NATIONAL LAW UNIVERSITY AND JUDICIAL ACADEMY, ASSAM

PROGRAMME:

B. A., LL.B. (HONS.) FYIC

DETAILS OF COURSE OFFERED

EVEN SEMESTER (VIII)— ACADEMIC YEAR ....

SL. No	COURSE CODE	COURSE TITLE	L	T/P	CR	CH
1	BL806.7 CR SP VI	IT Offences SP- II	4 PER WEEK	1 PER WEEK	4	

a. CODE AND TITLE OF THE COURSE: BL806.7 - IT OFFENCES SP- II

b. COURSE CREDIT: 4 (TOTAL MARKS: 200)

c. MEDIUM OF INSTRUCTION: ENGLISH

d. COURSE COMPILED BY: DR. THANGZAKHUP TOMBING

e. COURSE INSTRUCTOR: DR. THANGZAKHUP TOMBING

1. DETAILS OF COURSE OFFERED

In an inter-connected world through the World Wide Web the possibility of trade and commerce has become almost limitless, homogenous and at the same time highly complex and exploitative. Soft powers and IT knowledge is the mainstay in the 21st century. Social media platforms like facebook, whatsapp, Instagram, twitter, podcast etc are the most effective for connecting people but they are also the most pervasive platform for generating big data, spreading, tainted, manipulated, communalised and fake news. It is imperative that there is robust international cooperation and regulations to combat, caution, address and redress upcoming global cyber-crime menace.

2. OBJECTIVE OF STUDY

The objectives of the course are as follow:

1. To critically examine and study the interface of traditional crime and cyber crime from the standpoint of criminal law jurisprudence.
2. To engage in meaningful discourse on the ever-emerging trends, issues and challenges in the ever expanding real of cybercrime.
3. To elucidate and take appraisal of domestic as well as global information technology related laws, treaties and conventions through classroom teachings and learnings.

3. COURSE LEARNING OUTCOME

1. It is expected that on completion of the course offered learners would have gained sound knowledge of the complex yet intricate aspects of Global cyber-crime from perspective of soft power, issues of sovereignty and interconnected and overlapping of cyber offence for research as well for practice as sound legal practitioner in the ever widening field of cyber- crime.

4. DETAILED STRUCTURE OF THE COURSE

1. MODULE I
   - Cyber Jurisprudence at International and Indian Level
   - Cyber Law - International Perspectives
   - UN & International Telecommunication Union (ITU) Initiatives
   - Council of Europe - Budapest Convention on Cybercrime

- Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation (APEC)
- Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD)
- World Bank

2. MODULE II
   - Commonwealth of Nations
   - Different offences under IT Act, 2000 v. Global IT offences
   - Dispute Resolution in Cyberspace
   - Concept of Jurisdiction

3. MODULE III
   - Indian Context of Jurisdiction and IT Act, 2000
   - International Law and Jurisdictional Issues in Cyberspace.
   - Dispute Resolutions

5. MODULE IV
   - Freedom of Speech and Expression in Cyberspace- social media v. mainstream media
   - Challenges of Mob lynching, fake news and the Global world
   - Right to Access Cyberspace – Access to Internet
   - Right to Privacy • Right to Data Protection

6. List of relevant print and online resources

W. Brian Arthur, The Nature of Technology: What It Is and How It Evolves (Reprint edition ed. 2011).

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Yar, M. Cybercrime and Society (London: Sage, 2013, 2nd ed.) Dan Pyle Millar & Robert L. Heath, Responding to Crisis: A Rhetorical Approach to Crisis Communication (2003).

Justice Yatindra Singh, Cyber Laws, Universal Law Publishing Co, New Delhi, (2012).

S. R. Bhansali, Information Technology Act, 2000, University Book House Pvt. Ltd., Jaipur (2003).

Chris Reed & John Angel, Computer Law, OUP, New York, (2007).

Taylor, R. W., E. J. Fritsch and J. Liederbach, Digital Crime and Digital Terrorism (New Jersey: Prentice Hall Press, 2014, 3rd ed.)

Vasu Deva, Cyber Crimes and Law Enforcement, Commonwealth Publishers, New Delhi, (2003).

Jewkes, Y. and M. Yar (eds.) Handbook of Internet Crime (Cullompton: Willan Publishing, 2010) Lloyd, I, Information Technology Law, Oxford University Press Blackstone's Statutes on IT and E-Commerce, Oxford University Press.

Verma S, K, Mittal Raman, Legal Dimensions of Cyber Space, Indian Law Institute, New Delhi, (2004)

Sudhir Naib, The Information Technology Act, 2005: A Handbook, OUP, New York,(2011)