

# **COMMUNIQUÉ**

## **COUNCIL FOR VOCATIONAL LEGAL EDUCATION**

### **NOTICE**

#### **VOCATIONAL EXAMINATIONS 2021**

1. The Vocational Examinations 2021 for prospective barristers, attorneys and notaries, conducted by the Vocational Examinations Board under section 5(b) of the Law Practitioners Act 1984 will be held as from Monday 02 August 2021.
  
2. Papers will be set on the following modules:-
  - i. **Prospective Barristers:**
    - Administrative and Constitutional law
    - Drafting and Opinion Writing
    - Civil Procedure
    - Criminal Procedure
    - Evidence
    - Advocacy
  
  - ii. **Prospective Attorneys:**
    - Administrative and Constitutional law
    - Drafting and Opinion Writing
    - Civil Procedure
    - Criminal Procedure
    - Evidence
    - Advocacy

**iii. Prospective Notaries:**

- Practical aspects of Family Law
- Practical aspects of the Law of Immoveable Property
- Drafting
- Responsabilité notariale et Tenue de l'office notariale
- Revenue and Taxation Laws
- Opinion Writing

Of note, the examinations for prospective barristers and attorneys will also comprise an oral test in advocacy.

**3. Eligibility of candidates to sit for the vocational examinations**

- i. Candidates having attended at least 80% of the vocational courses provided by the University of Mauritius as from February 2020 and November 2020;
- ii. Candidates exempted from attending the vocational courses provided by the University following results obtained in the 2019 Vocational Examinations (candidates having obtained Grade C in the overall results); and
- iii. Exceptionally for the round of vocational examinations 2021, candidates who have, as at November 2019, taken vocational examinations 6 times without success.

- 4. The date and modalities of registration of candidates for the vocational examinations will be communicated later.**

**Council for Vocational Legal Education**

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