



UNIVERSITY OF CALICUT

Abstract

General and Academic- Faculty of Humanities- Syllabus of MA History Programme y (I&II Semester) under CCSS PG Regulations 2019 in the Teaching Department of the University with effect from 2019 Admission onwards - Implemented- Orders Issued

G & A - IV - B

U.O.No. 9641/2019/Admn

Dated, Calicut University.P.O, 22.07.2019

- Read:-*1. UO. No. 4500/2019/Admn Dated: 26.03.2019
2. Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Studies in History PG held on 27.06.2019 (Item No.2)
3. Letter from the Dean, Faculty of Humanities Dtd: 11.07.2019

ORDER

The Regulations for Choice Based Credit and Semester System for Post Graduate (PG) Curriculum-2019 (CCSS PG Regulations 2019), for all PG Programmes in University Teaching Departments/Schools with effect from 2019 Admission has been implemented in the University vide paper read first above.

The meeting of Board of Studies in History PG held on 27.06.2019 has approved the Syllabus of MA History Programme y (I&II Semester) in tune with the new CCSS PG Regulations implemented with effect from 2019 Admission onwards, vide paper read second above.

The Dean, Faculty of Humanities has approved the minutes of the meeting of the Board of Studies in History PG held on 27.06.2019 vide paper read third above.

Under these circumstances, considering the urgency, the Vice Chancellor has accorded sanction to implement the Scheme and Syllabus of MA History Programme (I&II Semester) in accordance with the new CCSS PG Regulations 2019, in the University of Calicut with effect from 2019 Admission onwards, subject to ratification by the Academic Council.

The Scheme and Syllabus of MA History Programme (I&II Semester) in the Teaching Department of the University in accordance with CCSS PG Regulations 2019, is therefore implemented with effect from 2019 Admission onwards.

Orders are issued accordingly. (Syllabus appended)

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Assistant Registrar

To

The Head, Department of History

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UNIVERSITY OF CALICUT
POSTGRADUATE PROGRAMME
IN
HISTORY



CHOICE BASED CREDIT SEMESTER SYSTEM (CCSS)

SCHEME & SYLLABUS

(2019-Admission Onwards for University Department)

GUIDELINES FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE SYLLABUS IN

M.A. HISTORY (CCSS) (w.e.f. 2019 Admission)

The syllabus revision for the M.A. History (CCSS) is being undertaken in accordance with the CCSS PG Regulations 2019 of University of Calicut. The rules and regulations which are not specifically stated in the syllabus should be complied with the above mentioned regulations. The syllabus is revised with an objective of upgrading the knowledge levels of the students that they have attained in their under-graduate classes. They are enabled to develop the faculty of critical analysis of their knowledge on the basis of methodological tools that they acquire. It is also intended to help them tackle any form of tests for starting a career as well as for advanced studies. The under-graduate syllabus is chosen as the information base for further study, and hence, as far as possible the Scheme and Courses chosen for under-graduate syllabus has not been repeated. New courses in emerging areas have been included to facilitate investigations into frontier areas.

Students in the M.A. programme are required to take 16 courses + Dissertation and Viva Voce over a four Semester period. The core courses (12) are defined around four broad areas: (1) Historical Theory and Method (2) World History (3) Indian history and (4) Kerala History. Besides the core courses, students have to select 4 Elective courses, two each in Third and Fourth Semester. The credit requirement for award of M.A. Degree as prescribed by the University Regulations is 72. Students are also expected to do 1 Audit course of 2 Credits each in 1st and 2nd Semesters.

Minimum Credits Required for Pass

Core Course (Other than project/dissertation)	48
Elective Courses	16
Dissertation/Viva-Voce	8
Total	72

Eligibility

The eligibility criteria for admission to University Department shall be as announced by the University from time to time.

Assessment

Total score of a course is 100 and is apportioned in the ratio 20:80 between Continuous Evaluation (CE) and End Semester Examination (ESE). CE consists of four components: Attendance (3%); Mid Semester Examination (8%); Seminar (5%) and Viva Voce (4%). In the matter of attendance 75% is compulsory for appearing for the End Semester Examination.

Mid Semester Examination (60 minutes duration) is in the form of Short Answer questions in which eight out of twelve questions are to be answered, each in about 100 words.

Each student has also to make a seminar presentation for about twenty minutes on a topic assigned by the teacher. For each course, there is Viva Voce at the end of the Semester. End Semester Examination (3 hour duration) consists of two type of questions – Long Essay questions (2x 6 = 12Weightage) in which the candidate has to answer any two questions out of four each in about 500 words and Short Essay questions (6x3=18 Weightage) in which the candidate has to answer any six questions out of eight, each in about 200 words.

The valuation scheme for Dissertation:

The valuation shall be jointly done by the supervisor of the dissertation in the department and an External Expert from the approved panel, based on a well-defined scheme of valuation framed by them.

GRADING SYSTEM

The indirect absolute grading system where the marks are compounded to grades based on pre-determined class intervals and letter grades based on 10-point grading system as recommended by UGC shall be followed.

Based on the % marks scored (internal and external marks put together), the students are graded in each course applying the following grading system as given in Table below.

Letter Grades with Grade Points and Marks Equivalence

Range of Marks (%)	Grade Point	Letter Grade
85-100	8.5 - 10.0	O (Outstanding)
75 – 84.99	7.5 - 8.49	A+ (Excellent)
65 – 74.99	6.5 - 7.49	A (Very Good)
55 – 64.99	5.5 - 6.49	B+ (Good)
50 – 54.99	5.0 - 5.49	B (Above Average)
45 – 49.99	4.5 - 4.99	C (Average)
40 – 44.99	4.0 – 4.49	P (Pass)
0 - 39	0 – 3.99	F (Failed)/ RA(Reappear
-	0	(Incomplete)
-	0	Ab (Absent)

COURSES OFFERED FOR M.A. HISTORY UNDER CHOICE BASED CREDIT SEMESTER SYSTEM (CCSS) w.e.f. 2019 ADMISSION

Semester I			
Course Code	Title	Type	Credit
HIS 1C 01	Method of Historical Research	Core	4
HIS 1C 02	Pre-Modern Kerala: Problems and Perspectives	Core	4
HIS 1C 03	Problems, Perspectives and Debates in Early Indian History	Core	4
HIS 1C 04	Early Bronze and Iron Age Civilisations	Core	4
HIS 1A 01	Personality Development	Audit	2
	OR		
HIS1 A02	Travel and Tourism Management	Audit	2

Semester II			
Course Code	Title	Type	Credit
HIS 2C 01	History and Theory	Core	4
HIS 2C 02	History of Modern Kerala: Problems and Perspectives	Core	4
HIS 2C 03	State and Society in Medieval India	Core	4
HIS 2C 04	Selected Problems of medieval and Modern World History	Core	4
HIS 2A 01	Indian Numismatics	Audit	2
	OR		
HIS 2A 02	Archival Studies	Audit	2
	OR		
HIS 2A 03	Perspectives on Museology	Audit	2
Semester III			
HIS 3C 01	Perspectives on Colonialism in India	Core	4
HIS 3C 02	Discourses on Indian Nationalism	Core	4
Electives*	Group I		
HIS 3E 01	Emerging Trends in Early Indian History	Elective	4
HIS 3E 02	Perspectives and Debates on Early Tamilakam	Elective	4
HIS 3E 03	Knowledge and Culture in Early India	Elective	4
Electives*	Group II		
HIS 3E 04	Selected Themes in Economic History of Medieval India	Elective	4
HIS 3E 05	Aesthetic Traditions of Medieval India	Elective	4
HIS 3E 06	Recent Perspectives on Social History of Kerala	Elective	4
Electives*	Group III		
HIS 3E 07	Social Movements in Modern India	Elective	4
HIS 3E 08	Economic History of Modern India	Elective	4
HIS 3E 09	Gender and Caste in Modern India	Elective	4
*Students shall choose 2 Electives from any one of the three groups provided; Electives shall be chosen from a single group only.			

Semester IV			
HIS 4C 01	Problems and Debates in Contemporary India	Core	4
HIS 4C 02	Selected Themes in Pre-modern South India	Core	4
Electives*	Group I		
HIS 4E 01	Archaeology: Theory and Practice	Elective	4
HIS 4E 02	Human Geography	Elective	4
HIS 4E 03	Science and Technology in Medieval India	Elective	4
HIS 4E 04	Perspectives on Environmental History of india	Elective	4
Electives*	Group II		
HIS 4E 05	Indian Epigraphy	Elective	4
HIS 4E 06	Indian Literature in Historical Perspectives	Elective	4
HIS 4E 07	Oral History of Kerala	Elective	4
HIS 4E 08	Archival studies and Documentation in India	Elective	4
HIS 4P 01	Project		6
HIS SV 01	Viva Voce		2
*Students shall Choose 1 Elective from each group			

SEMESTER-I

Course Code	Title	Type	Credit
HIS 1C 01	Method of Historical Research	Core	4

HIS 1C 01 - Method of Historical Research

MODULE I: Research Methodology: Major Trends

Social research and historical research-History as Knowledge- Positivism- Scientific Method as applied in history- Heuristics and Hermeneutics- Qualitative and Quantitative Methods- Textual Analysis- Oral traditions- Semiotics and study of symbols- Interdisciplinary research

MODULE II: Research in Practice-I

Formulation of Research problem- Selection of a topic- Research Plan- Research Design- working hypothesis; Collection of data-Primary and Secondary- documents, photographs, relics, oral sources- Repositories- Archives- Museums- Libraries- E'braries- Online Archives. Field Research- Techniques- Surveys- questionnaires- interviews.

MODULE III: Research in Practice-II

Methods of Documentation- taking notes, précis, paraphrase; Arrangement of data- card system- files and folders, word processor Analysis of sources- Textual criticism- Internal criticism and External Criticism- Deconstruction. Objectivity- subjectivity- Impact of Postmodernism- generalization- Formulation of final argument.

MODULE IV: Exposition

Synthesis- Writing of research Report- Methods of Explanation- verification of hypothesis- Analytical writing; Chapterisation- logical arrangement of chapters; citations- needs- types- Footnotes- End Notes etc.- Styles (MLA, APA etc.) Bibliography- Index, Appendix- Plagiarism and ghost Writing- Plagiarism check. Writing of Research papers and projects- Editing- copy editing

Reading List

- R.J. Shafer, *A Guide to Historical Method*, Dorsey Press, 1983
Marc Bloch, *The Historian's Craft*, Manchester University Press, 2004
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Jan Vansina, *Oral Tradition as History*, University of Wisconsin Press, 1985

Kate Turabian, *A Manual for the Writers of Research Papers, theses Dissertations*, University of Chicago Press, 2013
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Course Code	Title	Type	Credit
HIS 1C 02	Pre-Modern Kerala: Problems and Perspectives	Core	4

HIS 1C 02 : Pre-Modern Kerala: Problems and Perspectives

I. Historical Consciousness in Pre Modern Kerala

Parasurama and Cheraman Perumal Legend-Keralolpatti tradition – Mushakavamsa Kavya – Tuhfat al -Mujahidin – Oral Tradition as history – Ballads- War songs- Chengannurati paattu.

Sources and texts for Study

A] **Archaeological Sources-** typology and nature of evidences- text for study: Pattanam as a trade settlement in the Reports of Pattanam excavation.

B] **Epigraphical Sources-** script –chronology- content and language of inscriptions-text for study – Tarisapalli Copper plates.

C] **Grandhavaris-** text for study – description of sthanarohanam in Kozhikodan granthavari.

D] **Numismatics** – Typology – Greco–Roman and indigenous Coins in Kerala- text for study – Early Coins in Kerala – P L Gupta.

E] **Literary Sources-** Sanskrit, Tamil –Manipravalam, Arabic and Malayalam texts- text for study- description of Social Life in Malabar in section three, Tuhfat ul Mujahiddin.

II. Kerala as a region and social formation process

Human ecology and settlements- life activities and multiple economies in early historic Iron Age Kerala- clan and chiefdoms- transition from early historic to early medieval –formation of agrarian society –land, labour and production process- Brahman settlements, temples and social stratification - labour process and formation of kutis and adiyar groups- primary producers- trade and exchange- pattanam, nagaram and angadis- overseas trade- formation of caste hierarchy and brahmanical codes – kachhams and maryadais.

III. Forms of political and social power

Polity of the Nattudayavars- overlordship of Chera Perumals- nature of the Chera power – debate – evidences and theories.

IV. Post Perumal polity and socio-economic power structure.

Naduvazhi Swarupams- janma kana maryada system-state formation in Travancore and Cochin- political structure under the Zamorins – jati hierarchy and process of social exclusion- caste oppression and practice of untouchability-gender relations –European powers–Kerala as a linguistic and cultural region-formation of Malayali identity.

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- Rajan Gurukkal, Social Formation in Early South India, OUP, Delhi, 2010.
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Rajan Gurukkal, Mithu ,Charithram Samuham, SPCS, Cosmo Books ,Thrisure.

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P J Cherian [ed], Perspectives on Kerala History, KCHR, Thiruvananthapuram, 1999.

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Appukkuttan P, Chengannoorathi: Padavum Padanavum, Kerala Sahithya Academy, Thrissur.

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Course Code	Title	Type	Credit
HIS 1C 03	Problems, Perspectives and Debates in Early Indian History	Core	4

HIS 1C 03 - Problems, Perspectives and Debates in Early Indian History

Module I: Perspectives on history

Society and state as reflected in colonial writings – Oriental Despotism and Asiatic Society – Asiatic Mode of Production Debate – Nationalist Historians – K.P. Jayaswal – R.C. Majumdar – R.G. Bhandarkar – R.K. Mukherji -A.S. Altekar – Marxist interpretation – D.D. Kosambi – R.S. Sharma – D.C. Sircar – D.N. Jha – Interdisciplinary approach and recent trends – Romila Thapar – B.D. Chattopadhyaya – Kumkum Ray – Kunal Chakrabarty - Suvira Jaiswal – Uma Chakravarti – Nayanjot Lahiri – Shereen Ratnagar – Upinder Singh

Module II: State and Society in Vedic and early period

Nature of Harappan State and westerly trade – Recent Interpretations – Aryan problem – debate – Invasion hypothesis – Migration hypothesis – writings of R.S. Sharma, Romila Thapar, Michael Witzel and Thomas Trautman – Vedic society – Process of transition from Lineage to State – Recent interpretations

Module III: Mahajanapadas to Gupta period

Political structure of Mahajanapadas – Various interpretations of Mauryan state – V.A. Smith – R.K. Mukherji – Romila Thapar – I.W. Mabbett – Bongard Levin – Gerard Fussman – Kushana state – Nature of Gupta state – Golden age – Land grants - debates

Module IV: Political violence and ideology in early India

War and violence in Vedic period – Renunciation - Upanishads – Non-violence - Buddhism and Jainism – Asoka and his propaganda of piety – Arthasastra – Problem of kingship - Shaddarsanas

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- Upinder Singh, Political violence in Ancient India, Cambridge, 2017.

Course Code	Title	Type	Credit
HIS 1C 04	Early Bronze and Iron Age Civilisations	Core	4

HIS 1C 04 - Early Bronze and Iron age civilisations

I. Egyptian Civilisation

19th century archaeological explorations – Excavations in Egypt, Greece, China and Latin America
– Archaeological and Anthropological insights – Bronze and Iron Age;

The rise of civilisation in Egypt – Pre-dynastic period – achievements – Pharaohs and their history – Old kingdom – Nature of government – Duties of Pharaoh – Middle Kingdom and the growth of imperialism – Religious ideas – Osiris culture, religious ideas of Ikhnaton – Intellectual developments – Philosophy – Science – writing and literature – art and sculpture – social and economic life - legacy

Adolf Erman	–	Life in Ancient Egypt
Alexander Moret	–	The Nile and Egyptian Civilisation, New York.
Alfred Cyril	–	The Egyptians, New York
Jarries breasted.H	–	The History of Egypt, New York
-----	-	Ancient Records of Egypt
Leonard Collrell	–	Life under the pharaohs, New York
Mason. W.A.	-	History of the art of writing.
Maspero. G.C	–	Art in Ancient Egypt
Petric. W.M.F	–	Social Life in Ancient Egypt, Boston
Shorter. A.W	–	Introduction to Egyptian Religion
-----	-	Every day life in Ancient Egypt
Smith G.E	-	Ancient Egyptias and the origin of civilisation.

II. Ancient Chinese Civilisation

Beginning of human settlement in China – Emergence of dynastic period – The Shangs – The chou dynasty and their achievements in Literature, Politics, material culture, Philosophy and intellectual fields – The Chin dynasty and their achievements – The Hans and their contributions.

- A.F. Wright – Buddhism in Chinese history
 H.G. Creel – The Birth of China
 ----- Confucius, the man and the myth.
 K.A. Wittfogel –History of Chinese Society
 Latourette –The Chinese, their history and culture
 ----- - A short history of the far east.
 O. Siren – A history of early Chinese art
 W.H.Mallory China, land of famine
 W.M. Mc Govern –The Early Empires of Central Asia
 Y.L.Fung – history of Chinese philosophy

III. The Greek Civilisation

The Homeric age – The Evaluation of city states – Athens and Sparta – Characteristic features – Athenian Democracy - Wars – Macedonian Conquests – Hellenic Philosophy – Science – Literature – Art and architecture – Slave Mode of Production-Legacy of Greek civilisation

- A.R. Burn – Pericles and Athens
 Abbot Evelyn- Pericles and the Golden age of Athens.
 Bamb Gascoigne – 2003 -The Dynasties of China
 C P Fitzgerald -2006- Ancient China
 Dale Anderson – 2005-Ancient China
 Earest Barker–Greek Political Philosophy
 Elaine Landan – 2005-Exploring Ancient China
 Fowler H.N –A history of ancient Greek Literature
 Glorer. T.R – Democracy in the ancient world
 H.Mitchell – Sparta
 John F Vhinnrty – 2008- Treasures of China
 ----- –The glories of the kingdom of Dragon
 Latourette - A short history of the forecast
 Livingston R.W (ed) – The Legacy of Greece
 Mahaffy.J.P – Social life in Greece from Homer to Menander
 Gresy Wolf, 2005-Ancient African Civilisations (ed)
 T.G.Tucker – Life in ancient Athens.
 Trierer. A.A – History of Ancient Civilisations

IV. Ancient American Civilisations – Incas and Mayans – City States and early settlements – Main centres of culture – Economic activities – Religion – Writings and Numerical System – Calendar System – Nature of Government- Art and Architecture – Science and technology .

Leonard Everttee Fisher – 2009- Gods and Goddess of Ancient mayas

Sunita Apte – 2010- The Aztic Empire

Sheila Wybormy – 2004-The Coreal civilisations

Sandra Newmen -2010- The Inca Empire

Course Code	Title	Type	Credit
HIS 1A 01	Personality Development	Audit	2

Ability Enhancement Course (AEC)

Paper I: PERSONALITY DEVELOPMENT

Module – I: Image Building and Self Awareness

Aptitude and personality assessment and testing - Developing Self Awareness - Projecting a winning personality - How to match the peer group expectations as a professional - How to be a consistent Performer - Power of Positive thinking - Developing Competitive coping Mechanism - Understanding Professional Etiquette - Professional Mannerism and Social Science Professional

Module – II: How to face an Interview

Motivation activities, leadership activities, team building activities, assertiveness activities, time management techniques - Stress management techniques, creativity and ideation - Basic communication skills- listening skills and barriers; JAM sessions, debates, elocution, etc. - persuasive communication, convincing Skills, conversations - Motivation – Developing Soft skills - Personal grooming - preparation for interview – Resume writing - Types, contents, formats - Interview handling - do's and don'ts

Module – III: Professional Etiquettes

Formal Look – Understanding the demands of the profession - get together Peer to Peer communication - Work ethics - Hierarchy communication - Handling complaints and grapevine - Developing professionalism - Developing and maintaining social contacts

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Barun K. Mitra, Personality Development and Soft skills, OUP, New Delhi, 2016.

Nidhi Tibrewal, Discover Yourself, Partridge India, 2016

Stephen R. Covey, The 7 Habits of Highly Effective People, Free Press, 1989

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Course Code	Title	Type	Credit
HIS 1A 02	Travel and Tourism Management	Audit	2

Ability Enhancement Course (AEC)

Paper II: Travel and Tourism Management

Module 1: Tourism Concepts

Definitions and Historical development of tourism – Growth of travel through ages - Types of tourist-Visitor Excursionist - Types and Forms of Tourism - characteristic Model of tourism system- Leiper's Model - Components of tourism - characteristics and classification of tourist

Module 2: Basic components and types of Tourism

Tourism Statistics - type and method of measurement - Classification on elements of tourism - Types of tourist motivation and classification - Domestic and International tourism – features - pattern of growth – profile - domestic tourism in the state of Himachal Pradesh, Madhya Pradesh, Gujrat, Goa and Kerala - analysis of International destination of USA, UK, France, China and Malaysia

Module 3: Impact of Tourism

Positive and Negative Impacts of Tourism - Socio Cultural, Economic, Environmental and Political - Tourism Organizations - Objectives and Role of ITDC, ASI, TFCI, Ministries of Railways and Civil Aviation - National and International organizations and associations - IATO, TAAI, FHRAI, WTO, ICAO, FAITH and IATA

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SEMESTER - II

Course Code	Title	Type	Credit
HIS 2C 01	History and Theory	Core	4

HIS 2C 01- History and Theory

I. **Enlightenment and the perception of historical past** – Vico- Hume and Herder- Romanticism- Nationalism - Positivism and History as Science- Rankean Positivism -Critics of positivism- Hegelian philosophy of History.

II. **History and Classical Social theory**- Weber and ideal type - Durkheim and Social Fact. –Marx and Historical Materialism – modes of production - Structural Marxism – Critical theory – Social History –Historical Anthropology - New Historicism- Human Geography -

III. **The Annales** – the Agenda of Total History- Braudelian Concepts of Structures – Conjuncture and Event - history of mentalities and emotions- History from Below- Histories of Oppression – Gender History – History of Slavery – History of South Asian Caste system.

IV. **Methodological Debates and Contemporary Trends** - Methodological Individualism and Holism - Structure and Agency- Essentialism and Relativism – Truth and Objectivity -Foucault and the history of power - Bourdieu and Reflexive Social Science – Indian Debate on Experience and Theory- Gopal Guru and Sundar Sarukkai.

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Course Code	Title	Type	Credit
HIS 2C 02	History of Modern Kerala: Problems and Perspectives	Core	4

HIS 2C 02 - History of Modern Kerala: Problems and Perspectives

I. Colonial and modern historiography

Early Surveys and Administrators- Buchanan - Missionary Writings – Samuel Matteer and Gundert- Gazetteers and Manuals- William Logan, Nagam Aiya and Velu Pillai- search for Primary sources – Babington, Bruce Foot- colonial ethnography – Edgar Thurston and L K Anantha Krishna Aiyar. Histories of princely states – Travancore and cochin-Emergence of modern Historiography- K P Padmanabha Menon – imagination of historical past of Kerala by the social reformers and nationalists- development of scientific histories- emerging trends in history writings in Kerala- ecology and environmental histories – women and gender history – Dalit subaltern history- peasant history-history of caste slavery- history of communities - local history- intersectional histories – critical histories.

II. Modern Kerala and the phases of change

Kerala in the 18th century -changes in the economy and society -Mysorean rule in administration and land relations - colonialism in Kerala- from trade to conquest- changes in property and legality - governance and administrative practices- missionary activism in social life - changes in agriculture- industry and social classes-formation of public sphere.

III. Social modernization and reform process

Caste and social reform-religious reform- the idea of ‘Renaissance’ – lower caste protests and the radical agenda in the reform process- social reformers and their positions and strategies-- notions of historical past by reformers- Poykayil Appachan and Chattampi swamikal - Literature and social imaginations -novel as historical knowledge- Indulekha and Saraswathi Vijayam

IV. Formation of united Kerala

National movement and radical politics -popular movements –formation of united Kerala- land reform and its consequences- land reform and landlessness among the Adivasis and Dalits- development experiences- literacy and health care- socio-economic inequality and Kerala model development.

Readings:

A P Ibrahim Kunju, Mappila Muslims of Kerala.

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A Sreedhara Menon, A Survey of Kerala History, DC Books, Kottayam.

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K Ramachandran Nair, *The History of Trade Union Movement in Kerala*.

K Saradhamoni, *Matriline Transformed: Family, Law and Ideology in Twentieth Century*, Sage Publication, New Delhi, 1999.

Koji Kawashima, *Missionaries in a Hindu State*

Luisa Steur, *Indigenist Mobilisation: Confronting Electoral Communism and Precarious Livelihoods in Post Reform Kerala*, OUP, New York 2017.

M P Mujeebu Rehman and K S Madhavan [Eds], *Explorations in South Indian History*, SPCS, Kottayam 2014.

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M R Raghava Varier, *Village Communities in Pre-Colonial Kerala*

M S S Pandian, *Brahmins and Non-Brahmins*

Manojkumar P.S., *Shaping of Rights: Jati and Gender in Colonial Kerala*, Meena Book Publications, Delhi, 2019.

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Course Code	Title	Type	Credit
HIS 2C 03	State and Society in Medieval India	Core	4

HIS 2C 03 - State and Society in Medieval India

Module I: Historiographical Understanding of the Medieval India

Medieval in Colonial perspectives- stereotypical constructs- myth of hostile religions- equating religion and State- 'Islamic State'- representation of [despotic] State, [closed] economy and [stagnant] society ; Nationalist Writings- response to colonial writers- approval of colonial stereotypes- Nationalistic enthusiasm; Marxist Understanding- Perspectival changes- challenging the colonial and nationalist approach- focus to economic aspects - periodization- factors and relations of production –Land and property rights .

Module II: State and Economy in Medieval India

Concept of state in medieval India- theories- imperial polities in medieval India (Turkish, Afghan & Mughal)- Sultan- nobility & Ulema- structure of administration: iqta, mansab, jagir- Revenue administration- mode of Assessments- batai, Zabt, Dahsala, Kankut etc.

Nature of Mughal State- Debate; Decline of Mughal State- Theories

South Indian Polity- nature-Debate

Regional Powers: Rajputs- Marathas- Bahmini- Aspects of State

Local administration: administrative divisions- local ruling classes (chieftains, zamindars and village oligarchies)- Village community- Balutadars, ayagars etc.

Process of Production and Exchange: Agriculture- Industry- Shipping -Trade- types- Local, Overland, Overseas- Exports- imports- Ports- Markets- Urbanization.

Module III: Religion and Social stratification in Medieval India

Islam- spread- growth- theories-popular Islam-Sufism- syncretic culture.

Guru Nanak and Sikhism- Ideals- spread

social stratification-Caste- purity/ pollution-caste oppression- practice of untouchability- influence of Islam- Bhakthi movement- Saint Poets- Shaivism- Vaishnavism.

Position of women- Domestication- Involvement in Production process.

Module IV: Science Technology and Culture

Scientific Inventions- Mathematics- astronomy- medicine- Technological advancement –

Literary contributions- Persian, Sanskrit and regional languages- Encounters of Cultures-

Architecture and Painting-

Reading List

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Course Code	Title	Type	Credit
HIS 2C 04	Selected Problems of medieval and Modern World History	Core	4

HIS 2C 04 - SELECTED PROBLEMS OF MEDIEVAL AND MODERN WORLD HISTORY

MODULE I: Medieval Societies

Feudal Society in Europe- Economy- Religion and Culture- Christianity- Islam

MODULE II: Transition from Medieval to Modern

Transition from Feudalism to Capitalism-Debate- Maurice Dobb, Paul M Sweezy, Polanyi, etc.
-Absolutism in Europe

MODULE III: Emergence of Modern World

Intellectual Trends- Renaissance- Enlightenment- Idea of Progress, Humanism, Secularism and Rationalism- French revolution- Background and Impact.

MODULE IV: Rise and growth of Colonialism and Nationalism

Colonization of Asia and Africa (China, West Asia and Algeria)- Different tactics of National Movement- Nationalism in Europe.

Reading List

- Maurice Dobb - *Studies in the Development of Capitalism*, Aakar Books, delhi, 2006.
- T. H. Aston, C.H.E. Philipin, (eds.) - *The Brenner Debate: Agrarian Class Structure and Economic Development in Pre-Industrial Europe*, CUP, 2005.
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- Albert Soboul - The French Revolution 1787-1799
- A.R.Hall - The Scientific Revolution 1500-1800
- Carlton Hayes and Margereta Faissler - Modern Times: The French Revolution
- Donald F. Lach - Europe and Modern World since 1870
- E.J.Hobsbawm - Age of Revolution 1789-1848
- E.J.Hobsbawm - Age of Capital-1848-1875
- E.J.Hobsbawm - Industry and Empire
- E.P.Thompson - The Making of English Working Class
- Egon Friedall - Cultural History of the Modern Age
- Frantz Fanon - A Dying Colonialism
- Georges Lefebvre - The Coming of the French Revolution
- George Basalla - The Rise of Modern Science
- Hamsa Alavi - Capitalism and colonial Production
- J.F. Lively - The Enlightenment
- J.D. Bernal - Science in History
- Lenin - Imperialism: The Highest stage of Capitalism
- Maurice Dobb - Studies in the Development of Capitalism
- Michael Hadson - Imperialism
- Partha Chatterjee - The Nation and its Fragments
- Robin Blackburn - Ideology in Social Science
- Tom Kemp - Theories of Imperialism
- S.J.Wolf (ed) - European Fascism
- T.S. Ashton - The Industrial Revolution
- John Hermann Randall - Making of the Modern Mind

Course Code	Title	Type	Credit
HIS 2A 01	Indian Numismatics	Audit	2

Professional Competency Course (PCC)

PAPER I : INDIAN NUMISMATICS

Module 1: Introduction to Numismatics

Numismatography: History of Numismatic Studies in India - Provenance of Coin: Findings from Archaeological excavations and Stratigraphic relevance, Stray findings, Hoards, Private and Public Collections

Module 2: Study of Ancient Indian Coinage

Different categories of the coins and weight standard as linked from the historical text: Shatamana, Vimshatik and Karshapana series - Punch-Marked Coins - Coins of Indo-Greek - Coinage of the Kushanas - Coins of the Satavahanas and Contemporary Rulers - Coins of the Western Kshatrapas - Coins of the Sangama Period: Chera, Chola and Pandya - Distribution of Roman Coins in India - Coins of the Guptas - Scripts - Brahmi, Kharoshthi and Greek

Module 3: Chemical and Statistical Analyses of Coins

Recent advancement in numismatic studies - Metallurgy of Coins - Minting Techniques - Destructive and Non-destructive methods of Analysis - Statistical Analysis: Frequency Tables and Histograms - Coin Cleaning: Treatment and Preservation - Identification of coins, preparation of coin catalogue and report writing

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 Altekar, A.S., *Catalogue of Coins of the Gupta Empire*, Varanasi, 1937.
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Course Code	Title	Type	Credit
HIS 2A 02	Archival Studies	Audit	2

Professional Competency Course (PCC)

PAPER II : ARCHIVAL STUDIES

MODULE I: Archives and Archival studies

Definitions- Meanings- History of Archives Keeping- Europe- USA- India- Ancient Period- Medieval Period- Modern period.

Relations with State and Archives- Characteristics of Archives- Classification of Records- Archivist- Private Archives.

MODULE II: Evolution of Modern Archives

Paper- Ink- Paints-Typewriters- Xerox- Packaging Materials- Collection of Records- Registry System- Record Room- Digitalization-moving image archives and sound archives- micro film- micro-fiche- film archives- oral history archives- online archives.

Archives in Modern India-British government-Maps, surveys, photographs- legal records- Folklore and archives.

MODULE III: Uses and Functions of Archives

Uses- Historical Value- Administrative value- Collection of Statistical Data- Intellectual Value- Social Value; Functions- Supply of Records to administrators and Researchers- Publication- Library- Offering training- Weeding up of Records-.

MODULE IV: Methods of Organization and Preservation of Records

Organization- Europe- France- England- USA- India- Administration- Administration of National Archives in India- Archival legislation in India-Appraisal of records- Record Management- Transfer of records to Archives- Arrangement of Records- Finding Aids- Methods of Preservation- Preliminary and Precautionary measures- Preventive Measures- Methods of Preservation and Repair of Archival Records- Control of insects- Thymol Fumigation- Thymol Chamber- Protective measures- Bleaching Method- Re Sizing- Full Pasting- Backing- Chiffon Repair- Lamination- Docketing- Guarding etc.

MODULE IV: Practical

Visit Kerala Regional Archives or any other archives and Prepare a report on any of the major sources Preserved in it. (eg. British Survey Reports, Census Report)

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PAPER III - Perspectives on Museology

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- II. Documentation in Museums – Collection of Museum articles – Theoretical issues and value based collections – Methods and ethics of collection – History and conservation of documentation – Computerisation and Multimedia.
- III. Museum education – Meaning and role of Museum education – Tangible and intangible heritage and its significance – Relation and relevance with history – archaeology – anthropology – art and folk literature.
- IV. Museum Management and Administration – Principles and strategies of management in Museums – principles of presentation – planning of gallery and exhibition – Types of Museum lighting communication techniques – Label writing and audiovisual techniques – Museum marketing scope and strategy.

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