



MASTER OF PHILOSOPHY IN HISTORY

SYLLABUS

SESSION 2013-14

CURRICULUM

S. No	Code	Papers	Max. Marks	Exam. Hrs.
1	MPHI 101	Research Methodology	100	3
2	MPHI 102	Social and Cultural Changes in India	100	3
3	MPHI 103	Specialization on dissertation topic on dissertation topic based of dissertation topic	100	3
4	MPHI 104	Dissertation	100	-

RESEARCH METHODOLOGY THEORY

MPHI 101

Unit - I

Research – Meaning – Purpose – Types of Research – Pure – Applied, Historical, Descriptive And Experimental – Significance of Research in Social Sciences- Process of Research – Meaning – Scientific Method – Induction And Deduction.

Unit – II

Research Problem – Sources of Research – Locating and Formulating of the Research Problem – Criteria in Selecting Problem – Defining and Delimiting Problems, Literature Search – Importance of Surveying Related Literature.

Unit – III

Hypo Dissertation – Meaning – Importance – Types – Sources – Characteristics – Different Forms of Hypo Dissertation – Difficulties in Formulation – Testing the Hypo Dissertation.

Unit – IV

Research Methods – Definition – Sources – Advantages – Limitations – Steps Involved in Historical Methods, Case Study Method, Survey Method, Experimental Method and Field Investigation Research



Evaluation Research , Action Research, Ex-post Facto Research Etc., Research Design – Characteristics – Components and Types of Research design.

Unit – V

Data Collection, Primary and Secondary data, methods of Data Collection, schedule, Interview, Questionnaire, Research Report - Types of Reports – Contents – Styles of Reporting – Steps in Drafting Reports – Editing the Final Draft – Evaluating the Final Draft.

Reference Books:

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| 1. Research Methodology Methods and Techniques | C.R. Kothari |
| 2. Research in Education | John W. Best |
| 3. Methods of Social Research | Groode and Hatt |
| 4. Methods and Techniques of Social Research | Wilkinson and Bhandarkar |
| 5. Scientific Social Survey and Research | P.V. Young |
| 6. Training in Research Methodology in Social Sciences in India | ICSSR |

SOCIAL AND CULTURAL CHANGES IN INDIA

MPHI 102

Unit – I

Introductory- Social process and Social change – Theories of Social change – Definition and Direction of Social changes.

Unit – II

Factors of social change-Some controversies – The demographic factors – Technological Factors – economic factors – the cultural factors, the political factors

Unit – III

Some areas of social change: The cast of system – the suppressed classes – The changes in the status of women – Educational expansion changing position of labour – urbanization and social mobility.

Unit – IV

Values of social changes: Indian Social values: Traditional and modern – legislation as a factor of Social Change – Planning as a factor of Social change.

Unit – V



Modern changes: The expansion in mass media – Equality – Rights – National integration and Secularism.

Reference Books:

1. Social changes in India
2. Castes and Tribes in India – 7 Volumes
3. Social Development in the Medieval India

B. Kuppusamy.
Edger and Thurston.
Livingston.



