

**Admission Notification I of 2022**

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Gujarat Maritime University invites online applications from eligible candidates for admission to the Master in Law (LL.M.), and Executive Diploma Programme (EDP) for the Academic Session - 2022.

**1. LL.M. Programme:**

The one-year LL.M. Programme is being offered by the **Centre for Post Graduate Legal Studies, Gujarat Maritime University** as per UGC Guidelines for Introduction of one-year LL.M degree Programme, 2012. The LL.M Programme is being offered with two specializations namely Maritime Law and International Trade Law

**1.1. Eligibility:**

The candidate must hold an LLB/Equivalent Degree in law from a recognized University with at least 50% marks or equivalent CGPA in case of general category or 45% marks or equivalent CGPA in case of SC/ST category candidates.

Candidates appearing for the final year qualifying examination and those who have completed degree requirements and are awaiting results may also apply. If selected, such candidates will be allowed to join the programme provisionally, subject to completion of all the requirements and fulfillment of eligibility criteria in due course of time.

**1.2. Application Fee:**

The application fee is Rs. 1,000/- for general category and Rs. 500/- for SC, ST, and OBC (non-refundable).

**1.3. Intake Capacity:**

Course	Seats
LL.M.	60

**1.4. Selection Process:**

The selection for the programme will be based on a National Level Online Remotely Proctored entrance test followed by a Personal Interview of the candidates.

The weightage of the selection process will be as follows:

Criterion	Weights
Remotely Proctored Online MCQ Test	70%
Personal Interview	30%

In case, if any seat remains vacant after the conclusion of the GMU LL.M. admission process, the same will be filled based on the merit secured by the candidates in **Common Law Admission Test (CLAT) – 2022**. CLAT-2022 aspirants are also required to make an application for admission by following the aforementioned process and select **CLAT-2022** as the mode of admission.

### 1.5. Entrance Test:

The remotely proctored online entrance test will include 70 Objective Type Questions (MCQs) each question carrying one mark. The duration of the test will be 60 minutes. There will not be any negative marking for wrong answers. The question paper will be based on the core subjects of the undergraduate integrated LLB or LLB Programme and will include Constitutional Law, Jurisprudence, Administrative Law, Law of Contract, Torts, Criminal Law, Public International Law. It will also include questions from research aptitude, teaching aptitude, and current affairs.

### 1.6. Personal Interview:

Candidates securing more than 50% marks in the Online Remotely Proctored Entrance Test will be called for the Personal Interview at first instance. If sufficient candidates are not found eligible, the University may call the remaining candidates for the personal Interview as well. The Personal Interview credentials will be sent to the eligible candidates separately by E-mail and will also be published on the University website.

### 1.7. Programme Structure:

The specialization wise programme structure of the One-year LL.M. Programme is as follows:

<b>Programme Structure: LL.M. (Maritime Law)</b>			
<b>Code</b>		<b>L-T-P</b>	<b>Credits</b>
<b>SEM 1: 3 Compulsory courses + 2 Specialization courses</b>			
SML 6101	Research Methods and Legal Writing	3-0-0	<b>3</b>
SML 6102	Comparative Public Law / Systems of Governance	3-0-0	<b>3</b>
SML 6103	Law and Justice in a Globalizing World	3-0-0	<b>3</b>
SML 6111	International Law and Law of the Sea	2-0-0	<b>2</b>
SML 6117	Shipping Laws and Regulations	2-0-0	<b>2</b>
<b>Total Credits</b>			<b>13</b>
<b>SEM 2: 4 Specialization courses + Dissertation</b>			
SML 6218	Law of Shipping Contracts and Marine Insurance	2-0-0	<b>2</b>
SML 6219	Law of Marine Environment and IMO Conventions	2-0-0	<b>2</b>
SML 62110	Maritime Labour Law	2-0-0	<b>2</b>
SML 6216	Law of Maritime Dispute Resolution	2-0-0	<b>2</b>
SML 6209	Dissertation		<b>5</b>
<b>Total Credits</b>			<b>13</b>
<b>Grand Total</b>			<b>26</b>

<b>Programme Structure: LL.M. (International Trade Law)</b>			
<b>Code</b>		<b>L-T-P</b>	<b>Credits</b>
<b>SEM 1: 3 Compulsory courses + 2 Specialization courses</b>			

SML 6101	Research Methods and Legal Writing	3-0-0	3
SML 6102	Comparative Public Law / Systems of Governance	3-0-0	3
SML 6103	Law and Justice in a Globalizing World	3-0-0	3
SML 6121	Law of World Trade Organization	2-0-0	2
SML 6127	International Commercial Law	2-0-0	2
<b>Total Credits</b>			<b>13</b>
<b>SEM 2: 4 Specialization courses + Dissertation</b>			
SML 6223	Law of International Carriage	2-0-0	2
SML 6224	India and Foreign Trade	2-0-0	2
SML 6 225	International Investment Law	2-0-0	2
SML 6226	International Commercial Arbitration	2-0-0	2
SML 6209	Dissertation		5
<b>Total Credits</b>			<b>13</b>
<b>Grand Total</b>			<b>26</b>

\*The programme structure is subject to time to time revision by the expert bodies of the University.

For more details regarding the programme please visit <https://gmu.edu.in/>

## 2. Executive Diploma Programme

The Executive Diploma Programme is a specially designed, equivalent to a post-graduate diploma, for working professionals and is being offered with two specialization areas namely Maritime Law and International Trade Law.

### 2.1. Eligibility:

The candidates must hold a graduate degree in any discipline from a recognized University with at least 50% marks or equivalent CGPA and 45% marks or equivalent CGPA in case of SC/ST category candidates.

The holders of the 'Certificate of Competency as Master of Foreign Going Ship' are also eligible to the programme, subject to the production of 'Certificate of Equivalency' issued by a University competent to issue 'Certificate of Equivalency'.

### 2.2. Application Fee:

The application fee is Rs. 4,000/- for general category and Rs. 2,000/- for SC, ST, OBC and Gujarat Domicile (non-refundable).

### 2.3. Intake Capacity:

Course	Seats
EDP	60

## 2.4. Selection Process:

The admission to the diploma will be based on the merit secured in the Personal Interview and the evaluation of the Statement of Purpose (SOP). The weightage assigned to the admission criterion is as follows:

Criterion	Weightage
Personal Interview	70%
Evaluation of Statement of Purpose	30%

### 2.4.1. Personal Interview:

The online personal interviews credentials will be sent to each applicant separately by E-mail and will also be published on the University website.

### 2.4.2. Statement of Purpose:

The applicants are required to submit a Statement of Purpose along with the application form. The length of the Statement of Purpose may be 300-500 words. It should give the educational and professional background of the applicant. It should also specify why the applicant should be considered for the Diploma and how it will be useful for his/her career advancement.

## 2.5. Programme Structure:

The One-year EDP Programme is based on the following structure:

<b>Programme Structure: EDP (Maritime Law)</b>			
Code	Course	L-T-P	Credits
<b>SEM 1: 1 Compulsory courses + 3 Specialization courses</b>			
SML 0101	Legal Methods	1-0-4	3
SML 0111	International Law and Law of the Sea	1-0-4	3
SML 0117	Shipping Laws and Regulations	1-0-4	3
SML 0118	The Law of Shipping Contracts and Marine Insurance	1-0-4	3
<b>Total Credits</b>			<b>12</b>
<b>SEM 2: 3 Specialization courses + Dissertation</b>			
SML 0219	Law of Marine Environment and IMO Conventions	1-0-4	3
SML 02110	Maritime Labour Law	1-0-4	3
SML 0216	Law of Maritime Dispute Resolution	1-0-4	3
SML 0209	Dissertation		5
<b>Total Credits</b>			<b>14</b>
<b>Grand Total</b>			<b>26</b>

<b>Programme Structure: EDP (International Trade Law)</b>			
<b>Code</b>	<b>Course</b>	<b>L-T-P</b>	<b>Credits</b>
<b>SEM 1: 1 Compulsory courses + 3 Specialization courses</b>			
SML 0101	Legal Methods	1-0-4	<b>3</b>
SML 0121	Law of World Trade Organization	1-0-4	<b>3</b>
SML 0127	International Commercial Law	1-0-4	<b>3</b>
SML 0123	Law of International Carriage	1-0-4	<b>3</b>
<b>Total Credits</b>			<b>12</b>
<b>SEM 2: 3 Specialization courses + Dissertation</b>			
SML 0224	India and Foreign Trade	1-0-4	<b>3</b>
SML 0225	International Investment Law	1-0-4	<b>3</b>
SML 0226	International Commercial Arbitration	1-0-4	<b>3</b>
SML 0209	Dissertation		<b>5</b>
<b>Total Credits</b>			<b>14</b>
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**Device Required for Remotely Proctored Online Entrance Test:**

Computer / Laptop / Tablet or Mobile with video and audio facility with good internet connectivity is required to appear for the remotely proctored online entrance test.

**Entrance Exam Guidelines:**

All the guidelines concerning the remotely proctored online entrance test will be provided in the Mock/Demo test.

**Guidelines for Personal Interview:**

All the candidates securing more than cut-off merit as decided by the Admission Committee of the University in the Entrance Test will be called for a Personal Interview. All the eligible candidates will be intimated by a personal E-Mail and a merit list will also be published on the University website.

**Important Dates:\***

Sr. No	Particulars	Date and Timing
1	Availability of online forms	12 <sup>th</sup> April, 2022
2	Last date of submitting Application forms	26 <sup>th</sup> June, 2022
3	Mock / Demo online test	2 <sup>nd</sup> July, 2022
4	Date of Online Proctored Admission test	9 <sup>th</sup> July, 2022
5	Personal Interview	11 <sup>th</sup> - 15 <sup>th</sup> July, 2022
6	Declaration of Merit List	18 <sup>th</sup> July, 2022
7	Tentative date of commencement of classes	1 <sup>st</sup> August, 2022

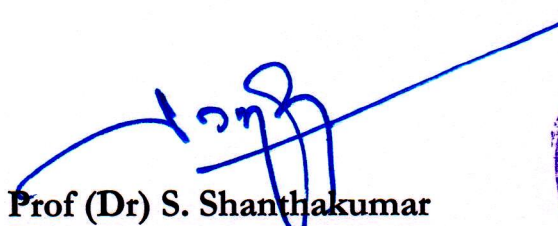
\* The University reserves the right to change the dates without any prior notice.

**How to apply:**

Interested students may visit <https://gmu.edu.in/>, Click on Admission tab and follow the instruction on the screen.

**Contact Information:**

For admission - related queries, you may write us at [admissions@gmu.edu.in](mailto:admissions@gmu.edu.in) or call us on +91 6356894500.

  
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