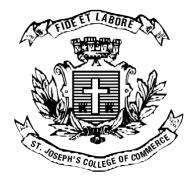
St. Joseph's College of Commerce

(Autonomous) 163, Brigade Road, Bengaluru – 560 025

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Bachelor of Commerce - Honours (BPM - Industry Integrated)

Semester V & VI

Syllabus as per National Education Policy 2020 Curriculum Framework w.e.f., 2021-2022

Academic Year 2023 – 2024

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St. Joseph's College of Commerce

(An Autonomous Institution affiliated to Bengaluru City University)

St. Joseph's College of Commerce (SJCC) was formerly a part of St. Joseph's College, established in the year 1882. The college management was later transferred to the Jesuits. The Commerce Department was established in the year 1949 and it became an independent college with its own building in Brigade Road in the year 1972.

The college has in its Vision a model for higher education which encourages individuals to dream of a socially just world and in its Mission a strategy to empower individuals in realizing that dream.

With an objective of imparting quality education in the field of Commerce and Management, the college has been innovating in all aspects of higher education over a long period of time. These innovations were further bolstered with the granting of autonomous status to the college by UGC in September 2005. From then on, the college has taken a lead in reforming curriculum and syllabus, examination and evaluation pattern and teaching and learning methods through the Board of Studies, the Academic Council and the Governing Council comprising of eminent academicians, industry representatives and notable alumni.

The college has undergone four cycles of NAAC accreditation starting from the year 2000 in which it secured 'five stars', next in the year 2007 an 'A' grade, in the year 2012 again an 'A' grade and recently in February 2021 an 'A++'. It is one of the very few institutions in the country to have secured A++ grade in the fourth cycle under the Revised Accreditation Framework (RAF) and the first college in Karnataka to do so. The college was declared as a 'College with Potential for Excellence' in the year 2010. In 2011, SJCC was recognized as a Research Centre by Bangalore University. The college has been ranked 65th in the National Institutional Ranking Framework (NIRF) ratings of Ministry of Education, Government of India, in 2023 and it has been the only institution from Karnataka to make it consistently to the top 100 in the country.

The college offers diverse Honours programmes in Commerce and Business Administration. Under Commerce Studies it offers B.Com, B.Com (Professional-International Accounting and Finance), B.Com (BPM- Industry Integrated), B.Com (Travel and Tourism), B.Com (Analytics), B.Com (Professional - Strategic Finance), M.Com (Finance & Taxation/ Marketing & Analytics), M.Com (International Business) & M.Com (Financial Analysis). Under Business Administration it offers BBA, BBA (Entrepreneurship) and BBA (Professional- Finance and Accountancy). The college also offers six one-year Post Graduate Diploma programmes.

ABOUT THE DEPARTMENT

The B.Com Department of St. Joseph's College of Commerce has efficiently streamlined all its courses to reflect an interdisciplinary approach to understanding

the contemporary business environment. Its aim is to construct a strong foundation in core subjects such as Accounting, Taxation, Economics, Statistics and Auditing along with a choice of Cost Accounting, Finance, Business Analytics, Marketing and Human Resources, studied in the fifth and sixth semester. The courses are challenging, yet, rewarding for students with high aspirations. Our students have been sought after by employers for their excellent knowledge, skills and attitude, giving them an edge over their peers from other institutions. The B.Com Programme of the college is rated amongst the top 10 in the country (India Today, AC Nielson Survey 2016).

OBJECTIVES OF THE B.COM PROGRAMME

- 1. To provide conceptual knowledge and application skills in the domain of Commerce studies.
- 2. To provide knowledge in all the areas of business to be able to meet expectations of Commerce, Trade and Industry.
- 3. To sharpen the students' analytical and decision-making skills.
- 4. To provide a good foundation to students who plan to pursue professional programmes like CA, ICWAI, ACS, CFA and MBA.
- 5. To facilitate students to acquire skills and abilities to become competent and competitive in order to be assured of good careers and job placements.
- 6. To develop entrepreneurship abilities and managerial skills in students so as to enable them to establish and manage their own business establishments effectively.
- 7. To develop ethical business professionals with a broad understanding of business from an interdisciplinary perspective.

Salient Features of four-year Bachelor of Commerce Programme with Multiple Entry and Exit Options:

- 1. The regulations governing the four-year Bachelor of Commerce Programme with Multiple Entry and Exit Options shall be applicable with effect from the Academic year 2021-2022.
- 2. The Bachelor of Commerce Programme shall be structured in a semester mode with multiple exit options;

Certificate in	On the completion of First Year (two semesters)
Commerce	
Diploma in Commerce	On the completion of Second Year (four
	semesters)
Basic Bachelor Degree	On the completion of Third Year (six semesters)
Bachelor Degree with	On the completion of Fourth Year (eight
Honours	semesters)

*As per the current regulations, exit option is <u>only</u> after 6 semesters and 8 semesters.

3. The four-year undergraduate honours degree holders with research

component and a suitable grade are eligible to enter the **Doctoral Programme** in a relevant discipline

- 4. The students who exit with Certification, Diploma or Basic Bachelor Degree shall be eligible to re-enter the programme at the exit level to complete the programme or to complete the next level.
- 5. The four-year Bachelor of Commerce Programme offers a wide range of multidisciplinary courses with exposure to other disciplines, specializations and areas. The programme aptly caters to knowledge, ability, vocational, professional and skill enhancement along with focus on humanities, arts, social, physical and life sciences, mathematics, sports etc.
- 6. The four-year Bachelor of Commerce Programme combines conceptual understanding with practical engagement through lab courses, national and international field visits, internship, conferences, workshops, seminars, case study analysis, group discussions and research projects.
- 7. A wide range of **Skill Enhancement Courses** are offered in the first four semesters to enhance language and communication, logical reasoning, critical thinking, problem solving, data analytics and life skills.
- 8. In each of the first four semester students will have an option of studying a course from other disciplines. Students will be given an option to choose from a pool of **Open Elective Courses** that provide exposure to multiple disciplines and thereby making the programme truly multi-disciplinary.
- 9. Students can make a choice of a *specialization/elective* in the 3rd and the 4th year of the programme.

I. ELIGIBILITY FOR ADMISSION

Candidates who have completed the two-year Pre-University course of Karnataka State or its equivalent are eligible for admission into this Programme.

II. DURATION OF THE PROGRAMME

The duration of the undergraduate degree programme is four years (eight semesters) with multiple entry and exit options, within this period. The students can exit after the completion of one academic year (two-semesters) with a Certificate in the discipline; Diploma after the study of two academic years (four Semesters) and Basic Bachelor Degree after the completion of three academic years (six Semesters). The successful completion of Four-Year undergraduate Programme would lead to Bachelor Degree with Honours in the discipline.

III. MEDIUM OF INSTRUCTION

The medium of instruction shall be English.

IV. ATTENDANCE

- **a.** A student shall be considered to have satisfied the requirement of attendance for the semester, if he/she has attended not less than 75% in aggregate of the number of working periods in each of the courses, compulsorily.
- **b.** A student who fails to complete the course in the manner stated above shall not be permitted to take the End Semester Examination.

V. SUBJECTS OF STUDY: THE COMPONENTS OF CURRICULUM FOR FOUR-YEAR MULTIDISCIPLINARY UNDERGRADUATE B.COM PROGRAMME

Category of	Objectives/ Outcomes
Courses	
Languages	Language courses equip students with communication
	skills, critical and creative thinking, familiarity with issues
	pertaining to society and culture and skills of expression
	and articulation. They also provide students with a
	foundation for learning other courses.
Ability	Ability enhancement courses are the generic skill courses
Enhancement	that enable students to develop a deeper sense of
Courses	commitment to oneself and to the society and nation
	largely.
Skill	Skill Enhancement Courses enhance skills pertaining to a
Enhancement	particular field of study to increase their employability/
Courses	self-employment. These courses may be chosen from a pool
	of courses designed to provide value-based and/or
	skill-based knowledge.
Vocational	Vocational Enhancement courses enhance skills
Enhancement	pertaining to a particular field of study to increase their
courses	employability/ self- employment.
Foundation/	These courses will supplement in a better understanding
Discipline based	of how to apply the knowledge gained in classrooms to
Introductory	societal issues.
Courses	
Major Discipline	Major Discipline Core Courses aim to cover the basics that
Core Courses	a student is expected to learn in that particular discipline.
	They provide fundamental knowledge and expertise to
	produce competent and creative graduates with a strong
	scientific, technical and academic acumen.

The category of courses and their descriptions are given in the following table.

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Major Discipline	These courses provide more depth within the discipline
Elective Courses	itself or within a component of the discipline and provide
	advanced knowledge and expertise in an area of the
	discipline.
Open or Generic	Open or Generic Elective Courses are courses chosen
Elective Courses	from an unrelated discipline/ subject, with an intention
	to seek exposure beyond discipline/s of choice.
Project work/	Students shall carry out project work on his/her own with
Dissertation/	an advisory support by a faculty member to produce a
Internship/	dissertation/ project report. Internship/
Entrepreneurship	Entrepreneurship shall be an integral part of the
	Curriculum.
Extension	As part of the objective of Social Concern, the College has
Activities	designed a well-structured Community Outreach
	programme of sixty hours called 'Bembala' (Support). The
	programme includes rural camps, workshops, lectures and
	seminars, teaching programme in Govt Schools or Colleges,
	community service in slums and villages, awareness
	programme in streets, localities, slums or villages and
	public rallies on social issues. The College expects the
	students to be part of the activities organized by the College
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	programme is mandatory for the
D (0	award of degree from the college.
Extra/Co-	The College has a wide range of student associations and
curricular	clubs that provide space for students to develop their
Activities	creative talents. The activities conducted help in
	developing not just the artistic and entrepreneurial
	talents but also helps in character building, spiritual
	growth, physical growth, etc. They facilitate development
	of various domains of mind and personality such as
	intellectual, emotional, social, moral and aesthetic
	developments. Creativity, enthusiasm, and positive
	thinking are some of the facets of personality
	development and the outcomes of these activities.
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VI. CREDIT REQUIREMENT

Credits represent the weightage of a course and are a function of teaching, learning and evaluation strategies such as the number of contact hours, the course content, teaching methodology, learning expectations, maximum marks etc.

Exit Option	Minimum Credit Requirement*				
Certificate in Commerce	51				

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Diploma in Commerce	101
Basic Bachelor Degree	149
Bachelor Degree with Honours	193

*Credits are subject to change as per the NEP guidelines

VII. TEACHING & EVALUATION

M.Com/MBA/MFA/MBS/MTA graduates with B.Com, B.B.A & B.B.S as basic degree from a recognized university are only eligible to teach and to evaluate the courses including part – B courses of I and II semesters (except languages, compulsory additional courses and core Information Technology related courses) mentioned in this regulation. Languages and additional courses shall be taught by the graduates as recognized by the respective board of studies.

VIII. EXAMINATION & EVALUATION

CONTINUOUS FORMATIVE EVALUATION/ INTERNAL ASSESSMENT:

Total marks for each course shall be based on continuous assessment and semester end examinations. As per the decision taken at the Karnataka State Higher Education Council, the total marks for CIA and ESE as per NEP will be 40:60.

TOTAL MARKS FOR EACH COURSE	100%
Continuous assessment – CIA 1	20% marks
Continuous assessment – CIA 2	20% marks
End Semester Examination (ESE)	60% marks

EVALUATION PROCESS OF INTERNAL ASSESSMENT MARKS SHALL BE AS FOLLOWS:

- a) The first component (CIA 1) of assessment is for 20% marks. The second component (CIA 2) of assessment is for 20% marks.
- **b)** During the end of the semester, end semester examination shall be conducted by the college for each course. This forms the third and final component of assessment (C3) and the maximum marks for the final component will be 60%.
- **c)** The students shall be informed about the modalities well in advance. The evaluated assignments during component I (CIA 1) and component II (CIA 2) are immediately provided to the students.
- **d)** The marks of the total internal assessment shall be published on the ERP for students at the end of semester.
- **e)** The internal assessment marks shall be submitted to the COE as per the date mentioned.
- f) There shall be no minimum in respect of the internal assessment marks.

g) Internal assessment marks may be recorded separately. A student who has failed, shall retain the internal assessment marks as there will be no change in the CIA results scored.

MINIMUM FOR A PASS

- a. A student needs to get 40% in the end semester examination and in addition the student also should get an aggregate of overall 40% inclusive of his internal assessment to be declared as passed.
- b. The student who is passed in all the end semester examinations in the first attempt is eligible for rank
- c. A student who passes the semester examinations in parts or attempted supplementary exams is eligible for only Class, CGPA but not for ranking.
- d. The results of students who have passed the last semester examinations but not passed the lower semester examinations shall be eligible for the degree only after completion of all the lower semester examinations.
- e. If a student fails in a subject, either in theory or practical's he/she shall appear for that subject only at any subsequent regular examination, as prescribed for completing the programme. He/she must obtain the minimum marks for a pass in that subject (theory and practical's separately) as stated above.

CARRY OVER

Students who fail in lower semester examinations may go to the higher semesters and take the lower semester examinations as per odd or even semester in the next consecutive chance.

CLASSIFICATION OF SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES:

The ten-point grading system is adopted. The declaration of result is based on the Semester Grade Point Average (SGPA) earned towards the end of each semester or the Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA) earned towards the completion of all the eight semesters of the programmes and the corresponding overall grades. If some students exit at the completion of the first, second or third year of the four-year Undergraduate Programmes, with Certificate, Diploma or the Basic Degree, respectively, then the results of successful candidates at the end of second, fourth or sixth semesters shall also be classified on the basis of the Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA) obtained in the two, four, six or eight semesters, respectively. For award of,

- Certificate in Business Commerce
- Diploma in Business Commerce
- Basic Bachelor's Degree in Business Commerce
- Bachelor's Degree with Honours in a Discipline

TRANSFER FOR ADMISSION

Transfer for admission is permissible only for odd semesters for students of other

universities and within the university.

CONDITIONS FOR TRANSFER OF ADMISSION OF STUDENTS WITHIN THE UNIVERSITY

- a. *His/ her transfer admission shall be within the intake permitted to the college.*
- b. Availability of same combination of subjects studied in the previous college.
- c. He/she shall fulfill the attendance requirements as per the University Regulation.
- d. He/she shall complete the programme as per the regulation governing the maximum duration of completing the programme.

CONDITIONS FOR TRANSFER ADMISSION OF STUDENTS OF OTHER UNIVERSITIES.

- a. A Student migrating from any other University may be permitted to join odd semester of the degree programme provided he/she has passed all the subjects of previous semesters/years as the case may be. Such candidates must satisfy all other conditions of eligibility stipulated in the regulations of the University.
- b. His/her transfer admission shall be within the intake permitted to the college.
- c. He/she shall fulfill the attendance requirements as per the University Regulation.
- d. The student who is migrating from other Universities is eligible for overall SGPA/CGPA or Class and not for ranking.
- *e. He/she shall complete the programme as per the regulation governing the maximum duration of completing the programme as per this regulation.*

Outcome Based Education (OBE)

B.Com – Honours (BPM-Industry Integrated)

Program Educational Objectives (PEO)

Our B.Com (Honours) program will produce graduates who will:

PEO1: Be competent, creative and highly valued professionals in industry, academia, or government.

PEO2: Adapt to a rapidly changing environment with newly learnt and applied skills and competencies, become socially responsible and value driven citizens, committed to sustainable development.

PEO3: Act with conscience of global, ethical, societal, ecological and commercial awareness with sustainable values as is expected of professionals contributing to the country.

PEO4: Able to continue their professional development by obtaining advanced degrees in accounting and other professional fields.

Programme Outcomes (PO)

After the completion of the **B.Com (Honours)** Programme, the student will be able to:

PO1: Disciplinary and Inter - disciplinary Knowledge

Demonstrate the **understanding** of relevant business, management and organization knowledge, both academic and professional, in line with industry standards.

PO2: Decision Making Skill

Apply underlying concepts, principles, and techniques of analysis, both within and outside the discipline to generate all the possible solutions and picks one that shows their understanding of the problem and the outcomes.

PO3: Integrated Problem-solving and Research

Analyze how parts of a whole interact with each other to produce overall outcomes in complex systems by analyzing key managerial issues in a particular industry or company and propose appropriate managerial solutions to the situation.

PO4: Critical Thinking Skill

Evaluate evidence, arguments, claims and beliefs by using right type of reasoning as appropriate to the situation and Analyze how parts of a whole interact with each other to produce overall outcomes in complex systems.

PO5: Creative Thinking Skill

Develop, *implements and communicates new and worthwhile ideas using both incremental and radical concepts to make a real and useful contribution to their work.*

PO6: Usage of Modern Technology and Tools

Use tools and technologies of digital nature, communication/networking tools and social networks appropriately to access, manage, integrate, evaluate and create information to successfully function in a knowledge economy.

PO7: Leadership and Team Work

Develop a vision, translate that vision into shared goals, and effectively work with others to achieve these goals.

PO8: Ethical Conduct and Sustainability Practices

Act responsibly and sustainably at local, national, and global levels.

PO9: Collaboration and Networking Skill

Work collaboratively and respectfully as members and leaders of diverse teams.

PO10: Self-directed and Life - long Learning

Create goals and monitor progress toward them by developing an awareness of the personal, environmental and task-specific factors that affect attainment of the goals.

Programme Specific Outcomes (PSOs)

P011: Redesigning the Business Process Management:

Develop, report, display and alert mechanism drawn from process data from the Business Process Management Service/Software and use these data methods to adapt the process.

P012: Business Process Management as a Career option:

Apply the competencies and creativity required to undertake Business Process Management as a desirable and feasible career option.

B.COM - Honours (BPM - Industry Integrated) PROGRAMME MATRIX AS PER NATIONAL EDUCATION POLICY										
Course Category	I	п	ш	IV	v	VI	VII	VIII	τοται	
			Part A : Abili	ty Enhancemen	t Complusory	Courses				
Language	Lan 1	Lan 1	Lan 1	Lan 1	-	-	-	-		
4 Hrs/3 Cr Compulsory Course	Lan 2 -	Lan 2 Environmental	Lan 2 -	Lan 2 India & Indian		-	-	-		
3 Hrs/3 Cr I	6 Cr	Studies 9 Cr	6 Cr	Constitution 9 Cr	-	-	-	-	30	
1	6 CF	9 CF	0 CF	Part B: Core (-	-	-		
	Financial Accounting	Cost Accounting	Financial Management	Management Accounting	Income Tax I	Income Tax II	Corporate Tax	Business Data Analysis		
Discipline Specific Core	Principles of Management	Business and Company Law	Marketing Management	Retail and Market Research	Managing Business Process	Goods And Services Tax	International Logistic Management	Emotional Intelligence for Managerial Effectiveness		
4 Hrs/4 Cr	Business Economics	Finance and Accounting for BPS	Insurance for BPS	Banking for BPS	Capital Markets for BPS	Supply Chain Management	Entrepreneur ial Development Programme	Business Information System *		
	-	-	-	-	Costing for Business Decisions	Fundamentals of Research	-	-		
Open Electives Course (OEC) 3 Hrs/ 3 Cr	Choice of Course	Choice of Course	Choice of Course	-	-	-	-	-		
Discipline Specific	-	-	-	-	Elective 1	Elective 2	Elective 3	Elective 4		
Elective 4 Hrs/3 Cr	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
SEC - SB 2 Hrs/2 Cr	Digital Fluency	-	Artificial Intelligence	Financial Education Investment Awareness	-	-	-	-		
VEC 3 Hrs/3 Cr	-	-	-	-	Choice of Course	Choice of Course	Choice of Course	Choice of Course		
Research Methodology 4 Hrs/4 Cr	-	-	-	-	-	-	Research Methodology	-		
Research Proposal Formulation & Project 12 Cr	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Research Proposal Formulation & Project **		
Internship 2 Cr/4 Cr	-	-	-	-	Social Internship 2 Cr	Corporate Internship 2 Cr	-	Internship * 4 Cr		
II	17 Cr	15 Cr	17 Cr	14 Cr	24 Cr	24 Cr	22 Cr	22 Cr	155	
			Part C: Skil	ll Enhancement	Course - Value	Based				
Foundation Course		Extension Activities 1 Cr		Extension Activities 1 Cr	-	-	-	-		
Extension and Extracurricular Activities 2 Cr	Psychological Well being	Extracurricular Activities/Asso ciation/Sports 1 Cr	Yoga	Extracurricular Activities/Ass ociation/Sport s 1 Cr	-	-	-	-		
III	2 Cr	2 Cr	2 Cr	2 Cr	-	-	-	-	8	
	25 Cr	26 Cr	25 Cr	25 Cr	24 Cr	24 Cr	22 Cr	22 Cr	193	

Note: Only students who secure 75% marks or 7.5 CGPA and above in the 1st six semesters may choose to undertake research in the 4th year.

**Those who opt for research will have one DSC with Research Proposal Formulation & Project.

*Other students will continue with the regular Core Courses and Internship.

Bachelor of Commerce (BPM-Industry

Integrated) Course Matrix as per National

Education Policy SEMESTER V

SL. No.	Course Code	Title of the Course	Catego ry of Course	Teaching Hours per Week (L+T+P)	ESE	CIA	Total Marks	Credits
1.	C3 21 DC 501	Income Tax I	DSC-1	4+0+0	60	40	100	4
2.	C3 21 DC 502	Managing Business Process	DSC-2	4+0+0	60	40	100	4
3.	C3 21 DC 503	Capital Markets for BPS	DSC-3	4+0+0	60	40	100	4
4.	C3 21 DC 504	Costing for Business Decisions	DSC-4	4+0+0	60	40	100	4
5.		Discipline specific Elective 1	DSE-1	3+0+1	60	40	100	3
6.		Vocational Enhancement Course – 1	VEC-1	3+0+1	60	40	100	3
7.	C3 21 SO 501	Social Internship	SEC-SB	0+0+2	-	50	50	2
		SUB TOTAL (A)			360	290	650	24

*** As per the Suggestive List

Bachelor of Commerce (BPM-Industry

Integrated) Course Matrix as per National

Education Policy SEMESTER VI

SL. No.	Course Code	Title of the Course	Catego ry of Course	Teaching Hours per Week (L+T+P)	ESE	CIA	Total Marks	Credits
1.	C3 21 DC 601	Income Tax II	DSC-1	4+0+0	60	40	100	4
2.	C3 21 DC 602	Goods and Services Tax	DSC-2	4+0+0	60	40	100	4
З.	C3 21 DC 603	Supply Chain Management	DSC-3	4+0+0	60	40	100	4
4.	C3 21 DC 604	Fundamentals of Research	DSC-4	4+0+0	60	40	100	4
5.		<i>Discipline</i> <i>specific Elective</i> 2	DSE-2	3+0+1	60	40	100	3
6.		Vocational Enhancement Course - 2	VEC-2	3+0+1	60	40	100	3
7.	UG 21 CO 601	Corporate Internship	SEC-SB	0+0+2	-	50	50	2
		SUB TOTAL (A)			360	290	650	24

*** As per the Suggestive List

SEMESTER – V C3 21 DC 501- INCOME TAX - 1

COURSE OBJECTIVES

This course enables the students to understand the provisions of income tax and compute income from salary and house property of an individual assessee.

Module - 1: Introduction

Brief history of Income Tax – Legal Frame work – Cannons of Taxation – Finance Bill – Scheme of Income Tax, Income Tax Authorities- Income tax officer and powers and functions, CBDTpowers and functions, Commissioner of Income Tax- powers and function, Types of assessment and rectification of mistakes, Recovery of tax and refunds. ICDS- An Overview

Module – 2: Important Definitions

Definition: Assesse – Person – Assessment Year – Previous Year– Income – Gross Total Income - Total Income, Exempted Incomes- Agricultural Income (Including Integration of Agricultural Income with Non-Agricultural Income).

Module - 3: *Revenue and Capital Items* Revenue and Capital (a) Receipts, (b) Expenditure and (c) Losses.

Module – 4: Residential Status & Incidence of Tax

4 Hrs Residential status- Resident - Ordinary & Not ordinary and Non- Resident of individual with incidence of tax – HUF & company –Residential status only.

Module-5: Income from Salary

Income from Salary - Features of Salary Income - Basic Salary- Allowance - Types -Perquisites – Types section 89(1) – Tax Rebate U/S 88 – Problems.

Module 6: Income from House Property

Introduction – Annual value under different situations (self- occupied – let out – partly selfoccupied partly let out – portion wise and time wise) – deductions (u/s 24) – problems.

Skill Development:

(These activities are only indicative, the Faculty member can innovate)

- 1. *Enumerate the process of obtaining a PAN card and obtain the same.*
- 2. Filing of Income Tax Returns.
- 3. List the enclosures to be made along with IT returns (with reference to salary & *H.P).*
- 4. Preparation of Form-16.
- 5. Computation of Taxable income and Tax Liability.
- 6. Computation of perquisites Retirement benefits.

COURSE OUTCOMES:

After completion of the course, the students will be able to:

1. Describe the canon of taxation, powers and functions of Income tax authorities,

6 Hrs

25 hrs

8 Hrs

2 Hrs

15 hrs

officers and commissioner and CTDT and types of assessment of individual assesse.

2. Define the terms connected with assessment year, previous year, exempted income from agricultural income and total income.

3. Compare and contrast the receipts, Expenditure and Losses of revenue and Capital nature.

4. Identify the residential status and incidence of tax for the computation taxable income from the perspective of Individual, HUF and Company of residential status only.

5. Show the computation of income from salary of an Individual assesse after taking into consideration of U/S 89(1) and 88.

6. Show the computation of income from House property an Individual assesse after taking into consideration of deduction U/S 24.

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- B. B. Lal, Direct Taxes, Konark Publisher
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SEMESTER – V C3 21 DC 502 - MANAGING BUSINESS PROCESSES

COURSE OBJECTIVES

This course enables the students to understand process management and equips them with process mapping techniques and tools relevant to the BPO industry and the importance of delivery management to enhance customer satisfaction.

Module - 1: Process Management

Process definition – Identification of business process – Difference between core process and support process – Components of process management – Understanding internal customer vs end user.

Module – 2: Process Management in BPO Industry

Role of BPO Industry in process management – Typical business processes outsourced to India – BPO operating models – BPO life cycle, good governance for effective delivery management-Ethics in Business Process -Green BPM

Module - 3: Process Mapping Techniques

Process mapping techniques – SIPOC – Swim Lane diagram – Process mapping tools.

Module - 4: Quality Management

Introduction to quality management - Quality assurance.

Module – 5: Delivery Management

Customer management – Knowledge management – Capacity management – People management – Transition management – Finance management.

Skill Development

1. Create a hypothetical scenario and identify the components of process management

- 2. Prepare a list of various business processes outsourced to India
- 3. Prepare a process mapping tools taking an example of your choice
- 4. Draft a Standard Operating Procedure using the relevant template
- 5. Analyse BPM related case studies

Text Book

• TCS reference material.

COURSE OUTCOME:

After completion of the course, the students will be able to:

1. Illustrate the components of process management that enhances the satisfaction of internal customers and end users.

- 2. Justify the role of BPO industry in process management.
- 3. Describe the utility of process mapping Techniques and tools.
- 4. Relate the quality management function with that of quality assurance.

5. Devise a plan for each component of Delivery Management that enhances customer satisfaction.

12 Hrs

12 Hrs

12 Hrs

12 Hrs

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SEMESTER - V C3 21 DC 503 - CAPITAL MARKETS FOR BUSINESS PROCESS SERVICES

Course Objectives

The course enables the students with the knowledge of the functioning and requirement of Business process services in capital market, mutual funds, investment banking.

Module 1: Financial Markets and Trade

Concept of Capital Market - Capital Market mechanism – Importance – Functions - Types of Financial Markets - Regulatory Framework of Capital Markets - OTC vs Exchange markets -Concept of Financial Trade - Trading mechanism - Trade Life Cycle (TLC) in BPM - Parties involved in TLC - Master agreement - Order Management - Trade execution. E – Trading.

Module 2: Capital Market Instruments

Concept of Financial Securities - Features - Types of Capital Market Instruments (Debt & Equity) -Issuers of capital market instruments - Role on economy - Difference between Pure & hybrid instruments. OTC Products, Sustainable Finance-Green bonds, social bonds, Sustainable bonds.

Module 3: Derivatives and Risk Management in Capital Markets

Concept of Derivatives - Derivative products (Forwards, Futures, Options, Collaterals, Swaps)

- Merits of Derivatives - Participants in derivative markets (Hedgers, Speculators & Arbitrageurs) - Derivatives Trading Mechanism - Pricing principles. Performance caselet. Risk Management: Introduction – Types of risk - Settlement and clearing, Counterparty credit risk management – Assessment of credit risk -Market risk management – Sovereign and counterpart risk.

Module 4: Mutual Funds

Concept of Mutual funds – Objectives – Merits - Structure of NAV - Role of Asset Management Company & Fund Manager - Players in Mutual fund segment - New funds offers - Transfer agency (Overview, Activities, processing & Systems workflow) - Hedge funds – Concept, Features, Structure, Types & Strategies - Private Equity – Concept, Features, Structure, Types - Key Components - Performance computation - Client Reporting.

Module 5: Basics of Investment Banking

Concept of Investment Banking. Importance on economy. Factors influencing the workflow. Challenges & sources of investment information. Functions. Trade Life Cycle. Clearing & settlements. Players in Investment banking. Role of clearing house. Reconciliation concept. Types of Reconciliation (Cash & Position). Types of Investment Banking Services. Collateral Management. Security identifier – Securities lending (Legalities). Revenue generation (Stock loan fees, Prime brokerage). Collateral management (Need & Functions). Corporate actions (Mandatory & Voluntary), Types & Impact on securities, Sustainable capital markets, Sustainable Investment banking

Module 6: Emerging Trends in Capital Markets

Concept of Innovation - Need for Technological innovations in Capital markets. Capital Market influencers (Intelligent Solution, Data-driven compliance, Deep customer insights) - Implications of Artificial Intelligent Automation Transforms - Robotic Process

10 Hrs

6 Hrs

10 Hrs

9 Hrs

15 Hrs

Automation - Cloud Technology. Micro services agility, Smart Contracts, Platformification - General Data Protection Regulation, Machine Learning & Block Chain.

COURSE OUTCOME:

After completion of the course, the students must be able to:

1. Illustrate the functioning of capital market in India and its requirements of BPS.

2. Select a set of capital market instruments on the basis of merit of case and its requirements of BPS.

3. Design a hedging strategy for managing risk of stocks of capital market by using derivatives.

4. Illustrate the stages of trade cycle and process involved in mutual funds and its requirements of BPS.

5. Relate the stages of Trade Cycle and process involved in Investment Banking and its requirements of BPS.

6. Justify the application of emerging disruptive technologies in capital markets that enhances the efficiency of Business process services.

Skill Development

1. Explore and analyse the various financial services provided by the Investment Bankers and prepare a comparative report.

2. Analyse various Mutual fund schemes and develop a portfolio according to different Investors' need and requirement.

3. Explore the various technological innovations in capital markets and present the various advantages and challenges of each platform.

4. Analyse the pros and cons of various Debt Instruments if you are an investor with examples.

Books for Reference

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SEMESTER - V C3 21 DC 504-COSTING FOR BUSINESS DECISION

COURSE OBJECTIVES

This course equips the students with advanced cost accounting techniques and its application to business decision.

Module 1 - Budgetary Control

Meaning – Budget – Budgetary control and Budgeting – Need– Objectives and Functions – Advantages and Limitations – Requirements of a good Budgeting system - Process involved in Preliminaries for operation of Budgetary Control - Classification – Preparation of cash and flexible budget only

Module 2 - Marginal Costing

Meaning of Marginal Cost – Meaning of Marginal Costing – Distinction between Absorption Costing and Marginal Costing - Cost Volume Profit Analysis – Break even Analysis – Break even Chart – Profit Volume Ratio - Margin of Safety – Limiting Factor.

Module 3- Tactical Decision Making

Short Term and Long Term Decision Making – Parameters in Decision Making – Quantitative and Qualitative Factors to be considered – Fixation of selling price – Make or Buy Decision – Utilizing spare capacity - Product Mix Decision- Adding or Dropping a Product Line - Plant Shut Down Decisions

Module 4: Standard Costing

Meaning of Standard Costing- advantages of Standard Costing- Steps involved in Standard Costing- Analysis of Variances- Material Variance, Labor Variance (simple problems)-Overhead Variance (Concept only)

Module 5: Relevant Costing

Relevant Costing - Analysis of Relevant Costs with other concepts-simple problems

Module 6 -Neo Concepts in Decision Making

Activity Based Costing – Cost object – Cost Driver – Steps in Activity based Costing – Uses and Criticisms of Activity Based Costing Life Cycle Costing – Product Life Cycle – Life cycle costs – Benefits of Life Cycle Costing Target Costing – Meaning – Process involved in Target Costing – Value engineering Review in Target Costing Kaizen Costing - Meaning – Relevance- Balance Score Card – Perspectives involved in Balance Score Card, Environmental Cost accounting – *different types of environment costs*

Skill Development

(These activities are only indicative; the Faculty member can innovate)

1. Prepare a cash budget for your home, as if you are the only earning member of the family.

2. Prepare an expenditure budget for the year, to be submitted to your parents, asking him how much he should fund you for your III B.B.M year studies in Bangalore, as if you are staying in a paying guest accommodation.

10 Hrs

10 Hrs

15 Hrs

10 Hrs

7 Hrs

3. Classifying various expenditures of six public sectors and six nongovernmental organizations into relevant cost and irrelevant cost.

4. List the areas in which Activity Based information is used for decision making.

5. Make a comparative study of Marginal Costing and absorption costing of two different industries and find out their pattern of calculation of profits.

6. List various activity areas of a large-scale manufacturing unit and identify their cost drivers.

COURSE OUTCOMES:

After completion of the course, the students will be able to:

1. Relate the planning and controlling process of management by using functional and flexible budgets and budgetary control as tool to control over functions of firm.

2. Integrate the relationship between Cost, Volume and Profit by using Marginal costing and determine each of the variable on the basis of other two.

3. Compute Marginal cost statement to decide on Make or Buy,

4. Product mix and pricing of a firm.

5. Use standard costing system to analysis the causes of labour, material, overhead and sales margin variances between Standard and Actual cost in order to control over cost of production of the firm.

6. Apply Relevant Costing in accordance with the merit of the case that demands this approach

7. Apply the Activity Based Costing, Product Life Cycle Life cycle costing, Target Costing Kaizen Costing and Balance Score Card on the basis of merit of the case.

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- Jain, K. &. (n.d.). Management Accounting. Mc. Graw Hill.
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• Homgren, S. S. (n.d.). Introduction to Management Accounting. Pearson Education.

- Maheshwari, S. (n.d.). Management Accounting. Sulthan Chand & Sons.
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SEMESTER - VI C3 21 DC 601- INCOME TAX - II

COURSE OBJECTIVES

This course enables the students to compute taxable income and tax liability of an Individual assessee who is involved in Business and Profession.

Module 1: Profits & Gains of Business or Profession

Meaning of business – Profession – Profits of business or profession – Features of assessment of profits and gains – Rules for adjustment of profit and loss account – Depreciation u/s 32. Problems on business relating to sole trader only and problems on profession relating to Doctor, Advocate and Chartered Accountant.

Module 2: Capital Gains

Meaning and kinds of capital asset – Transfer – Transactions not regarded as transfer – Full value of consideration – Cost of acquisition – Cost of improvement – Capital gains exempt from tax exemptions from capital gains u/s 54. Problems on computation of short term and long term capital gains.

Module 3: Income from Other Sources

General income – Specific incomes – Treatment of specific incomes - Deduction of tax at source with respect to interests, winnings, prizes etc. Problems on computation of taxable income from other sources and deduction u/s 57 and amounts expressly disallowed u/s 58.

Module 4: Deductions from Gross Total Income

(Provisions relating to individuals only) u/s 80- Deduction in respect of certain payments and deduction in respect of certain incomes. Module 5: Carry forward and set off of Losses 2 Hrs (Theory only)

Module 6: Tax Liability of Individuals

Computation of total taxable income and tax liability of an individual.

Skill Development

(These activities are only indicative; the Faculty member can innovate)

1. *Create a chart of capital gains index numbers and prepare a table of rates of* TDS

2. *Conducting a survey among tax players to understand and analyze the implications* of IT Provisions. Developing the process of Income tax filing [considering extraordinary *cases*, *ex*: *extension* of *dates during pandemic*]

- З. Preparing list of enclosures required for IT filing
- 4. Applying Income tax provisions and creating a tax planning.

COURSE OUTCOMES:

After completion of the course, the students will be able to:

Illustrate the concepts and features of assessment of profits and gains of 1. individual proprietorship, Doctor, Advocate and Chartered Accountant as individual assesse.

10 Hrs

16 Hrs

12 Hrs

8 Hrs

2. Compute short term and long term capital gains of an Individual assesse who is involved in Business and Profession.

3. Compute taxable income from other sources of an Individual assesse after taking into account deduction u/s 57 and amounts disallowed u/s 58.

4. Compute gross total income of an Individual assesse after taking into account deduction u/s 80.

5. Illustrate the mechanism of carry forward and set off of an Individual assesse who is involved in Business and Profession.

6. Compute total taxable income and tax liability of an Individual assesse who is involved in Business and Profession.

Books for Reference

• Lal, B. B. (2010). Income tax. Pearson Education India.

• Bhagwati, P. (1998). Direct Taxes: Law and Practice: Income Tax Wealth Tax Gift Tax with Tax Planning Management.

• Dinkar, P. (1992). Law and Practice of Income Tax.

• Ahuja, G., & Gupta, R. (2019). Direct Taxes Law & Practice. Wolters kluwer india Pvt Ltd.

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SEMESTER VI C3 21 DC 602: GOODS AND SERVICES TAX

COURSE OBJECTIVE

The course is designed to expose the students to the various provisions of Goods and Services Act and enable students to compute goods and service tax liability as per the provisions.

Module 1: INTRODUCTION TO GST

The concept of GST- The need for GST and the historical background of GST in India differences between the Direct and indirect taxes, the basic features of Indirect taxes and the principal Indirect taxes in India, Taxes Subsumed not subsumed under GST. The framework under GST (Dual Model) and benefits from implementation of GST, the significant amendments made in Constitution. GST Council- composition Power and Functions.

Module 2: PROCEDURE AND LEVY UNDER GST

Important definitions, Registration under GST based on Turnover Limits. Special provisions for Casual taxable persons and Non-resident taxable persons. Time of supply, place of supply and value of supply, Levy and collection of CGST/SGST/IGST, Computation of Transaction value (simple problems), Tax liability on Mixed and Composite supply, Composition levy, Reverse Charge Mechanism (RCM), Exemptions from Tax, Tax Invoice, E-Way bill, Provisions relating to E-Commerce.

Module 3: INPUT TAX CREDIT:

Definition of: Input Goods, Input Services, Capital goods, Input on Capital Goods, Concept of Input tax credit Eligibility and conditions for taking ITC, Cross Utilization of ITC, Apportionment of credit and blocked credits, Availability of credit in special circumstances, availing and utilization of ITC. (Numerical Illustrations)

Module 4: PAYMENT OF TAXES AND FILING OF RETURNS:

Definition of Returns, Concept of Electronic Credit Ledger, Electronic Cash Ledger, Brief introduction, and contents in- Returns for Outward supply (GSTR-1), Returns for Inward Supply (GSTR-2), Final Monthly Returns (GSTR-3), Annual Returns (GSTR-9) Mechanism of GST Network w.r.t Returns matching of invoices. GST Network: Structure, and Functions.

Module 5: GST AND TECHNOLOGY

GST Network: Structure, Vision and Mission, Powers and Functions. Goods and Service Tax Suvidha Providers (GSP): Concept, Framework and Guidelines and architecture to integrate with GST system. GSP Eco system. (Theory only).

Skill Development:

- 1. Narrate the procedure for calculation of CGST, SGCT and IGST.
- 2. Show the flow chart of GST Suvidha Provider (GST).
- 3. Prepare chart showing rates of GST.
- 4. Prepare challans for payment of duty.
- 5. Prepare Tax invoice under the GST Act.
- 6. Prepare structure of GSTN and its working mechanism.
- 7. Prepare list of exempted goods/ services under GST.
- 8. Prepare organisation chart of GST Council.
- 9. Prepare the chart showing scheme of GST.

10 Hrs

20 Hrs

14 Hrs

6 Hrs

10.Compute taxable value and tax liability with imaginary figures under CGST, SGST and IGST. 11.Procedure for registration 12.Furnishing of monthly returns.

COURSE OUTCOMES:

After completion of the course, the students will be able to:

- 1. Analyze the composition, power, and functions of the GST Council.
- 2. Calculate tax liability and determine supply aspects under various scenarios
- 3. Evaluate the applicability of ITC in special circumstances .
- 4. Compare and contrast the significance of different types of returns and their implications
- 5. Illustrate the structure, vision, mission, and functions of the GST Network

BOOKS FOR REFERENCE

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- 3. All About GST: V.S Datey Taxman's.
- 4. Guide to GST: CA. Rajat Mohan,
- 5. Goods & Services Tax Indian Journey: N.K. Gupta & Sunnania Batia, Barat's Publication
- 6. Goods & Services Tax: Dr. Sanjiv Agrawal & CA. Sanjeev Malhotra.

SEMESTER - VI C3 21 DC 603: SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT

COURSE OBIECTIVES

The students must be able to:

1. *Compare and contrast the forms of business organization, types of Outsourcing* and its consistency with the Supply Chain and lean Supply Chain in BPS.

Evaluate the role of each component of Supply Chain Management, Life Cycle 2. and Technology in Supply Chain and Contract Management.

Relate the impact of Sales order management & its operational nature on after 3. sales market services.

4. Develop a Master Data Management in consistent with Technology and its **Operational Nature.**

Select the type of Logistics, Fleet and Warehouse Management in alignment 5. with SCM objectives on par with recent Technology.

Justify the application and implication of appropriate method of Inventory 6. Management in the context of SAP SCM

Module 1: Introduction to Supply Chain Management

Basics of Business, Outsourcing: Concept of Business. Types of Business Organizations (Brief). Business Partnerships. Types of BPS's. Classification & Domain of BPS. Future Scope & Challenges. Concept of Lean Supply Chain Management. SCM in BPS. Merits & Demerits of on various BPS Options. Evolving of Outsourcing. Need for Outsourcing Horizontal Services. Current trend in SCM Outsourcing.

Overview to SCM: Features of SCM. Supply Chain Structure. Importance of supply chain in business. Supply Chain Elements & Phases. Process Views of Supply Chain. Technology Intervention in Supply Chain. Upstream & downstream concepts. Supply Chain Functions. SCM offerings.

Module 2: Sourcing, Procurement & Contract Management 12 Hrs

Supply Chain Sourcing & Procurement: Sourcing & Types of Sourcing. Components of Sourcing (Spend Analysis, RFx, and Auction Contract). Sourcing Requirement. Procurement practice & Lifecycle. Purchasing Cycle. Receiving & Analyzing Purchase requirements. Establishing Specifications. Technology Invention in Sourcing & procurement.

Contract Management: Legal binding. Creation of contract. Negotiation, Approval, Execution, Amendments, Technology Interventions in contract management.

Module 3: Sales Order Management & Operations

Supply Chain Market Sales Services: Concept of After-sales market service requirement. Incident management. Warranty eligibility. Annual maintenance contract. Return material authorization. Parts management. Logistics Involvement.

Sales Order Management: Concept. Objectives. Order quotation, acceptance, entry, administration, & order fulfillment. Major Operational Challenges in SOM. Application of Tools & bets practices in SOM. Logistics.

Module 4: Master Data Management

Concept, Purpose & benefits of Master Data. Types of Data Management (Item, Customer, Vendor & Supplier). Data On-boarding. Data Cleansing with maintenance. Technology

10 Hrs

10 Hrs

Interventions in MDM. Challenges in Master Data. Responsibilities & Automated Maintenance. Data Stewardship. Data Governance. Key elements.

Module 5: Logistics & Warehouse Management

Concept of Logistics Fleet. Types of fleet in goods transportation. Warehouse Management: Concept, Functions & Importance of efficient WRM. Operational Challenges in Logistics fleet & WRM. Technology Intervention in Logistics Fleet and Warehouse Management (Application of Information systems like Warehouse management system (WMS), Transport Management System (TMS), Distribution Management system (DMS) etc). Application of Block Chain Technology.

Module 6: Inventory Management

Concept of Inventory Management. Importance. Types of Inventory. Methodology of Inventory. Just-in-Time Inventory (JIT). Inventory carrying cost. Inventory Control System. Technological implications on Inventory Management.

SAP SCM: Overview (Strategy & assessment, value engineering, business process consulting, application configuration and support optimization) Components (Collaboration, Planning, Coordination, & Execution). Benefits.

COURSE OUTCOMES:

After completion of the course, the students will be able to:

1. Compare and contrast the forms of business organization, types of Outsourcing and its consistency with the Supply Chain and Lean Supply Chain in BPS.

2. Evaluate the role of each component of Supply Chain Management, Life Cycle and Technology in Supply Chain and Contract Management.

3. Relate the impact of Sales order management & its operational nature on after sales market services.

4. Develop a Master Data Management in consistent with Technology and its Operational Nature.

5. Select the type of Logistics, Fleet and Warehouse Management in alignment with SCM objectives on par with recent Technology.

6. Justify the application and implication of appropriate method of Inventory Management in the context of SAP SCM

Skill Development

1. Present a comparative report on various technologies used in SCM.

2. Prepare a flowchart of complete supply chain cycle

3. Identify an appropriate inventory management plan for an imaginary company and a policy document

4. Identify a company, its current supply chain, identify strengths and weaknesses of the chain and the logistics operations of the company and provide a more profitable alternative.

Books for Reference:

• TCS reference Material

6 Hrs

• Chopra, S. (2019). Supply Chain Management: Strategy, Planning, and Operations, 7th Edition. Pearson.

• Gattorna, J. (2019). Transforming Supply Chains: Realign your business to better serve customers in a disruptive world. Pearson FT Press.

• Myerson, P. A. (2017). Lean & Technology: Working hand in Hand to enable and energize your global supply chain. Pearson FT Press.

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C3 21 DC 604 - FUNDAMENTALS OF RESEARCH

COURSE OBJECTIVE

This course enables the students with the basic knowledge of research, data collection and analysis

Module 1: Introduction to Research

Meaning – Characteristics – Objectives – Significance – Scope – Types of Research – Research Methods vs. Research Methodology - Research Process - Criterion for a Good Research -Ethics in Research

Module 2: Research Design

Meaning & Significance of Research Design – Concepts of Research Design – Classification of Research Design – Experimental Research Designs

Module 3: Sampling & Sampling Techniques

Meaning – Census vs. Sampling – Characteristics of Good Sample – Advantages & Limitations of Sampling – Sampling Techniques: Probability & Non-Probability Sampling – Criteria for Selecting Sampling Techniques

Module 4: Collection of Data

Meaning – Sources of Data – Primary Method of data collection: Schedule and Questionnaire Design – types of questionnaires, procedure, types of questions, criteria for question designing, questionnaire structure – Interview & Survey Methods - Secondary method of data collection: Classification of secondary data - Qualitative method of data collection - Measurement and Scaling: Types of Scales - Classification of Scales: Single item vs. Multiple items Scales -Comparative vs. Non-comparative Scales - Criteria for Good Measurement

Module 5: Processing & Presentation of Data

Processing of Data – Data Validation – Editing of Data – Coding – Classification & Tabulation of Data – Cross tabulation – Graphical Representation of Data – Presentation of Data using relevant Software

Module 6: Data Analysis

Descriptive and Inferential Analysis - Mean, Median & Mode – Standard Deviation, Coefficient of Variation & Variance – Normal Distribution – Correlation – Testing the Significance of Correlation Coefficient – Regression – Simple Linear Regression Equation (application using *case studies*)

COURSE OUTCOMES:

After completion of the course, the students will be able to:

- 1. Describe the various types of research and the research process
- 2. Formulate the research design after critical review of literature
- 3. Choose an appropriate sampling technique for a given study
- 4. Compare and contrast the methods of collecting primary and secondary data for given study
- 5. Present the collected data in Excel after processing the same
- 6. Apply simple data analysis tools and interpret the results

14 hrs.

6 hrs.

8 hrs.

10 hrs.

12 hrs.

10 hrs.

Skill Development

- 1. Choose an area of interest, review a minimum of 10 literatures on the same and formulate a topic for prospective research.
- 2. Given a topic collect data through primary and secondary sources.
- 3. Preparation of questionnaire using various scaling techniques.
- 4. For a given data, analyze data using various statistical tools.

Books for Reference

- "Business Research Methods" Donald R. Cooper & Pamela S. Schindler, 2006. Tata McGraw-Hill.
- "Methodology of Research in Social Sciences" O.R. Krishnaswamy & M. Ranganatham, 2008. Himalaya Publishing House.
- Israel .D. Data Analysis in Business Research: A step by-step Nonparametric Approach, Sage Publications, New Delhi.
- Research Methodology: Methods and Techniques" C. R. Kothari,2008. New Age International Publishers.
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