Globalization is a challenge and also an opportunity in the present time. We require the convergence of economics, technology and law. India has a long history of business and technology. Its potential has been unleashed through the process of liberalization. Yet, smooth sailing requires the compass called rule of law. We have a mixed track record on this count. India has established itself as a democracy which is a success on the macro participative process of governance. Yet, there are other crucial issues of internal dimension. For instance, there is the complex task of assimilation of social classes that have been fractured for centuries in such participation. Cumulative economic progress needs to reach various layers to create a development index which is fair and equitable. Most importantly a transparent and speedy justice administration system which reinforces faith in rule of law is needed.

Mahatma Gandhi had said, “We must become the change we want to see in the world.” Each one of us who is a part of this institution should be remembered for promotion of social justice, which will be our contribution to society. Our sincere endeavour will be to make legal education justice education, as an instrument of social, political and economic change, and to prepare lawyers who will be competent in the art of advocacy both at the trial and the appellate level and also skilled in judicial administration. The students of National Law University, Delhi will be shaped as agents of change as the country achieves its developmental goals for future generations. The primary mission of the University is to create lawyers who will be professionally competent, technically sound and socially relevant, and will not only enter the Bar and the Bench but also be equipped to address the imperatives of the new millennium and uphold the Constitution of India.

Objectives are:
To evolve and impart comprehensive legal education including distant and continuing legal education at all levels to achieve excellence.
To organize advanced studies and promote research in all branches of law.
To disseminate legal knowledge and legal processes and their role in national development by organizing lectures, seminars, symposia, workshops and conferences.
To promote cultural, legal and ethical values with a view to promote and foster the rule of law and the objectives enshrined in the Constitution of India.
To improve the ability to analyse and present for the benefit of the public, contemporary issues of public concern and their legal implications.
To liaise with institutions of higher learning and research in India and abroad.
To publish periodicals, treaties, study books, reports, journals and other literature on all subjects relating to law.
To hold examinations and confer degrees and other academic distinctions.
To promote legal awareness in the community for achieving social and economic justice.