



KLE COLLEGE OF LAW, NAVI MUMBAI

COURSE PLAN

A.Y. 2021-2022

SECTION-I

CLASS: LLM

SEMESTER: II

COURSE NAME: COMPARATIVE CONSTITUTIONAL LAW

HOURS PER WEEK: 6 hours

CREDITS: 4

COURSE OBJECTIVES:

The course aims at familiarizing the students with key political concepts like political obligation, sovereignty, Rule of Law, etc. which interlace the idea and the institution of state. Knowledge of such concepts become imperative for any student of law and politics as some of these political concepts are constitutive of the idea of law. Those coming from a legal background would particularly find this course a useful pedagogic exercise in understanding law as a political and social category while students of politics interested in theory and history of ideas will find it engaging to study the dialectics between law and state as it unfolds within the politico-legal institutional framework and processes.

COURSE OUTCOMES:

1. To understand India as development of complex federal structure (Quasi) federal and its strength and weaknesses
2. Explore the various functional theories, doctrine and Constitutional principles of federalism and its interplay under Indian Constitution
3. To examine the area of conflicting interest between Union and State and primacy of Union over the State.
4. Critically examine the legal structure of world's different countries.

SECTION-II

Unit number and title	Unit details	Week	Hours per week	Teaching learning methods used)/ activities and or class trips/ dates for assessment	Resource/ Reference details
Module – I 1.	Constitutionalism, Classification of Constitutions	1	6	Descriptive lecture method, group discussions, presentations	Basu D.D., "Comparative Federalism; PPT; Research Readings; Basu D.D., "Select Constitutions of the World
2.	Conventions in Constitutional Law.	2	6	Descriptive lecture method, group discussions, presentations	Basu D.D., "Comparative Federalism; PPT; Research Readings;

					Basu D.D., "Select Constitutions of the World
3.	Parliamentary and Presidential Democracy	3	6	Descriptive lecture method, group discussions, presentations	Basu D.D., "Comparativ e Federalism; PPT; Research Readings; Basu D.D., "Select Constitutions of the World
	Scenarios in different countries	4	1	Descriptive lecture method, group discussions, presentations	Basu D.D., "Comparativ e Federalism; PPT; Research Readings; Basu D.D., "Select Constitutions of the World
Module -2 4.	Com par a t i v e St u d y o f t h e f u n d a m e n t a l s o f t h e Constitutions of India, USA, UK, Switzerland, Ireland, Germany and Canada		5	Interactive lecture method, group discussions, presentations	Basu D.D., "Comparativ e Federalism; PPT; Research Readings; Basu D.D., "Select Constitutions of the World
	Analysis of Ireland and Germany's constitution	5	2	Interactive lecture method, group discussions, presentations	Basu D.D., "Comparativ e Federalism; PPT; Research Readings; Basu D.D., "Select Constitutions of the World

	Analysis of Canada		1	Interactive lecture method, group discussions, presentations	Basu D.D., "Comparative Federalism; PPT; Research Readings; Basu D.D., "Select Constitutions of the World
5.	Comparative Study of Federalism in India, USA, Switzerland, Ireland, Germany, Canada		3	Interactive lecture method, group discussions, presentations	Basu D.D., "Comparative Federalism; PPT; Research Readings; Basu D.D., "Select Constitutions of the World
	Comparative Study of Federalism in India and Canada	6	4	Descriptive lecture method, group discussions, presentations	Basu D.D., "Comparative Federalism; PPT; Research Readings; Basu D.D., "Select Constitutions of the World
Module – III 6.	Comparative Study of Amending Processes of the Constitutions in the USA, India and Switzerland.		2	Interactive lecture method, group discussions, presentations	Basu D.D., "Comparative Federalism; PPT; Research Readings; Basu D.D., "Select Constitutions of the World
	Amending Process of the Constitutions India	7	3	Interactive lecture method, group discussions, presentations	Basu D.D., "Comparative Federalism; PPT; Research

					Readings; Basu D.D., "Select Constitutions of the World
7.	Comparative Study of Judiciary in India, UK, USA and Switzerland		3	Descriptive lecture method, group discussions, presentations	Basu D.D., "Comparativ e Federalism; PPT; Research Readings; Basu D.D., "Select Constitutions of the World
Module – IV 8.	Civil Liberties in India, UK, USA	8	6	Interactive lecture method, group discussions, presentations	Basu D.D., "Comparativ e Federalism; PPT; Research Readings; Basu D.D., "Select Constitutions of the World
9	Affirmative Actions in India and United States	9	6	Descriptive lecture method, group discussions, presentations	Basu D.D., "Comparativ e Federalism; PPT; Research Readings; Basu D.D., "Select Constitutions of the World
9.	Comparative study of US and India with case laws	10	4	Interactive lecture method, group discussions, presentations	Basu D.D., "Comparativ e Federalism; PPT; Research Readings; Basu D.D., "Select Constitutions of the World

SECTION-III

Course Outcome (CO) and Programme Outcome (PO) & Programme Specific Outcome (PSO1) Mapping

Course Outcome	Programme Outcome				
	PO1	PO2	PO3	PO4	PO5
CO1	✓				
CO2					✓
CO3			✓		
CO4					
CO5	✓				

SECTION-IV

Course Outcome and Internal Assessment Mapping

Learning outcomes of the course	Components of Assessment		
	Internal Assessment 1 (Class Test)	Internal Assessment 2 (Research Project)	End Semester Exam
CO1: Remember and Understand	✓		✓
CO2: Apply			✓
CO3: Analyse	✓	✓	
CO4: Evaluate	✓	✓	
CO5: Create		✓	

