



# GENDER LAW PREMIUM SKILLS TRAINING PROGRAMME

## Specialising in gender law within your practice

### Introduction

The LSSA is offering an accredited Premium Training Programme in Gender Law. The programme is aimed at legal practitioners who want to sharpen their knowledge of gender law and related issues. This qualification is NQF Level 7 and carries 1 credit.

### Course date

**Date:** 18, 19, and 20 April 2023

3-day online training to be conducted via Microsoft teams.

**Closing date for registration:** 12 April 2023

### Who should register?

Learners registering for this unit standard will have demonstrated competence in legal knowledge at NQF level 7 as contained in a recognised law degree such as B Proc or LLB or any other qualification recognised as equivalent to such a law degree in terms of legislation as indicated in the notes to the qualification Post graduate certificate in Attorneys Practice.

Any prospective students with any other appropriate degree or who feel the training will assist them within their area of responsibility can register for the course.

### At the end of the program, the candidate will be able to:

- Explain the difference between sex and gender.
- Discuss the constitutional framework of gender law.
- Describe the legislation's impact on gender law.
- Explain sexual harassment in the South African context.

### Determination of learning

#### Method of learning

Online learning using Microsoft teams. The programme presenters facilitate the course.

#### Assessments

Assessment and Moderation for the formative and summative assessment are aligned with the South African Qualifications Authority Unit Standard ID 116099 specific outcome and criteria. Education and Training Quality Assurance will conduct external verification to issue certificates.

- Formative assessment: Activities during the online presentation of the course.

- Summative assessment: All registered students will be required to submit a portfolio as a summative assessment based on the work covered during both presentation and individual activities. A final mark of at least 50% will qualify the student for a certificate.

## Course presenter

**Ugeshnee Naicker** obtained her LLB Degree from the University of KwaZulu-Natal. She was admitted as an attorney of the High Court of South Africa in Pietermaritzburg in May 2014. In 2017 she opened her firm Naicker Attorneys.

Her areas of practice are family law, child law, and commercial law. The Gender-Based Violence matters done by her firm are done *pro bono*. She has also served in various leadership roles within the profession.

She served as a Council member at the KwaZulu Natal Law Society, representing the National Association of Democratic Lawyers [NADEL] from 2017 until 31 October 2018. She currently serves as an executive committee member of the Law Society of South Africa.

She has served on the leadership structures of NADEL from 2016.

She organised and hosted the first Young Lawyers Conference in South Africa. She has participated in international law conferences in Nigeria, Botswana, Mozambique and Zimbabwe.

She presented at the Independent Pan African Youth Parliament on Agenda 2063, Legal Education Conference held by the LSSA and Monash University and the Women in Law Dialogue.

She has presented for the LSSA Women's Task Team Women's Month Webinar Series. She contributed to the NADEL publication, *The Lawyers Who Did Not Live by Law Alone*.

In 2021 she was a speaker at SADCLA-UNAIDS Webinar on the Impact on Social Justice, protection and promotion of Human Rights and prevention of Gender Based Violence [GBV]-Lessons learned from HIV response. She presented and attended various SADC initiatives on Gender, including being part of a united effort by the legal profession to break down the barriers that exclude female practitioners.

## Certification

SASSETA will award an accredited certificate with the provision that the participant has satisfactorily complied with the completion of the Portfolio of Evidence and assessment outcome was found competent.

## Accreditation

**NQF level of module:** 7

**Credits:** 1

**SAQA Unit Standard ID:** 116099

## Fees

R 3 040 per participant (VAT inclusive). The course fee includes course logistics for the course content.

## Language medium

The tuition material is provided to students in English.

## How to register

Kindly note that you can only register online and that there are limited spaces available. Participants should register individually to enable the system to generate a unique username and password for each person.

**STEP 1:** Payment should be made by electronic funds transfer (EFT) only. Remember to upload the proof of payment (in PDF format) in step 2 (Online registration form)

### LSSA banking details:

Account name: Law Society of South Africa | Bank: FNB Pretoria | Branch code: 251445 | Account no: 6200 9641 079 | Reference: Gender law, Initials and Surname

### STEP 2: [CLICK HERE TO REGISTER](#)

**STEP 3:** Once you have successfully registered to participate, you will receive confirmation that we have received your registration documentation. You will receive a system-generated e-mail with a link (Microsoft Teams) to the webinar at least 24 hours before the webinar starts. Read the instructions in the e-mail carefully and test your link prior the training (Microsoft Teams).

## Terms and conditions

By completing the registration form you accept the terms and conditions of LEAD.

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