

DETAILED CURRICULUM
LEVEL ONE – SEMESTER TWO
JURISPRUDENCE

| COURSE DETAILS | | | |
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| Course Code | LW 2084 | | |
| Course Title | JURISPRUDENCE | | |
| Course Type | Core | | |
| Credits | 04 | | |
| Hours Allotted | Theory | 45 | Total 90 |
| | Practical | - | |
| | Assignments/ Tutorials | 45 | |
| AIM | | | |
| <p>Jurisprudence is the philosophical foundation of law. Relationship between law and society, law and justice , law and punishment is focused in study of jurisprudence. Different law schools have tremendously contributed to the development of jurisprudence. Students are taught on jurisprudential analyze of key concepts of law such as justice , equality , legal secularism and legal personalities.</p> | | | |
| INTENDED LEARNING OUTCOMES | | | |
| <p>After following the course the student should be able to</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. acquire knowledge on nature of jurisprudence and different schools of legal thoughts. 2. be oriented with legal analytical approaches to understand the new trends, prospects and challenges. 3. have ability to predict the new trends and their influence on the subject area in future. | | | |
| COURSE CONTENTS | | | |
| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Introduction to Jurisprudence; Definition and nature of jurisprudence, Relevance of jurisprudence, Legal traditions. (European and Non European) 2. Theories and schools; Natural law, Legal positivism, utilitarianism, Realism, Critical legal studies sociological and Economic approaches to Law, Marxist Legal theory, Feminist legal theory, post modernism and the law 3. Jurisprudential analysis of legal concepts; justice, justice, Equality, secularism, legal personalities 4. Legal reasoning; Theories of Adjudication, Judicial decision making traditions Litigation , legal pluralism 5. Identification of new trends, prospect and challenges | | | |

| ASSESSMENT CRITERIA | % OF MARKS |
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| Semester- end Examination : | 70 |
| Assignments: | 20 |
| Class Quizzes: | 10 |
| RECOMMENDED READING | |
| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Patterson Denis (ed), A common to Philosophy of Law and Legal theory. 2. Freeman, Michael, Lyoyd's introduction to jurisprudence. 3. Morrison, Wayne, Jurisprudence from Greeks to post modernism. 4. McCoubrey and White Textbook on jurisprudence. 5. C G Weeramantry, Invitation to law. 6. C G Weeramantry , Islamic Jurisprudence. 7. C Mackinon, Feminism, Unmodified Discourse on Life and Law. 8. M Zandar, The Law making process. 9. Collin Hugh, Marxism and the Law 10. Lord Templeman, Jurisprudence/ The Philosophy of Law 11. R Mac Cormmick, Legal Reasoning and Legal Theory 12. W G Friedman, Legal Theory. | |