

**MAHARASHTRA NATIONAL LAW UNIVERSITY, NAGPUR REGULATIONS
FOR AWARD OF GOLD MEDALS-2021**

1. These Regulations may be called the Maharashtra National Law University, Nagpur Regulations for Award of Gold Medals-2021.
2. These Regulations shall apply to all Gold Medals, either instituted by the University or donated by Donors, at the University.
3. The Vice-Chancellor shall constitute a Committee consisting of three Faculty Members, Convenor/Controller of Examinations and Assistant Registrar (Academics) to be known as the Gold Medal Committee.
4. The award of Gold Medals shall be made on the basis of the recommendations of the aforementioned Committee as accepted and approved by the Vice-Chancellor.
5. Award of Medals-
 - 5.1 In respect of the Gold Medal to be awarded to the Topper of the Batch the student who had secured the highest CGPA with highest marks shall be awarded the medal.
 - 5.2 In respect of the Gold Medal for the Best Student for overall excellence (Male) and the Best Student for overall excellence (Female), a list of the top five rankers (Male and Female) eligible to be considered in this category with a detailed report of their curricular and co-curricular activities shall be provided by the Examination Section to the Committee. The Committee shall scrutinize this list and make reasoned recommendations to the Vice-Chancellor keeping in view the overall performance of the students. The Vice-Chancellor may either accept the recommendations of the Committee or for reasons to be recorded in writing decide otherwise. The decision of the Vice-Chancellor shall be final.
 - 5.3 In respect of Subject Specific Gold Medal instituted by the Donor, the student obtaining the highest marks in such subject shall be awarded the Medal.
6. Calculation of CGPA/GPA-
 - 6.1 For consideration for the overall topper/overall best student/best all round student, the CGPA attained taking into account the best grades secured out of all the subjects including mandatory and elective courses for the minimum required 200 credits/220 credits, as the case may be, shall be considered.

Provided that if it is not possible to take the best grades for exact 200/220 credits, as the case may be, then the CGPA shall be calculated on the basis of the actual credits obtained by the student.
 - 6.2 For consideration for the best overall student of the final year,
 - (a) If any of the student has done more credits than the minimum required credits in the Ninth and Tenth Semesters, the best GPA/Score for the minimum required credits for these Semesters shall be considered.
 - (b) In case of students who have done more credits earlier, which they have carried forward to the V-Year, the balance subjects which were kept in their credit account after taking the best for calculation of CGPA up to VIII-Semester shall also be considered while calculating the best GPA/Score of the IX and X semester.

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Provided that if it is not possible to take the best grades for the exact minimum required credits for the IX and X Semesters, then the GPA shall be calculated on the actual credits obtained by the student.

- (c) Grade obtained at an Improvement Examination shall not be considered for award of Gold Medal.

7. Disqualification-

- 7.1 Students with 'repeat' ® in any subject shall not be eligible for the award of Gold Medal for overall topper/overall best student if such subject in which the ® was obtained is part of the best 200/220 credits. However, if the student has 200 or 220 credits as the case may be excluding the subject in which ® was obtained, then such student would not be disqualified.
- 7.2 Gold Medal in any specific subject shall not be awarded to any student who has obtained an ® in that subject.
- 7.3 Students who have been punished/penalized/found guilty of any academic malpractice or any serious misconduct which has been so notified by the University or has been so categorized by a duly constituted Disciplinary Committee shall not be considered for award of Gold Medal.

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