

Call for Applications

Supervisor – Litigation, Victim Advocacy Project

- **Type of Employment** – Contractual; Full-Time; On-Site
- **Duration:** Three-year engagement, extendable subject to university approval.
- **Location:** National Law University, Delhi
- **Stipend** – Rs. 1,00,000 / month
- **Application Deadline:** March 20, 2026
- **Minimum Qualification:** LL.M. (Criminal Law or related specialization) or an equivalent Master's degree in Law, Social Science, or other related fields

ABOUT THE 'VICTIM ADVOCACY PROJECT'

The Victim Advocacy Project (VAP) is a justice-focused initiative aimed at strengthening victims' access to the criminal justice system through structured legal representation and advocacy. The project addresses long-standing gaps in legal assistance and victim participation by providing continuous, professional support from FIR to trial, appeal, and rehabilitation.

Over the next three years, VAP aims to support more than 450 victims of crime, build a trained cadre of Litigation Fellows and Paralegals, and generate evidence-based insights to inform legal reform. By integrating field practice with research, the project seeks to develop a scalable model of victim advocacy for replication across India.

ESSENTIAL REQUIREMENTS

- Updated knowledge of the new criminal codes and special legislations, along with proficiency in court procedures and practice.
- Strong understanding of victim-centric criminal jurisprudence and victim rights frameworks
- Experience in legal research, drafting, and preparation of court pleadings
- Ability to supervise litigation work, including coordination with fellows, paralegals, and counsel
- Experience in mentoring or training junior legal professionals
- High proficiency in written and spoken English
- Strong organisational, coordination, and case-management skills
- Commitment to ethical, trauma-informed, and rights-based legal practice

DESIRABLE REQUIREMENTS

- Previous work experience (2 years or more) in similar fields
- Experience working with grassroots organisations, legal services authorities, etc.
- Proficiency in the use of MS Excel, AI tools, and graphic design tools;
- Proficiency in social media outreach

DELIVERABLES (Roles and Responsibilities)

The Project Supervisor (Litigation) is expected to lead and oversee the following functions:

- Oversee and coordinate all litigation-related work under the Victim Advocacy Project
- Supervise and mentor Litigation Fellows and Paralegals engaged in case work
- Coordinate with collaborators – community organisations, legal services authorities, etc.
- Ensure effective implementation of victim-centric litigation strategies in line with the new criminal laws
- Collaborate with legal institutions and relevant platforms, including identifying and curating mentors for the litigation fellows.
- Make routine visits to courts across Delhi as part of litigation supervision and case management.
- Assign and Monitor case progress and maintain litigation records and documentation
- Act as a liaison between the litigation team, project leadership, and the University
- Ensure adherence to professional standards, timelines, and project objectives

APPLICATION PROCESS

Interested candidates are requested to please submit their applications through the google form [here](#). Applications sent through emails will not be considered.

Only Shortlisted candidates will be contacted, and advance to the interview stage of the process

CONTACT FOR QUERIES:

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