

NATIONAL LAW UNIVERSITY DELHI

Sector- 14, Dwarka, New Delhi – 110 078

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CALL FOR APPLICATIONS: ACADEMIC FELLOW (CRIMINAL LAW)

National Law University Delhi is inviting applications for 01 (one) Academic Fellow.

Background:

National Law University Delhi (NLU Delhi) established in the year 2008 with the initiative of

High Court of Delhi and the Govt. of NCT of Delhi is a premier Law University in the country.

Dynamic in vision and robust in commitment, the University in a very short span of time has

shown exemplary promise to become a world class institution. NLU Delhi has been consecutively

ranked number two in the NIRF rankings of Law Universities in the country for the last seven

years. The University is offering the five-year integrated B.A. LL.B. (Hons.) programme, LL.M.

(Regular), Joint Masters/LL.M. in IP Law and Management Programme, PGIP, Ph.D. and several

diploma programmes.

The University has made tremendous contributions in public discourse on law through pedagogy

and research. Over the last decade the university has established many specialised research

centres.

The Academic Fellowship is a flagship programme created by the University to nurture early

career in academics in teaching and research. Academic Fellow is expected to contribute to the

intellectual growth of the University and will be mentored by the Senior Faculty Members under

the Chair on Professional Ethics at NLU Delhi. In this background, applications are invited from

academics and early career scholars in law initially for one position and the same can vary if the

candidates are found suitable for more positions.

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Responsibilities:

The Academic Fellow shall be expected to assist research work, in relevant areas in consultation with the University. They shall also be expected to contribute other academic/ administrative pursuits in the University.

The work involved will require excellent research and writing skills in the area of Criminal Law.

Eligibility:

- 1. LL.M. with specialisation in Criminal Law/allied subjects from a recognised Indian or foreign university with minimum 55% marks (or an equivalent grade in a point scale wherever grading system is followed), and a good academic record.
- 2. Demonstrable research track record in Criminal law/allied subjects.
- 3. Prior research experience including field work and data collection is highly desirable.

Emoluments: Rs.50,000 per month (Subject to TDS deduction @10% under the Income Tax Act)

Nature of Appointment: Contractual and full time for six months (further extendable).

Application Process: The following materials need to be submitted digitally.

- 1. Cover Letter (300 words)
- 2. Statement of Purpose (750 words)
- 3. Specialization of LL.M
- 4. Resume, including publications authored or co-authored, if any
- 5. Writing Sample (co-authored pieces shall not be considered)
- 6. Copy of undergraduate degree, clearly indicating date and year of graduation
- 7. Copy of Master's degree, clearly indicating date and year of graduation
- 8. Copy of Ph.D. Degree/ Provisional certificate (if any)

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- 9. Experience certificate, if applicable
- 10. Any other document relevant to this application.

Selection Process:

- Candidates will be shortlisted based on an evaluation of their application contents.
- Shortlisting does not guarantee an interview or final selection.
- Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted for an interview, the details of which will be communicated separately.

Important Instructions:

- 1. The application must be submitted through the online form specified in this advertisement latest by September 15, 2025. Physical/ email applications will not be considered. (Link for Application)
- 2. Candidates will be shortlisted based on an assessment of their application materials submitted through the online form, and only shortlisted candidates will be interviewed.
- 3. Only those candidates selected for the interview will be contacted. If you do not hear from the University within 4 weeks after the deadline, please assume that your application has been unsuccessful.
- 4. The eligibility criteria listed here do not guarantee an interview or a final offer.
- 5. NLU Delhi reserves the right not to fill the position advertised here.
- 6. NLU Delhi is an equal opportunity employer.
- 7. The candidates with higher qualifications may be considered for higher remuneration than the minimum prescribed.

Note: This position shall lie with the Chair on Professional Ethics; or as may be decided by the University subsequently.

Please access the application form here. Last date for submission: 23:59 Hrs/11.59 PM on September 15, 2025.

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