

LEGAL ZEMS

(ADVOCATES, SOLICITORS & LEGAL CONSULTANTS)

PRESENTS

ADVANCED CERTIFICATE COURSE ON CIVIL TRAIL & CRIMINAL TRAIL

- **CIVIL AND CRIMINAL MASTERY**
 - **COURT ROOM ADVOCACY**
- **LEGAL DRAFTING EXCELLENCE**
 - **MOCK TRAIL STIMULATIONS**

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COURSE OVERVIEW

Step into the courtroom with confidence. Our **3-Month Advanced certificate course on Civil Trail and Criminal Trail** is meticulously crafted for **aspiring litigators, practicing advocates, law students, and legal professionals** who want to master **civil and criminal litigation from filing to final execution**.

This intensive program offers a **deep-dive into the Code of Civil Procedure (CPC), Bhartiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, Criminal Procedure Code, Indian Penal Code and Bhartiya Nayay Sanhita** coupled with **hands-on drafting, strategic litigation techniques, and real-world courtroom simulations**—all designed to fit seamlessly into your demanding professional schedule.

◆ What sets this program apart?

- Practical training in **pleadings, evidence, interim applications, execution proceedings, and appeals**
- In-depth coverage of **CPC along with the latest developments under BNS & BNSS**

- **Courtroom simulations & strategy sessions** to sharpen advocacy skills
- Focus on **procedural accuracy, litigation strategy, and professional readiness**

By the end of the program, you won't just *know* the law—you'll **apply it with precision, confidence, and courtroom clarity.**

 **Train like a litigator. Draft like a professional. Argue like a courtroom strategist.**

WHY CHOOSE THIS COURSE?

The **Legal Zems Advanced Certificate Course in Civil Trial and Criminal Trial** is designed to build **advocacy-ready professionals** by equipping learners with the practical skills required to independently handle **civil suits and criminal proceedings**. The programme prepares participants for successful careers in **litigation law firms, corporate legal departments, and judicial services.**

The course is delivered through **live, interactive sessions by experienced advocates**, offering **real-**

world courtroom insights, effective drafting techniques, and proven trial strategies. Its practice-oriented curriculum comprehensively covers **CPC, CrPC, BNSS, IPC, BNS, and commercial dispute resolution.** To ensure flexibility and continuity, **session recordings are provided,** enabling learners to revise and learn at their own pace.

COURSE OBJECTIVE:

- **Master the core principles and procedural framework of civil litigation under the CPC, alongside the criminal justice process under the CrPC and BNSS.**
- **Develop drafting expertise** in complaints, written statements, applications, appeals, FIR-related pleadings, bail applications, charge responses, and criminal revisions with **clarity and precision.**
- **Present and argue matters effectively before civil and criminal courts,** including interim

reliefs, execution proceedings, bail hearings, trial stages, evidence, and appellate forums.

- **Interpret landmark civil and criminal judgments** and stay updated with **emerging trends in commercial suits, criminal trials, and procedural reforms.**
- **Build confidence to independently handle civil disputes and criminal cases**, adopting a **structured, strategic, and advocacy-ready approach** from filing to final arguments.

SPEAKERS

MR. PRASHANT KUMAR MISHRA
INDEPENDENT LEGAL PRACTITIONER
SUPREME COURT OF INDIA AND DELHI HIGH COURT

MS. PRANJALI SHUKLA
ASSISTANT PROFESSOR IN LAW
UGC-NET QUALIFIED
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COURSE STRUCTURE

The course is **systematically structured into 26 comprehensive modules**, comprising **13 modules on Civil Trial and 13 modules on Criminal Trial**, with **each module delivered through a dedicated and interactive session**. In every session, **experienced faculty members** provide in-depth explanations of the **relevant statutory provisions** and emphasize **hands-on skill development**, including **guided drafting of applications under the applicable Orders and Sections** covered in each module.

If any module is not fully completed within the scheduled class duration, **additional sessions are conducted** to ensure **complete coverage and conceptual clarity**. For participants who are unable to attend live sessions, **recordings of all classes are made**

available, enabling seamless learning at your own pace without missing any content.

To culminate the practical training, the course concludes with a **Virtual Mock Court Simulation** involving both **civil and criminal disputes**, allowing participants to **observe and experience real courtroom proceedings**, advocacy techniques, and procedural dynamics within a simulated court environment.

IMPORTANT

Exact dates and timings of each session will be announced in the dedicated Course WhatsApp Group well in advance. Occasionally, a session's date or time may need to be rescheduled due to unforeseen circumstances or speaker commitments; any such change will be promptly notified in the group with maximum prior notice.

SYLLABUS

CIVIL LAW TRAIL

MODULE 1- FOUNDATION & INSTITUTION OF SUIT

- 1.1 Meaning and types of civil suits
- 1.2 Jurisdiction
- 1.3 Cause of action
- 1.4 Limitation & court fees
- 1.5 Parties to suit
- 1.6 Joinder, mis-joinder & non-joinder
- 1.7 Representative suits
- 1.8 Plaint
- 1.9 Vakalatnama
- 1.10 Affidavit & List of Documents

MODULE 2- PLEADINGS & SUMMONS

- 2.1 Service of Summons
- 2.2 Issue & service of summons
- 2.3 Modes of service (ordinary, substituted, electronic)

2.4 Consequences of defective service

MODULE 3- APPEARANCE OF PARTIES

3.1 Appearance & non-appearance

3.2 Ex-Parte proceedings

3.3 Restoration of suit

3.4 Application for substituted service

3.5 Application under Order IX Rule 7 / 13 CPC

MODULE 4- INTERLOCUTORY PROCEEDINGS

4.1 Temporary injunctions

4.2 Appointment of receiver

4.3 Attachment before judgment

4.4 Interim relief strategy

4.5 Injunction application

4.6 Reply to injunction

4.7 Stay application

4.8 Caveat

MODULE 5- WRITTEN STATEMENT AND DOCUMENTS

5.1 Written Statement

- 5.2 Filing of Written Statement
- 5.3 Set-off & Counter-claim
- 5.4 Consequences of delay
- 5.5 Production of documents
- 5.6 Impounding & return of documents
- 5.7 Secondary evidence
- 5.8 Written Statement
- 5.9 Counter-claim
- 5.10 Affidavit of admission/denial of documents

MODULE 6- DISCOVERY, ADMISSIONS & ISSUES

- 6.1 Examination of parties by court
- 6.2 Discovery & inspection
- 6.3 Admissions & denials
- 6.4 Framing of Issues
- 6.5 Proposed issues

MODULE 7- EVIDENCE & WITNESSES

- 7.1 Summoning of Witnesses
- 7.2 Witness summons & expenses
- 7.3 Evidence
- 7.4 Plaintiff's evidence

- 7.5 Defendant's evidence
- 7.6 Examination-in-chief (affidavit)
- 7.7 Cross-examination techniques
- 7.8 Exhibiting documents
- 7.9 Cross-examination mock session

MODULE 8- FINAL HEARING & JUDGMENT

- 8.1 Arguments
- 8.2 Written submissions
- 8.3 Oral arguments
- 8.4 Case law citation method

MODULE 9- PRONOUNCEMENT OF JUDGMENT

- 9.1 Types of judgments
- 9.2 Costs

MODULE 10- DECREE, APPEALS & EXECUTION

- 10.1 Preparation of Decree
- 10.2 Drawing up of decree
- 10.3 Decree vs judgment

MODULE 11- APPEALS, REVIEW & REVISION

- 11.1 First appeal
- 11.2 Second appeal
- 11.3 Review & revision
- 11.4 Limitation aspects

MODULE 12- EXECUTION OF DECREE

- 12.1 Execution proceedings
- 12.2 Attachment & arrest
- 12.3 Objections
- 12.4 Drafting of Execution Petition
- 12.5 Drafting of Objection Application
- 12.6 Affidavit of Asset and Liabilities

MODULE 13- MOCK COURT STIMULATION OF A REALISTIC CIVIL DISPUTE

CRIMINAL LAW TRAIL

MODULE 1 – CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM & COGNIZANCE

- Structure of Criminal Courts
- Types of offences (cognizable / non-cognizable)

- FIR – registration, zero FIR, preliminary inquiry
- Complaint cases vs police cases
- Cognizance by Magistrate (BNSS provisions)
- Limitation for taking cognizance

Practical Drafting:

- Complaint under BNSS
- Application under Section 156(3) BNSS
- Protest petition

MODULE 2 – ARREST, BAIL & REMAND

- Arrest with & without warrant
- Rights of accused during arrest
- Remand (police & judicial)
- Default bail

MODULE 3 – BAIL JURISPRUDENCE

- Regular bail
- Anticipatory bail
- Interim bail
- Cancellation of bail

Drafting Practice:

- Anticipatory bail application

- Regular bail application
- Remand reply

MODULE 4 – INVESTIGATION & POLICE PAPERS

- Powers of police
- Statements under Section 161 BNSS
- Confession & discovery
- Medical & forensic evidence
- Seizure & Panchama
- Charge-sheet
- Closure report
- Further investigation

Practical Exercise:

- Analysis of charge-sheet
- Defects in investigation

MODULE 5- CHARGE & DISCHARGE

- Compliance with BNSS provisions
- Discharge application
- Framing of charge
- Alteration of charge
- Plea of guilty

Drafting Practice:

- Discharge application
- Arguments on charge
- Objection to charge

MODULE 6 – PROSECUTION EVIDENCE

- Examination-in-chief
- Cross-examination strategy
- Hostile witnesses
- Exhibiting documents

Evidence Law (BSA 2023):

- Oral & documentary evidence
- Electronic evidence
- Presumptions

Mock Exercise:

- Cross-examination of police witness
- Cross-examination of complainant

MODULE 7– STATEMENT OF ACCUSED & DEFENCE

- Statement under BNSS (Sec 313 equivalent)
- Value of statement

MODULE 8 – DEFENCE EVIDENCE

- Defence witnesses
- Recall & re-examination
- Compounding of offences

Drafting Practice:

- 313 questionnaires

MODULE 9 – ARGUMENTS & JUDGMENT

- Prosecutor's arguments
- Defence arguments
- Case law citation
- Written submissions
- Conviction
- Acquittal
- Benefit of doubt

Practical Drafting:

- Written arguments

MODULE 10 – SENTENCING, APPEAL & EXECUTION

- Hearing on sentence
- Probation & compensation

- Victim rights

MODULE 11 – APPEALS & REVISION

- Criminal appeals
- Revision applications
- Suspension of sentence

MODULE 12 – EXECUTION

- Execution of sentence
- Warrants
- Set-off

Drafting Practice:

- Appeal memo
- Suspension of sentence application
- Revision application

MODULE-13 MOCK COURT STIMULATION OF A REALISTIC CRIMINAL OFFENCE

COURSE OUTCOME

Upon successful completion of the course, participants will be able to:

- **Understand the legal framework governing civil litigation under the CPC and criminal proceedings under the CrPC and BNSS in India.**
- **Master the art of drafting precise, effective, and court-ready documents** in both domains, including civil pleadings and criminal applications.
- **Gain practical advocacy skills to represent clients confidently before civil and criminal courts,** and independently handle civil disputes and criminal cases.
- **Stay updated with recent developments, landmark judgments, and emerging challenges in commercial litigation, civil disputes, and criminal justice administration.**
- **Enhance professional credibility by earning a prestigious certificate from LEGAL ZEMS,** strengthening career prospects in civil and criminal litigation.

CERTIFICATION:

- The **Certificate of Completion**, duly **signed by the faculty members**, will be issued to all participants **within one month of successful course completion**.
- Participants who wish to further enhance their practical skills may opt for an **additional Drafting Assignment**, which includes a **personalised evaluation by expert faculty**. The evaluation will specifically highlight **individual strengths and areas for improvement**, providing valuable professional feedback. This **optional add-on** can be availed for an **additional fee of ₹300**, and detailed information regarding the same will be shared during the course.

KEY FEATURES:

- Interactive Live Sessions
- Recorded Classes
- Late Evening Sessions @ 08.00 P.M
- Session on Legal Research and Writing
- Drafting Trainings

- Sample Templates
- Reading Materials
- Virtual Mock Court Stimulation

FEES AND REGISTRATION:

Duration: 3-Month

Platform: Zoom

Starts From: 17th February, 2026

Course Fee: Rs. 1299/-

Early Bird Registration Fee: Rs. 999/-

(Valid Till 01st February, 2026).

Last date of Registration: 15th February, 2026.

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