Inter-American Court on Human Rights
* El Salvador Protocol
* African Charter on Human and People's Rights

**Suggested Readings:**

## [S.K.Kapoor](https://www.amazon.in/s/ref%3Ddp_byline_sr_book_1?ie=UTF8&field-author=S.K+KAPOOR&search-alias=stripbooks), *International Law & Human Right*, Central Law Agency, 18thEdition, 2018

## [Jatindra Kumar Das](https://www.amazon.in/s/ref%3Ddp_byline_sr_ebooks_1?ie=UTF8&field-author=JATINDRA+KUMAR+DAS&text=JATINDRA+KUMAR+DAS&sort=relevancerank&search-alias=digital-text),*Human Rights Law and Practice*, PHI learning Publication, 2016

## Sieghart Paul, *The International Law of Human Rights,* Oxford University Press, 1992

## Vincent, R.J., *Human Rights & International Relations*, Cambridge University Press for the Royal Institute for International Affairs,1986

## BuergenthalThomas, *International Human Rights in Nutshell*, West Publishing Co., 2ndEdition,1995

## Robertson, A.H., J.G. Merrills, *Human Rights in the World: An Introduction to Study of the International Protection of Human Rights*, Manchester University Press, 4th edition, 1996

## Vijapur, Abdulrahim P., UN at Fifty—Studies in Human Rights, New Delhi, 1996

## Chowdhury, Azizur Rahman and Bhuiyan, Jahid Hossain, *An Introduction to International Human RightsLaw,* BRILL Publications, 2010

## Haas, Michael,*International Human Rights – A Comprehensive Introduction*, 2ndEdition, Routledge,2014

## Rhona Smith, *International Human RightsLaw*, 8th Edition, Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2017

## Steiner, Henry and Alston, Philip and Goodman, R, *International Human Rightsin Context: Law, Politics, Morals*, 3rdEdition, (OUP), 2007

## Vijapur, Abdulrahim P. *Human Rights in International Relations*,Manak Publications, 2010

## Francisco Forrest Martin, *International Human Rights Law and Practice*, Cambridge University Press; 1stEdition, 2011.

 **SECOND SEMESTER**

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| LLM-201 | Law and Social Transformation | 5 | 3 | 20 | 80 | 100 |
|  LLM-202 **π** | Environment and Human Rights | 5 | 3 | 20 | 80 | 100 |
|  LLM-203 **π** | Women, Children and Human Rights | 5 | 3 | 20 | 80 | 100 |
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**Unit-I**

**Law and social transformation theoretical analysis**

* Models of social transformation
* Law as an instrument of social transformation
* Historical and social discourse
* Constitution’s orientation and response to social transformation
* Democracy and social transformation
* Constitutionalism and social transformation

**Unit-II**

**Language and the law**

* Language as a divisive factor
* Constitutional recognition of linguistic pluralism
* Constitutional guarantees to linguistic minorities
* Non-discrimination on the ground of language

**Unit-III**

**Community and the Law**

* Caste as a divisive factor
* Non-discrimination on the ground of caste
* Protective discrimination
* Affirmative action
* Reservation

**Unit-IV**

**Religion and Alternative Approaches to law**

* Religion as a divisive factor
* Freedom of religion and non-discrimination on the basis of religion under Indian
* Constitution, Regionalism
* The Impact of multiculturalism and ethnicity
* Constitutional safeguards against regional barriers
* Equality in matters of employment
* The jurisprudence of Sarvodaya--- Gandhiji, VinobaBhave; Jayaprakash Narayan-Surrender of dacoits
* Concept of Gramanyayalayas.

**Unit-V**

**Modernization and the Law**

* Modernization as a value
* Modernization of social institutions through law
* Public interest litigation
* ADR system
* Lok Adalats
* Democratic decentralization and local self-government

**Suggested Readings:**

1. Kuppuswamy, B. and Kumar, B.V., *Social Change in India,*Konark Publisher Pvt Ltd, Delhi, 2006
2. Baxi, Upendra, 1985,*Towards a Sociology of Indian Law*, New Delhi, ICSSR/Satvahan Publications
3. Upendra,Baxi,*The Crisis of Indian Legal System*, New Delhi : Vikas, ©1982
4. Upendra,Baxi,*Law and Poverty: Critical Essays*, Bombay : N.M. Tripathi, 1988
5. Galenter, Marc, *Law and Society in Modern India*, OUP India, 1993
6. Freidman, W., *Law in Changing Society,* Sweet and Maxwell, South Asian Edition, 2nd Edition,2016
7. Hunt, Allan,*Sociological Movement in Law*, Palgrave, September 30, 1978
8. Sinha, Balbir Sahai,*Law and Social Changein India*, Deep & Deep, 1983
9. Desai, A. R.,*Social Background of Indian Nationalism,* Popular Prakashan Ltd.

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 **Unit-I**

 **International Perspective**

* Stockholm Conference
* Rio de Janeiro Conference
* Johannesburg Conference

**Unit-II**

**Constitutional Perspective**

* Fundamental Rights:
* Right to Clean Environment
* Education and Compensation
* Directive Principle of State Policy and Fundamental duties
* Legislative Powers

**Unit-III**

**Environment Pollution and Legal Orders**

* The Water Act, 1974 and The Air Act 1981
* Regulatory Authorities and their Powers & Functions
* Pollution Control Measures
* Remedies

**Unit-IV**

**Environment Protection and Legal Order**

* Environment (Protection) Act, 1986
* Regulatory authorities and their powers and functions
* Environment Protection Measures
* Remedies
* Environment Impact Assessment Notification, 1994 and
* Public Hearing Notification, 1997

**Unit-V**

**Principles of Environment Protection: National Perspective**

* Polluter Pays Principles: Absolute Liability of Hazardous Industries
* Precautionary Principle
* Public Trust Doctrines
* Sustainable Development
* Industrial Disaster with special reference to the rights of victims of such disasters
* Mega Projects with special reference to displacement and rehabilitation of the affected persons

**Suggested Readings:**

1. [Mohd. Sharifuddin](https://www.amazon.com/Mohd-Sharif-Uddin/e/B00DXGB5P2/ref%3Ddp_byline_cont_book_1) ‘Human Rights to Environment in India ’Mittal Publications (February 23, 2012)
2. Gurdip Singh ‘Environmental Law’ Eastern Book Company
3. Boyle, A. E., and Anderson M.R. (Eds.), Human Rights Approaches to Environmental Protection (Oxford: Clarendon Press 1996)
4. Woods, K., Human Rights and Environmental Sustainability (Cheltenham: Edward Elgar 2010)
5. Gear, Anna, Research handbook on human rights and the environment (Edward Elgar 2015)
6. Hiskes, R.P., The Human Rights to a Green Future (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press 2009)
7. Kravchenko, Svitlana and John e. Bonine, Human Rights and The Environment: Cases Law, and Policy (Carolina Academic Press 2008)
8. Hayward, Tim (ed.), Human Rights and the Environment (Routledge 2017)
9. Knox, John H., The Human Rights to a Healthy Environment (Cambridge University Press 2018)
10. Shelton, Dinah and Donald K. Anton, Environment Protection and Human Rights (Cambridge University Press 2011)
11. Leib, Linda Hajjar, Human Rights and The Environment – Philosophical, Theoretical and Legal Perspectives (Brill, 2010)

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| LLM-203 **π** | Women, Children and Human Rights | 5 | 3 | 20 | 80 | 100 |

 **Unit-I**

 **Status of Women and Children in contemporary Indian Society**

* Poverty and Illiteracy
* Lack of independence
* Oppressions social customs and gender justice
* Violence against and abuse of women in public and private domains
* Domestic violence and Sexual harassment
* Child Prostitution
* Prevention from abduction
* Sale and Immoral Trafficking

 **Unit-II**

 **International Norms for protection of Women and Child**

* UN convention on the Elimination of all forms of Discrimination against Women
* Convention on the Nationality of Married Women
* UN Declaration of the Rights of the Child 1959
* Convention on the Rights of the Child 1989
* ILO Convention on Restriction and Prohibition on Child Labour including ILO Convention on Child Labour, 1999
* Child Labour (Protection and Regulation), Act, 1986

 **Unit-III**

 **Constitution of India and the Status of Women and Child**

* Equality provisions in Fundamental rights and Directive Principles
* Special provisions for the protection of women Article 15(3), Article 39(d) & (e)
* Article 42(Provision for just and humane conditions of work and maternity relief)
* Articles 243-D & 243-T (Reservation)
* Government of India’s National Policy for Children, 1974

 **Unit-IV**

 **Political Rights and Special Laws for Protection of Women health**

* Political Rights
* Universal suffrage
* Equal Right to Vote
* Equal Right to be Elected
* Equal Right to hold Public Office
* Special Laws for Protection of Women health
* Pre-Conception and Pre-Natal Diagnostic Techniques (Prohibition of Sex Selection) Act, 1994
* Medical Termination of Pregnancy Act, 1971
* Maternity Benefit Act, 1961

 **Unit-V**

 **Special Laws for Protection of Women and Children**

* Prevention of Immoral Traffic Act, 1956
* Indecent Representation of Women (Prohibition) Act, 1986
* Equal Remuneration Act, 1976
* Dowry Prohibition Act, 1961
* Provisions Relating to Women Specially under IPC: Rape, Dowry Death, Cruelty by Husband or Relatives of Husband
* Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2000

**Suggested Readings:**

1. Menon, Nivedita (2006), Gender and Politics in India
2. Bhatnagar’s, (2000) Law Relating to Women and their Rights
3. M. N. Srinivas, Changing Position of Indian Women (New Delhi: OUP 1978)
4. Flavia Agnes, Law and Gender Inequality the Polities and Women’s Rights in India
5. Bajpai, Asha, Child Rights in India: Law, Policy, and Practice (New Delhi: OUP 2003)
6. Chopra, Geeta, Child Rights in India: Challenges and Social Action (Springer India 2015)
7. The Human Rights Watch Global Report on Women's Human Rights, (2000), Oxford. Government of India Ministry of Education, Towards Equality – Report of the Committee on the Status of Women in India (New Delhi 1974)
8. B. R. Nanda (ed.), Indian Women: From Purdah to Modernity (New Delhi: Vikas1976)
9. Siddique, K.A. (2007). Matrimonial Law Digest, the Matrimonial Law Reporter
10. Das, P.K. (2007). Handbook on Protection of Women from Domestic Violence Act and Rule
11. Rai, O.P. (2013). Protection of Women from Domestic Violence
12. Agarwal, Bina (1988). Structures of Patriarchy
13. Bhasin, Kamla (2002). Understanding Gender
14. Julia B. and Carol Smart (1985)., Women in Law
15. Kapur, R and B. Crossman (1996), Subversive Sites (Feminist Engagements in Law)

**THIRD SEMESTER**

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 **Unit-I**

 **Introduction**

* Philosophical and social perspectives on human rights protection of the vulnerable groups;
* Social taboos regarding SC, ST, OBC, Disabled persons, Elderly persons and minorities
* Fundamental rights and Directive Principles of State Policy
* Special protection under Indian Constitution

 **Unit-II**

 **International norms**

* International norms relating to tribal and other indigenous groups
* International norms for the protection of the elderly persons
* Declaration on the Mentally Retarded Persons 1971
* Second World Assembly on the Ageing
* Vienna International Plan of Action on Ageing

 **Unit-III**

 **Protection of Disabled and Elderly Persons**

* National Plan on Senior Citizens in India
* Protection of the disabled persons under Indian legal system:
* Constitutional framework
* Persons with Disabilities (Equal Opportunities, Protection of Rights and Full Participation) Act 1955
* Mental Health Act, 1987

 **Unit-IV**

 **Rights and Duties of Minorities**

* Constitutional framework,
* Special laws and policies;
* International declaration on protection of the rights of minorities

 **Unit-V**

 **Rights and Duties of Workers**

* Constitutional and statutory framework,
* Problems of bonded labour, and
* Workers in unorganized sectors

**Suggested Readings:**

1. Essays on Human Rights, Dalits and Minorities, New Delhi: Manak Publications
2. [Shetty V.T. Rajshekar](https://www.amazon.in/s/ref%3Ddp_byline_sr_book_1?ie=UTF8&field-author=Shetty+V.T.+Rajshekar&search-alias=stripbooks) ‘Dalit: The Black Untouchables of India’ Clarity Press Publication; 3rd edition
3. Ambedkar Thought 74 (Pandiri Anjaiah & DurgamSubba Raoeds., 2005)Books For Change Publication
4. Clifford Bob, “Dalit Rights Are Human Rights:” Caste Discrimination, International Activism, and the Construction of a New Human Rights Issue, 29 HUM. RTS. Q. 167 (2007)
5. E.J. Prior, Constitutional Fairness or Fraud on the Constitution? Compensatory Discrimination in India, 28 CASE W. RES. J. INT’L L. 63 (1996)
6. William J. Eisenman, Comment, Eliminating Discriminatory Traditions Against the Dalits: The Local Need for International Capacity-Building of the Indian Criminal Justice System
7. Maseeh Rahman, Indian Leader Likens Caste System to Apartheid Regime: Millions of Dalits Still Face Oppression, Says PM, THE GUARDIAN (UK), Dec. 28, 2006, at 22.
8. Broken People: Caste Violence Against India's "untouchables".[Human Rights Watch Asia](https://www.google.co.in/search?tbo=p&tbm=bks&q=inauthor:%22Human+Rights+Watch+Asia%22), 1999 [Smita Narula](https://www.google.co.in/search?tbo=p&tbm=bks&q=inauthor:%22Smita+Narula%22), Printed in USA

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| LLM-302 **π** | Science, Technology and Human Rights  |  5 | 3 | **20** | **80** | **100** |

 **Unit-I**

 **Introduction**

* Interrelationship of Science, Technology and Human Rights
* Implication of Development of Science and Technology on Human Rights
* Rights to environment in the development of science and technology
* Right to development in the advancement of science and technology
* Right to human health and impact of developments in medical sciences

 **Unit-II**

 **Medicine and the Law**

* Organ Transplantation and Sale of Human Organs
* Experimentation on human beings
* Euthanasia (mercy killing)
* Gene therapy

 **Unit-III**

 **Issues of Human Rights Ethics in Scientific and Technological Development**

* Sex determination test
* Induced abortion
* Reproductive technology
* Cloning
* Invitro fertilization
* Artificial insemination
* Surrogate motherhood

 **Unit-IV**

* **Impact of Scientific and Technological Progress on Human Rights**
Right to life
* Right to privacy
* Right to physical integrity
* Right to information
* Right to benefit from scientific and technological progress
* Right to adequate standard of living

 **Unit-V**

 **Impact of Biotechnology**

* Food Production and food Security
* Food Management and Storage
* Right to Health:
* Improvement of Individual and Community Health and Hygiene

**Suggested Readings:**

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