

**UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF LAW
KAKATIYA UNIVERSITY, WARANGAL, TELANGANA**

BRANCH: IV – HUMAN RIGHTS LAW (Self-Finance Course) (Evening)

SYLLABUS (WITH EFFECT FROM 2024-2025)

LL.M (HRL-SFC) II Year: Semester – III

Paper – I

PROTECTION AND ENFORCEMENT OF HUMAN RIGHTS IN INDIA

Theory

4 Hours/Per Week

Marks: 100 (External – 80; Internal – 20)

Unit I: Genesis of Human Rights in India - Human Rights in Ancient India - Human Rights in British India - Human Rights after Independence - Development of Human Rights Movement and Law in Indian Tradition – Constitutional Philosophy of Human Rights.

Unit –II: Protection of Civil and Political Rights and Indian Constitution - Right to Equality - Gender Justice and Empowerment of Women - Special provisions for Weaker Sections of Society - Freedom of Speech and Expression - Limitations - Right to Life and Personal Liberty - New Dimension - Judicial approach - Protection of rights of Minorities under the Constitution.

Unit III: Constitutional Guarantees and Legislative Measures - Fundamental Duties - Article 51A of the Constitution - Concept and need of Fundamental Duties - Enforcement and Effectuation of Fundamental Duties - Emerging regime of New Human Rights in India - Directive Principles of State Policy - Economic and Social Rights – Implementation Aspects - Taking guidance from Directive Principles of State Policy and Fundamental Duties - New Approach.

Unit IV: Enforcement Mechanism of Human Rights in India – Protection of Human Rights Act, 1993 – National Human Rights Commission – Organization – Powers and Functions – Human Rights Court - State Human Rights Commissions – Organization – Powers and Functions - Judicial Remedies – Article 32 and 226 of Indian Constitution - Contribution of Judiciary to Human Rights Law.

Select Bibliography:

1. J. Svarap, Human rights and Fundamental Freedoms (1975)
2. Durga Das basu, Human Rights in Constitutional Law (1994)
3. B.P. Singh Sehagar (Ed.) Human rights in India-Problems & Perspective
4. A. Subbain, Human rights complaints systems– International and regional

PAPER – II
DISADVANTAGED GROUPS AND HUMAN RIGHTS

Theory

4 Hours/Per Week

Marks: 100 (External – 80; Internal – 20)

Unit I: Human Rights of Women - United Nations and Status of Women - Setting the Global Gender Agenda - Sexual Harassment at Work Places - Rape Victims - Dowry Deaths - CEDAW and The Beijing Declaration and Action Plan.

Unit –II: Child and Human Rights - The Rights of Children - Human Rights and Female Foeticide - The Foetus Rights as Human Rights - Sex Determination and Ultrasonography – Crime Against Children - Abuses of Children Rights -Sexual Exploitation Child Prostitution - Child Labour - Delinquent Child - National and international norms and mechanisms for the protection of the Child Rights - UN Convention on the Rights of the Child.

Unit II: Caste Discrimination and Human Rights - Social discrimination and Caste Violence in India - Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes and Other Backward Class - Protective Discrimination – Constitutional and Legal Provisions – Persons with Disabilities and Human Rights – UN Convention on the Rights of the Persons with Disabilities, 2008.

Unit IV: Human Rights and Pre-Trial detentions - Protection against Torture - Police and Human Rights - Constitutional and legal Rights against Arbitrary Arrest – Rights of under trial prisoners and arrests relating to preventive detention.

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1. D.C. Nanjunda, Child Labour and Human Rights: A Prospective, Delhi: Kalpaz Pub., 2008.
2. S.N. Chaudhary, Human Rights and Poverty in India: Theoretical Issues, , 2005.
3. R. Ganga, Children's Rights as basic Human Rights, New Delhi: Reference Press, 2007.
4. Saksena Anu, Gender and Human Rights: Status of Women Workers in India, Delhi: Shipra Publications, 2004.
5. Gurusamy, S., Human Rights and Gender Justice, New Delhi: APH, 2009.
6. A.K. Jha, Child Abuse and Human Rights, N.D.: Anmol, 2006.
7. D.V. Rao, Child Rights: A Perspective on International and National Law, New Delhi: Manak, 2004.
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9. V.V. Devasia, Women, Social Justice and Human Rights, New Delhi: APH, 2009.
10. Jhon K. Thomas, Human Rights of Tribals, Delhi: ISha Books, 2005.
11. Thiagaraj, Human Rights from the Dalit Perspective, New Delhi: Gyan Publishing, 2007
12. B.R. Sharma, Encyclopaedia of Human Rights and Women's Development, New Delhi: Sarup & sons, 2002.
13. G.S. Bhargava, Human Rights of Dalits: Social Violation, New Delhi: Gyan, 2001.
14. Shinde, Prem K., Dalits and Human Rights, Delhi: Isha Books, 2005.

PAPER-III
RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

Theory

4 Hours/Per Week

Marks: 100 (External – 80; Internal – 20)

Unit – I: Meaning of Research – Scope and Importance of Research - Types of Research – Scientific Method – Social Science Research – Legal Research – Application of Scientific Method to the study of Socio legal phenomena- limitations and difficulties - Application of Methods of Social Research to Legal Research – Scope and importance of Legal Research.

Unit – II: Identification and formulation of Research Problem – Analytical and Case Study Method – Doctrinal and Non- Doctrinal Research – Formulation of Research design – Research Questions - Hypotheses.

Unit – III: Collection of Data - Research Tools and Techniques for Collection of Data - Survey of available literature and Bibliographical Research - Legislative Material including Subordinate Legislation, Notification and Policy Statements – Court Decisions including Foreign Decisions - Observation – Questionnaire – Schedule – Interview – Sampling techniques – Types of sampling.

Unit – IV: Data processing and analysis – Use of Statistics in the analysis and interpretation of data – Classification and Tabulation of Data – Explanation of Tabulated Data – Analysis of Data - Use of computers in Legal Research – Report writing – Essential elements of Legal Research Report Writing - Legal Research and Law Reforms Legal Research and Ethics – Measures to avoid Plagiarism.

Select Bibliography:

1. Goode & Hatt : Methods in Social Research : Mc.Graw – Hill Book Company, Singapore 1981.
2. C.R.Kothari: Research Methodology: Methods and Techniques, 2nd Edition, Wishwa Prakasham, New Delhi,1995
3. Wilkinson & Bhandarkar: Methodology and Techniques of Social Research, 9th Edition, Himalaya Publishing Housing, Bombay Delhi- Narpur 1994.
4. Good and Hatt : Methods in social research
5. Lohn : Tools of Social Science
6. Patten : Surveys, Tools and samples
7. David Lloyd : Finding in law, a guide to legal research, Debbs Ferry(N.Y) Oceana 1974.
8. Meles O. Price and Harry : Effective legal Research, 4th Edn, Boston (mass) Bitner little,1979.
9. Erwin C.Survency : Guide to Legal Research,Buffalor (N.Y) Ocena and others 1959.

10. Destinger : Research Methods in Behaviour Sciences.