

NOTIFICATION

15th July 2026

NALSAR University of Law, Hyderabad invites applications from eligible candidates for the following contractual position under Project EXPUN, an international collaborative research project undertaken by NALSAR University of Law in collaboration with the University of Bergen, Norway.

Position: Research Assistant- Project EXPUN

Number of Positions: One (01)

Qualifications

Essential

1. LL.M. with not less than 55% marks from a recognized University.

OR

2. Graduate in Law (LL.B.) with not less than 55% marks from a recognized University and demonstrated research experience.

Desirable

- Prior research experience in Criminal Law, Criminology, Human Rights, Constitutional Law, Criminal Justice Administration, or related areas.
- Strong legal research and academic writing skills.
- Experience in empirical or socio-legal research, including qualitative and quantitative data collection.
- Proficiency in legal databases, referencing software, and Microsoft Office applications.
- Publications in reputed journals and prior project experience will be an added advantage.

Scope of Work

The selected Research Assistant shall assist the Project Team in:

- Conducting doctrinal, comparative, and empirical legal research relating to execution of punishment, sentencing, prisons, rehabilitation, and criminal justice.
- Reviewing literature, legislation, judicial decisions, policy documents, and international standards.
- Assisting in field studies, interviews, surveys, and data collection.
- Analysing research data and preparing research reports.
- Drafting research papers, policy briefs, project reports, and academic publications.
- Organising seminars, workshops, conferences, and stakeholder consultations under the project.
- Coordinating with national and international collaborators.
- Performing any other academic or research-related responsibilities assigned by the Principal Investigator(s).

Term of Appointment

The appointment shall be purely on a contractual basis for an initial period of one year, extendable based on satisfactory performance and continuation of the project.

Remuneration

The selected candidate shall receive a consolidated remuneration of ₹50,000/- (Rupees Fifty Thousand only) per month.

No additional allowances or benefits shall be admissible.

How to Apply

Candidates are advised to read the notification and submit their application form along with detailed bio-data and proof of publications and other certificates by clicking the link.

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdvAP-3yzhlZmG5cz16MD-XGcAjJrPSRE8kRF6sLb3Kz2f31Q/viewform?usp=header>

Last Date for Submission of Applications: 22nd of July 2026.

Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted for the interview.

General Instructions

1. The prescribed qualifications are the minimum requirements and mere possession thereof does not entitle a candidate to be called for interview.
2. The University reserves the right to restrict the number of candidates called for interview based on qualifications, experience, publications, and suitability.
3. The University reserves the right to relax any qualification or experience in deserving cases.
4. Canvassing in any form shall lead to disqualification.
5. The Selection Committee may adopt any appropriate method of evaluation, including written test and/or interview.
6. Incomplete applications or applications received after the prescribed date shall not be considered.
7. No correspondence regarding selection shall be entertained.
8. The University reserves the right not to fill the advertised position without assigning any reason.
9. The appointment is purely temporary and shall not confer any right to permanent appointment.

Registrar (I/c)

NALSAR University of Law