

SCHEME OF EXAMINATION

M.PHIL./Ph.D. Course Work in HISTORY (As per Credit System w.e.f. the session January 2017- December 2017)

The entire course will be of two semesters. Each student should earn a minimum of **28 credits** over the entire course i.e. Core = 20 & Dissertation = 8)

Note: The Scheme & syllabus of M.Phil. Sem. 1st is common for Ph.D. course work also.

Sem.	Paper Code	Nomenclature	Hrs./Week L+T+P	MARKS			Exam. (Hrs.)	Credits L+T+P
				Internal Assessment	Sem. End. Exam.	Total		
1st	17HISMP11C1	Research Methodology	4+0+0	20	80	100	3 Hrs.	4+0+0 = 4
	17HISMP11C2	Sources of Indian History	4+0+0	20	80	100	3 Hrs.	4+0+0 = 4
	17HISMP11C3	Computer Applications in History (Practical)	2+0+2	40	60	100	3 Hrs.	2+0+2 = 4
		Credits	C = 12					Total Credits = 12
2nd	17HISMP12C1	Indian Historiography	4+0+0	20	80	100	3 Hrs.	4+0+0 = 4
	17HISMP12C2	Western Historiography	4+0+0	20	80	100	3 Hrs.	4+0+0 = 4
	17HISMP12C3	Dissertation	1	50 (Viva-Voce)	150 (Dissertation)	200	Viva-Voce	8
		Credits	C = 8, Dissertation = 8					Total Credits = 28

Note-1 : The topic of the seminars will be assigned to every student by the class teacher concerned and it will be evaluated by a panel of examiners consisting of two (HOD + concerned teachers of the paper) members. The Seminar of 20 marks would be equally distributed for term and the presentation (10 marks each)

Note-2 : The topic of dissertation and supervisor shall be approved by Departmental Committee during the first Semester.

M.Phil 1st Semester/Ph.D. Course Work

Paper-I-Research Methodology

Paper Code: 17HISMP11C1

Max. Marks : 80

Time: 3 Hrs.

Note:

The syllabus of the paper has been divided into four units. The paper-setter is required to set 8 questions proportionately from all these units. The students are required to attempt 4 questions selecting at least one question from each unit. All the questions shall carry equal marks.

Unit-I

History as a subject:

- a. Its meaning
- b. Nature and Scope
- c. Causation in History
- d. Its relations with Political Science, Sociology, and Geography

Unit-II

- a. Sources: Primary and Secondary
- b. Authenticity of sources
- c. Interpretation of Facts
- d. Objectivity
- e. Generalisation

Unit-III

Techniques of Research:

- a. Selection of subject
- b. Hypothesis
- c. Synopsis
- d. Chapterisation
- e. Bibliography

Unit-IV

Execution of Research:

- a. Collection of material
- b. Presentation of evidences
- c. Documentation and references
- d. Preliminary Draft and final draft
- e. Final bibliography

Suggested Readings:

- Carr, E.H. : What is History (London: Macmillan, 1961)
- Collingwood, R.C. : Idea of History (London: Oxford University Press, 1967)
- Elton, G.R. : Practice of History (London: Sydney University Press, 1967)
- Marwick, Arthur : The Nature of History (London: Macmillan, 1982)

- Gottschalk, L.(ed.) : Generalization in the Writing of History
- Butterfield, H. : Man on his Past (London: G.Bell, 1968)
- Childe, V.Gordon. : What Happened in History (Harmondsworth: Penguin,1946)
- Gardiner, Patrick(ed.) : Theories of History (New York: Free Press, 1959)
- Walsh, W.H. : An Introduction to the Philosophy of History (London :Hutchinson, 1967)
- Cornforth, Maurice : Historical Materialism (London: Lawrence & Wish Art, 1953)
- Thomson, D. : The Aims of History (London: Thames and Hudson, 1969)
- Renier, G.J. : History: Its Purpose and Method (London: George Allen & Unwin,1950)
- Stern, Fritz : Varieties of History: from Voltaire to the Present (London, Macmillan, 1970)
- Webster, John C.B. : An Introduction to History (Meerut: Macmillan, 1967)
- Postan, M.M. : Fact and Relevance: Essay on Historical Method : (Cambridge University,Press,1971)
- Johnson, Allen : The Historian and Historical Evidence
- George, Hereford B. : Historical Evidence, Oxford: Clarendon Press, 1909
- Leff, G. : History and Social Theory (London: Macmillan,1967)
- Hockett, H.C. : Critical Method in Historical Research and Writing (New York: Macmillan,1966)
- Bloch, Marc. : The Historian's Craft, (New York, 1953)
- R.J. Shaffer : A Guide to Historical Method (Home wood Illinois: Dorrey Press, Revised ed.,1974, First Published in 1968)
- Vansina, Jan. : The Oral Tradition- A Study in Historical Methodology (New Burnswick: Aldine Transaction, 2006)
- Clark, G.Kitson : The Critical Historian, (London, Heimemann, 1967)
- „ : Guide for Research Students working on Historical Subjects, Cambridge, 1960
- Gottschalk, L. : Understanding History: A Primer of Historical Method
- Barzun J. &
- Graff, H.P. : The Modern Researcher (New York: Harcourt, 1970)
- Kent, Sharman : Writing History
- Plekhnov, G.V. : Fundamental Problem of Marxism (New York: International Publishers, 1944)
- Ghosh, S. : Archives in India (Calcutta, Firma, 1963)
- Low, D.A.(ed) : Archives in South Asia (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press,1969)
- Crump, C.G. : History and Historical Research, (London George Routledge & Soni,1928)
- Vincent, John M. : Historical Research : An Outlines of Theory and Practice
- Charles, Johnson : The Mechanical Processes of the History

- Dow, E.W. : Principles of Non-system for Historical Studies
- Fling, Fred Morrow : The Writing of History: An Introduction of Historical Method
- Geradham, Gillert J. : A Guide to Historical
- Langloris Ch.V. & : Introduction to the Study of History,
Ch.Soingnobes London, Duckwork, reprint 1932, Ist Published -1898
- Oman, Charles : On the Writing of History
- Pares, Richard : Historian's Business
- Ausubel, Herman : Historians and their Craft (New York: Russell and Russell, 1967)
- Williams, C.H. : The Modern Historian
- Salmen, L.N. : Historical Material
- Williams, R. : Four Lectures on the Handling of Historical Material
- Strayer, Joseph R. : The Interpretation of History
- Hexter, J.H. : Reappraisals in History (London: Longman, 1961)
- Rissavousky, A.V. & : Generalisation in Historical Writing
Rizink, V. (Philadelphia: University of Pennsylvania Press, 1963)

Paper-II-Sources of Indian History

Paper Code: 17HISMP11C2

Max. Marks : 80
Time : 3 Hrs

Note:

The syllabus of the paper has been divided into four units. The paper-setter is required to set 8 questions proportionately from all these units. The students are required to attempt 4 questions selecting at least one question from each unit. All the questions shall carry equal marks.

Unit-I

Archaeological Sources

- a. Stone Tools
- b. Pottery
- c. Coins
- d. Inscription

Literary Sources

- a. Vedic Literature
- b. Epics, Puranas, Arthashastras
- c. Buddhist and Jain Sources

Unit-II

Biographies and Foreign Accounts

- a. Harsacharita, Rajtaringini
- b. Megasthenes, Al Beruni
- c. Ibn Batuta, Francois Bernier

Unit-III

Sources of Medieval India

- a. Minhaj-us-Siraj: Tabaqat-i-Nasiri
- b. Ziauddin Barani: Fatwa-i-Jahandari
- c. Babur : Tuzak-i-Baburi
- d. Abul Fazal : Akbar Nama(3 Vols)
- e. Dargah Quli Khan : Muraqqa-i-Delhi

Unit-IV

Sources of Modern India

- a. Archival Records
- b. Private Papers: Officials and Non-Officials
- c. Newspapers and Periodicals
- d. Oral Tradition

Suggested Readings:

- Sankalia, H.D. : Stone Age Tools, their Techniques and Uses (Pune, 1964)
Shastri, Krishna H. : South Indian Inscriptions (2nd Vol.)
Ramesh, K.V. : Indian Epigraphy
Brown, P. : Indian Paintings

- Kramrisch S. : Indian Sculptures
- Coomarswamy, A. : History of Indian & Indonesian Art
- Sircar, D.C. : Indian Epigraphy, (Delhi, 1965)
- Pargiter, F.E. : Dynasties of Kali Age, (London, 1913)
- Puri, B.N. : India as Described by Early Greek Writers
- Majumdar, R.C. : Classical Accounts of India, (Calcutta, 1960)
- Pargiter, F.E. : Ancient Indian Historical Tradition, (London, 1922)
- Krishna Macharia, M. : History of Classical Sanskrit Literature (2 Vols.)
- Winternitz, M. : History of Indian Literature 3 Vols, (New Delhi-1963-67)
- Law, B.C. : India as Described in the Early Texts of Buddhism and Jainism
- Sivarammaurti, C. : Indian Sculpture (New Delhi, 1964)
- Aggarwal, V.S. : Studies in Indian Art (Varanasi 1965)
- Siraj, Minhaj-us : Tabaqat-i-Nasiri, (Eng. Tr. H.G. Revery 2 Vols.) Calcutta, 1897, republished, (New Delhi, 1969)
- Birani, Ibn-i-Hasan : Maqalat-i-Barani-Karachi, (N.D.)
- Akbar S. Ahmed : Discovering Islam: Making Sense of Muslim History and Society, (New Delhi, 1990.)
- Elliot, Sir H.M. & J. Dowson : History of India as Told by its Own Historians, 8 vols. London(1867-77)
- Rosenthal, F. : History of Muslim Historiography, (Leiden, 1952)
- Sarkar, Jagdish Narayan: History of History Writings in Medieval India, (Calcutta, 1977)
- „ : 'Ideas of History in Medieval India' Quarterly Review of Historical Studies Vol.4, Nos. 1 and 2., 1964-65.
- „ : Survey of Medieval Indian Historiography', The Quarterly Review of Historical Studies, Vol.3, Nos. 1 & 2, 1963-64
- Grewal, J.S. : Muslim Rule in India, The Assessment of British Historians, (Calcutta, 1970)
- „ : Medieval India: History and Historians, (Amritsar, 1975)
- Hasan, Mohibut(ed.) : Historians of Medieval India, (Meerut, 1968)
- Ibn, Khaldum : Muqaddiman: An Introduction to History, Eng. Tr. Ero Franz Rosenthal, (London, 1958)
- Majumdar, R.C. : 'Indian Historiography: Some Recent Trends' in S.P.Sen(ed.)Historians and Historiography in Modern India, (Bombay, 1970)
- Mukhia, Harbans : Historians and Historiography During the Reign of Akbar, (New Delhi, 1976)
- Philips, C.H.(ed.) : Historians of India, Pakistan and Ceylon, (London, 1961)
- Rosenthal, F. : History of Muslim in Historiography, (Leiden, 1952)
- Thapar, Mukhia & Chandra : Communalism and the Writings of Indian History, (New Delhi, 1969)
- Tikekar, S.R. : On Historiography, (Bombay, 1964)
- Ashraf, K.M. : Life and Condition of the People of Hindustan, (New Delhi, 1969)
- „ : Cultural Heritage of India, Calcutta, N.D.
- Elphinstone, M. : History of India, (London, 1889)
- Gani, H.A. : Muslim Political Issues and National Integration, (New Delhi.)

- Hardy Peter : Historians of Medieval India, London, 1959
- Lal, K.S : Studies in Medieval Indian History, Delhi, 1966
- ” : Twilight of the Sultanate 2nd ed. (Delhi, 1980)
- Mahdi Hussain : Critical Study of the sources for the History of India(1320-1526),Islamic Culture vol. XXXI, No.I, Hyderabad, Jan.,1957
- Nizami, K.A. : Some Aspects of Religion and Politics in India during the Thirteen Century, 2nd ed. Delhi, 1974
- ” : Studies in Medieval Indian History and Culture, Allahabad, 1966
- ” : Supplement to Elliot and Dowson's History of India Vols. II & III, Delhi, 1981
- Rizvi, S.A.A. : Adi Turk Kaleen Bharat, Aligarh, 1956
- ” : Khalji Kaleen Bharat, Aligarh, 1955
- ” : Tughlaq Kaleen Bharat, 1957
- ” : Mughal Kaleen Bharat, Vol. I, Aligarh Muslim University, 1961
- ” : Mughal Kaleen Babur, Aligarh, 1960
- ” : Mughal Kaleen Humayun, 1962
- ” : Uttar Taimer Kaleen, 1958
- ” : Uttar Taimer Kaleen Vol. 2, 1959
- ” : Gazetteer of India Vol. II
- ” : "India Archives", Journal of National Archives of India, Janaph, New Delhi
- ” : Census Reports, 1881-1941
- ” : Settlements Reports of different Districts
- ” : Districts Gazetteers of the Colonial Period
- ” : Contemporary News papers and Periodicals
- ” : Oral Transcripts of Interview with Eminent Personalities, N.M.M.L. Teen Murti House, New Delhi
- ” : Private Papers of Eminent Personalities, N.M.M.L. Teen Murti House, New Delhi
- Jan Vansina : The Oral Tradition: A study of Historical Methodology New Burnswick Aldine Transaction, 2006.
- ” : Transfer of Power Vol.I,II,III,IV H.M.S.O. London
- ” : Towards Freedom, ICHR, New Delhi
- ” : Reports of Various Commissions appointed by British Indian Govt.
- ” : Reports of various Important Political Cases
- ” : Reports of I.N.A. Trial Cases
- Barrier, N.G. : The Census in British India: New Perspectives (Delhi, 1981)

Paper-III-Computer Applications in History
Paper Code: 17HISMP11C3

Max.Marks : 100
Theory : 60
Practical : 40
Time : 3 Hrs

Note:

The syllabus of the paper has been divided into four units. The paper-setter is required to set 8 questions proportionately from all these units. The students are required to attempt 4 questions selecting at least one question from each unit. All the questions shall carry equal marks.

Unit-I

Computer System, an Overview: History of Computers, Basic Applications of Computers in Different Fields, Characteristics of Computer, Functioning of Computers, Functional Components of a Computer System. Types of Comp., Benefits and Limitations of Computers, Computer Virus, Cyber Crime.

Unit-II

MS Windows: Features of Windows, Getting Started with Windows, Managing Files and Folders, Basic Windows Accessories: Mouse Pointer, Control Panel , Creating Short Cuts, Shutting Down the Computer.

Unit-III

Introduction to MS Office and MS Excel: Creating Document, How to Type in Word, Editing Document, Formatting the Document, Spell Check, Creating Tables, Saving the Document, Printing and Closing the Document; MS-Excel Basics, Editing Cell Contents, Command for Worksheet, Charts in MS Excel.

Unit-IV

MS Power Point and Internet: Steps to Power Point Presentation, Physical Aspects of a Presentation, Creating New Presentation, Adding New Slides, Adding Illustration to Slides, Creating Slide Shows, What is Internet, Sending and Receiving E-mails, Attachments, Logging in.

PRACTICAL

Maximum Marks: 40

Time: 3 Hrs.

- a) **Hands on Experience:**
- i) Windows Operating System
 - ii) MS Word
 - iii) MS Excel
 - iv) Internet
- b) **Viva-Voce**
- i) Windows Operating System
To test some of the following operations on file/folder:
 - Create
 - Rename
 - Copy/Cut/Paste
 - Delete
 - Commands related to Notepad/WordPad
 - ii) MS Word:
A Paragraph in MS Word incorporating some of the tools given below to be tested during the examination:
 - Editing and Formatting text and paragraph
 - Page and Paragraph set up
 - Inserting pictures
 - iii) MS Power Point:
A Power Point presentation using some of the tools given below to be tested during the examination:
 - a. Editing and Formatting Slides
 - b. Inserting Pictures
 - iv) MS Excel:
A problem in spreadsheet related to some of the tools given below to be tested during the examination:
 - Formatting cells and data
 - Functions and Formulae
 - Functions and Formulae
 - Charts
 - v) Internet:
 - Logging in and logging out
 - Attachments
 - Receiving and Sending E-mail

Note for Paper Setting (Paper-04-Computer Applications):

The question paper will consist of four sections containing eight questions with internal choice from each unit i.e. two questions from each unit. The candidate will be required to answer four questions in all selecting one from each unit. All questions carry equal marks (15x4=60).

Recommended Books:

- Mattelart, Armond : The Information Society New (2003) Delhi: Sage Publications
- Balamurali,S.(1998) : An Introduction to Computer Science, New Delhi: Vikas Publishing House.
- Lean and Loen(1998) : Internet for Everyone, New Delhi: Vikas Publishing House.
- Saxena, Sanjay(1998) : A First Course in computer, New Delhi: Vkas Publishing House.
- Singhal, A. and E.M.
Rogers(2000) : India's Communication Revolution, London: Sage Publications.

M.Phil Semester-II

Paper-IV-Indian Historiography Paper Code : 17HISMP12C1

Max. Marks : 100
Theory : 80
Internal Assessment : 20

Note: The syllabus of the paper has been divided into four units. The paper-setter is required to set 8 questions proportionately from all these units. The students are required to attempt 4 questions selecting at least one question from each unit. All the questions shall carry equal marks.

Unit-I

General Trends and Interpretations

- Ancient
- Medieval
- Modern

Unit-II

Imperialism and Orientalist Writings

- Sir William Jones
- James Mill
- W.W. Hunter
- V.A. Smith

Unit-III

Regional Historical Writings-Salient Features

- South India
- Maratha History
- Panjab History

Unit-IV

Historical Approaches

- Cambridge School
- Nationalist School
- Marxist School
- Subaltern School

Suggested Readings :

- Philips, C.H. : *Historians of India, Pakistan and Ceylon* (London : Oxford University Press, 1962)
- Gopal, S. and Thapar R. : *Problems of Historical writing in India*
- Sen, S.P. (ed.) : *Historical and Historiography in Modern India* (Calcutta : Institute of Historical Studies, 1973)
- Majumdar, R.C. : *Historiography in Modern India* (Bombay : Asia Publishing 1970)
- Sastri Nitkantha, K.A. :
& Ramanna, H.S. *Indian Society : Historical Probing*
- Thapar Romila : *The Past and Prejudice* (New Delhi : Publications Division, 1973)
- Hardy, P. : *Historians of Medieval India* (London : Luzac, 1966)

- Hasan, Mohibul : *Historians of Medieval India*
- Grewal, J.S. : *Medieval India : History and Historians* (Amritsar, G.N.D. University, 1975)
- Grewal, J.S. : *Muslim rule in India : The Assessment of British Historians* (Calcutta : Oxford University Press, 1970)
- Resonthal, F. : *A History of Muslim Historiography*
- Singh, Fauja (ed.) : *Historians and Historiography of the Sikhs* (New Delhi : Orient Publishers, 1978)
- Ahmed Sir Shafaat : *History and Historians of British India*
- Sengupta, K.K. : *Recent Writings on the Revolt of 1857 : A Survey*
- Webster John, C.B. : *History and contemporary India*
- Bisheshwar Prasad : *Ideas in History*
- Susobhan Sarkar : *A Markian Glimpse of History* (New Delhi : People's Publishing House, 1975)
- Sarkar Sumit : *Bibliographical survey of Social Reforms Movements in the 18th and 19th Centuries*
- Indics : *(Indian Historical Research Institute Silver Jubilee Volume)*
- Sina, Jan Van : *The Oral Tradition : A Study of Historical Methodology* (New Burnswick : Aldine Translation, 2006)
- Marx and Engles : *Selected Writings* (Oxford University Press, 1977)

Paper-V-Western Historiography

Paper Code: 17HISMP12C2

Max. Marks : 80
Time :3 Hrs.

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Unit-I

Growth of Modern Critical Historical Scholarship

- a. Difference of Modern History Writing from its pre-modern forms
- b. The Creation of the Archives and the growth of the Seminar

Prussian School:

- a. Positivist School
- b. Leopold Von Ranke

History's relations with other Social Sciences

Unit-II

Nationalism and Historical Writings with special reference to:

- a. Ernst Gellner
- b. Anthony D. Smith

Historical Sociology and Social History, with special reference to:

- a. Max Weber
- b. Charles Tilly

Unit-III

Marxist Historical Writing, with special reference to:

- a. Maurice Dobb
- b. E.P. Thomson

Annals School or Total History, with reference to:

- a. March Bloch
- b. Lucien Febvre

Unit-IV

Women's History and Gender relations, with special reference to:

- a. Natalie Zemon Davis
- b. Jaon W.Scott

Environmental History, with special reference to:

- a. Fernand Braudel
- b. Donald Wooster

Suggested Readings:

- Bentley, Michael(ed.) : Companion to Historiography(London and New York: Routledge, 1977)
Boyd, Kelly(ed.) : Encyclopedia of Historians and Historical Writings (Vol)(s) 2 (London and Chicago: Fitzroy Dearborn Publishers,1988)

- Burke, Peter(ed.) : New Perspectives in Historical Writing (Cambridge; Polity Press, 1991)
- Gellner, Ernst : Nations and Nationalism (Oxford : Blackwell,1983)
- Gooch, G.P. : History and Historians in the 19th Century (London, 1916, 1954)
- Clark, Tuart (ed.) : The Annals School: Critical Assessment 4 Volumes (London: Routledge, 1988)
- Hofstadter, Richard : Progressive Historian (London : Jonathan Cape, 1969)
- Krantz, Frederick(ed.) : History from Below: Studies in Popular Protests and Popular Ideology in Honour of George Rude) (Oxford: Blackwell,1988)
- Scott, Joan Wallach(ed.): Feminism and History(New York: Oxford University Press,1966)
- Marwick, Arthur(1982, : Nature of History(London: Macmillan 2nd Edn. Press)
- Hutchinson, John and Anthony D. Smith(ed.) : Nationalism(Oxford & New York : Oxford University Press,1994)
- Sterns, Peter N.(ed.) : Expanding the Past: A Reader in Social History(New York : New York University Press, 1988)
- Wooster, Donald(ed.) : The Ends of the Earth: Perspectives on Modern Environment History (Cambridge and New York; Cambridge University Press,1988.
- Wolf, D.R.(ed.) : A Global Encyclopedia of Historical Writings (New York and London : Garland Publishing Inc. 1988)