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## CALL FOR BLOGS

The NLIU Law Review is a peer-reviewed law journal published bi-annually by the students of National Law Institute University, Bhopal.

We are pleased to announce that we are accepting submissions of manuscripts on a rolling basis for publication in NLR Blog on our website.

### PARAMETERS FOR EVALUATION

#### Grammar/Language

The style of writing should be academic, without errors of syntax, grammar and punctuation. The language should be crisp and precise.

#### Structure/Legal Coherence

The manuscript should follow a logical scheme of arrangement and most ideally address a question of law, a grey area or a hypothesis and provide a conclusive analysis of the same.

#### Contribution to Existing Literature

The manuscript must contain more than just a restatement of existing laws, facts and analyses and should be of itself be novel. The manuscript must add to the existing corpus of knowledge on a particular topic.

#### Contemporary Relevance

The manuscript should shed light upon recent developments relating to the topic and provide reasons as to why the subject matter is relevant at the present moment.

#### Referencing and Research

The manuscript must be based on in-depth research on the topic selected and should provide references to the sources in the prescribed mode of citation. Over-citation as well as a lack of criteria must be avoided.

### SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

**I. Criteria-** Language, structure, contribution to existing literature, contemporary relevance, research.

**II. Style Guidelines-** The main body of the manuscript is to be of the following format-

Font- Times New Roman, Text Size- 12, Line Spacing- 1.5, Alignment- Justified

**III. Citation Standards Guidelines-** Citations must conform to standards laid down in the Oxford University Standard for the Citation of Legal Authorities (4th ed., 2012). Submissions must use only hyperlinks as a form of citation.

#### IV. General Guidelines-

- Manuscripts submitted must not be written by more than two authors.
- Manuscripts must be within the word limit of 1000-1500 words.
- Submissions must be made only through the electronic form available on our website.
- All submissions must be made in (.docx) format.
- Please note that the manuscript itself should not contain any information that can be used to identify the author.

Manuscripts that have already been submitted or published elsewhere must not be submitted.

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