

# RANI CHANKAMKA UNIVERSITY BELAGAVI

## THE COURSE STRUCTURE & SYLLABUS OF POST GRADUATE

#### MASTER OF COMMERCE

 $1^{\text{ST}}$  &  $2^{\text{ND}}$  Semesters w.e.f.

Academic Year 2021-22 and Onwards

Under

CHOICE BASED CREDIT SYSTEM (CBCS)

Rani Channamma University Vidyasangama, Bhutaramanahatti, Belagavi

### Master of Commerce (CBCS)

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Course Code	Semester & Course	Teaching Hours.	Credits	Maximum Marks			Examination
				Internal Assessment	Semester End Examination	Total	Duration Hrs
	Seme	ster – I					
HC-1.1	Corporate Strategic Management	4	4	20	80	100	3
HC-1.2	Advanced Marketing Management	4	4	20	80	100	3
HC-1.3	Financial Management	4	4	20	80	100	3
HC-1.4	Applied Economics for Business	4	4	20	80	100	3
HC-1.5	Management Accounting	4	4	20	80	100	3
Elective Specia	alizations: Students can select anyone soft co	ore group l	naving on	e course e	each		
Group-(AF) A	Accounting and Finance						
SC-1.6 (AF)	Stock Market Operations	4	4	20	80	100	3
Group-(CT) (	Costing and Taxation						
SC-1.6 (CT)	Principles and Practice of Taxation	4	4	20	80	100	3
Group-(HM)	Human Resource and Marketing						
SC-1.6 (HM)	Human Resource Management	4	4	20	80	100	3
	Semester Total	24	24	120	480	600	18
	Seme	ester-II					
HC-2.1	Corporate Restructuring	4	4	20	80	100	3
HC-2.2	Quantitative Techniques	4	4	20	80	100	3
HC-2.3	Dynamics of Entrepreneurship Development	4	4	20	80	100	3
HC-2.4	Advanced Corporate Accounting	4	4	20	80	100	3
	Courses offered to the students of other	Departme	nts				
OEC-2.5.1	Fundamentals of Business	4	4	20	80	100	3
OEC-2.5.2	Basics of Income Tax	4	4	20	80	100	3
Group-(AF) A	ccounting and Finance						
SC-2.6 (AF)	Accounting for Specialized Institutions	4	4	20	80	100	3
	Costing and Taxation						
SC-2.6 (CT)	Production and Operations Management	4	4	20	80	100	3
	Human Resource and Marketing						
SC-2.6 (HM)	Consumer Behaviour	4	4	20	80	100	3
	Semester Total	28	24	120	480	600	18

	Semester-III						
HC-3.1	Business Research Methodology	4	4	20	80	100	3
HC-3.2	International Financial Management	4	4	20	80	100	3
HC-3.3	Organizational Behavior	4	4	20	80	100	3
HC-3.4	Innovations in Accounting						
<b>Open Elective</b>	Open Elective Courses offered to the students of other Departments						
OEC-3.5.1	Fundamentals of Banking	4	4	20	80	100	3
OEC-3.5.2	Personal Financial Planning	4	4	20	80	100	3
Group-(AF) A	Group-(AF) Accounting and Finance						
SC -3.6 (AF)	Financial Reporting Standards	4	4	20	80	100	3
	Costing and Taxation						
SC -3.6 (CT)	Corporate Tax Planning	4	4	20	80	100	3
Group-(HM) I	Human Resource and Marketing						
SC -3.6 (HM)	Knowledge Management	4	4	20	80	100	3
	Semester Total	28	24	120	480	600	18
Semester-IV							
HC-4.1	GST and Customs	4	4	20	80	100	3
HC-4.2	Business Ethics and Corporate Governance	4	4	20	80	100	3
HC-4.3	Techniques of Costing	4	4	20	80	100	3
HC-4.4	Investment Analysis and Portfolio Management						
HC-4.5	Project and Field Visit	*	4	20	80	100	_
Group-(AF) A	ccounting and Finance						
SC -4.6 (AF)	Advanced Financial Accounting	4	4	20	80	100	3
Group-(CT) (	Costing and Taxation						
SC -4.6 (CT)	Strategic Cost Management	4	4	20	80	100	3
Group-(HM) Human Resource and Marketing							
SC -4.6 (HM)	Supply Chain Management	4	4	20	80	100	3
	Semester Total	24	24	120	480	600	18
	Grand Total: Semester I to IV	104	96	480	1920	2400	72

#### **Note:**

- 1 Hard core papers are compulsory in each semester.
- 2 Students have to select one soft core group out of three soft core groups, in the first semester and have to complete the M.Com programme in the same group up to fourth semester. They are not permitted to change the soft-core group in between the programme.
- 3 Students have to select one OEC paper each in II and III semesters offered by the other departments/disciplines of the university.
- \* For project work there shall be one working hour per week per guide for six students.

#### Semester - I

#### **Course - HC-1.1: Corporate Strategic Management**

#### Weekly Teaching Hours: 4

Examination Duration: 3 Hours

**Objective:** The basic objective of the course is to educate about the basic inputs in making and implementing corporate strategic decisions.

#### **Unit-I: Introduction**

Meaning of Strategy, Reasons for Strategy, Relevance of Strategy in Modern Business, Concept of Strategy, Levels of Strategies, Strategic Intent and Strategic Fit, Vision, Mission and Purpose, Objectives and Goals, Strategic Business Unit and Ethics in Strategic Management.

#### **Unit-II: Environmental Analysis and Diagnosis**

Meaning of Business Environment, Types of Business Environment, Environment Scanning, Organizational Appraisal; Analysis of Michael Porter's Five Force Model, SWOT Analysis, ETOP Analysis, Value Chain Analysis, Core and Distinctive Competencies, Resources and Capabilities.

#### **Unit-III: Types of Strategies**

Modernization, Diversification & Integration Strategies, Merger, Takeover, Joint Venture and Strategy Alliance; Growth, Stability, Turnaround, Divestment, Liquidation and Reengineering Strategies; Generic Competitive Strategies, Cost Leadership, Differentiation, Bench Marking, Service Blue Print, Process of Strategic Choice; Factors Affecting Strategic Choice.

#### **Unit-IV: Functional Strategies**

Plans and Policies; Production/Operations, Marketing, Personnel, Financial, and R&D Strategy. Implementation of Strategy, Issues in Strategy Implementation, Strategy Activation; Organizational Structure, Commitment and Corporate Culture; Strategic Management Process of Indian Companies.

#### **Unit-V: Strategic Evaluation and Control**

Overview of Strategic Evaluation; Strategic Control; Techniques of Strategic Evaluation and Control. Evaluation of Strategic Alternatives - Product Portfolio Models, BCG Matrix, GE Matrix, Gap Analysis; Strategic Control System.

- 1. Bartlett, C.A., Ghoshal, S. and P. Beamish, Transnational Management: Text, Cases, and Readings in Cross-Border Management, McGraw Hill.
- 2. Bhattachary S. K. and N. Venkataraman: Managing Business Enterprise: Strategies, Structures and Systems, Vikas Publishing House, New Delhi.
- 3. Hill and Jones, Strategic Management, All India Publishers, Chennai.
- 4. Porter, Michael E., The Competitive Advantage of Nations, Macmillan, London.
- 5. Sharma, R. A Strategic Management in Indian Companies, Deep and Publications, New Delhi.
- 6. Srivastava, R.M. Management Policy and Strategic Management, Himalaya Publishing.
- 7. Subba Rao, V., Strategic Management, Himalaya Publishing

#### **Course - HC-1.2: Advanced Marketing Management**

Weekly Teaching Hours: 4

Examination Duration: 3 Hours

**Objective**: To provide understanding of the decision variables a marketing manager may use in a marketing environment and to gain experience in developing marketing strategies.

#### **Unit- I: Introduction**:

Marketing: Meaning, Definition, Elements, Objectives, Importance, Advantages and limitations, Evolution and Scope, Approaches to the study of Marketing, Marketing Environment: Meaning and Definition, Internal and external Environmental factors influencing the marketing environment.

#### **Unit-II: Product Mix and Price Mix**

Marketing Mix: Meaning, Definition, Elements, Product Mix: Concept of Product, Product Lines, Product line length, depth, width. Product Mix Width. Product Simplification diversification and elimination. Product Management: New product development and Product Life Cycle Brand Management: concept definition and history of brand/branding Brand Creation, Rebranding, Brand Positioning, Brand Equity Brand Contract, Brand Factory; Labelling: Meaning and importance Price Mix: Price—Meaning, Definition and Elements of price mix, Need, importance and objectives of pricing. Factors influencing pricing, Various Pricing Strategies

#### **Unit-IV: Place Mix and Promotion Mix**

Place – Types of Distribution Channels , Advantages & Limitations, factors affecting selection channel; Promotion Mix : Meaning, Elements of Promotion Mix, Advertising – Concept, Classification, functions, benefits of advertising, Economic, Social & ethical issues, evaluating advertising effectiveness, Recent trends in advertising, Personal Selling – concept and importance, theories of selling, process of personal selling – Selling Methods, Limitations of personal selling. Publicity: Meaning, difference between advertising and publicity Sales; Promotion: Meaning, Objectives and importance - Tools or techniques, Evaluation of sales promotion.

#### **Unit-V: Trends in Marketing**

Service Marketing, E-Marketing, Green Marketing, Customer Relationship Management, Rural Marketing; Other Emerging Trends- Ethical Issues in Marketing.

- 1. Czinkota, Michael R. & Kotabe, Masaaki, Marketing Management. Thomson Learning.
- 2. Etzel, Michael J., Walker, Bruce J., Staton, William J., & Ajay Pandit. Marketing Concepts and Cases. Tata Mcgraw Hill (Special Indian Edition).
- 3. Kotler, Philip & Keller, Kevin Lane, Marketing Management. Pearson.
- 4. Kotler, Philip, Keller, Kevin Lane, Koshy, Abraham, & Mithileshwar Jha. Marketing Management: A South Asian Perspective. Pearson.
- 5. Lamb, Charles W., Hair, Joseph, F. & Mcdaniel, Carl, Marketing. Cengage Learning.
- 6. Perrault, Willim, D., Cannon, Joseph, P. & Mccarthy, E. Jerome, Essentials of Marketing: A Marketing Strategy Planning Approach, Mcgraw-Hill.
- 7. Pride, William M. & Ferrell, O.C., Marketing. South-Western Cengage Learning.

#### **Course – HC-1.3: Financial Management**

Weekly Teaching Hours: 4

**Examination Duration: 3 Hours** 

Objective: The objective of the course is to acquaint the students with the basic analytical techniques and methods of financial management of business firms.

#### **Unit-I: Financial Management**

An Overview-Nature, Significance and Scope of Corporate Financial Management, Objectives and Agency Theory, Financial Management and its Relationship with other Disciplines, Business Polices and their Impact on Financial Management, Recent Trends and Contemporary Issues.

#### **Unit-II: Capital Structure**

Concept of Financial and Capital Structures; Classification, Theories of Capital Structure- NI, NOI, MM and Traditional Approaches, MM Approach and Corporate and Personal Income Taxes, Influence of Leverages on Capital Structure, Cost of Capital - Concept, Importance, Types and Measurement.

#### **Unit-III: Capital Budgeting**

Concept, Significance, Nature and Classification of Capital Budgeting Decisions, Cash Flow Computation- Incremental Approach; Evaluation Criteria - Pay Back Period, ARR, NPV, IRR and PI Methods; Capital Rationing, Capital Budgeting under Risk and Uncertainty.

#### **Unit-IV: Dividend Decisions**

Concepts and Classification, Legal Provisions Relating to Dividend in India; Dividend and Market Valuation, Walter's Model, Gordon's Model and MM Approach, Factors affecting Dividend Decision: Dividend Policies in Practice.

#### **Unit-V: Working Capital Management**

Concepts, Importance, Classification and Factors Determining Working Capital, Computation through Operating Cycle Approach; Walker's Four Part Theory of Working Capital Management; Investment and Financial Policies.

- 1. Babhtosh Banerjee, Financial Policy & Management Accounting, World Press Pvt. Ltd., Calcutta.
- I.M. Pandey, Financial Management, Vikas, New Delhi.
   James C. Van Horne, Financial Management and Policy, Phi, New Delhi.
   Khan and Jain, Financial Management, TMH, New Delhi.
- 5. Prasanna Chandra, Financial Management, TMH, New Delhi.
- 6. Rao R.K.S. Financial Management Mac Milan, New York.
- 7. Solomon E. Theory of Financial Management, Columbia University Press, New York.

#### **Course – HC-1.4: Applied Economics for Business**

Examination Duration: 3 Hours

#### Weekly Teaching Hours: 4

**Objective:** To acquaint students with the concepts of micro economic theory and principles and theirapplication in business decision making.

#### **Unit-I: Introduction to Economics for Business**

Concept, Nature, Scope, Role with reference to Functional Areas of Business and Economic Analysis, Fundamental Principles, Managerial Economist's Role and Responsibilities, Limitations.

#### **Unit-II: Elasticity of Demand and Forecasting**

Elasticity; Concept, Types, Degree, Calculation and Application of Price, Cross Income, Advertising Elasticity; Demand Function, Estimation (Simple & Multiple Regression) Basic Mathematical Modules for Managerial Economics and Total Revenue, Total Cost, Total Profit, Marginal Revenue, Marginal Cost.

#### **Unit-III: Production Analysis**

Production Function – Law of Variable Proportion, Return to Scale and Business Decisions, Cobb Douglas Production Function, Application of Iso-Quant, Iso-Cost, Economic Region, Economies and Diseconomies of Scale.

#### **Unit-IV: Cost and Revenue Analysis**

Behaviour of Cost and Revenue Curves (Variable, Fixed, Marginal and Average) Short Run and Long Run; Equilibrium of Firm under Perfect Monopoly, Monopolistic and Oligopoly Market Condition – Benefits of Markets with Case Studies.

#### **Unit-V: Objectives of the Firm & Pricing**

Introduction, Objectives, Maximization of Sales, Growth, Staff, Profit Incremental Principle & Decision – Knowledge Profit – Pricing Practice under Product Life Cycle and Trade Cycle Phases.

- 1. Adhikary M. Business Economics, Excel Books, New Delhi
- 2. Baumol, William J: Economic theory and Operations Analysis, Prentice Hall, London.
- 3. Baya, Michael R: Managerial Economics and Business Strategy, McGraw Hill Inc. New York.
- 4. Chopra, O.P: Managerial Economics, Tata McGraw Hill, Delhi.
- 5. Eaton, B.Curtis and Diane Faton; Micro Economics, Prentice Hall, New Jersey.
- 6. G.S. Gupta Managerial Economics Tata McGraw Hill Publishing Company, New Delhi.
- 7. Petersen, H.Carig and W. Cris Lewis: Managerial Economics, Prentice Hall, Delhi.
- 8. Salvatore, Dominick: Managerial Economics in a Global Economy, McGraw Hill, New York.
- 9. Varian, H.R. International Microeconomics; A Modern Approach, East West Press, New Delhi.
- 10. Varsheny RL and Maheshwari KL: Managerial Economics; Sultan Chand and Sons, New Delhi.

#### **Course - HC-1.5: Management Accounting**

Weekly Teaching Hours: 4

Examination Duration: 3 Hours

**Objective:** To familiarize and acquaint the students with application of advanced managerial accounting techniques.

#### **Unit-I: Introduction**

Concept, Nature, Scope and Evolution of Management Accounting, Financial Accounting v/s Managerial Accounting, Utility and Limitations; Tools and Techniques of Managerial Accounting.

#### **Unit-II: Marginal Costing and Break-Even Analysis**

Concept, Nature and Scope of Marginal Costing, Marginal Costing v/s Absorption Costing; Marginal Costing Equation, Contribution Margin Ratio and Application of Marginal Costing in Decision Making. Cost volume Profit Relationship, Break Even Analysis, Preparation of Break-Even Charts and Profit Graphs.

#### **Unit-III: Analysis and Interpretation of Financial Statements**

Nature, Objectives, Latest Trends in Presenting Financial Data, Types and Tools of Financial analysis; Accounting Ratios – Classification, Advantages and Limitations.

#### **Unit-IV: Funds Flow and Cash Flow Statements**

Concepts of Funds and Objectives of Preparing Statement of Changes in Financial Position; Funds Flow v/s Income Statement; Procedure Involved in Funds Flow Statement, Advantages and Limitations of Funds Flow Statement; Cash Flow Statement – Classification of Cash Flow, Preparation and Usefulness, Accounting Standard and Cash Flow Preparation Practices in India.

#### **Unit-V: Uniform and Inter-Firm Costing Methods**

Meaning, Features, Significance, Steps Involved and Techniques of Uniform Costing and Inter-firm Comparison.

- 1. Babhatosh Banerjee, Financial Policy and Management Accounting, World Press, Calcutta.
- 2. Charler Brandon, Managerial Accounting, TMH, New Delhi.
- 3. Horngren, et al., Introduction to Management Accounting, PHI, New Delhi.
- 4. Jawaharlal, Managerial Accounting, Himalaya, Bombay.
- 5. Maheswari S.N., Management Accounting and Financial Control, Sultan Chand and Sons, New Delhi.
- 6. Manmohan and Goyal, Management Accounting, Sahitya Bhavan, Agra.
- 7. Ravi M.Kishore, Advanced Management Accounting, Taxman, Publications, New Delhi.
- 8. Ray H.Garrison, Managerial Accounting, TMH, New Delhi.
- 9. Robert N.Anthony and James Reece, Accounting Principles, AITBS, New Delhi.
- 10. Sharma and Gupta, Management Accounting, Kalyani, New Delhi

#### **Group-(AF) Accounting and Finance**

#### **Course - SC-1.6 (AF): Stock Market Operations**

Weekly Teaching Hours: 4

Examination Duration: 3 Hours

**Objective:** To equip the students with conceptual framework and functioning of stock markets.

#### **Unit-I: Overview of Securities Market**

Organisational Structure of Financial System - Functions of Securities Market - Securities Market and Economic Growth - Profile of Indian Securities Market - Market Regulation: SEBI Act, 1992 - Securities and Contracts Regulation Act 1956 - Reforms to Promote Investor Confidence - Role of IOSCO - International Organisation of Securities Commissions.

#### **Unit-II: Primary Market**

Primary Market - Its Role and Functions; Issue of Capital - Methods of Issuing Securities in Primary Market, Intermediaries in New Issue Market - Merchant Bankers, Underwriters, Brokers, Registrars and Managers, Bankers; Pricing of Issue - Book Building, Green Shoe Option, Procedure for New Issues and SEBI Guidelines for Issue in Primary Market.

#### **Unit-III: Secondary Market**

Importance and Functions, Listing of Securities in Stock Exchanges; Players in Stock Exchange - Investors, Speculators, Market Makers, Stock Brokers; Eligibility Criteria; Trading in Stock Exchange, Stock Exchanges - Bombay Stock Exchange, National Stock Exchange, Over-the-Counter Exchange of India; The SEBI Trading Mechanism - BOLT, NEAT System and Screen Based System.

#### **Unit-VI: Depository Services**

The Depositories Act, 1996; SEBI Depositories and Participants Regulations 1996 and 2012; Types of Depositories - NSDL, CDSL and Depository Participant; - International Securities Identification Number (ISIN) - Settlement of Off- Market Transactions: Insider Trading - Legal Framework for Investor Protection in India; Internet Initiatives at Depository services; Credit Rating- Meaning and Necessity, Methodology of Credit Rating, Credit Rating Agencies in India.

#### **Unit-V: International Stock Market**

Meaning, Environment, Raising of Finance in International Markets, Euro Issues, GDRs and ADRs Guidelines for Raising Funds in International Markets through various Instruments; Working of International Stock Exchanges with respect to their Size - Listing Requirements, Membership, Clearing and Settlement of New York Stock Exchange, NASDAQ, London Stock Exchange, Tokyo Stock Exchange, Luxembourg Stock Exchange, German and France Stock Exchanges.

- 1. Cornett M. M and Sauders, Fundamentals of Financial Institutions Management, McGraw Hill
- 2. Dalton, John, How the Stock Market Works, Prentice Hall, New Delhi
- 3. E Gordon & K. Natarajan, Capital Market in India, Himalaya Publishing House
- 4. M.Y. khan, Indian Financial System, TMH, Asaf Ali Road, New Delhi
- 5. Mandura Jeff, Financial Markets and Institutions, West Publishing Company
- 6. Mark Grinblatt, and Sheridan Titman, Financial Market and Corporate Strategy, Tata McGraw Hill
- 7. Meir Khon, Financial Institutions and Markets, Oxford University Press
- 8. N R Parasuraman, Fundamentals of Financial Derivatives, Wiley Publications, New Delhi.
- 9. Sundaram and Das, Derivatives Principles and Practice, TMH, New Delhi.
- 10. V A. Avadhani, Financial Services in India, Himalaya Publishing House

#### **Group-(CT) Costing and Taxation**

#### **Course – SC-1.6 (CT): Principles and Practice of Taxation**

#### Weekly Teaching Hours: 4

Objective: To acquaint the students with the basic principles of taxation, tax policy, and structure

Examination Duration: 3 Hours

#### **Unit-I: Introduction**

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Tax Policy and Tax Base; Objectives of Tax Policy; Canons of Taxation; Determinants of Tax Yield; Effects of Taxes on Money and Real burden, Classification of Taxes: Direct and Indirect Taxes; OECD Classification; Progressive, Proportional and Regressive Taxes; Ad Valorem and Specific Taxes.

#### **Unit-II: Tax Ratio, Tax Effort and Tax Incidence**

Tax - GDP Ratio: Meaning, Significance and Determinants; Trends in Tax- GDP Ratio in India; Inter- Country Comparisons; Tax Capacity and Tax Effort; Tax Equity- Need and Approaches - Benefit Principle of Taxation and ability to Pay Principle of Taxation; Meaning and Types of Tax Incidence; Factors Determining Extent of Tax Shifting; Efficiency; Excess burden of Taxation; Administrative Costs; Compliance Costs; Distribution of Tax burden.

#### **Unit-III: Tax Evasion and Tax Avoidance**

Meaning of Tax Evasion and Tax Avoidance; Causes and Consequences of Tax Evasion, Methods to Curb Tax Evasion; Tax Evasion in India;

#### **Unit-IV: Tax Incentives**

Tax Incentives - Rationale, Benefits and Costs of Tax Incentives; Types of Tax Incentives; Tax Holidays, Investment Allowance, Deductions, Reinvestment Incentives.

#### **Unit-V: Constitutional Provisions Pertaining to Taxes in India**

Rationale for Constitutional Arrangements; Distribution of Taxation Powers between the Center and States in the Constitution of India; Sharing of Central Taxes; Recommendations of the Fourteenth Finance Commission.

- 01. Easson, A., Tax Incentives for Foreign Direct Investment. New York: Kluwer Law International.
- 02. Musgrave, R. & Musgrave, P., Public Finance in Theory and Practice. McGraw Hill Book Company: New York.
- 03. Peerzade, S. A., Economics of Taxation. New Delhi: Atlantic Publishers & Distributors Pvt. Ltd.
- 04. Shome, P., Tax Policy Handbook. Washington, D. C.: International Monetary Fund, MF.
- 05. Sury, M. M., Tax Systems in India: Evolution and Present Structure. New Century Publications: New Delhi.

#### **Group-(HM) Human Resource and Marketing**

#### **Course - SC-1.6 (HM): Human Resource Management**

#### Weekly Teaching Hours: 4

Examination Duration: 3 Hours

**Objective:** To acquaint students with the concepts of human resource management and their application to solving HR-related workplace problems.

#### **Unit-I: Introduction**

Human Resource Management: Concept, Objectives, Scope, Features of HRM, Role and Importance of HRM, Policies and Practices of HRM, Functions and Challenges of HRM. SHRM: Concept, Importance and Nature.

#### **Unit-II: HR Acquisition & Retention**

Human Resource Planning: Definition, Objective, Need and Importance, HRP Process, Barriers to HRP. Job Analysis: Job Description & Job Specification - Job Design: Factors affecting Job Design, Job Enrichment Vs Job Enlargement. Recruitment & Selection: Sources of Recruitment, Selection Process, Difference between Recruitment and Selection - Induction and Orientation, Career Planning: Process of career planning and development, Succession Planning Process, Transfer and Promotion. Retention of Employees: Importance and Strategies of Retention.

#### **Unit-III: Managing Employee Performance and Training**

Performance Appraisal & Performance Management: Definition, Objective, Importance, Appraisal Process and Appraisal Methods. Performance Appraisal Vs Performance Management, Potential Management - Training and Development: Definition, Scope, Role and Objectives of Training, Training and Development Process, Types of Training, Evaluation of Training Effectiveness, Difference between Training and Development, E-Learning.

#### **Unit-IV: Compensation Management**

Compensation Management: Concept, Objectives, and Importance, Process and Current Trends in Compensation, Factors in the compensation plan, Wage/Salary Differentials, Components of salary. Incentives and Benefits: Financial & Nonfinancial Incentive, Fringe Benefits. Employees Separation: Concepts & Methods of Retirement, Termination, VRS, Golden Handshake, Suspension.

#### **Unit-V: Emerging Trends in HRM**

HRIS: Need, Advantages & Uses of HRIS. HR Accounting: Concepts, Objectives, Advantages, Limitations & Methods - HR Audit: Concept, Objective, Scope & Process - HR Shared Services: Concept, Objective, Benefits and Issues of HR Shared Services.

- 1. Human Resource Management, Dr S.S. Khanka, Sultan Chanda, Delhi
- 2. Human Resource Management, Deepak Bhattacharya, Sage Publishing Ltd.
- 3. Human Resource Management, Dr. P.C.Pardeshi, Niramli Publication
- 4. Human Resource Management, R.S.Dwiwedi, Vikas Publishing House.
- 5. Human Resource Management, C.B.Mamoria, Himalaya Publishing House
- 6. Human Resource Management, Gary Dessler Dorling Kindersley Pvt Ltd.
- 7. Human Resource Management, Text and Cases, K Aswathappa, Tata McGraw Hill Publishing Company.
- 8. Human Resource Management, Theory and Practices, R. C. Sharma, Nipun Sharma, Sage Publication
- 9. Human Resource Management, Arun Monppa, Tata McGraw Hill Publishing Company
- 10. Human Resource Management, Appasaba L.V and Kadakol A M., College Book House

#### Semester – II

#### **Course - HC-2.1: Corporate Restructuring**

Weekly Teaching Hours: 4

Examination Duration: 3 Hours

**Objective**: The objective of the course is to teach the basic issues and techniques of corporate restructuring and corporate valuation.

#### **Unit-I: Introduction**

Meaning of Corporate Restructuring, Reasons for Corporate Restructuring, Significance of Corporate Restructuring, Forms of Corporate Restructuring, Sources of Value Creation in Corporate Restructuring, and Effects of Corporate Restructuring.

#### **Unit-II: Mergers and Acquisitions**

Meaning, Types and Motives for Corporate Mergers, Mergers and Strategic Perspective, Sources of Value Creation in Mergers, Synergy and Types - Theories of Corporate Mergers, Efficiency Theories, Information and Signaling, Agency Problems and Managerialism, Free Cash Flow, Market Power, Taxes and Redistribution, Cost and Benefits of Mergers, Methods of Financing of Mergers.

#### **Unit-III: Valuation, Exchange Rate and Merger Failures**

Legal Procedure for Mergers in India, Merger Trends in India - Methods of Valuation of Target Firms, Share Exchange Rate - Minimum and Maximum, EPS V/S MPS Methods, Discounted Cash Flow Analysis, Merger Gains and Distribution, Methods of Analysis of Post-Merger Performance.

#### **Unit-IV: Corporate Control**

Meaning, Objectives and Types of Takeovers, Open Offer V/S Tender Offer, SEBI's Takeover Code, Takeover Defenses - Need, Types and Effect of Takeover Defenses, Takeovers in India and Defenses Employed, Financing of Takeovers.

#### **Unit-V: Industrial Sickness**

Meaning, Causes, Symptoms of Industrial Sickness, Magnitude of Sickness, Univariate and Multivariate Methods of Sickness Prediction - Magnitude and Reasons for Industrial Sickness of SSI and Non-SSI Units in India, Summary of Tiwari Committee Recommendations, BIFR Establishment, Objectives, Procedure and Working Measures for Control of Industrial Sickness.

- 1. J.F.Weston, K.S.Chung & S.E.Hoag, Mergers Restructuring and Corporate Control, Prentice Hall of India, New Delhi
- 2. Khan and Jain Financial Management TMH, New Delhi.
- 3. Pandey, I.M. Financial Management, Vikas Publications, New Delhi.
- 4. Patrick Ganghan Mergers, Acquisitions and Corporate Restructuring John Wiley.
- 5. Prasanna Chandra Financial Management TMH, New Delhi.
- 6. Stephen Ross, Wsterfield Jaffee Corporate Finance, 7th Edition TMH, New Delhi.
- 7. Sudarshan, Creating Value through Mergers and Acquisition, PHI, New Delhi.

#### **Course - HC-2.2: Quantitative Techniques**

Weekly Teaching Hours: 4

Examination Duration: 3 Hours

**Objective:** The objective of this course is to acquaint the students with quantitative techniques that play an important role in analysing business issues to take effective managerial decisions.

#### **Unit-I: Introduction**

Meaning and Definition of Quantitative Techniques, Linkage between Business Decision Making and Quantitative Techniques, Different Quantitative Techniques, Areas for Application of Quantitative Techniques in Business. Types of Decisions; Steps in Decision Making; Quantitative Analysis and Decision Making; Different types of Models and their Uses; Model Building Steps.

#### **Unit-II: Linear Programming**

Introduction, Importance and Scope of Quantitative Techniques, Optimization Concept, Operations Research Models; Linear Programming - Introduction to Linear Programming, Problem Formulation, Product Mix and Managerial Applications, Graphical Method of Problem Solving, Alternate solution of Linear Programming Problems, Simplex Method, Duality in Linear Programming, Formulation of Dual Problems, Advantages, and Economic Interpretation of Dual Variables.

#### **Unit-III: Transportation Models**

Introduction, Nature and Scope of Transportation and Allocation Models, Methods of Allocation, Different Methods for Finding Initial Solution; VAM, North West Corner Rule, and other Methods, Degeneracy, Finding Optimal Solution, Test for Optimality, Imbalance in Total Availability and Total Requirement, Impossible Shipments, Alternate Methods of Solutions, and Maximization as Objective Application.

#### **Unit-IV: Inventory and Queuing Management**

Concepts of Inventory Management; Inventory Models, EOQ with Price Breaks, EOQ Model for Production Runs, Planned Shortage Model - Deciding Optimum Safety Stock and Reorder Level, Probabilistic Model; Techniques of Selective Control. Queuing Models: Elements of a Queuing System; Models with Poisson Arrival and Exponential Services; Cost Behaviour Analysis. Simulation: Monte Carlo Simulation, Application of Simulation in Inventory Management and Queuing Situation.

#### **Unit-V: Network Models**

Introduction to PERT and CPM Techniques, Determination of Critical Path - PERT, Estimating Activity Times, Network Components, Precedence, Events, Activities, Errors and Dummies, Critical Path Analysis, Float, Probabilities in PERT Analysis, Project Time Calculation, Project Crashing, Time, and Cost Considerations.

- 1. Anitha H S, Operations Research for Management, Mangala Deep Publications, Jaipur.
- 2. Gupta and Khanna, Quantitative Techniques for Decision Making, Prentice Hall of India.
- 3. J K Sharma, Quantitative Techniques, Macmillan India
- 4. K. Shridhar Bhat, Operation Research and Quantitative Techniques, Himalaya Publishing House
- 5. Kalavathy S: Operations Research, New Delhi: Vikas Publishing House
- 6. Kapoor V.K., Operations Research: Concepts, Problems and Solutions, Sultan Chand & Sons.
- 7. Kothari C R: Introduction to Operational Research, New Delhi: Vikas
- 8. N. P Agarwal, Sonia Agarwal, and Himanshu Saxena, Quantitative Techniques, Professional RBD Publications
- 9. Srivastava and Others, Quantitative Techniques, New Age International
- 10. Vohra N D: Quantitative Techniques in Management, New Delhi: Tara McGraw-Hill

**Objective:** To enable the students to understand the dynamics of entrepreneurial development and imbibe the qualities to become the entrepreneurs.

#### **Unit-I: Introduction**

The Concept of Entrepreneur, Entrepreneurial Mindset, Entrepreneur V/S Small Business Owner, Characteristics associated with Entrepreneurship, The Myths of Entrepreneurship, The Schools of Entrepreneurial Thought; Macro (Environmental, Financial, Displacement) Micro (Trait, Venture Opportunity, Strategic formulation), Typology of Entrepreneurial Styles, Entrepreneur and Risk.

#### **Unit-II: Entrepreneurial Creativity and Innovation**

Opportunity Identification, Sources of Innovative Ideas, Entrepreneurial Creativity, Components, Indicators, Creative Process, Developing Individual's Creativity, Impediments, Creative Climate, Arenas of Creativity, Innovation - Concepts, Myths, Principles.

#### **Unit-III: Initiating Ventures**

Pathways to New Ventures, New-New and New-Old Approach, Acquiring an Established Venture, Opportunities, Advantages, Do's and Don'ts, Franchising, Features, Advantages and Disadvantages, Types of Franchising in India- Start Ups in India, Concept, Pitfalls in Selection of New Ventures.

#### **Unit-IV: Business Plan for New Ventures**

Concept of Business Plan, Pitfalls in Planning, Benefits, Developing a Business Plan, Elements of Plan, Hints to Prepare a Plan, Updating a Plan, Preparing a Business Plan, Phases of Starting a Small Scale Industry.

#### **Unit-V: Entrepreneurship**

The Indian Way; History, Global Indian Entrepreneur, Modern Entrepreneurs, Institutions Facilitating Entrepreneurship; Ministry of MSME, NIESBUD, EDI, Development Commissioner, CREED, ISB, WCED, NEN, SEE, NSTEDB, Ministry of SD & E-Credit Rating by CMERA.

- 1. N Desai, Entrepreneurship Management, Ashish Publishing House.
- 2. M. Bammback and J. R. Manscusu, Entrepreneurship and Venture Management, Prentice Hall of India.
- Chandra Prasanna, Project Preparation, Appraisal and Implementation, Tata Mcgraw Hill.
   D.F. Kuratko and T.V.Roa, Entrepreneurship-A South Asian Perspective, Cenage Learning India Pvt. Ltd.2016
- 5. Hall B. L, Pickle and Yance, Small Business Management, John Wiley & Sons, USA.
- 6. Kenneth R. Van Vloorthis, Entrepreneurship and Small Business Management, Allyn and Bacon.
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- 8. P. Gopal Krishnan and V. E Rama Moorthy, Project Management, Macmillan India.
- 9. Prasanna Chandra, Projects: Planning, Analysis, Selection, Implementation and Review, Tata Mcgraw Hill.
- 10. Vasanth Desai, The Dynamics of Entrepreneurial Development and Management, Himalaya Publishing House.

#### Course - HC-2.4: Advanced Corporate Accounting

Examination Duration: 3 Hours

Weekly Teaching Hours: 4

**Objective:** The objective of this course is to acquaint the students with company accounts and the

issues related with accounting practices.

#### **Unit-I: Company Accounts**

Introduction, Provisions Relating to Maintenance of Accounts, Forms and Contents of Balance Sheet and Statement of Profit and Loss, Schedule III of Companies Act, 2014; Typical Adjustments Related to Company Final Accounts, Managerial Remuneration and Preparation of Final Accounts. (Theory and Problems)

#### **Unit-II: Accounting for Amalgamation**

Introduction, Forms of Amalgamation, Requisitions of the Companies Act, 2013; Types of Amalgamation, Methods of Accounting for Amalgamation, Intercompany debts and Inventories, Intercompany Investments. (Theory and Problems)

#### **Unit-III: Accounting for Holding Companies**

Meaning and definition, Requirements of Companies Act, 2013; Consolidation of Financial Statements and Accounting Standards, Accounting Treatment and Disclosures, Single Subsidiary, Chain Holdings and Cross Holdings. (Theory and Problems)

#### **Unit-IV: Accounting for Buy Back of Shares**

Introduction, Objectives of Buy Back, Conditions of Buy Back, Benefits and Limitations of Buy Back, Sources of Buy Back, Buy Back of Securities under Companies Act, 2013. Securities Premium Account, Proceeds of an Earlier Issue, Rule 17 of the Companies Rules, 2014; Methods of Buy Back (Theory and Problems)

#### **Unit-V: Accounting for Financial Instruments**

Meaning, Definition, Methods of trading - Margin, Option. Financial Instruments - Recognition, and Measurement - Presentation and Disclosures (Theory and Problems)

- 1. Gupta and Radhaswami, Advanced Accountancy, Vol. II, Sultan Chand, New Delhi.
- 2. Hanif and Mukherji, Advanced Accountancy.
- 3. Jain and Narang, Advanced Accountancy, Vol. II, Kalyani, New Delhi.
- 4. P.V. Ratnam, Advanced Accountancy, Konark, New Delhi.
- 5. Rishikesh Chakraborty, Advanced Accounts, Oxford, New Delhi.
- 6. S.N. Maheshwari, Advanced Accountancy, Vol. II, Vikas, New Delhi.
- 7. Shukla and Grewal, Advanced Accounts, Vol.II, S. Chand and Co., New Delhi

#### **Course – OEC- 2.5.1: Fundamentals of Business**

#### Weekly Teaching Hours: 4

**Examination Duration: 3 Hours** 

**Objectives:** The objective of the course is to acquaint the students with the basic business trends, forms of ownership, consumer protection act and business environment.

#### **Unit-I: Introduction to Business**

Concepts of Business, Need and Importance of Business, Principles and Process of Business, Factors affecting Business, Tools of Business, Financing of Business Planning, Relevance of Business with other Discipline, Ethical Behaviour in Business.

#### **Unit-II: Forms of Ownership**

Meaning, Definition, Nature, Scope and Importance of Ownership - Public, Private and Joint Sector Enterprise, Sole Proprietorships, Partnerships, Joint Hindu Family Business, Cooperative Society, Joint Stock Company, and Statutory Corporation.

#### **Unit-III: Business Environment**

Concept of Business Environment, Meaning, Definition, Nature and Importance of Business Environment, Levels of the Business Environment, Types of Business Environment - Internal, External, Micro and Macro.

#### **Unit-IV: Consumer Protection Act**

Introduction, Definition; Consumer, Defect, Deficiency and Unfair Trade Practices, Manufacturer, Consumer Councils, Consumer Protection Redressal Agencies- Jurisdiction. Penalties for Frivolous Complaints; Consumer Protection Act-2019.

#### **Unit-V: Recent Trends in Business**

Concept of Start-up India, Make in India; Use of Artificial Intelligence, Role of Leadership, Business Collaboration; Digitalization of Business; E-Business, E-Finance, E-Marketing.

- 1. Ashwatappa K, Essentials of Business Environment, Himalaya Publishing House.
- 2. Dr. S. K. Mandal: Fundamental of Business: Principles and Practice.
- 3. Francis Cherunilam, Business Environment Text & Cases Himalaya Publications.
- 4. M.C. Kuchhal Business Legislation for Management 2nd ed. Vikas Publishing.
- 5. Prof. H.D Pithawalla, Consumer Protection Act, C. Jamnadas and Co.
- 6. R. N. Prasad and Acharya Seema, Fundamentals of Business Analytics, Wiley India Pvt. Ltd.
- 7. Raj Agrawal and Parag Diwan, Business Environment; Excel Books, New Delhi
- 8. Tandon B.C: Environment and Entrepreneur; Chugh Publications, Allahabad.
- 9. V. K. Bhalla and S. Shiva Ramu, International Business-Environment and management, Anmol Publications
- 10. Harold Koontz, O'Donnell and Heinz Weihrich, "Essentials of Management' New Delhi, Tata McGraw Hill.
- 11. R.D. Agrawal, "Organization and Management" New Delhi, Tata McGraw Hill.
- 12. Y.K. Bhushan: Fundamentals of Business Organisation & Management, Sultan Chand & Sons.

#### Course - OEC- 2.5.2: Basics of Income Tax

Examination Duration: 3 Hours

#### Weekly Teaching Hours: 4

**Objective:** To provide the basic knowledge of income and taxes on income to students in order to manage their tax liability efficiently.

#### **Unit-I: Introduction to Income Tax**

Brief History of Indian Income Tax - Legal Framework - Types of Taxes - Definitions - Assessment Year - Previous Year - Residential Status - Determination of Residential Status - Income - Scope of Total Income - Exempted Income - Agricultural Income - Capital Income and Expenditure - Revenue Income and Expenditure

#### **Unit-II: Income from Salary**

Meaning – Definition - Basis of Charge– Advance Salary – Arrears of Salary – Allowances – Perquisites– Provident Funds - Profits in Lieu of Salary – Gratuity -Commutation of Pension - Encashment of Earned leave -Deductions from Salary u/s 16 – Problems on Income from Salary (Only Individual Assessee).

#### **Unit-III: Income from House Property**

Basis of Charge; Deemed Owners, Exempted Incomes from House Property –Composite Rent - Annual Value – Determination of Annual Value – Treatment of Unrealized Rent – Loss due to Vacancy – Deductions from Annual Value – Problems on Income from House Property.

#### **Unit-IV: Computation of Total Income**

Income from Business or Profession, Capital Gains, Other Sources (Theory only) and deductions u/s 80C, 80D and 80G - Simple Problems on Computation of Total income of an Individual Assessee.

#### **Unit-V: Tax Management, Administrative Procedure and ICDS**

Tax Deduction at Source (excluding sections relevant to non-residents), Tax Collected at Source, Advance Tax - Administrative Procedures - Return & PAN, Intimation, Brief concepts of Assessment u/s 140A, 143 and 144 – ICDS: Basic Concepts of ICD

- 1. B. B. Lal and Vashist, Direct Taxes, Konark Publisher (P) ltd.
- 2. Dinkar Pagare, Income Tax Law and Practice, Sultan Chand &Sons, New Delhi.
- 3. Dr. Vinod Sighania, Direct Taxes, Taxman publication, New Delhi
- 4. Gaur V.P & Narang K.L., Income Tax Law and Practice, Kalyani Publishers, New Delhi.
- 5. Mehrotra and Goyal, Direct Taxes Law and Practice, Sahitya Bhavan Publication.
- 6. Income Tax Law and Practice: Gaur and Narang
- 7. Vinod K. Singhania: Students' Guide to Income Tax, Taxman Publications, New Delhi.
- 8. Government of India- Income Tax Manual 5. Income Tax Act and Latest Finance Act

#### **Group-(AF) Accounting and Finance**

#### **Course - SC-2.6 (AF): Accounting for Specialized Institutions**

#### Weekly Teaching Hours: 4

Examination Duration: 3 Hours

**Objective:** The course objective is to provide a critical understanding of accounting practices of various institutions, which enables students to develop accounting skills that will help them to practice the course in an effective manner.

#### **Unit I- Accounting of Insurance Companies:**

Legal provisions as per Insurance Act, 1930, LIC Act 1956 and GIC Act 1972 revenue account and final account of life and non life insurance companies, IRDA Act 1938 and provisions relating to final accounts.

#### **Unit II- Double Account System:**

Meaning of double account system, difference between single and double account system, advantage and disadvantages

#### **Unit III- Accounting of Banking companies:**

Legal provisions as per Banking Regulation Act, Narasimhan Committee recommendations and NPA treatment, classification of banking companies' assets, capital adequacy ratio and preparation of financial statements.

#### **Unit IV-Accounting for Hotels:**

Meaning, objectives and significance of hotel accounting: Visitor's ledger: methods of accounting and preparation of final accounts of hotel undertakings.

#### **Unit V-Accounting for Hospitals:**

Meaning, Need and significance of hospital accounting; forms of balance sheet, income statement- capital and revenue expenditure, and adjustments.

#### **Reference Books:**

- 1. S.N. Maheshwari, Advanced Accounting, Vol.II, Vikas Delhi.
- 2. Shukla and Grewal, Advance Accounting, Vol.II, S. Chand and Sons, New Delhi.
- 3. R.L. Gupta and Radhaswamy Advanced Accounting, Vol.II, Sultan Chand and Sons, New Delhi.
- 4. Hrishikesh Chakraborty, Advanced Accounting, Vol.II, Oxford Publishing House, New Delhi.
- 5. Jain and Narang, Advanced Accounting, Vol.II, Kalyani, New Delhi.
- 6. C.T. Horngren Introduction to Financial Accounting, PHI, New Delhi.
- 7. Mark, E., Harkins, International Financial Reporting and Analysis, TMH, New Delhi.
- 8. Thomas, P. Edmonds, Fundamentals of Financial Accounting Concepts, TMH, New Delhi.
- 9. Robert Libby, Financial Accounting, TMH, New Delhi.

Note: Latest edition of readings may be used

#### **Group-(CT) Costing and Taxation**

#### **Course - SC-2.6 (CT): Production and Operations Management**

Weekly Teaching Hours: 4

**Examination Duration: 3 Hours** 

**Objective:** To impart the knowledge regarding production and operations management techniques, process, tools, and acquaint the students with the skills of managing production and operations in organizations.

#### **Unit-I: Introduction:**

Historical Evolution of Production and Operations Management, production, production system and its classification, Production Management, Operations and operations management – objectives, Scope of Production and Operations Management, Characteristics of modern productions and operations, Duties and responsibilities of production manager, Recent trends in production and operations management, Managing Global Operations.

#### **Unit-II: Plant Location and Layout:**

Meaning, Need for Selecting a Suitable Location, freedom of location, errors in selection of location, Factors Influencing Plant Location, Steps in location selection, plant location models. Plant Layoutmeaning, objectives and principles, Classification of Layout, Design of product, process and service layout, Methods of selection of layouts.

#### **UNIT-III: Purchase Management:**

Meaning, definition, objectives and functions of purchasing, Parameters of Purchasing, purchasing cycle, purchasing policies, Make or buy decisions, Role of Purchase manager, Vendor rating. Inventory Management- Meaning of Inventory, Reasons for Keeping Inventories, Objectives of Inventory Control, Benefits of Inventory Control, Techniques of Inventory Control, Inventory Model.

#### **Unit -IV: Design of Work Systems:**

Work Study- Meaning, definition, objectives, benefits and procedure. Work measurementmeaning, definition, benefits and techniques. Productivity and Employees. Scheduling - Principles of Scheduling, Scheduling Strategies, Types of Scheduling, Scheduling Methodology.

#### **Unit-V: Quality Management:**

Inspection- meaning, objectives and scope, Quality Control, Fundamental Factors Affecting Quality, Seven Tools for Quality Control, Statistical Quality Control- meaning, advantages and techniques, Types of Control Charts, construction of control charts, Total Quality Management.

- 1. K Aswathappa K Shridhara. Bhat, Production and Operations Management, Himalaya Bombay.
- 2. Chary, Production and Operations Management, TMH, New Delhi.
- 3. Richard B. Chase, Production and Operations Management, TMH, New Delhi.
- 4. Mahadevan, The New Manufacturing Architecture, TMH, New Delhi. Nair.
- 5. Adam and others, Productions and Operations Management, PHI, New Delhi.
- 6. Chunawalla and Patel, Production and Operations Management, Himalaya, Bombay.

#### **Group-(HM) Human Resource and Marketing**

**Course – SC -2.6 (HM): Consumer Behaviour** 

Weekly Teaching Hours: 4

**Examination Duration: 3 Hours** 

**Objective:** To provide an in-depth understanding of the consumer buying process and their determinants as relevant for marketing decision making.

#### **Unit-I: Consumer Behaviour**

Importance and Nature of Consumer Behaviour; Types of Consumers and their Role; Consumer Behaviour and Marketing Concepts; Changing Profile of Indian Consumers and New Consumption Patterns; Conducting Consumer Research - Overview of Process, Complexities and Issues.

#### **Unit-II: Consumer Decision Making Process**

Buying Motives; Buying Roles; Consumer Buying Process; Stages and Levels of Consumer Decision Making; Business Buying Behaviour - An Overview; Theories of Motivation and its Application.

#### **Unit-III: Personal Factors Affecting Consumer Behaviour**

Demographic Characteristics; Family, Family Life Cycle and Consumer Decision Making; Household Influence on Consumer Buying Behaviour; Needs and Motivation; Perception; Perceptual Mapping and Positioning; Value Perceptions; Attitude and Attitude Change; Attitude Models; Learning and Learning Theories; Consumer involvement- Antecedents and Consequences; Personality- Concept and Personality Theories; Psychographics; Life Style and Applications.

#### **Unit-IV: Socio - Cultural Determinants of Consumer Behaviour**

Reference Group Influences- Theories of Reference Group and Applications; WOM Communication and Opinion Leaders; Social Class and Social Class Stratification in India; Understanding Cultural and Sub- Cultural influences on Individual, Norms and their Role, Customs, Traditions and Value System; Consumer Socialization and Inter-Generational Influences; Cross-Cultural Dimensions of Consumer Behaviour.

#### Unit-V: Models of Consumer Behaviour and Business Buying Behaviour

An Overview of Contemporary Models; Deterministic and Probabilistic Approaches; Contemporary Models of Consumer Behaviour.

- 1. Assael, H. Consumer Behaviour and Marketing Action. New Delhi: Cengage Learning.
- 2. Blackwell, R. D., Miniard, P. D., & Engle, J. F. Consumer Behaviour. USA: Thomson-South Western.
- 3. Evans, M., Jamal, A., & Foxall, G. Consumer Behaviour, New Jersey: John Wiley & Sons.
- 4. Hawkins, D. I., Mothersbaugh, D. L. & Mookerjee, A. Consumer Behavior: Building Marketing Strategy. New Delhi:McGraw-Hill.
- 5. Lindquist, J. D., & Sirgy, J. M. Consumer Behaviour. New Delhi: Cengage Learning.
- 6. Lindstrom M. Buyology: Truth and Lies About Why We Buy and The New Science of Desire. New York: Business Books.
- 7. Paul, P. J., & Olson, J. C. Consumer Behaviour and Marketing Strategy. McGraw Hill Education.
- 8. Schiffman, L. G., & Kanuk, L. L. Consumer Behaviour. Prentice Hall.

#### **Industrial Tour**

**Objective**: The main objective of industrial tour is to lessen the gap between classroom teaching and practical working environment and to bring some positive intangible changes in the personalities of students. The M.Com programme has number of theoretical and skill based courses taught in all the four semesters. There exists a gap between the theory and practice. Hence, there is a need to bridge this gap. The philosophy underlying the industrial tour is student centric learning and to emphasize on outcome based education. When a student visits the industries his/her abilities get strengthened. This would have a long term impact on the functioning of the institution, teachers and the students. Hence, industrial tour is suggested for M. Com Students.

**Procedure:** The concerned Department teacher / students have to take the permission of the higher authorities through proper channel with adequate plan and permission of the industries. The tour has to cover minimum two industries as per the convenience.

**Industrial visit report**: Every student has to prepare industrial tour report with a minimum of 5 pages stating the outcome of this visit and submit to the department within 10 days of completion of the tour.

**Outcome:** The students shall have a practical experience which support for the personality development. The institution will also be benefitted by establishing industry linkages.

#### **Question Paper Pattern for Semester-End Examinations**

#### Each Question paper shall be divided into three sections.

#### **Section – A**: Maximum Marks: 20

One question comprising twelve sub-questions (minimum of two questions from each unit) and the students have to answer any ten sub-questions. Each sub-question carries two marks. For the purpose of convenience, the students shall answer any ten sub-questions of this section at one place continuously in the initial pages.

#### **Section – B**: Maximum Marks: 15

Three questions shall be answered out of five questions (each unit one question). Out of five questions, three shall be problems in case of practical courses and two theory questions. Each question carries five marks.

#### **Section – C:** Maximum Marks: 45

Three questions shall be answered out of five questions (each unit one question). Out of five questions, three shall be problems in case of practical courses and two theory questions. Each question carries fifteen marks.

Note: Calculator, Mathematical Table and Present Value Table are allowed wherever needed.

#### MODEL QUESTION PAPER

#### I/II/III/IV SEMESTER DEGREE EXAMINATION

(CBCS)

	Exam Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks
	80
	<b>SECTION:</b> A (10*2=20)
1.	Answer any TEN of the following sub-questions. Each sub-question carries TWO marks
a.	
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c. d.	
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	<b>SECTION:</b> B (3*5=15)
	Answer any THREE of the following questions. Each question carries FIVE marks (Three problems should be given out of five questions in case of practical courses)
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0.	<b>SECTION:</b> B (3*15=45)
	Answer any THREE of the following questions. Each question carries FIFTEEN marks (Three problems should be given out of five questions in case of practical courses)
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