# HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

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E-mails: _____@iitk.ac.in Tel Nos: +91-512-259 7510 / 7632
The emphasis on teaching of humanities and social sciences for the overall intellectual and social development of the students of technology is an important feature of the undergraduate curriculum at IIT Kanpur. This education intends to expand the students’ horizon of knowledge by exposing them to areas of study which make them sensitive to a wide range of human problems and social phenomena. Such a holistic education, it is hoped, would enable them to appreciate their role in national reconstruction by responding to the challenges of the time. The Department consists of six major disciplines: Economics, English (including Linguistics), Fine Arts, Philosophy, Psychology and Sociology. The department offers a five-year integrated M.Sc. programme in Economics and Ph.D. programmes in all disciplines except Fine Arts. Admission to the M.Sc. programme is through the Joint Entrance Examination (JEE) and there is no need to have economics as a prerequisite for this at the 10+2 level. The structure of the Ph.D. programme at IIT Kanpur is somewhat different from that in the universities. Admission to the programme is based on an all-India qualifying test like CSIR/UGC/GATE and a subsequent interview which may be supplemented by a written test. After admission, students are required to pass eight advanced level courses in their areas over a period of two semesters. Thereafter, they prepare themselves to take the comprehensive examination, which tests their overall preparedness for undertaking research. Only when these requirements are successfully met, is the candidate admitted to Ph.D. candidacy and allowed to work on his/her thesis. Students are normally required to complete their research work within four years from the date of their enrolment in the programme.
### CURRENT COURSE STRUCTURE FOR M.Sc. (5-YEARS) STUDENT ECONOMICS

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* Students are not entitled for economics courses in HSS-II, HSS-III and HSS-IV

† Engineering Science Options must be chosen from the list of courses as advised by the Convenor, DUGC
DEPARTMENTAL ELECTIVES FOR ECONOMICS

ECO 404, ECO 405, ECO 406, ECO 407, ECO 408, ECO 425, ECO 442, ECO 514, ECO 526, ECO 527, ECO 528, ECO 536, ECO 537, ECO 544, ECO 545, ECO 546, ECO 547

ECO 404  History of Economic Thought
ECO 405  Contract Economics
ECO 406  Economics of Research & Development
ECO 407  Monetary Economics
ECO 408  Advanced Macroeconomics
ECO 425  Network Economics
ECO 442  Energy Economics
ECO 514  Input-Output Techniques
ECO 526  Economics of Biotechnology
ECO 527  Multinational Enterprises
ECO 528  Computational Finance
ECO 536  Regional Economics
ECO 537  Law, Technology and Public Policy
ECO 544  Human Development
ECO 545  Health Economics and Health Care Policy
ECO 546  Transport Economics
ECO 547  Water Resource Economics
COURSE DESCRIPTION

ART 101 INDIAN ART AND CIVILIZATION
L-T-P-D-[C] 3-0-1-0-[4]
Introduction to Early Civilization of Mesopotamia Egypt, Indus Valley Civilization, Early Civilization in India, Maurya Period, Art of Gandhar, Gupta Period, Medieval Period, Art under Rajput Influence, Art under the Mughal Dynasty, colonial Period in India.

Studio: to familiarize with various 2-D & 3-D media works.

ART 102 INTRODUCTION TO ART CRITICISM & APPRECIATION
L-T-P-D-[C] 3-0-1-0-[4]
Introduce fundamental visual skills and analytical skills, Critical thinking about various forms of art, and close observation of art and performing art.


Studio: 2-D Exercise, Printmaking, 3-D Exercises, Sculpture, Field Trip.

ART 103 INTRODUCTION TO WESTERN ART
L-T-P-D-[C] 3-0-1-0-[4]
Outline history of Western Art with continuous weaving and changing of traditions from the prehistoric and primitive culture through the different periods and styles up to the early decades of 19th century art practices - the contents span from Art in the Ancient World (Prehistoric, Egyptian, Ancient Near Eastern, etc.,), the Middle ages (early Christian, Byzantine, Romanesque, etc.,), Renaissance to the Rocco and an introduction to modern World; Theoretical principles for painting; An introduction to the visual analysis and criticism of art-reading an art object, Fundamental concepts of two-dimensional and three-dimensional forms.

Studio : Lab sessions involves practical exercises, demonstrations and related studio projects to explore technicalities and familiarize with various 2-D and 3-D media works in context of developments in western art.

ART 104 ARCHITECTURE & ENVIRONMENTAL DESIGN
L-T-P-D-[C] 3-0-1-0-[4]
Man-made Environment and Natural Environment Primary Function of Enclosed Space-shelter building, material consideration, Introduction to Architecture- what is architecture, difference between building and architecture.

Relationship between Environmental Design and Architecture, Principles of Environmental Design, Traditional Concept of Environmental Design, Environmental Design and Landscaping, Modern Environmental Design concept in urban planning

Studio: Scale model and field survey

ECO 100 INTRODUCTION TO PROFESSION
L-T-P-D-[C]
2-0-0-0-[0]
For whom the bell tolls; What is economics?; Basic concepts of supply and demand; Central Problems of very economic society; Development, freedom and opportunities; Dilemma of development; Linkages between technology, economics and environment; Business organizations and income; The role of economist in business and industry; The role of economist in societal development; The role of economist in governance

ECO 201 MICROECONOMICS I
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-1-0-0-[4]
Theory of consumer behavior; Theory of demand and supply; Production theory; Costs of production; Markets - Perfect competition, Monopoly oligopoly; Theory of distribution; Pricing.

ECO 202 MACROECONOMICS
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-1-0-0-[4]
Introduction; Circular Flow of Income, Output and Expenditure; National Income Accounting Methods; Classical Models; Consumption Function, Keynesian Cross Model and Expenditure Multiplier; Investment Function; Govt. Expenditure and Fiscal Policy; Demand for Money; IS-LM Model; Aggregate Demand and Supply Functions; The Theory of Inflation; Macroeconomic Stabilization Policies; Theories of International Trade and Balance of Payment

ENG 112C ENGLISH LANGUAGE AND COMMUNICATION SKILLS
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-1-0-0-[4]
This course imparts training in the use of English language for communicative purposes, and aims to develop reading comprehension, writing, listening, and spoken language skills of the student. The Language Lab component seeks to provide training in pronunciation and listening skills. Instruction is carried out in small tutorial groups for effective individual attention.
ENG 122  INTRODUCTION TO LINGUISTICS
L-T-P-D-[C]  3-1-0-0-[4]

ENG 123  INTRODUCTION TO LITERATURE
L-T-P-D-[C]  3-1-0-0-[4]

ENG 124  LANGUAGE AND SOCIETY
L-T-P-D-[C]  3-1-0-0-[4]
The objective of this course is to sensitize students to the social dimension of language. Topics of study include problems of definition, multilingual communities, dominance and conflict, shift and attrition, language and the state, language and nation, Indian multilingualism, language variation, language and identity, linguistic prejudice and inequality, standardization, linguistic determinism, critical discourse analysis, and methodological issues.

PHI 140  INTRODUCTION TO INDIAN PHILOSOPHY
L-T-P-D-[C]  3-1-0-0-[4]
The method Purvapaksa-Siddantha method and Pramana method
The Most Common Presuppositions : The Theory of Karma and Dharma
The Astika-Nastika (orthodox-heterodox) division
The Debate about Knowledge : its Sources, Forms and Validity
Epistemic and Metaphysical Ignorance as well as knowledge
The Ultimate Reality and the Paths to it.

PHI 141  INTRODUCTION TO PHILOSOPHY
L-T-P-D-[C]  3-1-0-0-[4]
General Introduction to the Course; Nature of Knowledge; Sources of Knowledge; The Problem of Perception; Skepticism; Kinds of Metaphysics; Metaphysical Systems; Mind-Body Dualism; Proofs for the Existence of God; Positivistic Critique of Metaphysics; Normative Ethics; Meta-Ethics; Free will and Moral responsibility.

**PHI 142 INTRODUCTION TO LOGIC**

L-T-P-D-[C]
3-1-0-0-[4]

Introduction: Business of Logic; Sentential Connectives; Interdefinebility and Dependencies Between Propositions; Decision Procedures; Techniques of Proof construction; Introduction To Predicate Logic; Arguments involving General Propositions; Relational Propositions and Relational Arguments; Identity and Definite Description; Property variables and Properties of properties; Formal Deductive systems and their Properties.

**PSY 151 INTRODUCTION TO PSYCHOLOGY**

L-T-P-D-[C]
3-1-0-0-[4]

Psychological Perspectives and Approaches; Perception; Learning; Memory; Higher Cognitive Processes; Motivation and Emotion; Intelligence; Personality; Individual Differences.

**PSY 152 APPLICATION OF PSYCHOLOGY TO LIFE**

L-T-P-D-[C]
3-1-0-0-[4]

Nature and scope of applied psychology; historical perspective; areas of applied psychology, Roles and skills of applied psychologists; ethical issues in applied psychology, Clinical and counselling psychology, Educational psychology, Community psychology and mental health, Ecological Psychology, Industrial and organizational psychology, Legal Psychology.

**SOC 171 INTRODUCTORY SOCIOLOGY**

L-T-P-D-[C]
3-1-0-0-[4]

Sociology as a Science of Human Society: Introduction:- Basic concepts (Roles, Norms, Values, Groups and Institutions), Social Structure, Culture, Perspectives (Functionalist, Conflict & Interactionist), Social Institutions:- Social Stratification, Family and marriage, Organizations: Formal & Informal, Religion,

Social Processes of Change:-Defining social change, various processes of change like Urbanization, Industrialization, Modernization (Social mobilization and differentiation, structural differentiation, consensual mass tendencies, etc.)
SOC 173  INTRODUCTION TO INDIAN SOCIETY
L-T-P-D-[C]  3-1-0-0-[4]

ART 402  MODERN ART
L-T-P-D-[C]  3-0-1-0-[4]

Studio: Familiarize with various 2-D & 3-D media works, Field Trip.

ART 404  ENGINEERING DESIGN-AN ART
L-T-P-D-[C]  3-0-1-0-[4]


Projects Execution: ‘The projects are to be executed by groups of students consisting three members in each group. In middle of the semester each group would do the project presentation (conceptual). The project execution includes innovative ideas, simple solution of the problem, detailed lists of plan of execution, detailed plan of action in steps, and fabricate a functional or scaled model. Project presentation at the end of the semester.

ART 405  ARCHITECTURE & ENVIRONMENTAL DESIGN
L-T-P-D-[C]  3-0-1-0-[4]
Primary function of enclosed space, Concept of space in design, Comparison between architecture & building, Principles of Architecture, Man made environment & natural environment.
Architecture & Environmental Design history, New material concepts in Modern Architecture Environment and architecture

History of ancient urban planning, Modern urban planning, Environmental Design problem in Developing Countries, Environmental Conflicts, Optimal structure configuration.

Studio: Scale model project execution.

**ART 406 ENVIRONMENTAL DESIGN & ETHICS**

L-T-P-D-[C] 3-0-1-0-[4]

Understanding of environmental issues viewed from interdisciplinary perspective; Introduction to Environmental Ethics; Man and Nature relationship through philosophy, religion and ethics.

Introduction to the history of architecture related to environment, New material concepts in Modern Architecture, Environment and architecture, Traditional Indian architecture, Town Planning & Vastu Shashtra

Modern architecture, environmental design and Landscaping; Modern Urban Planning; Ethical issues related to various modern environmental problems, Environmental Design problem in Developing Countries.

Studio: (i) Environmental Ethics related problem survey and presentation.  
(ii) Scale Model - Landscaping & Environmental Design.

**ART 407 ENGINEERING DESIGN – CREATIVITY, CONCEPT & PRACTICE**

L-T-P-D-[C] 3-0-1-0-[4]

Creativity in Design; What Is Design ?, Design Process, Nature and Scope of Engineering in Human Society


What is Problem?, Problem definition or formulation, Creating Forms, Configuration Optimization, Decision Making, Uncoupled, Decoupled and Coupled Design, Products of Static and Dynamic Society


Studio Work: Product design project (proto-type of functional model)

**ART 408/ CSE 468/ ME 458**

L-T-P-D-[C] 2-2-0-0-[4]

Principles of visual display, layout design and goal-oriented communication
Static, dynamic, interactive and multimedia visual communication, Layout and design of textual information

Design and development of animation/film, Presentation; Visual communication over Internet, Data representation, data compression and data Communication, Issues in visual communication, media study.

Studio: Related Project Execution.

**ART 409 DESIGN PARADIGM**

(i) Introduction to Design Paradigm: Recognizing Design Paradigm; Paradigm as Metaphor; Design and Nature; The Human Body; Where does Form come from? Simple Shape Analysis - The Platonic Solids, Ball Sheet, Tube, etc. Concept of Enclosure; Bending and Flexing; Bigger and Smaller; Binary Relation; Multiple Object Relations; Objects with in Objects; Multi-function Objects.

(ii) Design Paradigm and Practice; In this module students will be encouraged to make conceptual project proposal and possible applications.

(iii) Related Studio Projects exploring the principles of paradigm.

**ECO 231 ECONOMIC PROBLEMS AND POLICY**

Global economic issues and challenges; From global to national issues; Economic institutions: markets, government, and social groups; Indian economic issues and policy; Indian agriculture and rural economy; Industrial economy; Policy towards social infrastructure; Trade and foreign exchange policy; Policy towards international capital flow

**ECO 303 MICROECONOMICSII**  
**Prereq. #**

Non-cooperative games; Simultaneous moves games; Dynamic games; Cases of Incomplete Information, Information asymmetry and adverse selection; Principle agent model; Theory of welfare; General equilibrium theory; Pine exchange economy; Fundamental theory of welfare economics; 2 x 2 production model; Stoper - Samvebon theories; Rybcynsti theory; Social choice theory

**ECO 311 ECONOMETRIC METHODS**

Methodology of econometrics; The nature of regression analysis; Assumptions of the classical lines ugeension Models; Two variable regression analyses; Multiple regression analyses; Hetesoscedasticty, Autocorrelaion and Malticollinearity; Dummy variable regression models; Model Selection; Qualitative response regression models; Lagged variables; Panel data regression models;
Dynamic econometric models; Simultaneous equation models; Time series econometrics; Non-linear regression models

**ECO 312 ECONOMETRIC PRACTICE**

Economic theory and econometrics; Types of models; Sources of data; Microeconometric models; Models of the firm and industry; Applications to development economics; Macroeconometric models; Models of international trade and finance; Deterministic and stochastic models

**Prereq. #**

**ECO 321 INDUSTRIAL ECONOMICS**

Introduction; Basic concepts in Game Theory; Technology, Production Cost and Demand; Perfect Competition, Monopoly and Monopolistic Competition; Foundations of Oligopoly Theory; Markets for Homogeneous Products; Markets for Differentiated Products; Concentration, Mergers and Entry Barriers; Strategic Behavior: Investment in Entry Deterrence; Pricing Tactics: Discriminatory Pricing; Marketing Tactics: Bundling, Upgrading and Dealership; Quality, Durability and Warranties; Advertising; Collusion and Cartels; Market Structure, Entry and Exit; Vertical Restraints; Research and Development; Empirical Studies on Structure-Conduct-Performance Relationship; Empirical Studies on Market Performance; Management, Compensation and Regulation

**Prereq. #**

**ECO 332 DEVELOPMENT ECONOMICS**

Trends in international development; Perspective and methodological issues involved in growth and development; The development indices; Basic features of underdeveloped countries/ LDCs; Dualistic development; The stages of economic development; Theories of development; Strategies and policies towards development; Nurksian strategy; Strategy towards foreign capital / external finances; Strategy towards imports / export balance of payments; Balanced / unbalanced growth approach; Sectoral strategy; Some recent contributions to development theory; The global strategy: new international economic order (NIEO); The policy of structural adjustment; Project assignment

**Prereq. #**

**ECO 333 MONEY AND BANKING**

Functions of Money and Interest Rates; Money Supply; Money Market; Regulatory and promotional institutions; Banking institutions; and Term structure of Interest Rates.

**Prereq. #**
ECO 341  ENVIRONMENTAL ECONOMICS AND POLICY  Prereq. #
L-T-P-D-[C]  3-1-0-0-[4]
Introduction; Social Choice: How much environmental protection; Market failure: Public bad and externalities; Internalisation of externalities; Regulation: Emission Fees & Marketable permits; Environmental valuation; Hedonic price method, household production model & constructed markets method; Transboundary pollution Sustainable development; Economics of natural resources, Natural resource accounting; The environmental issues and policies in India.

ECO 404  HISTORY OF ECONOMIC THOUGHT  Prereq. #
L-T-P-D-[C]  3-1-0-0-[4]
Introduction; Social Choice: How much environmental protection; Market failure: Public bad and externalities; Internalisation of externalities; Regulations: Emission Fees & marketable permits; Environmental valuation; Hedonic price method, household production, model & consolation markets method; Transboundary pollution Sustainable development; Economics of natural resources, Natural resources accounting; The environmental issues and policies in India.

ECO 405  CONTRACT ECONOMICS  Prereq. #
L-T-P-D-[C]  3-1-0-0-[4]
Introduction; Economics of contracts (adverse selection and moral hazard); Hidden action, monitoring, and control; Efficient contracts; Transfer prices; Contingent claims; Principal agent models; Incomplete and incentive contracts; Implicit contracts; Auctions and bidding; Regulation of contracts

ECO 406  ECONOMICS OF RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT  Prereq. #
L-T-P-D-[C]  3-1-0-0-[4]
Introduction; Technology and technological change; Innovation and growth; Market failures and technology; Schumpeterian perspective: evidence on big vs. small firms; Technology and market structure - the determinants of innovation; Models of innovation: product and process innovation; Product life cycles theories; R&D and licensing; Methods of appropriating rents - patents, secrecy, and IPR; Adoption, imitation, and diffusion of innovation; Firm-level strategic decisions; Technology financing and technology joint ventures; National technology policy - patents, R&D policy, public research etc.; International trade and technology; International technology transfer; Research policy

ECO 407  MONETARY ECONOMICS  Prereq. #
L-T-P-D-[C]  3-1-0-0-[4]
Demand for money; Supply of money; Monetary aggregates; Neutrality of money; Money in a growth model; Money in an OLG model; Central bank goals, targets, and instruments; Time consistent versus discretionary policies; Credible monetary policy
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<td>ECONOMIC ANALYSIS OF LAW</td>
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<td>Introduction to economic analysis of law; Economic theory of property law; Contracts and warranties; and Economic theory of tort law in addition; The course focuses on any are of the following module(s) : Economic crimes and</td>
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penalties; Economic theory of administrative law; Corporations and corporate finance; Economic analysis of labor law; Economic analysis of competition law; Project assignment

ECO 425  NETWORK ECONOMICS  Prereq. #
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-1-0-0-[4]
Overview of network industries; Information and scale economies; Switching cost, lock-ins and network structure; The network economy and regulatory/antitrust policies; The Microsoft antitrust case; Versioning, intellectual property rights management and standards; Financial assessments of network firms and the future; The hardware industry; The software industry; Telecommunication; Broadcasting and markets for information; Network structures in the airline industry

ECO 434  INTERNATIONAL ECONOMICS  Prereq. #
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-1-0-0-[4]
Global trade in goods and services; Why study international trade and finance; Growth and trade; Basic theory of international trade; Theory of comparative advantage; Implications of Heckscher-Ohlin theory; Alternative theories of trade; Empirical Tests of Trade Therics; International trade and technical change; Economics of import tariff; Non-tariff import barriers; Arguments for and against protection; Regional trading blocks; Trade policies for development; International factor movements; Exchange rate and open economy; Internal and External Balance with Fixed and Flexible Exchange rate; Foreign exchange markets and exchange rates; Balance of payments; International monetary system; Benefits and costs of the Globalization Process.

ECO 442  ENERGY ECONOMICS  Prereq. #
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-1-0-0-[4]
Introduction: energy and economics; Trends in energy production and consumption; Economic efficiency, growth, and modeling; Economic theory of natural resource extraction; The primary (extractive) energy industries (oil and natural gas); The electric utility industry; Electric utility and regulation; Renewable energy sources and energy conservation; Energy and air pollution; Global effects of energy use; Energy issues in India

ENG 423  CURRENT ISSUES IN LINGUISTICS
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-1-0-0-[4]
Conceptualising language: Internalised and externalised language, Study of I-language: Boundaries, methodology, theory and epistemology, Language Faculty: Modularity, architecture and optimality of design imperfections and their possible explanations, Universal Grammar: Constraints on possible grammars, Cross-linguistic Variation: Principles and parameters approach, morphology as the locus
for language variation, Language Faculty and Interface Systems, Semantics reconsidered, Explaining Language Change, Contextualising Language: Language as a carrier of culture, language and social control, feminist critique of language, Discoursal Meaning.

ENG 425 COMMUNICATION: PERSPECTIVES AND PRACTICE
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-1-0-0-[4]
Introducing the field: A multidisciplinary orientation, Communication resources: Phatic and integrative potential of language underdetermination of meaning, linguistic knowledge and world knowledge, manipulative potential of language; Non-verbal codes, cognitive and social basis of non-verbal codes, Rhetorics: Aristotelian rhetorics; Stages in rhetorical composition, argumentation, syllogistic and rhetorical reasoning; types of rhetorical argument; the new rhetorics, Meaning theories: Epistemological basis of meaning theories, Traditional Indian Theories of Meaning, Semiotics: Signs and modality, syntagmatic and paradigmatic analysis Denotation, connotation and myth; Metaphor, metonymy and related modes of figurative discourse, Pragmatics: Speech acts; Maxims and implicatures; Communicative intent; Miscommunication, Contemporary discourse analytic approaches; Social construction of meaning; Knowledge and consensus; Ideologic approaches to meaning; Knowledge, power and ideology.

ENG 431 THE INDO-ANGLIAN NOVEL
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-1-0-0-[4]

ENG 432 LITERATURE AND IDEOLOGY
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-1-0-0-[4]
Introduction to “Ideology:” Definitions, sub-categories, etc. The Relationship between Ideology and Literary Creativity; Literary engagement as elaboration: Manifesto Literature; Literary engagement as reaction: critique, refutations, etc. Ideology-based Schools of Criticism, Multiple Ideological Readings of Literary Texts; Literary Criticism: Aesthetics vs. Ideology.

ENG 433 MODERN DRAMA
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-1-0-0-[4]
Introduction to Drama, An Overview of the Theatre, European Drama & European Society, Ibsen’s The Wild Duck, Strindberg’s The Father, Russian Society in the 19th Century, Chekhov’s The Cherry Orchard, Pirandello’s Six Characters, Absurd Drama: An Overview, Ionesco’s The Bald Soprano, Beckett’s Waiting for Godot, An Overview of American Drama, Millier’s Death of a Salesman, Williams’ A Streetcar Named Desire.
ENG 434 MODERN BRITISH AND AMERICAN NOVEL
L-T-P-D-[C] 3-1-0-0-[4]
Introduction to the Novel, Novel in the Anglo-American Literary tradition, Major concerns in 19th & 20th century British, American Novel, Romance & the Novel in America, Hawthorne’s The Scarlet Letter, Modernism & the English Novel, Art & the Artist in Modernist Novel, Joyce’s A Portrait of the Artist, Feminism and Woolf, Woolf’s To the Lighthouse, Forster’s A Passage to India, American Modernism, Fitzgerald’s Tender is the Night, Hemingway’s A Farewell to Arms, Summing Up.

ENG 435 TOPICS IN LITERARY MOVEMENTS
L-T-P-D-[C] 3-1-0-0-[4]
Romanticism, Realism, Naturalism, Existentialism, Literature of Psychoanalysis, Literature of Ideas, Literature of Protest and Rebellion, Magical Realism.

ENG 436 WRITER’S VISION OF THE FUTURE
L-T-P-D-[C] 3-1-0-0-[4]
Definition and Origins of Visionary Writing, The Utopian Tradition and the Renaissance, Relationship between Visionary and Fantastic Literature, Futuristic Writing and Science Fiction, Visionary Writing and Social Change.

ENG 437 INDIAN LITERATURE
L-T-P-D-[C] 3-1-0-0-[4]
Issues in Indian Literature, Indian Aesthetic Theory and Critical Practice, Influence of Western Thought, Impact of freedom movement on Indian Literature, Dalit literature, Exemplification through selected texts.

ENG 438 POSTCOLONIAL LITERATURE
L-T-P-D-[C] 3-1-0-0-[4]
This course will outline the broad parameters of “postcolonialism” as a mode of literary criticism and debate its role in English literary studies through a study of British, African, Caribbean, and Indian literatures in English. In the process, questions such as the term’s validity as an historical marker, its vexed relationship with neo-colonial global politics as well as the theoretical formulations of post-structuralism, and its privileged metropolitan academic location will be discussed in detail.

ENG 439 LITERATURE AND CENSORSHIP
L-T-P-D-[C] 3-1-0-0-[4]
The course proposes to explore the issue of censorship in literature, and how it affects creativity. The term ‘censorship’ implies external restrictions imposed on literary works by the government or other sources of power like organised religion. It can also encompass self-censorship imposed by the writer in response
to extraneous factors. The attempt will be to understand why literature often comes under attack and also to analyse the impact of such restrictive practices on the writer as well as the reader.

**ENG 440 **
**TOPICS IN LITERARY GENRES**
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-1-0-0-[4]
This course will explore the concept of literary genre and its implications for both the production and reception of literary works. Delving beyond the broad divisions of poetry, prose, and drama, this course will investigate the form and content of specific genres such as the pastoral, the epic, the dramatic monologue, the one-act play, detective fiction, gothic fiction, fantasy, etc. It will also situate these genres within a historical context and explore their regional variations by studying Western texts alongside non-Western ones from the same genre. In the process, the course will examine the ways in which various social categories overdetermine the contours of various literary genres and the extent to which genres are contained within cultural-temporal boundaries.

**ENG 441 **
**INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS ENGLISH**
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-1-0-0-[4]
Introduction, The social use of English, Case One, On the Phone, Case Two, Letter Writing, Memos, Telexes & Faxes, Meetings and Discussions, Writing Minutes, Case Three, Case Four, Employment Communications (Includes job ads, self-inventories; resumes, letter of application, interviews), *Bid for Power* (Video Serial for practice in the skills). Students are also required to do a project which entails preparation of a business case.

**ENG 442 **
**PROFESSIONAL COMMUNICATION**
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-1-0-0-[4]
Importance of good communication skills, social, ethical and legal implications of technical communication, Specific skills needed, Complexity of technical and professional communication, Strategies: Identifying audiences and purposes, Selecting visual elements, Resumes and job letters, Business letters, Report writing (including memos), Feasibility reports, Proposals, Quotations and tenders Instruction manuals, notices, agendas and minutes, Meetings and negotiations, Seminars and group discussions, Informal conversations, Public speaking, Interviews, Readability: General principles, Common usage problems

**ENG 443 **
**NATURAL LANGUAGE SEMANTICS**
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-1-0-0-[4]
Familiarisation with issues in semantic knowledge representation from the point of view of human and machine processing of natural language.

Semantics and Semantic modelling: Philosophical and Linguistic Approaches to semantics, Semantic Structure and its Computational Modelling, Semantics
Pragmatics Distinction; Syntax-Semantics Interface: Syntactic and Semantic Parsing, HPSG, FrameNet Semantics, Universal Networking Language; Lexical Semantics; Lexical Underdetermination, Interlexical Relations, Ontological Semantics, Argument, Event and quaility Structure, WordNet and Generative Lexicons; Logical form for Natural Language: Quantification; Anaphoric Dependencies; Pragmatic Structure: Implicature and Non-literalness, Modelling Pragmatic Knowledge, Discourse Representation Theory, Situation Semantics.

ENG 444  
ANCIENT INDIAN AND MODERN GENERATIVE LINGUISTICS  
L-T-P-D-[C]  
3-0-1-0-[4]  
An Overview of Linguistics in Ancient India and in modern times from a Comparative Perspective, Paninian Grammar as a Generative Grammar, Some Fundamental Ideas in Paninian Linguistics, Modern Generative Grammar (First Phase), An Overview of Generative Grammatical Models in Ancient India and in modern times from a Comparative point of view, Outlines of the Principles and Parameters Grammar.

ENG 445  
LITERATURE AND THE INDIVIDUAL  
L-T-P-D-[C]  
3-1-0-0-[4]  
The precarious role of an individual in a dynamic society- totalitarian, democratic, technological, globalized, etc-has been and intense and perennial subject of concern in literature. Many literary works deal with such problems of humanity as the constraints of individual freedom, loss of identity search for self, struggle for individual survival, pangs of isolation and alienation, and attempts for salvaging sanity from a maddeningly disordered world. These works, through fables, fantasies, as well as futuristic representations, interrogate, probe into the prevalent values, and affect changes in the lives of individuals, and by extension, their societies. Apart from a utopian prophecy of deferred but ultimate triumph of humanity, these literary works for study in the course include the classics of world literature from George Orwell, Ernest Hemingway, Herman Hesse, R. K. Narayan, Saul Bellow, Somerset Maugham and Upamanyu Chatterjee to semi-philosophical and popular texts of Ayn Rand, Khalil Gibran. Paulo Coelho, Richard Bach and Robert Pirsig.

ENG 446  
LITERATURE AND ADAPTATION  
L-T-P-D-[C]  
3-1-0-0-[4]  
This course will examine the processes and politics of adaptation as texts travel across genres, media, and cultures. Focusing primarily on literary texts, graphic narratives and films, it will investigate the different vocabularies of each media and see how meaning is transformed as it travels across different languages. In the process, it will delve into topics such as the semiotics of translation, the ‘fidelity’ debate, the relationship between adaptation and appropriation, ideology and intention in the creation of adaptations etc.
**ENG 451** GLOBAL COMMUNICATION

L-T-P-D-[C] 3-0-1-0-[4]

Prerequisite: Any course in English is desirable


**PHI 442** MARXISM, GANDHI AND EXISTENTIALISM

L-T-P-D-[C] 3-1-0-0-[4]

This course deals with the philosophical ideas of Karl Marx, Gandhi and some of the important existentialist thinkers, especially Jean-Paul Sartre and Martin Heidegger. Major emphasis is laid on the moral issues raised by these thinkers.

**PHI 444** ISSUES IN THE PHILOSOPHY OF MIND

L-T-P-D-[C] 3-1-0-0-[4]

Philosophy and Psychology of Mind; Philosophical Taxonomy of Mental Phenomena: Sensations and Propositional Attitudes; Philosophical Theories of Mind: Cartesian Dualism, Behaviourism, Materialism, Functionalism; Personal Identity & the Self.

**PHI 446** PHILOSOPHY OF SCIENCE

L-T-P-D-[C] 3-1-0-0-[4]

On what Philosophy of Science is; Logic and Empiricism; Theory and Observation; Evidence, Confirmation and Falsificationism; Induction and Probability; Scientific Revolution versus Normal Science; Scientific Explanation I: Theoretical Entities; Scientific Explanation II: Naturalism, Realism and Anti-realism; Bayesian and Modern theories of Evidence; Science and Value.
PHI 447  ETHICS AND SOCIETY
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-1-0-0-[4]
Individual and Social Morality; The Classical Indian Perspective: Purusharthas, Varnashrama Dharma, Theory of Karma and the Idea of Nishkama Karma; The Greek Perspective: - Constitution of Human Soul & Society (Plato); Ethics and the Health of the soul (Aristotle); Moral Virtues; Immanuel Kant: The ethics of Duty; Respect for Persons(For and Against); J.S. Mill: Utilitarianism (For and Against); Annette Baier: The Feminist Ethic; Applied Ethics: Sexual Morality: The Libertarian View (For and Against); Abortion: (For and Against); Euthanasia: (For and Against); Capital Punishment: (For and Against); Social Justice: (For and Against); Job Discrimination (For and Against); Animal Rights: (For and Against); Environmental Ethics (For and Against).

PHI 448  INDIVIDUAL VS. AUTHORITY
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-1-0-0-[4]
The distinction between Authority, Power and Sovereignty; Political forms of Authority; The individual's Rights and his Legitimate Autonomy; Encroachment on the Individual's Legitimate Sphere: its Sources and their Disguised Forms; Misuse of Power and Safeguards against it.

PHI 449  PHILOSOPHICAL PROBLEMS
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-1-0-0-[4]
Major issues in Metaphysics, Epistemology and Ethics; Self and the world; Free Will; Mind-Body Problem; Theories of knowledge: Internalism & Externalism; The Meaning of Life.

PHI 450  PHILOSOPHICAL AESTHETICS
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-1-0-0-[4]
The Aesthetic attitude; Aesthetic Experience; Art and Aesthetic; Defining Art and its Problems; Art and Emotion; Literary Aesthetics; Art, Society and Morality; Philosophy of Literature.

PHI 451  TOPICS IN INDIAN PHILOSOPHY
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-1-0-0-[4]
The subject considers topics in Indian philosophy from Ethics, Metaphysics and Epistemology and contrasts the Hindu and the Heterodox Buddhist and Carvaka approaches to these topics. In Ethics, the focus is on the Theory of Karma and its Relationship with Doctrines of Rebirth, Transmigration, Reincarnation and Moksa. In Metaphysics, we pay special attention on different theories regarding the Nature of the Self. In Epistemology the focus is on the search for a Definition of Knowledge.
PHI 452 PHILOSOPHY OF COGNITIVE SCIENCE
L-T-P-D-[C] 3-1-0-0-[4]
Functionalist Theories of the Mind; The Representational Theory of the Mind; Semantics of Mental Representations; Structure and Organization of Mind; Connectionism; The Problem of Intelligence.

PSY 451 PSYCHOLOGY OF ADJUSTMENT
L-T-P-D-[C] 3-1-0-0-[4]

PSY 452 DEVELOPMENT OF PERSONALITY
L-T-P-D-[C] 3-1-0-0-[4]
This course presents a psychological perspective on human development which spans the entire life cycle of the individual. The development of each stage is taken up for its characteristics and potential.

PSY 453 MANAGEMENT DEVELOPMENT THROUGH ATTITUDE CHANGE
L-T-P-D-[C] 3-1-0-0-[4]
Theoretical and methodological foundations, The concept of development at individual, group, and systems levels. The role of affective processes, in relation to cognitive and conative processes, for individual and systems development. Perception and individual decision-making, Values and attitudes, Skills of active listening, role taking, communicating, conflict handling, bargaining and negotiations, and effective behavior in group settings, Towards working in teams: Problem-solving teams, self-managed work teams, cross-functional teams, virtual teams. Teams and work-force diversity, reinvigorating mature teams, Creating a culture of learning and managing planned change.

PSY 454 SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY
L-T-P-D-[C] 3-1-0-0-[4]
PSY 455  ENVIRONMENTAL AND ECOLOGICAL PSYCHOLOGY
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-1-0-0-[4]

PSY 456  INDUSTRIAL PSYCHOLOGY
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-1-0-0-[4]
Taylorism and scientific management; employment psychology and training; test of special abilities and personality assessment, attitudes, morale and adjustment; principles of psycho-technology and consumer psychology; communication and leadership in organisation.

PSY 457  INTERPERSONAL DYNAMICS
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-1-0-0-[4]

PSY 458  ORGANIZATIONAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE PSYCHOLOGY
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-1-0-0-[4]
Organizations and the systems concept, The chronological sequence of development of thought in Organizational Behavior area, A road map for understanding organizational behavior: The elementary aspects of function and structure, their contributions to organizational existence, Organizational models, Motivation and performance, Leadership, Power, Control, Organizational Citizenship, and Anti-organization behaviors, Organizational Change and Organizational Development: Individual and group approaches and Significance of individual and group effectiveness through awareness of self and others. This last portion requires experiential learning sessions and basic human process related laboratory work.

PSY 459  SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY OF INDUSTRIAL ORGANIZATIONS
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-1-0-0-[4]
History, scope, and methodological foundations. Needs, values, attitudes, job-
satisfaction, Basic motivation concepts and their applications, Understanding work teams, communication, conflict management and negotiations, Foundations of organizational structure, Work design and technology, Organizational culture, Organizational change, and factors contributing to the development, Case studies and problem solving sessions.

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<td>Theoretical and methodological foundations. Motivation theory. Human learning, Problems and new directions for Industrial psychology, Methods of research and analysis especially relevant to Industrial psychology, Assessment of individual differences: Intelligence, creativity, personality, attitudes, abilities, skills, vocational preferences. Man-machine systems, job and task analysis, recruitment, selection, training, and placement, The social environment of industry: consumer behavior. Management of ineffective performance.</td>
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<td>Engineering psychology and related areas: Professional and scientific aspects of engineering psychology; research tools and methods of engineering psychology, Human-machine systems: Concept and applications; analysis, design and evaluation of human machine systems, Human information input and processing: Sensory modalities; display of static and dynamic information; speech communications, Human activities: Energy expenditure, speed and accuracy of movement, Human control of systems: Anthropometric and biomechanical considerations; Design of controls, tools, equipment and related devices; design and arrangement of</td>
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work place, physical space and environments, Cognitive ergonomics: Cognitive control of systems - task optimisation; human operator as a decision maker, improving human decision making and problem solving, Human-computer interaction: User interface and workstations; social computing; human factors in information access of distributed systems, Applications: Human factors in manufacturing, process control and transportation.

**PSY 463 DEVELOPMENT THROUGH ATTITUDE CHANGE**
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-1-0-0-[4]
The objectives of the course is to help the student to know the psychological variables related to the development, change and resistance to new knowledge and practice. It will cover some theoretical and empirical issues.

**PSY 464 HUMAN PERFORMANCE**
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-1-0-0-[4]
Concepts and approaches: Human performance and human competence; conceptual models of human in working environment; criteria and approaches to assessment of human performance, Human skills: Features and categories of skills; phases of skill acquisition and role of feedback, Quantification of human performance: Human capabilities; information theoretic measures for discrete and continuous signals; catastrophe theory and its application to human performance, Sensory processes: Detection, discrimination and absolute judgement; theory of signal detectability and performance in vigilance tasks, Perceptual processes, memory and attention: Verbal and nonverbal perception; pattern recognition; selective attention; search rate; navigational processes; memory processes and their application; time sharing and mental workload, Response processes: Measures - chronometric, psychophysical and physiological; selection of action; serial reaction times, transcriptions and error, Decision processes: Human limits; values and costs; decision making aids; optimality, Performance under degraded conditions: Uncertainty; degraded environmental conditions; hostile environments.

**PSY 465 COMMUNITY PSYCHOLOGY AND SOCIAL CHANGE**
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-1-0-0-[4]
The concept of a community - the need for community psychology. The interdisciplinary nature of community psychology, Major principles from other disciplines, and other areas of psychology that are relevant to community psychology : social learning theory, neo-Freudian theories of personality (Horney, Adler, Fromm), and role theory, Community -based issues - social change and community development, literacy, poverty, mental health, and social justice, Social change in the context of globalization: the need for ‘globalization’ and how it can be brought about, Literacy as a community problem, The psychology of poverty, Mental health issues, The socially disadvantaged, Family violence: its causes, Social intervention.
CONSUMER PSYCHOLOGY

Consumer behaviour: Concepts and approaches; the consumer research process; market segmentation and segmentation strategies; consumer behaviour models, The consumer as an individual - I: Consumer needs and motivation; Motivational research; Personality and consumer diversity; consumer self-image; consumer characteristics and life-styles, The consumer as an individual - II: Consumer information processing; perception, imagery and perceived risk; learning and brand loyalty; consumer attitudes; attitude formation and change; marketing communications and persuasion, External influences on consumer behaviour: Group dynamics and consumer reference groups; cultural, social and situational influences; household influences; influence of marketer generated stimuli and information, Consumer decision making processes: Decision heuristics and principles; prepurchase, purchase and post purchase processes; personal influence and the opinion leadership process; diffusion of innovation, Consumer behaviour and society: Consumer behaviour application to profit and not-for-profit marketing; public policy and consumer protection.

SOCIAL COGNITION


UNDERSTANDING PERSONALITY

Approaches to the study of personality: an introduction. Major techniques of personality assessment: inventories, the interview, projective techniques, the script, observational and behavioural assessment, and the case study. Personality theories: trait, type, psychoanalytic, humanistic, self, social learning, and cognitive theories. Emphasis on assessment methods in these theories, Writing a test report, Administration of major personality tests; Cattell 16 PF ; the MBTI ; the TAT ; Holtzman's Ink Blot test ; Rotter's Incomplete Sentence Blank. Interpretation of test responses (with discussion). Psychometric properties of

**SOC 470**

SOCI OLOGY OF DEVELOPMENT
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-1-0-0-[4]
Defining the concept of Development: Socio-cultural factors, the modernization perspective of development (the Functionalist view): The theory of Modernization, its assumptions, its methodology and its limitations, the Dependency perspective of development (the Neo-Marxist view): The theory of Dependency/underdevelopment, its assumptions, its methodology and its limitations. The causes of underdevelopment and the social structure in the underdeveloped world, their impact on North South Relations, the World System Perspective: (Contributions of Immanuel Wallerstein), the theory, its assumptions, its methodology and its limitations. Global System Interdependence, New Structural analysis, agent centered analyses, a new-substantive focus-Dynamics of complex change. Development reconsidered-voices of Dissent, Defining the notion of quality of life, and search for alternatives.

**SOC 473**

INDIAN SOCIETY AND CULTURE
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-1-0-0-[4]
Approaches to study Indian Society, Features of Indian Society - Marriage and family among Hindus and Muslim, polyandry and polygyny, Regulations of marriage & separation/divorce Social stratification: caste / jati and Varna, Jagnani system, caste system among non-hindus (and outside India), Kinship organization in India, Concepts and Approaches to Social change in India: Sanskritization and westerization parochialization and universalization, steyructural, Dialeefical and cognitive historical / Indological approaches, TOward an integrated approach (Y. Singh), orthagenetic changes in the cultural traditions and Modernization. More recent processes of change through social movements: Peasant movements, Relegions and seefarian movement, Dalit/Backward caste movements, Tribal movements, labour movements and Ecological movements in India.

**SOC 474**

INDUSTRIAL SOCIOLOGY
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-1-0-0-[4]
SOCIOLOGY OF URBAN LIFE


SOCIOLOGY OF SCIENCE


POPULATION, ECONOMY AND SOCIETY

Growth of world population: world population by regions, trends in birth and death rates in the developed and the developing countries, causes of change, gross domestic product and population growth, some recent population projections, Population of India: latest available estimates, demographic transition in India, regional variations in fertility, mortality and migration. Population theories: Malthusian and Marxian population theories, theory of optimum population, Gandhian theory, demographic transition theory, critique of demographic transition theory, threshold hypothesis, social justice and demographic change, contributions of Indian sociologists and economists to population theory. Sources of data: census, civil registration system, administrative records, sample registration scheme and surveys. Methodology for population studies: measures of fertility, mortality, migration and urbanization; life table analysis. Population and economic development: conceptual issues involved in defining development and linking population growth to socio-economic variables, Models in population studies:
some examples of deterministic and stochastic models in population studies, especially with respect to macro level linkages, Socio-cultural aspects of population growth in India, Population policy: population policy in the developed and the developing countries, with emphasis on population policy in India, Emerging issues in sociological studies of reproductive health, sexuality and AIDS.

**SOC 481  SOCIETY AND SOCIAL PROBLEMS OF INDIA**

L-T-P-D-[C]
3-1-0-0-[4]

Interaction between structural and cultural components in the process of Social Change: Identification of problematic issues linked with social change. Elements of institutional and structural change in India. Sociological dimensions of problems of Indian society in reference frame of social change. Problems of poverty, crimes, terrorism, justice, deviance, etc.

**SOC 484  CULTURE OF PRODUCTIVITY**

L-T-P-D-[C]
3-1-0-0-[4]

Socio-cultural sources of productivity in nations. Entrepreneurship and Risk taking, Role of social Institutions and values, Productivity, innovation, & management styles in Japan, USA & India. Requirements for a strong productivity culture in India; Organizing for productivity & technovation.

**SOC 486  HUMAN RIGHTS - THEORY AND PRACTICE**

L-T-P-D-[C]
3-1-0-0-[4]

To understand the significance and limitation of the idea of human rights, particularly in the context of Indian society and policy; to understand the nature and causes of different forms of rights abuse in the country; to understand the role of various agencies and actors engaged in the promotion and protection of rights.

**ECO 514  INPUT-OUTPUT TECHNIQUES**

Prereq. #

L-T-P-D-[C]
3-1-0-0-[4]

Basic input-output system; Projection of input-output coefficients; Non survey and partial survey methods; Input demand functions; Capital coefficients and dynamic considerations in input-output analysis; Application of input-output techniques in the economic planning; Input-output tables for the Indian economy; Application of I-O models in the field of energy and environment

**ECO 526  ECONOMICS OF BIOTECHNOLOGY, (3-1-0-4)**

Prereq. #

L-T-P-D-[C]
3-1-0-0-[4]

Scope of biotechnology; Recominant DNA, Bioprocessing of agro products (plant breeding); R&D investment in biotechnology; Patents and regulation; Financing of biotechnology; private vs. public; Pricing policies; Trade in goods vs. technology transfer; Applications to agriculture; Applications to pharmaceutical products; Ethical and environmental issues involved in promotion of biotechnology
ECO 527  MULTI NATIONAL ENTERPRISES, (3-1-0-4)  Prereq. #
Introduction; Foreign direct versus portfolio investment; Global and regional
trends in direct investment; Horizontal and vertical integration; Ownership-
location-internalization framework; Endogenous market structures in international
trade; General equilibrium approaches to the multinational firm; Determinants
of FDI; Overseas investment and firm exports; Vertical multinationals,
fragmentation and outsourcing; Licensing versus direct investment: models of
internalization of the multinational enterprise; Contracts, intellectual property
rights, and multinational investment in developing countries; Multinational firms,
technology diffusion and trade; International taxation and transfer prices; Do
domestic firms benefit from direct foreign investment?; MNEs and host country
relations

ECO 528  COMPUTATIONAL FINANCE  Prereq. #
Basic numerical methods, including linear and nonlinear equation methods;
Complementarity methods; Finite-dimensional optimization; Numerical integration
and differentiation, and function approximation; Methods for solving dynamic
stochastic models in economics and finance; Dynamic programming; Arbitrage
pricing models in discrete and continuous time; Econometric Software for
Computational Finance

ECO 535  PUBLIC ECONOMICS  Prereq. #
Scope of public economics; Equity, social welfare and taxation; Taxation, income
support and social insurance; Taxation and individuals; Market failure and
government intervention; Optimal provision of public goods; Public expenditure
and public debt; Modeling government behavior; Organization of public sector

ECO 536  REGIONAL ECONOMICS  Prereq. #
Concepts - what is region? Types of region; Regional growth; Techniques of
regional analysis; Industrial location theory; Regional input-output economics;
Identification of key sectors; Multi-stage planning

ECO 537  LAW, TECHNOLOGY AND PUBLIC POLICY  Prereq. #
Economics, law and science: a necessary confrontation; Law and economics as
competing paradigms for shaping public policy; Overview of legal system: a
“science court”; Tort law and product liability; Environmental and health
regulation; Regulation of genetic engineering; Public policies for fostering
innovation and economic growth; Cyberspace: freedom of speech and privacy;
International law: regimes to promote sustainable development
ECO 543
L-T-P-D-[C]
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ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT
Why environmental impact assessment (EIA)?; Historical development of EIA; Organization of EIA; Methodologies adopted, framework and guidelines in EIA studies; Socio-economic aspects of EIA- the approaches of engineers, economist and social scientists; EIA of sectoral development projects; Environmental policies and status of EIA in India; Case studies on EIA; Project assignment

ECO 544
L-T-P-D-[C]
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HUMAN DEVELOPMENT
Development paradigm & introduction to human development; Understanding social realities in human development perspective; Human development & social inequality; Measurement of human development; Human development and freedom; Human rights and human development; Response to human development approach; Overview of human development approach; Education and human development; Health and human development; Human development and environment; Human development and gender; Human development in multi cultural societies; Human development and government; Financing of human development; International institution promoting human development; Economic reforms, rights and justice, and political decentralization; Human development in Indian states

ECO 545
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HEALTH ECONOMICS AND HEALTH CARE POLICY
Health care as an economic commodity; Determinants of health; Efficiency and equity in health care; Demand and supply of health care; Optimal payments for health services; Health care and financing and insurance; Health policy (national and international); Liability and regulation

ECO 546
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TRANSPORT ECONOMICS
Transport and Economics; Transport and Development; Movement, Transport and Location; The Demand for Transport; Firm production and Cost in Transportation; The External Costs of Transport; Pricing of Transport Services; Welfare effect of Public Sector Pricing and Investment; Congestion Pricing; Competition, Concentration and Market Power in Transportation; Transportation Investment; Transportation and Land Use in Urban Areas; Transport Planning and Forecasting; Public Health effect of Transportation; The Regulation of Transport

ECO 547
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WATER RESOURCE ECONOMICS
Why plan for water resource in India?; Development of irrigation projects in India; Approaches and priorities in planning of irrigation of irrigation projects;
An approach towards evaluation/appraisal of multi-purpose river valley projects; Economic analysis of methods of cost allocation in planning of multi-purpose river valley projects; Priorities of irrigation under the special programmes of government of India; Role of World Bank and other international agencies; Environmental impact assessment of major irrigation projects in India; Irrigation development: a blessing or bane?; Linking of Indian rivers; Contamination of water bodies and its impact on economic development; Global efforts in water resource management: IWRM; Case studies

HSS 403
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Meaning of health and illness behaviour; social cognition models of health behaviour and illness cognition; personality and health behaviour; processes and outcomes in illness; stress, coping, social support, pain and quality of life; health care context; the healing process, hospitalization and health promotion; sources of data on health; relationship between culture and health; basic analytical concepts in the study of social aspects of health such as life expectancy, infant mortality rate, maternal mortality rate, prevalence and incidence rates of diseases; methodological issues in studying social aspects of health; p epidemiological and statistical models; social science in medicine and social science of medicine; hospital as a social system; social science knowledge for health planners and professionals; counseling; preventive and social medicine; effect of psychological and sociological factors on access to and utilization of health facilities; public health in India; institutional support; role of state and NGOs.

ART 701
METHODOLOGY: ART CRITICISM & APPRECIATION
Prereq. History of Indian Art & Western Art (ancient and contemporary)
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-1-0-0-[4]
To familiarize students with variety of methodological approach in art criticism and analysis The course proposes to develop visual skills and analytical skills in writing about various forms of art in using concepts and terminology. It also would enable research student to exercise skills in observation of various forms of visual media. The methodology of criticism is base on some of the following authors- John Dewey (Criticism and Perception), Barkan, Fidman’s, Jack Hobbs, and Solomn’s Phenomenological Model of Criticism, and Ducasse’s Language of Feeling. The critical analysis would be based on Art and Perception, Principles of Style, Styles in 2-dimension and 3-dimension visual art.

ART 702
DESIGN THEORY, 2-0-2-4
L-T-P-D-[C]
2-0-2-0-[4]
Theory: The course intends to discuss on the following topics along with related

Studio: The course intends to build an overall understanding in the following areas: Form, Space & Texture, 2-D and 3-D Form Analysis, Color and Texture in 2-D & 3-D surface, Color Aesthetics, Computer and composition, Product Analysis and Ergonomics, Environmental Design Model.

**ART 703**
L-T-P-D-[C]
2-0-2-0-[4]

**CREATIVE VISUALIZATION, 2-0-2-4**

Theory: Outline History of Art; Design & Performing Art; Art & Perception; Principles of Style; Style in Art; Design & Performing Art; Space in Art; Design & Performing Art, Style in 3-D work, Style in Architecture, Graphic Art; Photography; typography; Methodology of Criticism & Appreciation.

The course intends to build an overall understanding of the above areas with the help of short workshops, training, field trips, and projects on photography, film making, stage-craft, script writing, editing, typography and visiting relevant sites.

Related Studio Projects

**ART 704**
L-T-P-D-[C]
2-0-2-0-[4]

**ART A MEDIUM OF COMMUNICATION**
Prereq. History of Indian Art & Western Art (ancient and contemporary)

Theory: Pre-historic Art; Traditional Art as Medium of Communication- Religious Art, Buddhist Art, Christian Art, and Hindu Art; Critical analysis of the following theories/articles- Plato’s ‘Art as Imitation’; Aristotle’s ‘Theory on Art’; Leo Tolstoy’s Theory of Art and ‘Art as the Communication of Feeling’; David Hume’s ‘Of the Standard of Taste’; Susanne Langer’s ‘Art as Symbolic Expression: From Feeling and Form’; Arthur Danto’s, ‘The Art World’; POP Art and Comic Art; Art as Language of Expression in 2-D and 3-D media.

Studio: Relevant 2-D and 3-D design Projects

**ECO 732**
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impact assessment. The consequent changes in the approaches and policies of various Government under the leadership of U.N. and World Bank will be discussed along with a number of case studies. The legal aspects of various environmental projects will be discussed. Besides the students will undertake an empirical exercise through project assignment.

**ECO 750 ADVANCED MACRO ECONOMICS**

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Discussions on macroeconomic theory within the IS-LM framework, add the supply considerations, and then review some of the new classical and new Keynesian contributions; budget financing, interactions with the rest of the world and common empirical issues in macroeconomics.

**ECO 751 LAW AND ECONOMICS**

Prereq. None

L-T-P-D-[C]
3-0-0-0-[4]


**ENG 701 FUNDAMENTALS OF MODERN LINGUISTICS**

L-T-P-D-[C]
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Structure of language; statistical structure and information theory; phonetics, phonemics and the distinctive feature theory; grammatical structure; I-C analysis; phrase structure and transformational grammars; grammatical categories and functions; semantics.

**ENG 703 STRUCTURE OF MODERN ENGLISH**

L-T-P-D-[C]
3-0-0-0-[4]

Varieties of English; registers and dialects; phonetics of English; phonetic transcription; grammar of English; morphology and syntax; the transformational generative approach to the phonology and syntax of English.

**ENG 708 APPLIED LINGUISTICS**

L-T-P-D-[C]
3-0-0-0-[4]

Modern developments in applied linguistics particularly in the fields of language
learning and teaching; psychological, sociological, linguistic, and pedagogical aspects of language learning, second language learning; teaching and learning of English as a second language in India; course-design, teaching of language skills; contrastive analysis, error-analysis, programmed instruction, audio-visual aids, language testing, etc.

**ENG 709 LINGUISTIC ANALYSIS**
3-0-0-0-[4]
This course attempts to apply the principles of linguistic analysis to real language data. It covers phonological, lexical, syntactic and semantic analysis and involves some amount of field-work.

**ENG 710 APPROACHES TO THE STUDY OF LITERATURE**
3-0-0-0-[4]
The course will examine the five major approaches—the sociological, the moral, the psychological, the textual, the archetypal—towards the study and interpretation of literary texts. A number of poems, plays, novels, and works of non-fictional prose will be analyzed as examples of these approaches.

**ENG 711 INDIAN WRITING IN ENGLISH**
3-0-0-0-[4]
Selected Indian writings in English or translated from Indian Languages will be used for an extensive examination of some significant themes, e.g., rejection of old taboos, industrialization and its attendant problems, growth of secularism, social changes, bureaucracy and its role, generation gap, etc.

**ENG 712 LITERATURE AND SOCIETY**
3-0-0-0-[4]
This course will study in depth and detail the various modes of interaction between literature and society. The primary emphasis will be on some of the major themes and social concerns (such as individual and society, alienation, technological progress and its human consequences, free will and determinism) which have preoccupied creative writers.

**ENG 713 THEMES AND VALUES IN MODERN LITERATURE**
3-0-0-0-[4]
A study of some of the major recurring themes of modern literature such as alienation, conflict between the generations, impact of science and technology on human life, problems of urbanization, individual versus social and political systems, through literary examples from modern Indian, British, American and European authors.

**ENG 715 METHODOLOGY OF TEACHING AND RESEARCH IN LITERATURE**
3-0-0-0-[4]
This course will study selected pedagogical material on the teaching of literature
with a view to acquainting the student with the major theories and techniques of literary study as an academic discipline. It will also seek to familiarise the student with the basic tools and materials of literary research.

**ENG 716**  
**INDIVIDUAL PROJECTS**  
L-T-P-D-[C]  
3-0-0-0-[4]  
This course is intended to provide the students an opportunity to take up on their own a short-term field-work or library project, with constant guidance from the Instructor. Evaluation will depend on the final product and interim reports.

**ENG 718**  
**MASTERS OF TWENTIETH CENTURY CRITICISM**  
L-T-P-D-[C]  
3-0-0-0-[4]  
On the basis of selected works of I.A. Richards, William Empson, T. S. Eliot, F.R. Leavis, R. P. Blackmur, Cleanth Brooks, John Crowe Ransom, Allen Tate, Kenneth Burke, Yvor Winters, Northrop Frye, Harold Bloom and Jacques Derrida a study of their contribution will be made to literary theory and critical practice.

**ENG 719**  
**AMERICAN RENAISSANCE**  
L-T-P-D-[C]  
3-0-0-0-[4]  
The course will study the major themes and techniques in the literature of the American Renaissance, with special attention to the writings of Melville, Hawthorne, Emerson, Thoreau and Poe.

**ENG 720**  
**STYLISTICS**  
L-T-P-D-[C]  
3-0-0-0-[4]  
The course aims at a study of the application of theories and procedures of linguistics to literature to see how far they enrich the experience of literature and help in the evaluation of literary works.

**ENG 723**  
**SEMANTIC THEORY**  
L-T-P-D-[C]  
3-0-0-0-[4]  
Theories of meaning; referential, ideational, and behaviouristic; meaning and truth; meaning and use; lexical structure; semantic theories in generative grammar; generative semantics; the Extended Standard theory; Fillmore; Speech Act semantics; presupposition theory; semantic representations; semantics and pragmatics.

**ENG 725**  
**HISTORY AND STRUCTURE OF THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE**  
L-T-P-D-[C]  
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Varieties of English and the dimension of variation; the historical dimension; Old, Middle and Modern English. Structure: sound structure; syntactic structure; information structure and discourse structure; lexical structure and word-formation.
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<td>ENG 733</td>
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<td>The course deals with major trends and developments in Indian literature from ancient to modern times. The course will focus primarily on the following topics: the problem of definition; the growth of nationalism; elements of unity in a multilingual situation; ancient religious and secular literature; impact of Western literatures; modern regional literatures.</td>
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<td>ENG 734</td>
<td><strong>Black Fiction</strong></td>
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<td>ENG 735</td>
<td><strong>Commonwealth Literature</strong></td>
<td>The course covers literature in English in the Commonwealth countries of Africa, Australia, Canada, India, New Zealand, and the West Indies. An attempt will be made to show that commonwealth writers, while contributing to the literature of their own country, find their particular artistic understanding inescapably informed by what William Walsh calls “other silent but active aims”.</td>
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<td>ENG 736</td>
<td><strong>The Generative Enterprise: Goals and Methodology</strong></td>
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Chomskyan revolution in grammar; Linguistics as an empirical science and as a branch of cognitive psychology, Linguistics and natural science methodology. Language universals and parameters; towards a restrictive theory of grammar; models of generative grammar in the mainstream (Prestandard, Standard, Extended Standard, Government and Binding, Minimalist Programme), Construction and refutation of syntactic arguments; rejection and falsification of syntactic theories, etc. |

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language acquisition; acquisition of phonology; acquisition of syntax; acquisition of semantics; lexical development; development of speech acts; the learnability theory.

ENG 739  
**COMPUTATIONAL LINGUISTICS**  
L-T-P-D-[C]  
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Description of English syntax in the Government and Binding framework; Augmented Transition Network; issues in Natural Language Understanding; frame-based knowledge representation; use of knowledge in disambiguation and understanding.

ENG 740  
**THE PRINCIPLES AND PARAMETERS SYNTAX**  
L-T-P-D-[C]  
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The government and Binding framework: Organisation of grammar, levels of representation, subsystems of principles; the knowledge of language; the minimalist programme: parameters, locality and bare phrase structure.

ENG 741  
**PRINCIPLES AND PRACTICE OF LINGUISTIC COMMUNICATION**  
L-T-P-D-[C]  
3-0-0-0-[4]  
Communication and language: selection of message, medium settings, negotiation of identities, spoken and visual discourse; language as a social artifact; structure of discourse; theories of discourse semantics; social control through language; applications.

ENG 742  
**RESPONSIBLE DISSENT**  
L-T-P-D-[C]  
3-0-0-0-[4]  
Concept and practice of responsible dissent in various socio-political contexts: Notions of dissent and responsible dissent, ethical roots of dissent, contexts and forms of dissent, profiles of dissenters (Chomsky, Russell, early Gandhi, Ram Mohan Roy, King, etc.), role and responsibility of the intellectual, role of media in suppression of facts and dissemination of misinformation, strategies of manufacture of consent in totalitarian and democratic structures.

ENG 743  
**FEMINIST THEORY AND LITERATURE**  
L-T-P-D-[C]  
3-0-0-0-[4]  
Definitions: the Sex/Gender debate, Masculinity and femininity, patriarchy, the feminism/gender studies debate.

Gender and Identity: Processes of identity formation, gender roles in different social contexts, gendered life-scripts and their historical transformations.

Gender and Representation: The politics of representation, external vs internal self-representations, the media and representation.
The Politics of Feminism: The reasons and implications of focusing on gender as a subject of inquiry, the relationship between theory and practice, the locational specificity of “feminism,” the role of feminism in India.

**ENG745 LEXICAL SEMANTICS**

Prereq. # Philosophical and linguistic approaches to lexical semantics; Semantic structure and its modelling; Semantics-syntax mapping; Semantics-pragmatics distinction; Lexical meaning, interlexical relations and semantic distance; Syntactic and semantic polymorphism; Semantic underspecification; Lexicon and modularity; Conceptual and linguistic structures; Conceptual spaces, Generative lexicon; Ontological semantics; Lexical semantic nets: frame semantics, wordnet and verbnet; Acquisition of lexical knowledge; Lexical semantics and discourse relations; Lexical semantics in figurative discourse

**ENG748 COGNITIVE LINGUISTICS**

The course explores language-cognition mappings in varied contexts such as unilingual, bilingual and sign language use, Crosslinguistic variations in basic conceptual domains such as time and apace and lexicalization patterns will be examined. Other topics include nature of linguistic representations open-class semantics and semantics of grammar type hierarchies and continuums, compositional structures and co-compositionality, non-compositional structures, constrains on possible grammars, perceptual processes and grounding.

**ENG 749 POSTMODERN THEORY AND LITERATURE**

Any post-graduate course in Modern Literature

Acquainting the students with the major critical concepts, self-reflexive texts and amorphous themes of Postmodernism, the course aims to explore the usefulness of the term “postmodernism” as a means of approaching contemporary literature. The course will offer an advanced introduction to the central concepts of postmodernism by providing an approach to contemporary American, Latin American, European and Indian (Writing in English) literature. Major topics for discussion are: The relevance of Postmodernism, differences between Modernism and Postmodernism, Deconstruction, the Death of the Author, Rhizome, Knowledge and Power, Entropy, the Literature of Exhaustion, the Hyperreal and the Simulacrum, Cyberspace and Cyberpunk, Postmodern Ethics, Postmodernism and Popular Culture, Postmodernism in an Indian context, Postmodern Films, Postmodernism and its Limitations.
ENG 750  
POSTWAR AMERICAN FICTION

Postwar American fiction is characterized by a complex sensibility that is often pervasive in the novels of the period from 1945 through the Cold War of the seventies and eighties to the present. With America coming into unexampled prosperity following WWII, this sensibility manifests itself as a sense of triumphalism only to give way to introspection and self-debate concerning the problematic of defining American identity and nationhood against a distinct multicultural presence, and the unviability of “American Dream” in a transnational and globalized world in the creation of which, curiously, America itself has enormous investments. Interestingly, fiction of this period frames war both as a trope and a realistic concern. The protracted cultural wars which began with the Civil Rights era of the 1960s infused new life into the literature of the United States in that the traditionally oppressed voices of minorities, be they African Americans, women or the immigrants, began to be heard. And the variegated literary movements (postmodernism, humanism, and feminism to name a few) and fictional strategies (such as protest, fantasy, black humor) employed in the genre bring in to one’s reading a nuanced and engaging perspective of how these writers have negotiated reality into their imaginative artistic vision. The fiction of this period is marked by thematic concerns such as politics, paranoia, race, money, technology, sex, suburbia, urban decay, immigration, and spirituality, among others. The course strives to close-read select texts, in the light of rigorous theoretical interventions.

ENG 751  
CONTEMPORARY CRITICAL THEORIES AND LITERARY PRAXES

Any postgraduate course in English Literature is desirable

Contemporary critical theories particularly those of the post-1960s, have problematised the writing, reading and receiving of literature. This course examines complex aspects of recent critical theories associated with gender, race, subjectivity, sexuality, textuality, narratology, ecology, and notions of culture and history. It aims to expose students to contemporary theories that would enhance their research into chosen areas of literature. Delving on relevant issues and debates, the course acquaints students with various strategies of reading, interpretation and analysis of literary/non-literary texts and the acquisition of current critical vocabulary. Important topics of discussion include semiotics, deconstruction, intertextuality, reader response theory, autobiographical theory, post-Lacanian psychoanalytic criticism, postcolonialism, postmodernism, third wave feminism, cultural materialism, new historicism, posthumanism, ecocriticism, hypertext theory, and cyber criticism. Significant contributions by the following and other such representative figures will be incorporated in the discussions: Edward Said, Frantz Fanon Fredric Jameson, Gilles Deleuze and Felix Guattari, Jacques Derrida, Mikhail Bakhtin, Michel Foucault, Roland Barthes, Stephen Greenblatt and Umberto Eco.
ENG 752  COMPARATIVE AESTHETICS
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The course explores the convergence and divergence of eastern and western aesthetic practices, in an attempt to two. Its scope includes classical Greek and Sanskrit texts like Bharata’s Natyasastra and Aristotle’s Poetics which are extensive treatises on dramaturgy, Longinus’ concept of the sublime, Anandavardhana’s concept of divani and postulates of New Criticism.

HSS 701  THEORIES OF RIGHTS
L-T-P-D-[C]
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The aim of the course is to understand the origins of the notions in the classical period, its rejuvenation in the medieval and early modern periods, and contemporary debates surrounding different theories of rights with special emphasis on examining debates on human rights. Some specific domains of rights will be taken up for intensive study in the light of various theoretical positions. Themes include: Stoicism, Republicanism, Natural Law Discourse, Liberalism, Utilitarianism, Legal Positivism, Marxism, and Communitarianism.

PHI 701  PHILOSOPHY OF MIND
L-T-P-D-[C]
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Conceptual Taxonomy of Mental Phenomena; Mind-Body Relation in Dualism, Behaviourism, Physicalism, Functionalism; Consciousness and First-person Subjectivity; Meaning and Mental Representation; Self and Self-identity; Thought and Language; Folk Psychology versus Cognitive Science.

PHI 751  TWENTIETH CENTURY PHILOSOPHY-I
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-0-0-0-[4]
An analytical study of Russell’s The Philosophy of Logical Atomism and Wittgenstein’s Tractatus Logico-Philosophicus: Facts and Propositions; Names and Objects; Definite Description; Picture Theory of Meaning; Limits of Language, Thought and The World; Silence and the Transcendental.

PHI 752  PROBLEMS IN PHILOSOPHICAL AESTHETICS
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-0-0-0-[4]
Theories of Art as Mimesis, Expression and Form; Aesthetic Experience; Art as a Cultural System; Art and Morality; the Philosophy of Literature: Truth, Meaning, Interpretation and Evaluation; Literature and Cultural Studies.

PHI 753  MODERN LOGIC
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-0-0-0-[4]
Propositional Logic; Decision Procedures; Quantification Theory; Axiomatic Method; Philosophical Problems.
PHI 757  MORAL JUDGEMENT
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-0-0-0-[4]
The details of the studies in this course will be designed for advanced students depending on their fields of research.

PHI 765  TWENTIETH CENTURY PHILOSOPHY-II
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-0-0-0-[4]
An Analytical Study of the Logic of Ordinary Language; Problems of Meaning, Reference and Truth; the Analytic-Synthetic Distinction; the Scheme-Content Distinction; Antifoundationalism and Neo-pragmatism. Special reference to the views of Wittgenstein, Austin, Strawson, Quine, Davidson, Kripke, Putnam and Thomas Nagel.

PHI 766  PHILOSOPHY OF ACTION
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-0-0-0-[4]
A conceptual study of the Nature of Human Agency and Human Action; Action and Purpose; Rational and Causal explanation of Action; Action and Obligation; Logic of Action-statements; Logic of Reasoning about Actions and their Defence.

PHI 767  LOGIC OF MORAL DISCOURSE
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-0-0-0-[4]
Valuation: Moral and Non-moral; Standards and Principles; Value-judgements; Ought-judgements; Imperatives and Moral Principles; Generalizability; Rules, Instances and Exceptions; Reasons, Choices and Actions and validity.

PHI 768  MODAL LOGIC
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-0-0-0-[4]
The History of Modal notions; The Lewis systems; Strict Implication and Entailment; The System E and Relevance Logic; Philosophical Problems.

PHI 769  INDIAN PHILOSOPHY-I
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-0-0-0-[4]
A discussion of Epistemological, Meta-physical and Value problems raised in the Classical Systems of Indian Philosophy. Depending on the students’ interest, aptitude and progress, either some texts will be studied in details or one set of problems will be studied through relevant texts.

PHI 770  PHILOSOPHY OF SOCIAL SCIENCE I
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-0-0-0-[4]
Philosophical presuppositions of Social-scientific method; Explanation and Understanding: The Hypothetico-Deductive model; the Verstehen Model and others; The problem of Rationality: of Rational Explanation and Rational Action; Value and Objectivity.
PHI 772 ETHICAL THEORIES
L-T-P-D-[C] 3-0-0-0-[4]
A critical and analytical study of ethical theories of some classical and contemporary moral philosophers.

PHI 773 WITTGENSTEIN
L-T-P-D-[C] 3-0-0-0-[4]
A study of Wittgenstein’s later philosophy: critique of Wittgenstein’s earlier philosophy; Private Language Argument; Meaning, Use and Rule-following; Aspect-seeing; Pre-epistemic certainty.

PHI 774 SOCIAL AND POLITICAL PHILOSOPHY
L-T-P-D-[C] 3-0-0-0-[4]
Nature and Method of Social Philosophy; Nature of Society; Theories of Origins of Society; Place and Role of Social Institutions; Social Values and Ends of Political Authority; Sources of Justification and Legitimacy of Political Authority; Individual and Society; Individual and State.

PHI 776 PHILOSOPHY OF THE SOCIAL SCIENCES II
L-T-P-D-[C] 3-0-0-0-[4]
Philosophical approaches to the problem of the relationship between Knowledge and Social Structure. Studies will be undertaken from selections from Marx, Weber, Durkheim, Mannheim, Critical Theory, Hermeneutics and Post Modernism.

PHI 777 INDIAN PHILOSOPHY IN CONTEMPORARY PERSPECTIVE
L-T-P-D-[C] 3-0-0-0-[4]
Conscious and the Self; The Problem of Intentionality; Nyaya Realism & Buddhist Idealism; Svatah- pramanyavada; Theries of Meaning; Dharma, Morality and Freedom.

PHI 779 ADVANCED ETHICAL THEORY
L-T-P-D-[C] 3-0-0-0-[4]
Main topics to be covered: Rules; Moral Rules; Utility; Moral Virtues; Obligations; Morals and Rationality.

PHI 782 EXISTENTIALISM
L-T-P-D-[C] 3-0-0-0-[4]
The course seeks to go into the sources of modern existentialist movement in the thoughts of Hegel, Husserl and Kierkegaard. A detailed study of Sartre’s philosophy will be undertaken in the light of his early and later writings.

PHI 798 PHILOSOPHY OF HISTORY
L-T-P-D-[C] 3-0-0-0-[4]
The course is in two parts. Part one is Analytical Philosophy of History: Explanation and Understanding of Historical Events; Objectivity and Evaluation in Historical
Writing etc. Part two is Speculative Philosophy of History: those of Augustine, Vico, Herder, Kant, Hegel, Marx and Toynbee.

**PSY 774**
**QUALITATIVE RESEARCH : THEORY AND PRACTICE**
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-0-0-0-[4]
In the last few years, research in psychology has witnessed a remarkable shift to a post-positivist paradigm. A large number of qualitative methods have emerged in consonance with this shift. For a researcher in psychology, the knowledge of research methods and methodological issues is now incomplete without an in-depth understanding of the qualitative methods. This course is aimed at providing an extensive overview of qualitative research methods, methodological roots, major theoretical principles and issues in qualitative research. Various methods would be discussed along with examples of representations cultural psychology developmental psychology discursive psychology, counseling and psychotherapy.

**PSY 775**
**FUNDAMENTALS OF NEUROPSYCHOLOGY**
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-1-0-0-[4]
Development and evolution of brain: Brain organization and function; Cerebral asymmetry; Neuropsychology of higher order functions - memory language, emotional processes, spatial behaviour; Applied human neuropsychology.

Selected Readings:


**PSY 777**
**ELEMENTS OF STATISTICAL ANALYSIS**
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-0-0-0-[4]
The essentials of statistics in a relatively non-mathematical form, statistical techniques most frequently employed in psychology for the analysis and synthesis of data.

**PSY 778**
**EXPERIMENTAL DESIGN**
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-0-0-0-[4]
The course intends to familiarize the students with the statistical principles involved in experimental designs. The course focuses on the use of factorial designs in psychological research. Single and multi-factor experiments are covered.

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PSY 780  PSYCHOLOGY OF PERSONALITY
3-0-0-0-[4]  
Introduction to the field of personality. Trait and situational approaches to personality are covered, along with a critical assessment of the major theories of personality.

PSY 781  DEVELOPMENT OF PERSONALITY
3-0-0-0-[4]  
Growth and development of personality, the critical stages of growth, contributions of the psychoanalytically-oriented psychologists, ego psychologists, and social learning theorists; and role of external interventions on the ongoing process of personality growth.

PSY 783  ADVANCED EXPERIMENTAL SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY
3-0-0-0-[4]  
The course includes experimental paradigms in contemporary social psychology covering areas such as attitude and attitude change, group processes, social power, reward allocation, prosocial behavior, social cognition, social influence processes, aggression and violence; and the important theories in social psychology.

PSY 784  APPLIED SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY
3-0-0-0-[4]  
This course will explain how social psychological theories can be applied to real life. The prime objective is to disseminate findings from behavioural science research which have relevance for problems of society.

PSY 785  PERSONALITY ASSESSMENT, THEORY AND TECHNIQUE
3-0-0-0-[4]  
The techniques of assessing personality. A discussion of current approaches to personality theory as related to assessment. Rating scales, inventories, projective techniques, the experimental methods, and the principles and theoretical bases underlying these assessment techniques will be discussed.

PSY 786  UNDERSTANDING ORGANIZATIONAL BEHAVIOUR
3-0-0-0-[4]  
A coherent introduction to organizational psychology, historically taking off from industrial psychology and human relations movement. The course takes a look at man-in-organizations in a social environment and concentrates on the theoretically significant empirical research.

PSY 787  MANAGEMENT OF ORGANIZATIONAL BEHAVIOUR
3-0-0-0-[4]  
The course focuses on a practical training to understand the human behaviour at work in order to predict the effectiveness and well-being in various types of organizations, and to enhance the understanding of change processes in these organizations.
PSY 788 ADVANCED COURSE ON DEVELOPMENT OF PERSONALITY: PSYCHOLOGY OF WOMEN
L-T-P-D-[C] 3-0-0-0-[4]
The overall objective of the course is to gain insight into the development of personality through the specific study of the woman, development of the woman through the entire life the interplay between cultural context, biological factors and psychological influences.

PSY 789 LEARNING, MEMORY AND COGNITION
L-T-P-D-[C] 3-0-0-0-[4]
A wide coverage of behavioural functions characterized as “Learning and Cognition”. It presents a broad spectrum of current developments in these areas. The main objective of the course is to expose the students to some of the recent advancement in the areas of learning, memory, and cognition.

PSY 790 HUMAN COGNITIVE PROCESSES
L-T-P-D-[C] 3-1-0-0-[4]
The course deals with scientific study of human mind and explores cognitive processes involved in perception, memory, pattern recognition, psycholinguistics, and bilingualism. Recent research techniques, issues and stands in these areas are critically examined.

PSY 791 ADVANCED COURSE IN PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSESSMENT
L-T-P-D-[C] 3-1-0-0-[4]
The course is designed for students who already have a general overview of testing. Practical applications and use of psychological tests such as WAIS, TAT, 16 PF, Kelly’s Rep Grid and others are considered for administration, scoring and interpretation.

PSY 793 COMMUNITY PSYCHOLOGY
L-T-P-D-[C] 3-0-0-0-[4]
The course is concerned with generating theory and research that will clarify the complex interaction between individuals and social institutions, developing methods and procedures that will help individuals to cope with their environments, tailoring environments to meet human needs better and developing intervention strategies.

PSY 795 LEADERSHIP AND STRATEGIC MANAGEMENT IN ORGANIZATIONS
L-T-P-D-[C] 3-0-0-0-[4]
Whether an organization will succeed or fail ultimately depends upon the appropriate administration of the subject of this course: leadership and strategic management. It includes the advanced understanding of modern theory and practice in leadership and strategic management.
PSY 796  CROSS-CULTURAL PERSPECTIVES IN PSYCHOLOGY
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-0-0-0-[4]
The course highlights the role of cultural factors in psychological processes, including the anthropological and psychological views of culture, cross-cultural variations in social and organizational behaviour, cognition and personality, the major models, and methodological issues.

PSY 797  COGNITION IN ORGANIZATIONS
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-0-0-0-[4]
The course contents include foundations of cognitive research in organizations; role of knowledge in managerial performance; cognitive cause mapping; cognition of groups; organizational culture and individual sense-making; organizational decision-making; negotiator cognition and collective scripts and other related topics.

PSY 798  ADVANCED COURSE IN SOCIAL COGNITION
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-0-0-0-[4]
The course aims at providing an understanding of the concepts and issues in social cognition research. The course contents include historical roots of social cognition; social cognitive principles - a cost-benefit analysis; representation of social knowledge; social schemas; heuristics and biases; contribution of social representations; rituals and rhetoric; knowledge and social process; social cognition and the study of stereotyping, prejudice and discrimination, social cognition and discourse; social sensibility and neural function.

SOC 720  RESEARCH METHODS
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-0-0-0-[4]
Nature and types of scientific explanation, Values and objectivity in social science research, Various research designs: (i) Descriptive, (ii) Exploratory, (ii) Experimental (two and multigroup designs). Tools and techniques of data collection, both direct and indirect methods of data collection (projective techniques), Various scaling techniques (Differential scales, Summated scales and Cumulative scales, etc), problems of measurement, Various types of reliability and validity of measures, Qualitative research.

SOC 721  SOCIOLOGICAL THEORY
L-T-P-D-[C]
3-0-0-0-[4]
Relation between theory and research. The nature and use of theory, basic concepts, fundamental perspectives of society, conceptualization of social system social structure and culture, Various perspectives; Structural Functional, conflict Theory - Frankfurt school critical theory, Exchange theory, Symbolic - Interactionism, Phenomenology, Ethnomethodology & Structuration theory.
**SOC 723**  
**INTRODUCTION TO STATISTICAL INFERENCE**  
L-T-P-D-[C]  
3-0-0-0-[4]

Basic statistics; correlation and regression analysis; probability and probability distributions; sampling designs; tests of significance; analysis of variance; non-parametric methods; recent developments in applied statistics in social sciences.

**SOC 724**  
**URBAN SOCIOLOGY**  
L-T-P-D-[C]  
3-0-0-0-[4]

Process of urbanization and urban social structure in contemporary societies. Role of capital and state in the urban social formations, Urban development-theory and practice. Class, ethnic relations in Urban societies etc., Urban renewal, Urban Problems in India.

**SOC 725**  
**SOCIAL CHANGE IN DEVELOPING SOCIETIES**  
L-T-P-D-[C]  
3-0-0-0-[4]

Process of change, models of change, Factors of change characteristics and problem of developing societies with special reference to India, problems of continuity, identity and conflict, traditionalism and modernity, methodology (comparative) for the study of change.

**SOC 729**  
**AGRA RIAN SOCIAL STRUCTURE AND CHANGE IN INDIA**  
L-T-P-D-[C]  
3-0-0-0-[4]

Evolution of the agrarian system from the Mughal period onwards, changes introduced by the British in land administration, emergence of new agrarian classes and class relations in the countryside, the Marxian model of agrarian classes, the traditional model namely the Jajmani system, the changing problems of tribal lands, rural credit, development of capitalist farming and other changes since the land reforms in India, and a review of major sociological studies on the agrarian class relations in India.

**SOC 731**  
**INDUSTRIAL SOCIOLOGY**  
L-T-P-D-[C]  
3-0-0-0-[4]

The industrial revolution and the process of industrialization. The formal organization, nature and characteristics, Structure of Industrial bureaucracy and its functions, informal organization of Industry, nature and role of trade unions, etc., labour movements in India, Indian labour problems and policies. Triangular relationship: government, management and union.

**SOC 732**  
**SOCIOLOGY OF DEVELOPMENT**  
L-T-P-D-[C]  
3-0-0-0-[4]

Sociological perspective on development problems with special reference to India, theories/models of development, Modernization Theory (New modernization studies) Dependence Theory (New dependence studies), World System Theory, Global system Interdependence, Globalization, UNDP definition of Development-
indicators. The sustainable nature of Development, Development reconsidered—voices of Dissent.

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<td>Critical evaluation of concepts and theories of social inequality and stratification; aspects of inequality in contemporary societies; methodology of stratification; stratification in India.</td>
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<td>Sociology of Social Stratification (in classical writings), Theories of stratification and issues; social stratification and development; three worlds of development and international stratification; development and distribution; economic growth and poverty, Theories of poverty &amp; Relative Deprivation).</td>
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<td>Canons in sociological theory, breaking with modernity, post positivist and post structural social thought, post modernism in social theory: present images and future possibilities, Writings of J Baudrillard, Michel Foucault, J F Lyotard, J Derrida, and F Jameson.</td>
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<td>The aim of the course is to define the various types of social movements, and understand their role in striving for social change or transformation. It will examine theories of social movements in the context of recent debates</td>
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surrounding issues of nationalism, ethnicity, and identity. Specific movements, including the role of various actors, will be studied with special reference to India.

### SOC 747

**PARTICIPATORY RURAL APPRAISAL (PRA): Philosophy, practical approaches and methods**

Critique of positivist approach in sociology, and limitations of conventional methods such as survey and non-participatory fieldwork. Sociology as the study of social actors, Touraine’s concepts of intervention method, and sociology without society. Paradigmatic shift from sociological discourse to advocacy. Origin and development of Rapid Rural Appraisal, Relaxed Rural Appraisal and Participatory Rural Appraisal methods. PRA as a process of empowering people. Principles of PRA. Common methods such as observation, semi-structure interviewing, transect walks, time lines, and trend and change analysis, participatory mapping and modeling, Venn diagramming, linkage diagrams, well-being grouping, matrix scoring and ranking, local indicators, alternatives to questionnaires, listing and card sorting.

### SOC 748

**EDUCATION AND SOCIAL CHANGE**