

GUJARAT NATIONAL LAW UNIVERSITY (ACADEMIC, EXAMINATION, MOOTS, INTERNSHIP, HOSTEL AND RELATED MATTERS) REGULATIONS, 2015

(GNLU Students Academic & Hostel Relevant Provisions)

PART - V: CODE OF CONDUCT FOR STUDENTS

REGULATION 38 GENERAL

The University provides Halls of Residence for young men and women students. Students shall observe and maintain proper discipline within the hostels. Student is expected to adhere to the general code of conduct within and outside the campus. Any instance of unseemly behaviour or conduct that is likely to tarnish the image or reputation of the University would be regarded as a breach of discipline.

- (a) Committees for various Disciplinary Measures: The University shall have the following committees to look into the matters as specified against them:
 - (i) The Student Disciplinary Committee shall consider the report submitted by the Faculty or Warden as regards breach of proper discipline within the Academic Block, Hostel and University campus.
 - (ii) The Student Disciplinary Committee shall consider the matters for action against the student indulging in ragging etc.
 - (iii) The Examination Committee shall look into the report submitted by the Faculty for unfair means and malpractice detected during the examination and thereafter for taking proper disciplinary action against them. The Examination Committee shall inquire into all cases of errors, mistakes, negligence, improper conduct and malpractice of any kind reported or suspected to have taken place at any level in the conduct of the examination by paper-setter, moderator, supervisor, officer or employee of the University.

(b) Procedure for taking the Disciplinary Measure

(i) On receipt of the report about an indiscipline, the appropriate Committee shall consider as to whether prima facie action is required to be taken against the erring student. The appropriate Committee shall issue the show cause notice to the erring student indicating

- alleged misconduct and/or alleged action and/or breach of discipline at the Examination Hall or Academic Block or Halls of Residence or University campus.
- (ii) The student(s) may be furnished with a copy of the report and the documents which are relied upon and are to be used against him and/or may direct him to take inspection of such student(s), if it is not possible to furnish a copy thereof.
- (iii) The show-cause notice shall also contain the proposed penalty that can be imposed against him, if the misconduct is established.
- (iv) The erring student shall furnish his explanation within the prescribed time and shall be given an opportunity of personal hearing before the appropriate Committee and the Committee shall on consideration of the evidence before it and after giving him reasonable opportunity to defend shall make recommendations as regards penalties to be meted out against such student.
- (v) The said report of the appropriate Committee containing brief reasons for arriving at the conclusion against the erring student(s), along with all the documents, which are part of the evidence, shall be furnished before the Executive Council for the decision on the disciplinary measure against the erring student.

REGULATION 39 RULES OF GENERAL CONDUCT

- (a) The students are prohibited from parking and commuting with private vehicles inside the University campus. In case of emergency situations, the Campus Administration may relax the norm for a limited duration of time.
- (b) It shall be compulsory for the students to avail the mess facilities.
- (c) Use or possession of cooking appliances and other unauthorized electrical appliances/gadgets (like, electric iron, immersion rod, room heater, electric cooler, etc.) is prohibited. However, student(s) may use small electric kettle provided the electric kettle must not exceed 5 Amperes and 240 volts.
- (d) Plates/dishes from the Mess building shall not be taken to the rooms of the Halls of Residence without the permission of the Resident Warden(s). Permission may be granted under situations like illness, etc. provided satisfactory reasons must be made out in writing to the Resident Warden.
- (e) Every student is required to be within the premises of Halls of Residence between 2130 hours to 0600 hours next day and can leave with prior written permission only.
- (f) Under exceptional circumstances and for genuine reasons made out in writing, the Assistant Chief Warden may accord written permission for relaxation of appointed hours.



- (g) Student(s) are permitted to go on weekends and other University holidays for staying with their parent(s) or local guardian(s), upon production of a request or authorization by the concerned parent/local guardian. The Assistant Chief Warden shall satisfy the genuineness of such authorization.
- (h) Except authorized by the Registrar or his nominee as the case may be, a male or female person, including student(s), parent(s), is prohibited from entering the designated Halls of Residence for young men and women students.
- (i) Student(s) representing the University in various competitions (such as, moot courts, etc.) or other functions shall furnish a copy of permission from the relevant Committee and a written application mentioning the duration of their absence to the Assistant Chief Warden.
- (j) No student is permitted to entertain or accommodate an unauthorized person in his room.
- (k) Student shall respect the discipline and shall maintain calm atmosphere while celebrating a particular achievement. In case of complaint by any other student, the hosting student shall immediately do the needful to respect the other students' needs and request.
- (I) A student who is expelled/rusticated from the University shall automatically stand expelled from the Halls of Residence and shall leave the Hostel within 24 hours.
- (m) Playing music at high decibel volume or making noise in such a manner as to disturb the peace of the Halls of Residence is prohibited.

REGULATION 40 CODE OF CONDUCT FOR THE STUDENTS AT UNIVERSITY PREMISES

- (a) No student shall argue, shout or have conversations in such a manner as to insult others.
- (b) No student shall loiter during the class hours.
- (c) No student shall smoke, eat or chew tobacco, consume liquor; sedatives/drugs, intoxicating substances, etc., in the University premises or behave in these premises in an indecent or offensive manner.
- (d) Student shall maintain self-discipline and self-restraint in their conduct while in the University. All complaints and grievances, if any, must be resolved in a peaceful, proper and timely manner through the redressal mechanism available in the University.
- (e) Student shall strictly follow the timings both of the University and Halls of Residence.
- (f) Student shall not stay away from any class and shall be asked for written explanation for the same following disciplinary action in case the students are found to be deliberately absenting from the classes without valid reasons. No student shall be found in the hostel premises during the class hours without valid permission.

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- (g) Student shall use the furniture and other assets of the University with due care and diligence and cause no damage to them. In the event of any damage found to be caused by the student, appropriate compensation shall be recovered along with appropriate penalty as may be levied by the University.
- (h) No student shall associate himself with any illegal or immoral activity whether inside or outside the University or Hostel premises.
- (i) Eatables and their containers shall not be taken to the class rooms or left behind in the premises of the hostel rooms/classes/conference halls or the library.
- (j) No unauthorized alterations to the fittings, walls or flooring shall be permitted in the hostel rooms.
 - (k) Student shall keep the mobile phones switched off within the premises of the academic blocks and library and are required to follow administrative advisories.
 - (l) Students shall not leave the hostel premises after 2130 hours without the prior permission of the hostel officials and they shall manage their affairs in such a way that they return to the hostel premises before 2130 hours.
- (m) Ragging or teasing or creating a noisy disorderly scene within or outside the University or hostel premises is strictly prohibited. Any activity amounting to ragging shall be dealt firmly in accordance with the UGC and University regulations and guidelines issued from time to time.

REGULATION 41 DRESS CODE

- (a) A dress code shall not be viewed as infringement of one's liberty but it is aimed at serving a guideline to one's social behavior. The students shall dress themselves in the most decent manner and shall maintain their self-respect and dignity.
- (b) No student shall dress himself in such a way that the person facing him feels embarrassed or uncomfortable to converse with him.
- (c) The student shall ensure that their dress does not carry any improper/obscene captions/ pictures/messages. No tights or shorts shall be permitted for young men and women students in the Administrative Block and Academic Block and any other specifically designated areas while the office works, events or classes are on-going.



REGULATION 42 BREACH OF DISCIPLINE AND PROHIBITED ACTIVITIES AND CONSEQUENCES

- (a) The student shall be subjected to disciplinary action for the violation of the rules and decorum of the Halls of Residence.
- (b) In the event of any breach of the Code of Conduct prescribed in the above Regulations, or on receipt of any report regarding any misconduct of the student at the University Halls of Residence, any member of the Student Disciplinary Committee or Resident Warden may initiate disciplinary action against the violator, in consultation with the Assistant Chief Warden. However, such action/s shall be subject to the approval of the Student Disciplinary Committee and shall be placed before the subsequent meeting of the requisite Council for its information and ratification as appropriate.
- (c) The students and their parent(s)/guardian(s) shall undertake to ensure fulfillment of all obligations flowing from these regulations on their own and on behalf of their son/daughter/ward in the beginning of the enrollment of the student in the University. For all other students, this undertaking shall be made on the first day of the new academic year.

REGULATION 43 LIST OF PROHIBITED ACTIVITIES AND FINE

(a) Specific Activities and Fines

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No.	Offence	Remedial Measures including Fine		
(i)	Violation of the	All fines shall be paid within seven working days. A further penalty of		
	rules of General	10% of the fine shall increase per day till seven further working days,		
	Conduct as listed	thereafter, the student shall be suspended from the hostel premises		
	above.	and/or participation in academic classes for seven working days. The		
		Character Certificate issued by the University to student shall mention		
		the number and nature of violations of rules stipulated in this table.		
		Student who has been subjected to any of the above disciplinary rules		
ii. U.Fri		shall be prohibited from any financial assistance, scholarship, prizes		
		and medals and if he is availing the same while the rule is being violated		
		it shall be suspended with immediate effect, however, without any		
		adverse retroactive financial effects on student, unless the gravity of		
		the matter so demands and approved by the requisite Councils.		
		The University shall maintain a special record sheet in the personal files		
	/	as well as student information system database of students which shall		
	<i>}</i> = *,	be updated as and when required.		
(ii)	Young men	1 st time: Suspension for one week.		
	students entering	2 nd time: Expulsion from the Halls of Residence.		
	the Halls of			
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	earmarked for			
	young women			
	students or vice-	ational Law		
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. (:::)	Entering the Halls	1 st time: Community service for 2 hours for continuous seven days or
(iii)	of Residence after	Fine of ₹1000 to be paid within seven working days.
	the prescribed hour	2 nd time: Fine of ₹2,500 to be paid within seven working days and
	without written	suspension from Halls of Residence for 3 days.
	permission	3 rd time: Fine of ₹2,500 and suspension from the Halls of Residence
	Permeeren	for seven academic days.
(i)	Chewing Tobacco	Possession or consumption of chewing tobacco in any form is
(iv)	Chewing Tobacco	prohibited. Student is prohibited from storing in any form tobacco in their rooms or belongings.
		1 st time: Community service for 2 hours for continuous seven days
		or Fine of ₹2,500 to be paid within seven working days.
		2 nd time: Fine of ₹2,500 to be paid within seven working days and suspension from Halls of Residence for 3 days and prohibition from participation in any activity sponsored or on behalf of the University
		for the ongoing semester.
		3 rd time: Fine of ₹2,500 and suspension from the Halls of Residence
		for one academic week. No recommendation for participation in any
		activity sponsored or on behalf of the University for the next academic
		year.
(v)	Smoking	Smoking/Possession of smoking substances is strictly prohibited in the
(v)	omoking	University Premises.
		1 st time: Community service for 2 hours for continuous seven days or
		Immediate suspension for seven working days from the Halls of
		Residence and fine of ₹2,500 to be paid within seven working days.
		2 nd time: Immediate suspension for 15 working days from the Halls of
		Residence and Participation in Academic Classes for seven academic
		days and prohibition from participation in any activity sponsored or on
		behalf of the University for the ongoing semester.
		3 rd time: Suspension from the University for the entire semester and
- 1 - 1		no recommendation for participation in any activity sponsored or on
		behalf of the University for the ongoing semester.
		Storage of smoking item(s) is also prohibited.
		Discovery of smoking item for the 1st time: ₹1,000 to be paid within
		seven working days.
		2 nd time: ₹2,500 to be paid within seven working days and suspension
		from the Halls of Residence for seven working days.
		3 rd time: Suspension from the Halls of Residence and participation in
		academic classes for 15 academic days no recommendation for
		participation in any activity sponsored or on behalf of the University
,	T	for the next academic year.
(vi)	Possession,	Immediate suspension pending inquiry and subsequent action as
	Consumption,	recommended by the Student Disciplinary Committee subject to the approval of the requisite Council, including applicable enforcement
	Storage, Carrying of	A . 1
	intoxicating or	the hostel, following the incident, for maximum 24 hours.
prohibited the hostel, following the incident, for maximum 24 substances.		the hoster, ronowing the mercent, for maximum 21 notion
(3711)	Unauthorized	1 st time: Community service for 2 hours for continuous seven days or
(vii)	guests in the room.	₹1,000 and the show-cause notice.
	guesto III tile 100III.	2 nd time: ₹2,500 and suspension from the Halls of Residence for seven
	1 - 25	working days
		working days.

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		3 rd time: Suspension from the Halls of Residence and participation in academic classes for 15 academic days.	
(viii)	Violating rules of staying out at night.	1 st time: Community service for 2 hours for continuous seven days or ₹500 per night and the show-cause notice.	
		2 nd time: ₹2,500 and suspension from the Halls of Residence for seven working days. 3 rd time: Suspension from the Halls of Residence and participation in	
		academic classes for 15 academic days.	
(ix)	Change of rooms without permission.	1 st time: Community service for 2 hours for continuous seven days or ₹500 per night and the show cause notice. 2 nd time onwards: As determined by the Hostel Committee.	
(x)	Keeping fans or lights on during absence.	Charging of excess electric bills to the occupants of the room concerned.	
(xi)	Use of unauthorized electric appliances	1 st time: Community service for 2 hours for continuous three days or ₹250 to be paid within seven working days 2 nd time onwards: As determined by the Hostel Committee.	
	(such as electric heaters, electric iron, immersion	2 time offwards. As determined by the Proster Committee.	
	rod, room heater,		
(xii)	electric cooler, etc.). Indulging in ragging or bulling others,	Immediate suspension pending inquiry. Action as recommended by the Student Disciplinary Committee shall be taken subject to the approval of the requisite Council. A student, staying outside Gujarat,	
	regional parochialism, fighting, gangsterism or any	may be allowed to stay in the hostel, following the incident, for a maximum of 24 hours.	
	other like activity.		
(xiii)	Damage caused to furniture and fixture.	Deduction of proportionate amount from the student's refundable security deposit. In case, if the wrongdoer is not identified or self-reports, the compensation cost shall be paid by the group of concerned students or all students, as the case may be and decided by the Student Disciplinary Committee in consultation with the Registrar/Director.	
(xiv)	Using/Parking private motor vehicles within the University or in the vicinity of the Halls of Residence.	Community services for 2 hours for continuous seven days or Assistant Wardens are authorized to impose a fine of ₹250 which has to be paid within seven days. If the delinquent student still fails to pay the fine, then, the case shall be referred to the Student Disciplinary Committee to take any step as the Committee may deem appropriate which includes suspension from the Halls of Residence or any other measures as determined by the Committee.	
(xv)	non-cooperation with the teachers, staff, hostel staff,	Community service for 2 hours for continuous seven days or Warden/s are authorized to impose a fine of ₹250 which has to be paid within seven days. If the delinquent student still fails to pay the fine, then, the case shall	
	service providers and others designated by the Hostel		

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(xvi)	Taking plates/	1st time: Community service for 2 hours for continuous three days or	
	dishes in the Hostel	fine of ₹250.	
	rooms without	2nd time: ₹1,000 and suspension from the Halls of Residence for three	
7	permission.	academic days.	
	FEFT .	3rd time: ₹5,000 and suspension from the Halls of Residence and	
		academic classes for seven academic days.	
(xvii)	Breach of Dress	1st time: Community service for 2 hours for continuous seven days or	
, ,	Code.	₹250 and absence for two academic days.	
		2nd time: ₹1,000 and suspension from the Halls of Residence for three	
		academic days.	
		3rd time: ₹5,000 and suspension from the Halls of Residence and	
		academic classes for seven academic days.	
(xviii)	Use of mobile	1st time: Community service for 2 hours for continuous seven days or	
	phones in the	fine of ₹1,000.	
	Academic Block.	2nd time: Fine of ₹2,500 and confiscation and return of the same at the	
		end of the on-going semester.	
		3rd time: Fine of ₹5,000 and confiscation and return of the same at the	
		end of a full subsequent academic year.	
(xix)	Any violation, other	Depending upon the gravity/seriousness of the case, Warden/s are	
, ,	than the above, of	authorized to take decision in such cases. However, this shall be subject	
	the Hostel Rules.	to the final approval of the Student Disciplinary Committee.	

- (b) Chewing of tobacco/Gutka and storing and consumption of alcohol, intoxicating or unauthorized substances are prohibited. Depending upon the gravity or frequency of violation, the University shall report the case to the appropriate law and order enforcement authorities of the State for taking actions under applicable laws and regulations (Gujarat Prohibition Act, 1949 and Notification concerning the Prohibition of Storage and Consumption of Gutka 2012). The University reserves the right to make alterations or additions to the Rules from time to time as it may deem appropriate. It shall be open to the Student Disciplinary Committee to take necessary measures touching the conduct of the students or to evolve redressal of grievance mechanisms.
- (c) Community Service: The Community service may consist of gardening work (watering plants, removing weeds, applying fertilizers, etc.), mess service (serving food, removing plates, cleaning tables, collecting waste, help in washing the dishes), cleaning premises(collection of waste, cleaning of common washrooms, etc.) and such other works as determined by the Faculty Warden. The community work shall be carried out between 1600 to 1900 hours only without any break in any of the required number of days and hours, from the first day following the incident. A certificate of community work mentioning the name of the student, nature of the disciplinary measures, time, days and location; actual nature of service shall be issued by the Assistant Warden which shall also be signed by the Faculty Warden and the student. A copy of the certificate shall be placed in the students' personal record file and Student Information System database. Any non-compliance or non-observance of the Community service norms shall be added into the next alternative reformative measures as mentioned in the above table. The Hostel Administration may notify special instructions from time to time. Any violation of these instructions is tantamount to violation of the University Hostel Regulations.

- (d) The admission to the Halls of Residence amounts to voluntary acceptance of these regulations as amended from time to time.
- (e) The above regulations are not exhaustive and any conduct which is unbecoming of a student of GNLU will attract appropriate disciplinary action as may be determined by the Student Disciplinary Committee.
- (f) The student can appeal to the Director on the measures imposed by the Student Disciplinary Committee. The decision taken by the Director on the recommendation by the Student Disciplinary Committee and thereafter on the appeal, if any from the student, shall be placed before the subsequent meeting of the requisite Council for its information and ratification as appropriate.

REGULATION 44 DISCIPLINARY MEASURES FOR PROHIBITED ACTIVITIES AND CONDUCT DURING THE EXAMINATION

(a) The following unfair means and/or malpractice(s) shall attract punitive measures as specified:

No.	Item	Measure
(i)	Any incitement/provocation or abetment of examination boycott or boycott.	Expulsion from the University for one year
(ii)	Smuggling of answer books in or out of the Examination Hall.	Expulsion from the University for one year
(iii)	Possession and use of unfair means, materials and/or gadgets and consulting notes, books or other material and consulting a person while outside the examination hall for authorized reasons.	Cancellation and prohibition from participation, as applicable, of all the end-term examination of the relevant semester of the candidate
(iv)	Adopting unfair means, such as possession of materials like anything written on any part of the question paper, or on clothing, or on any part of the body or carrying any object or gadget such as a compass box, a scale, tissue paper or handkerchief, etc. with depictions on it which could be used for committing a malpractice.	Cancellation of the end-term examination of that particular subject of the candidate
(v)	Misbehaviour, threats or use of abusive language against examination staff.	Expulsion from University for one year
(vi)	Destruction or attempted destruction of material being used for malpractice or refusal to hand over such material to the supervising staff.	Cancellation of all the end- term examination of the relevant semester of the candidate
(vii)	Talking to fellow examinee in the examination hall or unauthorized change of seat.	Cancellation of the end-term examination of that particular subject of the candidate
(viii)	Using obscene or abusive language in the answer book and/or Impersonation.	Expulsion from the University

	(ix)	Writing of any distinctive marks (name, swastika,	Cancellation of the end-term
		opening prayer, proverbs, name/s of god/s etc.,	examination of that particular
		highlighting) on the answer script.	subject of the candidate
Ì	(x)	Submission of fake documents/wrong information for	Expulsion from the
	` '	official records.	University

- (a) Electronic gadget of any kind is strictly prohibited during examination hours except, ordinary calculator.
- (b) In an open book examination only that material which is approved by the Chief Examiner and provided by the examination department shall be used.
- (c) Any disciplinary measure(s), once imposed shall be communicated in writing to the student, parents and/or guardians of the candidate and the Committee for Recruitment Affairs. A copy of all correspondence from the University to student shall be placed in the personal file of the student and the records shall be updated accordingly.
- (d) A Student who is subjected to the above measures shall be considered ineligible and prohibited from representing the University in any co-curricular and extracurricular activities in the following one year at least.
- (e) A Student who is subjected to any of the above measures shall be considered ineligible and prohibited from consideration of recruitment and internship through the University, any medal, award and financial aid from the University.
- (f) Notwithstanding the above measures, the Executive Council on the report of the Examination Committee may consider imposition of any other measures as it may deem appropriate.

REGULATION 45 COOPERATION WITH TEACHERS, EMPLOYEES, SERVICE PROVIDERS AND VISITORS

- (a) The students shall comply with the official instructions given by the teacher and other officials while in University campus.
- (b) All the students shall ensure that they, their parent(s)/guardian(s) do not resort to unlawful practices or unauthorized ways to influence the teacher(s) and official(s) of the University.
- (c) Indiscipline and misconduct in classes or impolite behaviour with teacher(s), official(s), visitor(s) and service provider(s) is strictly prohibited. Student(s) are expected to behave with one another and with teacher(s), official(s), service provider(s), visitor(s) in a decent and respectful manner. Disrupting the classes by any means may lead to disciplinary action.
- (d) All the matters, issues and difficulties pertaining to their academics or stay at hostels shall be resolved in the office hours at the University itself and no student is permitted to visit the residences/other places to meet the teacher or official for any reason whatsoever except with prior permission and before the end of the reasonable hours of the day.

- (e) The students shall not involve themselves in regional parochialism, gangsterism, ragging or bulling others.
- (f) The students shall treat every-one with human dignity and tolerance.
- (g) The students shall express themselves in a polite and dignified manner towards staff, service provider(s), visitor(s) and other student(s).
- (h) The University shall observe zero tolerance and undertake necessary measures to deter and/or prevent, control and resolve unfair means of any kind resorted by student(s).
- (i) Words or deeds spoken, communicated in whichever forum or form contribute to the building or maintenance of the reputation of the teachers, officials, service providers and the University as a whole. Student(s) shall respect moral and ethical necessity for ensuring the code of conduct in the larger interests of their fellow student(s), alumni, future University student(s) and those who are directly or indirectly associated with the preservation and promotion of the University reputation at large.

REGULATION 46 PENALTIES

In the event of any breach of the Code of Conduct prescribed above, or on receipt of a report regarding the misconduct of the student at the University examination or intimidation of any student or employee of the University, the Director may take any of the following measures and shall inform the subsequent meeting of the relevant statutory bodies for its information and ratification as appropriate;

- (a) Debarring such student from the University examination either permanently or for a specified period;
- (b) Restraining him from taking admission in any University Department;
- (c) Restraining him from taking admission to the convocation for the purpose of conferring degree;
- (d) Cancelling the result of such student, if he is a candidate at any examination conducted by the University;
- (e) Cancelling or withdrawing University Scholarship, if any, held by him;
- (f) Cancelling award prize and/or medal, if any, awarded to him;
- (g) Rusticating him from the University.
- (h) Not allowing him to stay in the hostel permanently or for a specified period.

The University shall ensure that each case of non-compliance or violation of these regulations meets the principle of natural justice. The decision of the concerned Committees under the provisions of the Regulations shall be furnished before the Executive Council for the decision on the disciplinary measure against the erring student.



PART – VI: SOCIAL, CULTURAL, SPORTS AND OTHER EXTRA-CURRICULUAR PROGRAMMES AND ACTIVITIES

REGULATION 47 SPORTS PROGRAMMES AND ACTIVITIES

The University shall constitute a Sports Committee consisting of the Director, Registrar, Head of the Academic Department, Campus Administrator, Chief Warden, Physical Instructor, minimum two teachers, one representative of young men and women students from each of the Under-Graduate and Post-Graduate batches to develop health, personality development, fair play, social interaction, stress relief, sense of discipline, team spirit and leadership qualities through participation, organization of sports programs and activities, coaching camps and activities. The Committee shall have tenure of two academic years and the Committee shall select a member who shall work as the Convener and Secretary of the Committee.

REGULATION 48 SPORTS AND GYMNASTIC PROGRAMMES, ACTIVITIES AND FACILITIES

The Sports Committee may draw the sports calendar of the University and be responsible to organize the events according to the calendar. It shall also propose planned expenditures in the regular budget of the University. The Committee shall prepare rules and guidelines for participation by students, teachers and officials in various sports activities. The University may provide facilities, including indoor and outdoor games, equipment, sports items. The University may provide adequate gymnastic facilities, equipment and coaching assistance separately for young men and women students. The Sports Committee shall be responsible for the overall planning, execution, management, reporting of the sports and gymnastic infrastructure, facilities, equipment, coaching support and any other ancillary matters related to promote the sporting culture among the students.

REGULATION 49 STUDENT'S CULTURAL, SOCIAL AND EXTRA-CURRICULAR PROGRAMS AND ACTIVITIES

The University shall constitute a Students Cultural and Social Activities Committee consisting of the Director, Registrar, Head of the Academic Department, Campus Administrator, Chief Warden, minimum two teachers, one representative of young men and women students from each of the Under-Graduate and Post-Graduate batches to contribute to promote the multicultural festivals and activities and to promote cultural and social integration among students and the University officials and local communities. The Committee shall have tenure of two years and the Committee shall select a member who shall work as the Convener and Secretary of the Committee.



REGULATION 50 CULTURAL AND SOCIAL PROGRAMMES, HOBBIES, ACTIVITIES, FACILITIES AND FUNDING

- (a) The Committee shall draw the cultural activities calendar of the University and be responsible to organize the events according to the calendar. It shall also propose planned expenditures in the regular budget of the University. The Committee shall prepare rules and guidelines for participation by students, teachers and officials in various sports activities. The University shall provide means and methods to promote creative hobbies of students. The University shall provide facilities, including furniture, music instruments and such other items as required to facilitate the aim of the cultural events. The Cultural and Social Programs Committee shall be responsible for the overall planning, execution, management, reporting of the cultural and social activities and programs and any other ancillary matters related to promote the social and cultural integration atmosphere.
- (b) The Director may, in consultation with concerned teaching or non-teaching staff, department and committee, decide and execute such measures as to promote and incentivize outstanding curricular and extra-curricular performance for the overall development of young men and women students, on the merit of each individual or collective case and inform such measures to the Academic Council, Finance Committee and the Executive Council, as appropriate on a regular basis. Such measures shall give no rise to any entitlement or precedent under whatever circumstances, however.

PART - VII: MISCELLANEOUS

REGULATION 51 OTHER GENERAL DISCIPLINE AND CODE OF CONDUCT MATTERS

- (a) Use of Information Technology Resources and Services: The University shall provide students with access to University's computer and network resources. The University prohibits use of its information technology resources and services for illegal or any prohibited activities. The University shall take measures as may be determined by the Student Disciplinary Committee for misuse of the resources. They shall also consult their assigned/registered email address (for example, vijay04@gnlu.ac.in) which is used by the University for All Communications with students.
- (b) Anonymous and Pseudonymous Communications: The University shall have right to determine whether electronic communications are anonymous or pseudonymous by the particular context within which the communication occurs, and take measures to prevent and control violations of such regulations. The student shall not fraudulently misrepresent his or her identity in any context.

- (c) Anonymous and Pseudonymous Communications Damaging the Reputation of the University and Personal and Professional Integrity of Employees: Student shall refrain from undertaking any activity which may damage the reputation of the University or damage personal and professional integrity of teachers, officials, fellow students and service providers. The University shall impose such measures as are necessary for preventing, controlling and undoing the damage brought by a deliberate attempt of the student. Student shall familiarize himself and scrupulously observe provisions of acts enacted by authorized institutions and regulations which are applicable to him. Every officer and employee of the University is deemed to be a public servant within the meaning of section 21 of the Indian Penal Code, hence, all obligations that flow from this section shall be observed by students in letter and spirit.
- (d) **Hostel Matters:** The students shall not lock up their luggage in their rooms in the vacations. Storage facilities, if required, may be provided by the University authorities on request. Student shall provide at least one telephone number and email ID, if available, of either his local guardian or parent/s at which University authorities may contact any of them for administrative/academic purposes.
- (e) Withholding or withdrawing of degree and removal from the University: The Executive Council may, on the recommendation of the Director remove the name of any student from the register of the University or withdraw/withhold any degree of such student if he has been convicted by a court of law of any offence which, in the opinion of the Executive Council is a serious offence involving moral turpitude or if he has been guilty of any scandalous conduct.

REGULATION 52 STUDENTS' GRIEVANCES REDRESS COMMITTEE

Notwithstanding the above, the Director or his nominee in the larger interest of the peace, good order, safety and security of students, staff and service providers at large may issue directions which shall be fully observed by concerned persons. The Director shall establish a Student Grievances Redressal Committee consisting of Head of Academic Department and one teaching and one non-teaching staff for addressing all types of grievances of students on a regular basis.

REGULATION 53 PREVENTION AND CONTROL OF THE SEXUAL HARASSMENT MEASURES

The University shall establish a Committee to prevent, control and take all necessary measures, in accordance with the applicable regulations, rules and norms, against sexual harassment of any student, staff and service providers. The Committee shall consist of the Director as the Chairperson, Registrar, Head of Academic Department, a lady and gentleman hostel warden and one teaching and non-teaching staff.

PART VIII: REPEAL AND SAVINGS

REGULATION 54 REPEAL AND SAVINGS

- (a) The provisions of the Gujarat National Law University Regulations, 2009 and Examination Rules, 2011, in so far as they relate to the academic, mooting, internship, examination, hostel and other matters of the Gujarat National Law University are repealed.
- (b) Notwithstanding such repeal, any action taken or proceedings pending shall be deemed to have been taken or completed under these regulations.

Director,

Gujarat National Law University.