

COURSE TITLE	INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL LAW
COURSE CODE	10LM0204
COURSE CREDITS	3

Objective:

- 1 To impart basic understanding of the institutional developments in international criminal law as well as the definition and application of the crimes of genocide, crimes against humanity, war crimes
- 2 To appreciate the function, scope and operation of the international criminal justice system and its likely future development, as well as to enable students to apply the law to the various situations

Course Outcomes: After completion of this course, student will be able to:

- 1 • Explain the historical evolution of international criminal law, its structure, development and application before international and national courts;
- 2 • Explaining the essential elements of the crimes of genocide, war crimes, crimes against humanity and how and whether these may be charged and prosecuted;
- 3 • Explaining the basic provisions of the procedural and evidentiary systems and the main problems of international criminal investigations;
- 4 • Describing the roles and rights of witnesses and victims and the measures available for protection, representation and reparation.

Pre-requisite of course: The course is designed to achieve Following Objectives: • To impart basic understanding of the institutional developments in international criminal law as well as the definition and application of the crimes of genocide, crimes against humanity, war crimes • To appreciate the function, scope and operation of the international criminal justice system and its likely future development, as well as to enable students to apply the law to the various situations

Teaching and Examination Scheme

Theory Hours	Tutorial Hours	Practical Hours	ESE	IA	CSE	Viva	Term Work
2	1	0	50	30	20	0	0

Contents : Unit	Topics	Contact Hours
1	Development of International criminal law The concept and sources of International Criminal Law , The concept and sources of International Criminal Law , Evolution of the Concept of Individual Criminal Responsibility, The objectives and policies of International Criminal Law; including issues of amnesty, truth and justice , Principle of Liability and Participation in International Criminal Law, International Military Tribunals (Nuremberg and Tokyo Tribunals)	

Contents : Unit	Topics	Contact Hours
2	Nature and forms of International Crimes The crime of aggression, Genocide, War crimes, Terrorism as International crime, The crime of aggression, Genocide, War crimes, Terrorism as International crime, Mechanism in dealing cases related to International Crime, Rights of Accused and Protection of Victims and Witnesses, Obligation of State Parties and Non Party States to International Criminal Court , Emerging issues under International Criminal Jurisprudence	
3	Strategies for Prevention, Control and Correctional Actions Extradition Act 1962 (Relevant Provisions) and Extradition Treaty, Extradition Act 1962 (Relevant Provisions) and Extradition Treaty, International investigative agencies (Interpol etc), Adjudication authorities (including ad hoc and permanent criminal tribunals), , International investigative agencies (Interpol etc), Adjudication authorities (including ad hoc and permanent criminal tribunals), , Conflicting issues between International humanitarian law and International Crimes (Case Study)., Conflicting issues between International humanitarian law and International Crimes (Case Study)., Sentencing policy, prosecution in International crime, Sentencing policy, prosecution in International crime	
4	Organized Crime in Transnational Jurisdiction Features of transnational organized crime , Indian?s perspective on transnational organized crime, Naples Declaration and Global Action Plan 24 Dec. 1994, Role of United Nations in preventing International crime	
Total Hours		

Suggested List of Experiments:

Contents : Unit	Topics	Contact Hours
1	Issues in international criminal law Case Study of Chapter 1 , Case Study of Chapter 1 , Case Study of Chapter 1 , Case Study of Chapter 2, Case Study of Chapter 2, Case Study of Chapter 2, Case Study of Chapter 3, Case Study of Chapter 3, Case Study of Chapter 3, Case Study of Chapter 4, Case Study of Chapter 4, Case Study of Chapter 4	
Total Hours		

Textbook :

- 1 An Introduction to International Criminal Law and Procedure Paperback – June 28, 2010, Robert Cryer, HakanFriman, Darryl Robinson, Cambridge University Press, 2003
- 2 From Nuremberg to the Hague: The Future of International Criminal Justice, Philippe Sands, Cambridge University Press, 2003

References:

- 1 Transnational Organized Crime: A Commentary on the United Nations Convention and its Protocols (Oxford Commentaries on International Law) , Transnational Organized Crime: A Commentary on the United Nations Convention and its Protocols (Oxford Commentaries on International Law) , David McClean, Oxford University Press , 2007

Suggested Theory Distribution:

The suggested theory distribution as per Bloom’s taxonomy is as follows. This distribution serves as guidelines for teachers and students to achieve effective teaching-learning process

Distribution of Theory for course delivery					
Remember / Knowledge	Understand	Apply	Analyze	Evaluate	Higher order Thinking / Creative
10.00	10.00	30.00	10.00	20.00	20.00

Instructional Method:

- 1 lecture and tutorial

Supplementary Resources:

- 1 <https://www.equaltimes.org/war-crimes-in-syria-a-step-on-the?lang=en#.YRDwRcozbDc>
- 2 <https://www.jstor.org/stable/26299777>
- 3 <https://news.un.org/en/gallery/703622>
- 4 <https://icctp.umy.ac.id/>
- 5 <https://www.icc-cpi.int/about>