



**NATIONAL LAW SCHOOL OF INDIA UNIVERSITY
NAGARBHAVI, BANGALORE-560 242**

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**Recruitment for Associate Professor (Humanities & Social Science) at the
National Law School of India University, Bangalore**

The National Law School of India University (NLSIU) was established in 1987 to be a pioneer in legal education. Over the last three decades the University has evolved as an innovative leader in law, social sciences, humanities, and public policy education and research in India. It has also been ranked first among the law universities in the National Institute Ranking Framework (NIRF) for the last eight years.

To sustain this leadership, the University invites applications from exceptionally well-qualified individuals, dedicated to academic teaching, scholarship, and institutional service for the following positions:

Name of Post	Associate Professor (Humanities & Social Science)
Subject Areas (Indicative)	Economics Sociology Political Science History
Vacancies	4 (3 Unreserved 1 Schedule Caste)
Pay Structure	Level 13A, As per VII CPC
Appointment	Permanent basis till the age of superannuation i.e. 65 years, subject to confirmation after the satisfactory completion of two years' probation.
Qualifications	As prescribed in Sections I and II.1 of Appendix A

General Conditions:

1. Foreign nationals/OCI/NRI/PIO are permitted to apply. If selected, the confirmation of the candidate's appointment shall be subject to obtaining necessary visa approvals as prescribed by the Government of India.
2. The prescribed essential qualifications/experience indicated are the bare minimum. Merely possessing this qualification/experience will not entitle the candidate(s) to be called for an interview.
3. The qualification prescribed in the table above should have been obtained from

recognized Universities/ Institutions.

4. Interested candidates are required to submit applications through online mode only by completing the Application Form and uploading copies of all required certificates. Without these certificates, the application form will not be considered.
5. Candidates shall have to produce original documents at the time of joining,
6. Candidates serving in Government/ Public Sector Undertakings (including Boards/ Autonomous Bodies) are required to submit their 'No objection Certificate' from their current employer at the time of interview, if not submitted earlier.
7. Where the number of applications received in response to this advertisement is large and it may not be convenient or possible for NLSIU to interview all the candidates, NLSIU reserves the right to restrict the number of candidates to be called for interviews to a reasonable limit.
8. No correspondence whatsoever will be entertained from candidates regarding conduct/result of the interview and reasons for not being called for an interview.
9. Canvassing in any form/bringing in any influence political or otherwise will be treated as a disqualification for the Post.
10. NLSIU is an equal opportunity employer, and we value diversity at our institution.
11. NLSIU reserves the right of not filling the post advertised and/or filling vacancies irrespective of the post applied for.
12. If information given in an application is found to be incorrect/false, at any stage, the Candidature is liable to be cancelled and any appointment made is also liable to be terminated.
13. The last date for submission of the application is **October 26, 2026 at 17:00 hrs IST.**
14. The shortlisted candidates will be intimated through email.
15. Incomplete forms or forms without the required information will not be considered.

Interested individuals are requested to go through the University's website, fill in the Application Form and upload the certificates to support their claim for educational qualifications, age, experience etc. on or before **October 26, 2026 (17:00 hrs IST).**

For any clarifications in this regard, you may contact the University at recruitment@nls.ac.in

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Appendix A

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MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS FOR RECRUITMENT TO REGULAR POSTS OF TEACHERS IN THE UNIVERSITY

(PER UGC REGULATIONS, 2018)¹

I. Essential Qualifications for All Posts

1. A Master's Degree with at least 55% marks (or an equivalent grade in a point-scale, wherever the grading system is followed).
2. A relaxation of 5% may be provided at the graduate and master's level for the Scheduled Caste, Scheduled Tribe and Differently-abled categories for the purpose of eligibility and for assessing good academic record during direct recruitment to teaching positions.
3. A relaxation of 5%, may be provided, to the Ph.D Degree holders, who have obtained their Master's Degree prior to 19 September, 1991.
4. The eligibility marks of 55% marks or an equivalent grade in a point scale prescribed by these regulations and the relaxation of 5% to the categories mentioned above are permissible, based on only the qualifying marks without including any grace mark procedures.

II. Eligibility for Associate Professor post

1. ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR (Humanities & Social Science)

- (i) A good academic record, with a Ph.D. Degree in the concerned/allied/relevant disciplines.
- (ii) A minimum of **eight years of experience** of teaching and / or research in an academic/research position equivalent to that of Assistant Professor in a University, College or Accredited Research Institution/industry with a **minimum of seven publications** in peer-reviewed journals and a **total research score of Seventy five (75)** as per the criteria as per the UGC Regulations, 2018.

¹ UGC Regulations on Minimum Qualifications for Appointment of Teachers and other Academic Staff in Universities and Colleges and Measures for the Maintenance of Standards in Higher Education, 2018

