



# CRESCENT SCHOOL OF LAW

LL.M. (Criminal Law)

Admission Open  
2026 - 27



Grade



2025  
Innovation: 11-50  
Engg: 151-200  
Pharm: 101-125



2025  
SDG 4: 23 | SDG 6: 40  
SDG 7: 32 | Overall: 101-200



2026 Overall  
India: 98 | World: 1501+  
Subject Ranking  
Engineering: 1001-1250  
Computer Science: (1000+)



2026:  
Asia: 721-730  
Sustainability:  
Asia: 481 | India: 58



## About the LL.M. Programme

Crescent School of Law (CSL) offers specially designed, fully accredited, two-year full-time LL.M. programme for students seeking a post graduate Degree in Law. The programme emphasizes on an international, transnational and comparative approach to research in criminal law.

Our intensive curriculum provides a number of contemporary topics in Criminal Law including Criminology, Penology, Victimology, Cyber-crime, Digital Forensics, International Criminal Law and Justice etc. The classes by leading scholars in addition to international and domestic practitioners periodically is our unique approach. Leading academicians, senior lawyers and judges will be offering lectures as part of the programme. We ensure excellent faculty-student ratio and a better interactive learning atmosphere. The course is designed in a manner to aid the professionals in tackling the conventional challenges and also equip them technologically in the emerging world of criminal law.

## Eligibility

- Candidates for admission to the first semester of the four semester post graduate degree programme in law shall be required to have passed a degree in Law with at least 55% marks.

## Distinctive Features of the LL.M.

- Internship and placement committee to enhance career development opportunities.
- Focus on research activities to develop cognitive skills and intellectual growth.
- Well Qualified and Experience Faculty Members to foster conducive learning.
- Lectures by Industrial Experts and Professors frequently to amplify practical learning.
- Lectures by International Faculty to acquaint the students with global-legal issues.
- National and International conferences aiming at long-term sharing of knowledge and discussions on contemporary legal issues.
- Clinical and case study teaching pedagogy to have a deeper grasp of fundamental material.
- Dedicated law journal and newsletter from CSL that strengthens legal update.





## Amenities

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- Moot court halls
- Excellent sports facility for indoor and outdoor games
- Wi-Fi Enabled Campus
- Food Court
- ICT Enabled Classrooms
- Separate Hostel for boys and girls with good ambience
- Banking and medical access

## Academic Overview

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### Curriculum

The LL.M. curriculum is designed with an objective of moulding the candidates into research-oriented teachers, criminal lawyers addressing contemporary social change, technology infused entrepreneurs skilled in various facets of criminal law and legal start-ups etc. The curriculum is divided into four set of courses.

### Mandatory Common Courses:

These include courses like Law and Justice in a Globalising World, Research Methodology, Comparative Public Law, Judicial Process and Dissertation. All the courses are 4-credit courses except dissertation which is an 8-credit course. These are compulsory papers which the candidate needs to study.

## Specialized Core Courses:

These are specializations in criminal law which are essential for the program. It includes Criminal Justice Administration, Criminology, Sentencing process, Drug abuse and criminal justice system, International Criminal law, Corporate and White-collar Crimes, and Criminal Psychology

## Discipline Specific Elective:

Any two Discipline Specific Elective can be selected from an array of 4 electives. All these electives deal with contemporary criminal jurisprudence.

## Generic Elective:

The candidate may choose any 2 General Elective out of 4 available options. These electives are aimed at enhancing research, teaching and entrepreneurial skills of the candidate.



## Research

This LL.M. programme offers an opportunity for aspirants to engage in rigorous research. Vibrant and well qualified faculty of the CSL who preside over an array of research centres extent the opportunity of cutting-edge research and professional development to the candidates. The candidates will be specially trained to get acquainted with online databases for promoting their ability for legal research.

## Library

CSL has a resourceful library, with access to a wide range of books, journals and periodicals from various disciplines for extensive research. An uninterrupted access to online resources and international journals is enabled to encourage students to research from a variety of national as well as international journals and reading materials. Online database subscriptions include SCC Online, AIR, Hein online etc. Our huge collection of printed journals comprises of AIR Supreme Court Weekly, AIR Supreme Court Criminal, Journal of Law review, Madras Weekly Notes, Corporate Law advisor, Supreme Court Cases etc.

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