



Placement Brochure

Batch of 2017





This institution exudes an air of competitiveness and diligence deeply instilled in both, the devoted faculty and the highly motivated and talented students. The immense potential which the students possess is rightly pipelined here, which, surely will take them places.

-Prof. (Dr.) Faizan Mustafa, Vice-Chancellor, NALSAR, Hyderabad.

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From the Vice-Chancellor's desk



Dear Recruiters,

Greetings from RGNUL family!

The endeavour at our University is to encourage the development of necessary skills such as analytical ability, persuasiveness and sound judgment amongst the students. The University strives to provide them with extensive opportunities and exposure to enable them to secure an imperative direction. Our goal is to transcend beyond conventional boundaries and to adopt an approach that not only focuses on academic excellence but also on character building.

We offer the best infrastructural facilities and our faculty consists of experienced as well as young and dynamic teachers. The students have been provided with a platform that enables the exchange of ideas and views on various current issues. The level of participation in national and international moot court competitions, inter-college debates and conferences has constantly been on the rise.

The Batch of 2017 has demonstrated prodigious capability and flair, whether in terms of academic achievements or in extra-curricular activities. I am confident that they will meet your expectations in terms of commitment and performance at your respective organisations.

I take this opportunity to extend to you an invitation to become a part of the Placement Procedure at our University. We value our partnership with recruiters, alumni and friends of RGNUL, Punjab and remain committed to make your recruiting experience productive and positive.

With kind regards

Prof. (Dr.) Paramjit S. Jaswal,

Vice-Chancellor,

Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law, Punjab

Registrar's Communique



Greetings!

In order to be successful in this competitive world, it is imperative for young lawyers to have competent professional legal education and skills. Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law, Punjab is a university with a difference. Over the years, we have nurtured and developed ambitious global lawyers. The different specialisations provide a solid foundation for aspiring lawyers in different areas. The course encompasses a wide range of specialized papers in the fourth and fifth year of their study. We provide the students with leading world class facilities and a congenial academic atmosphere to enable them to lead the legal fraternity.

delimited to firms or advocates but would also be approaching corporate houses, MNCs, government offices and would be offering a variety of placement opportunities for the students of the batch. We provide all potential recruiters with facilities to streamline the recruitment process for the mutual benefit of students as well as recruiters. This Batch has proved its mettle in a plethora of co-curricular and extra-curricular activities including national and international moot court competitions, debates, sports, dramatics, etc. They have also furthered academic research by publishing scholarly articles in reputed national and international journals. I am confident that the students are well-equipped to work professionally and efficiently with you, if given the chance.

I look forward to your positive response in order to facilitate the recruitment process.

Regards

Prof. G. I. S. Sandhu
Registrar

Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law, Punjab

Placement Coordinator Speak

Dear Recruiters,

With interminable pleasure I extend to you a most cordial invitation to participate in the placement program at RGNUL. The Batch of 2017 comprises of students who exhibit excellent interpersonal, analytical and research skills. They possess the required ability, drive and values expected of young professionals. Their academic results and achievements are also accompanied by enthusiastic indulgence in extra-curricular activities such as mooting, debating, MUNs, mediation and sports competitions. At the end of every semester, internships at organizations carrying out legal practice or firm related operations have allowed them to inculcate beyond the classroom learning. Students are also encouraged and assisted in pursuing summer courses from foreign universities and to work with law offices established in foreign countries.

The students from this batch have organized and coordinated a number of events on campus, such as the RGNUL National Moot Court Competition and the Parliamentary Debate Competition – 'Agahi'. Apart from organizing events, they have actively contributed to college newsletters, journals and other publications. The level of participation is not contained to only those activities taking place within the university, as members of student organizations such as AEISEC and International Law Students Association they have had the opportunity to develop networking skills and relationships with individuals forming a part of the legal fraternity world over. I believe these students have commendable qualities and are capable of carrying out their responsibilities to the best of their potential.

I wish you a pleasant and fulfilling recruiting experience.



With Best Regards,

Dr. Shilpa Jain

Placement Coordinator



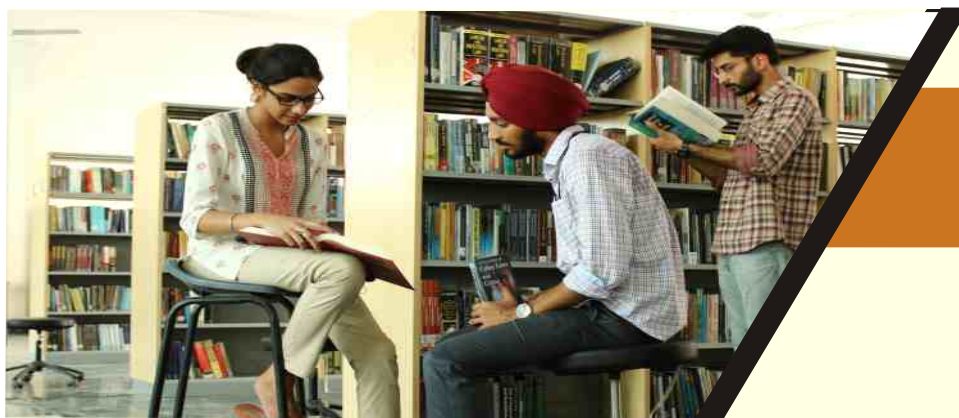
RGNUl- A differential learning platform

Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law (RGNUl), Punjab was established by the Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law, Punjab Act, 2006 (Punjab Act No. 12 of 2006).

RGNUl is located at its new state of the art campus located in Sidhuwal, Patiala. Soon after its inception in 2006, it acquired the approval of Bar Council of India (BCI) and was registered with University Grants Commission (UGC) under Section 2(f) of the University Grants Commission Act, 1956 and also received recognition under Section 12-B of the said Act. RGNUl, Punjab is a regular member of Association of Indian Universities (AIU), New Delhi and several other prestigious national as well as international institutions/organizations. It has been accredited with an A grade by NAAC.

Located in the education hub of Punjab, Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law bestows upon a rigorous and multi-disciplinary legal education to the future legal professionals, scholars, judges and public servants of the country.





Campus and Library

The New Campus at Sidhuwal is a 47.30 acres sprawling campus equipped with modern technology for rain water harvesting, sewage treatment plant, solar cell panels and plantation of trees.

The Campus houses the Administrative-cum-Academic Block, a Library, an Auditorium, a Sports Complex, separate Blocks of Boys' and Girls' Hostel, a Guest House, a Community Hall, a Health Centre, Residential blocks, a Shopping Complex, Bank, Cafes, Laundry and utility services among other modern facilities. The Campus is aesthetically built keeping in mind the provision of modern amenities such as air conditioners, water coolers, etc. The entire campus is WiFi enabled and has three advanced Computer Labs. The campus is tailored to students, teachers and outsiders in a comfortable fashion. The RGNUL Library is student friendly and manned by automated software. Within a short span of time, it has managed to acquire a collection of 28,000 volumes covering a plethora of topics covering journals, text books, reports, e-books, legal periodicals, etc. The RGNUL Library currently subscribes to 94 Law Journals and Magazines. Apart from these subscriptions it also subscribes to 14 Newspapers and online journals (SCC Online, Manupatra, Westlaw, E&PW, Hein Online, JSTOR).



Student Life...

Co-curricular activities play an important role in the life of students, honing their skills and ensuring all round development. The faculty and administration at RGNUL work tirelessly to ensure a student friendly environment where the main goal of the institution is to train students to be competent industry leading, professional lawyers. All staff members are oriented to provide support and services to students and student organizations in order to effectively ensure the creative development of the future leaders and pillars of our society. We strive to continuously set new standards in the quality and competency of lawyers. All the activities in this university are aimed at constantly engaging with all the students to ensure their holistic development.

The University conducts large number of events including various sports leagues, debates, cultural fests, and other programmes. All these activities are joint efforts of the students and the faculty members which bring out the best of the organisational skills in a student.



Cutting Edge Curriculum

The curriculum at RGNUL has been devised with an aim to strike a balance between national, international and comparative law subjects specifically tailored to meet the challenges posed by globalization, transnational legal, social and political issues. It equips the students with the professional skills suitable for diverse entities.

Semester I	Semester II	Semester III	Semester IV	Semester V	Semester VI
Sociology- I	English- II	English- III	French	Sociology- V	Environmental Law
English- I	Political Science- II	Sociology- III	Sociology- IV	Administrative Law	Family Law- II
Political Science- I	History- II	Jurisprudence - I	History- III	Indian Penal Code	Taxation Law
History- I	Major Legal Systems	Constitutional Law- I	Jurisprudence- II	Code of Criminal Procedure	Code of Civil Procedure
Legal Research Methodology	Law of Contract- I	Law of Contract- II	Constitutional Law- II	Family Law- I	Intellectual Property Law
Law of Torts & Consumer Protection	Sociology	Economics/ History/ Political Science	Public International Law	Company Law	Economics/ Political Science/ Sociology

Cutting Edge Curriculum

Semester VII	Semester VIII	Semester IX	Semester X
Compulsory Papers			
Labour & Industrial Laws- I	Labour & Industrial Laws- II	Law of Equity Trust, Limitation and Registration	Clinical Legal Education (Drafting, Pleading, Conveyancing and Professional Legal Ethics)
Project Report and Moot Court	Project Report and Moot Court	Clinical Legal Education (Alternative Dispute Resolution)	Clinical Legal Education (Public Interest Lawyering, Legal Aid and Para Legal Services)
Law of Evidence	Property Law	Project Report and Moot Court	Project Report and Moot Court
Business Laws and IPR Group			
Banking Laws	Insurance Laws	International Trade Law and International Commercial Arbitration	Corporate Governance and Corporate Social Responsibility
Mergers, Acquisitions & Competition	Corporate Tax Laws	Financial Market Regulations	Investment Laws
Law & Practice relating to Trademark	Law & Practice relating to Patent, Design & Geographical Indication	Intellectual Property Management, Valuation & Security	Law relating to Bio-Diversity, Bio Technology and Breeder's Rights
Criminal Law Group			
General Principles of Criminal Law	Transactional Organised Crimes	Administration of Criminal Justice (Custodial)	Administration of Criminal Justice (Non-Custodial)
Socio-Economic Offences	Criminology, Penology and Victimology	Forensic and Scientific Investigation of Crime	Comparative Criminal Procedure and Evidence
Cyber Crimes & IT Offences	International Criminal Law	Juvenile Justice, Preventive and Rehabilitation Measure	Practice and Pleadings in Criminal Law

Evaluation and Marks

The evaluation system at RGNUL comprises of examinations, project reports, viva-voce, seminar presentations and moot courts. At the end of every semester, each student is marked out of a total of 100 for every subject.

In the first six semesters, out of the total of 100, 35 marks are for project and viva voce, 40 are for the end semester examinations, 20 are for the mid semester examinations and 5 are for class behavior and attendance.

The marking criterion is changed from the fourth year onwards to reflect the nuances of every specialization. Out of a total of 100, 80 marks are for the end semester examinations and 20 marks are for the mid semester examinations. Project Report and Moot Court is a separate paper where the project report and viva voce counts for 50 marks out of 100 and the performance in the Moot Court is the remaining 50 out of 100. The Grade Point system followed in the University is as follows:

S. No.	Score (%)	Grade	Grade Point
1	Above 80	Outstanding (O)	10
2	75-80	Excellent (E)	9.5
3	70-75	Distinction (D)	9.0
4	65-70	High First Class (A+)	8.5
5	60-65	First Class (A)	8.0
6	55-60	High Second Class (B+)	7.5
7	50-55	Second Class (B)	7.0
8	Below 50	Fail (F)	0.0

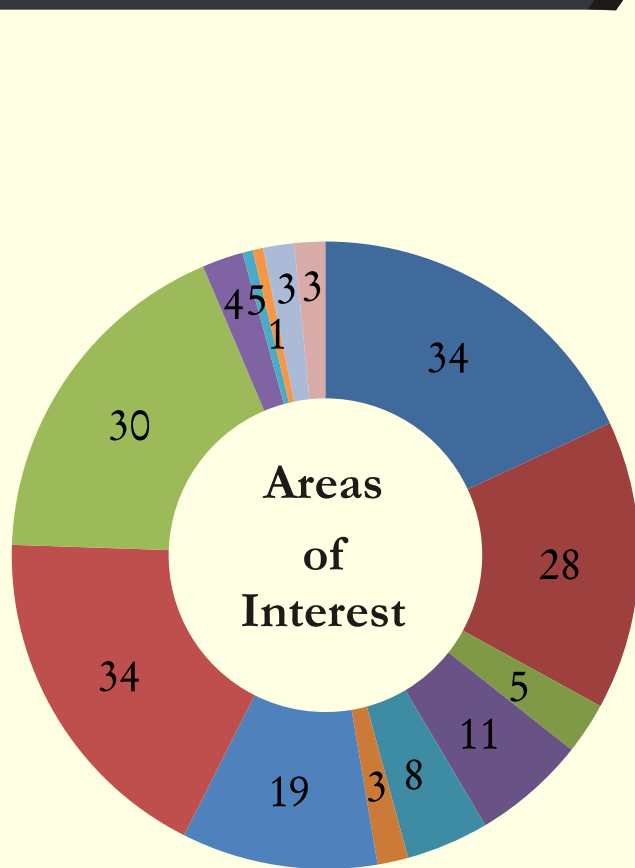
Pedagogy

Core
Courses
36

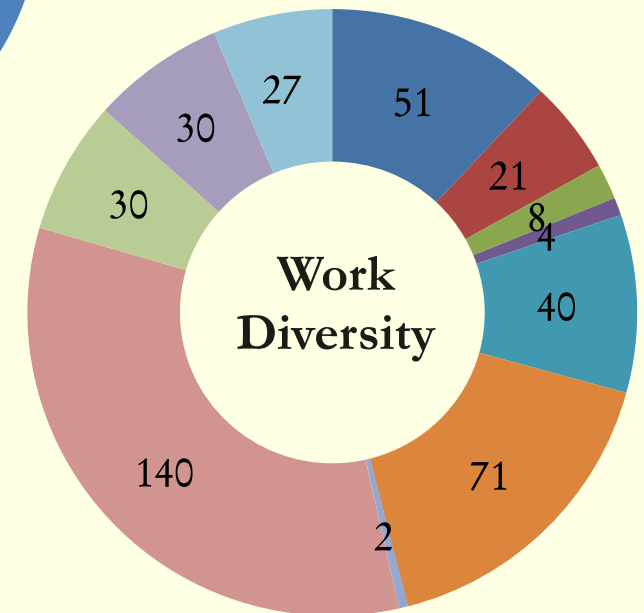
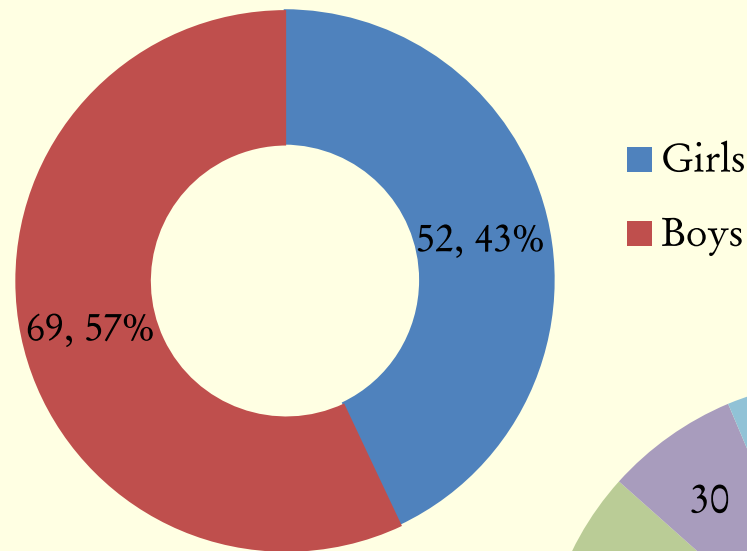
Elective
Courses
24

Average
Weeks of
Internship
40





- IPR
- Competition
- Dispute resolution
- M&A
- Civil
- Project Finance
- Sports Law
- General Corporate
- Taxation
- Securities & Private Equity
- Criminal
- Arbitration
- Employment and Human Resource
- Media Law



- NGO
- Company
- District Court
- International Law Firms
- Newspaper
- Supreme Court
- Commissions
- Consultancy
- High Court
- Law firm
- Others

Class of 2017

The class of 2017 is a batch that has constantly strived to set new benchmarks in all their academic and co-curricular endeavours.

The students have interned at top law firms such as J. Sagar & Associates, Shardul Amarchand Mangaldas, Cyril Amarchand Mangaldas, Trilegal, AZB & Partners, Khaitan & Co., Luthra & Luthra Law Offices, Lakshmikumaran & Sridharan, Juris Corp, Wadia Ghandy, Bharucha & Partners etc.

The students have successfully ideated and organised TEDxRGNUL; the first TEDx global conference to be organised by an Indian law school. The students have won numerous national and international moot court competitions. They have secured admission in various summer schools in leading universities such as Cambridge University and London School of Economics.



Batch Achievements

Mooting

- Winner, 11th Nani Palkhivala Memorial National Tax Moot Court Competition, 2015.
- Winner, 4th P.N Bhagwati International Moot Court Competition on International Humanitarian Law, 2014.
- Winner, Lawfest Ecstasy'14 organised by Guru Nanak Dev University.
- Runner's up, 19th Stetson International Environmental Moot Court Competition, India Rounds 2014-15.
- Best Memorial, Philip C. Jessup Moot Court Competition (North India Rounds), 2014.
- Best Memorial, 14th Henry Dunant Memorial Moot Court Competition, 2014.
- Best Memorial, Surana & Surana Trial Advocacy Moot Court Competition (India North-East Rounds), 2014
- Best Memorial, B.R. Sahwney Memorial Moot Court Competition, 2014
- Best Memorial, Lawfest Ecstasy'14 organised by Guru Nanak Dev University.
- Best Memorial, Symbiosis National Moot Court Competition, 2014
- Best Memorial, Bishop Cotton Women Christian Law College National Moot Court Competition, 2015.





- Third Best Student Advocate, Surana and Surana Trial Advocacy Moot Court Competition, 2015.
- Semi-Finalists, 3rd KIIT National Moot Court Competition, 2015.
- Semi-Finalists, 16th S.C. Javali National Moot Court Competition, 2013
- Semi-Finalists, Surana & Surana Trial Advocacy Moot Court Competition (India North-East Rounds), 2014
- Second Best Memorial, National IP Moot Court Competition, IIT Kharagpur, 2014
- Quarter Finalist, 15th Henry Dunant Memorial Moot Court Competition, 2015.
- Quarter Finalist, Surana and Surana Trial Advocacy Moot Court Competition, 2015.
- Quarter Finalist, 4th Jamia Millia Islamia National Moot Court Competition, 2013.
- Quarter Finalist, 7th NUJS- Herbert Smith Freehills National Moot Court Competition, 2015.
- Quarter Finalist, 7th National Law School International Arbitration Moot, Bangalore, 2014
- Quarter Finalists, 7th National Amity Moot Court Competition, 2014, Lucknow
- Quarter Finalists, Extempore Moot Competition, Punjab University, Chandigarh
- Third Best Memorial, 7th Oxford Price Media Law Moot Court Competition South Asia Rounds.
- Winner- Spirit of Surana Award, Stetson's 19th International Environmental Moot Court Competition- North India Rounds, 2013.



DEBATING

- Winner: Presidential Debate NH-65, 2012
- Breaking team quarterfinals: Parliamentary Debate NH-65, 2012
- Breaking adjudicator in the quarterfinals: Parliamentary debate, Law College Dehradun, 2013.
- Semi-finalist: National-level Parliamentary Debate Competition, Law College Dehradun, 2013
- Semi-finalist: 'Tout-le-monde" PD, Amity University, Lucknow.
- Semi-finalists: Lexicon National PD 2013, CCET, Chandigarh

Luminous Alumni

Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law has maintained glorious legal legacy. The University was established with an aim of becoming the leading law school and to create exceptional lawyers in all fields so that they can help in moulding the social, cultural and economic conditions of our nation. All the former students of the university form a part of our Alumni Association. Assiduous efforts of our Alumni facilitated them to get into different Law Firms such as J. Sagar Associates, Amarchand & Mangaldas & Suresh A Shroff & Co, Luthra and Luthra Law Offices, Trilegal, Lakshmikumaran & Sridharan (L&S), Clerkship in Supreme Court and High Court, Multinational Companies such as Wipro and our alumni have also cleared the Judicial exams of various states. Our Alumni has also pursued higher education at prestigious institutions of the world.

University of Oxford

DAAD Scholar, University of Hamburg

Duisenberg School of Finance, Amsterdam

Graduate Institute, Geneva World Trade Institute

University of Bern University of Exeter

Tata Institute of Social Sciences

NUS, Singapore

Sciences Po, University of Kent

University of Turin

University College, London

University of Barcelona

Gaurav Arora, Associate at J. Sagar Associates

I had the opportunity to experience the student life at RGNUL and got immensely benefitted from the positive environment that it provides to students. The curriculum at RGNUL has been strategically planned to cater to the changing needs of the industry to ensure that students not just imbibe academic excellence but also develop the analytical and decision making skills to be the leaders in this dynamic business industry.

In less than a decade, RGNUL has reached such great heights and I am confident that with time, the world will see the best of RGNUL.

Sanchit Aggarwal, Associate at Delhivery

RGNUL has a remarkable vision for its students and this is supported by its dedicated faculty and top class infrastructure. I have had the wonderful opportunity to interact and mentor the Batch of 2017 comprising of such bright inquisitive minds, always ready to learn. This batch has full of energy and talented pool of students with sharp legal acumen all set to join the legal fraternity. The batch of 2017 has numerable achievements in every field, be it academics, moot court competitions, research, sports and extra curricular activities. I am confident that this batch is equipped with the right skill set and exposure to excel the legal arena and contribute to the legal profession. I see future judges, bureaucrats, senior counsels and law firm partners in this batch. I wish the Batch of 2017 good luck for their new phase of life. Keep learning.

Past Recruiters

Shardul Amarchand Mangaldas

Cyril Amarchand Mangaldas

AZB & Partners

Anand and Anand

Crawford Bayley and Co.

D.M. Harish and Co.

Economic Law Practices

Fox Mandal

J. Sagar Associates

K & S Partners

Khaitan and Co.

Kochhar & Co.

Lakshmikumaran and Sridharan

Luthra & Luthra Law Offices

O.P. Khaithan and Co.

Paras Kuhad Associates

Phoenix Legal

Rajani, Singhanian and Partners

Titus & Co.

Trilegal

Vaish Associates

Wadia Ghandy & Co.

Shri Goolam Vahanvati

Shri Gopal Subramaniam

Shri K.K. Venugopal

Shri K.T.S. Tulsi

Shri Mohan Parasaran

Shri P.P. Rao

Shri Prashant Bhushan

Shri Rajeev Dhavan

Shri Ram Jethmalani

Shri Shanti Bhushan

Shri Sidharth Luthra

Ms. Geeta Luthra

Ms. Pinki Anand

Aditya Birla Group

Bajaj Allianz

Bharat Heavy Electrical Limited

Ernst and Young

GAIL

HDFC Bank

ICICI Bank

Indian Oil Corporation

Larsen and Toubro

Mercedes-Benz India

NSE

Oil and Natural Gas Corporation

Punjab National Bank

Academic Affiliations of RGNUL

Sr. No.	Name Of Institution
1	Fancy Barristers Professional Corporation, Canada
2	Australian International Dispute Centre, Sydney
3	Cambridge Scholars Publishing Company, U.K. (Publishing Agreement)
4	The Institute For International Development Studies (IIDS), Ontario International Development Agency (OIDA), Canada And The International Centre For Interdisciplinary Research In Law (ICIRL), Laurentian University, Sudbury, Ontario
5	Kathmandu School Of Law, Nepal
6	Surana & Surana International Attorneys
7	National Law School Of India University, Bangalore
8	National Law University, Delhi
9	Chanakya National Law University, Patna
10	Nalsar University Of Law, Hyderabad
11	Andhra Pradesh University Of Law, Vishakhapatnam
12	Institute Of Correctional Administration, Chandigarh
13	The Tamil Nadu Dr. Ambedkar Law University Chennai
14	Lexisnexis, A Division Of Reed Elsevier India Pvt.Ltd., New Delhi (Publishing Agreement)
15	Columbia Asia Hospital, Patiala
16	Army Institute Of Law, Mohali
17	Punjab Technical University, Kapurthala



Placement Procedure

Recruit on Campus

Potential Recruiters are encouraged to visit the RGNUL campus for the placement process, which includes pre-placement talks and interviews. Interviews can be arranged on campus taking advantage of our interview rooms or state-of-the-art video-conference facilities.

Potential Career Opportunities

At any time during the year, descriptions of career opportunities can be sent to placement2017@rgnul.ac.in

Video-conferencing Services

Information sessions and real time interviews can be conducted using our videoconferencing facilities, if a recruiter is unable to visit the campus. Please contact the student placement coordinators for assistance regarding scheduling and arranging for interviews/information sessions.

Placement Process and Policies

At RGNUL, we want recruiting our students to be easy and flexible. We also want to optimize your success and deliver highest yield possible based on your offers and marketing efforts. With this in mind, we have outlined a set of guidelines practised by organizations that tend to have the highest acceptance rate.

Unless explicit permission has been provided by the Placement Committee, participants are restricted from approaching potential recruiters directly for individual placements. Companies are requested to interact either through student placement coordinators or executives of the Placement Committee.

Campus Visit Policy

Potential recruiters may visit the University before the scheduled placement days to conduct interactive sessions and discussions.

Following guidelines shall be applicable in this context:

Any on-campus activity which is not a part of regular academic curriculum is defined as recruiter-participant interaction. We actively encourage all potential recruiters to visit the campus for a live interactive session with their potential employees.

All campus activities must be scheduled in conjunction with the RGNUL Placement Committee.

Communication

The RGNUL Placement Committee aims to streamline the placement process for both the recruiter and the participant.

We advise our students to consider each opportunity as a long term commitment and to accept offers where they can make contributions over time. The placement committee understands your need to finalize business planning and encourage students to make their decisions as quickly as possible. We encourage you to stay in close contact with the RGNUL Placement Committee throughout the recruiting season and offer process so that we can ensure students are adhering to our guidelines and assisting you with any helpful information.

Employers are expected to honour any offers they extend. If an offer must be rescinded, employers should contact the account manager immediately to work out a positive communication strategy.

Travel Routes & Connectivity to Patiala

Travelling by Train

Delhi-Patiala			Delhi-Patiala		
Train	Departure (Delhi)	Arrival (Patiala)	Train	Departure (Patiala)	Arrival (Delhi)
Amritsar Dadar Express	04:30 AM	10:38 AM	Amritsar Dadar Express	1:51 PM	08:20 PM
Delhi Bhatinda Express	2:20 PM	7:18PM	Delhi Bhatinda Express	07:45 AM	12:45 PM
Airlines	Departure (Delhi)	Arrival (Chandigarh)	Airlines	Departure (Chandigarh)	Arrival (Delhi)
Spice Jet	01:10 PM	02:00 PM	Spice Jet	05:35 PM	06:30 PM
Air India	09:50 AM	10:45 AM	Air India	11:25 AM	12:20 PM

Train	Departure (Patiala)	Arrival (Mumbai)
Amritsar Dadar Express	01:51 PM	04:05 AM
Airlines	Departure (Chandigarh)	Arrival (Mumbai)
Jet Airways	12:35 PM	03:05 PM
Air India	11:25 AM	03:25 PM

Mumbai-Patiala		
Train	Departure (Mumbai)	Arrival (Patiala)
Amritsar Dadar Express	11:30 PM	10:38AM
Airlines	Departure (Mumbai)	Arrival (Chandigarh)
Jet Airways	09:40 AM	12:05 PM
Air India	07:00 AM	10:45 AM

Accommodation

Hotel	Phone Number
Hotel Eqbal Inn	0175-5050700
Hotel Garden Resort	0175-2215107
Baradari Palace Heritage Hotel	0175-2304433
Hotel Narain Continental	0175-2227122
Guesthouse, RGNUL Campus	0175-2304188

*Accommodation can be arranged on request.

* Railway and Flight Schedule as on September 30, 2015.



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