

**CENTRE FOR SOCIAL WORK STUDIES
DIBRUGARH UNIVERSITY**

**REVISED SIXTEEN CREDIT SYLLABUS FOR SIX-MONTH Ph.D. PRE-
REGISTRATION COURSE WORK IN SOCIAL WORK APPROVE BY THE
DRC IN SOCIAL WORK IN ITS MEETING HELD ON 26th DECEMBER ,2015**

PAPER – I (COMPULSORY)

1. Research Methodology: 10100

Marks: 30/70(4Credit)

COURSE WORK: PAPER II (COMPULSORY)

2. Qualitative Research in Social Work :10200

Marks: 30/70 (4 Credit)

COURSE WORK: PAPER III (COMPULSORY)

3. Preparation of Field Based Research Proposal: 10300

Marks: 30/70(4Credit)

PAPER – IV (OPTIONAL) (Anyone to be chosen)

1. Crime, Society and Social Problems: 10401

Marks: 30/70(4Credit)

or

2. Labour Welfare and Management Practices in Organizations: 10402

Marks: 30/70(4Credit)

PAPER – I (COMPULSORY)

Research Methodology: 10100

Marks: 40/60

Unit: I: The Logic of Social Research: Science as systematic doubting; Uses of Social Research: Personal, Professional and Political; Ethics: Research Values, Human Subjects and Research Integrity

Unit: II: Quantitative and Qualitative Researches; Identifying Research Problem; Research Design, Sampling, Measurement, Methods of data collection, Data Processing and Analysis.

Unit: III: Development of Research Tools; Research Issues and Research Techniques; Application and Relevance of Methodological Tools. Use and testing of Hypotheses

Unit: IV: Computer in Social Research: Its Role, Applications, Methods and Utility Packages; Use of Internet web as research tool

Unit: V: Fundamentals of Thesis and Report Writings; Preparation of Synopsis

Suggested Readings:

- Dooley D. : Social Research Methods, 4th Edition, Prentice Hall of India, New Delhi 2007
- Kothari C.R. : Research Methodology: Methods and Techniques, New Age International Publishers, New Delhi, 2004
- Kothari C.R. : Quantitative Techniques, 2nd edn., Vikas Publishing House, New Delhi 1984
- Flick Uwe : An Introduction to Qualitative Research, 4th edn., Sage Publication India Pvt. Ltd, New Delhi, 2009
- Wilkinson, T.S.: Methodology and Techniques of Social Research, Himalayan Publishing House, Bombay, 1979
- Lal, D.K. : Doing Social Research – A Source Book for Preparing Dissertation, Kalpaz Publications, Delhi, 2008

COURSE WORK: PAPER II (COMPULSORY)

QUALITATIVE RESEARCH IN SOCIAL WORK:10200

Marks: 40/60

Unit 1:

Fundamentals of Qualitative research: meaning, nature, and scope.

Unit 2:

Qualitative Research: Approaches and Sampling and insider/outsider perspectives.

Unit 3:

Qualitative methods of Data Collection: participant observation, life histories, in-depth/unstructured interviews, group interviews and focus group discussions, and community based participatory methods and techniques.

Unit 4:

Theories of Qualitative Research, self-reflectivity in qualitative studies.

Unit 5:

Qualitative Research: Its Application in the field of Social work Research.

Suggested Readings:

1. Agar, M.H. 1986. Speaking Ethnography. California: Sage Publications.
2. Barbour. Introducing Qualitative Research. California: Sage Publications.
3. Denzin, N.K. 1989. Interpretive Interactions. California: Sage Publications
4. Gubrium, Jaber. 1998. Analysing Field Reality. California: Sage Publications.
5. Jogensen, D.L. 1989. Participant Observations: A Methodology of Human Studies. California: Sage Publications.
6. Padgett, D.L. 1998. Qualitative Methods in Social Work Research. California: Sage Publications.
7. Reissman, C.K. 1994. Qualitative Studies in Social Work Research. California: Sage Publications.
8. Silverman, D. 1993. Interpreting Qualitative Data. London: Sage Publications.

COURSE WORK: PAPER III (COMPULSORY)

Preparation of Field Based Research Proposal: 10300

Marks: 40/60

The prime objectives of the course are- First, to expose the research students to the field situation thereby to test their theoretical learning of Research Methodology and secondly- to find out their ability/aptitude to undertake Ph.D. Research Work independently.

In this paper a student shall have work on areas delineated below:

1. Selection of Research Topic with its Universe; significance & purpose and Field of study and Methodology;
2. Review of literature on the selected area and topic of research;
3. Pilot study to be undertaken in the proposed field of study before preparation of Research Proposal(synopsis) ;
4. Prepare a Synopsis on the propose Topic of Research by following/including all the steps and elements necessary for a good research proposal;
5. Two copies of Reports have to be submitted for evaluation;
6. Presentation of Research Proposal: presenting the synopsis in at least two seminars, one at initial stage and another after completion before submission.

N.B. : End semester marks (Total of 70 marks) shall be awarded on the basis of evaluation (standard/quality) of submitted Research Proposal. In-semester marks (Total=30marks) shall be awarded on the basis of performance of 2(two) Seminar presentations (10+10=20) and also on viva-voce examination for 10 marks be conducted on submitted Proposal.

PAPER – IV (OPTIONAL) (Any one to be chosen)

Crime, Society and Social Problems: 10401

Marks: 40/60

- Unit: I** : **Introducing Criminology:** Criminology, Crime, Criminals Deviants and Delinquents; Law and Justice;
- Unit: II** : **Typology and Agencies of Crime Prevention:** Property and Personnel; Police, Judiciary, Prison and Correctional Institutions
- Unit: III** : **Theoretical Approaches of Crime and Delinquencies:** Classical; Cartographic, Socialist, Biological, Psychogenic, Sociogenic
- Unit: IV** : Social Issues and Problems for Criminological Research; Methodology for Criminology; Criminal research in India
- Unit: V** : Criminal Justice and Legal Provisions in India: Women and Children, Indian Penal Code, Code of Criminal Procedure;

Suggested Readings:

Sutherland E.H.&: Principles of Criminology, Times of India Press, Bombay,1968
Cressey D.R.

Reid, S. T.: Crime and Criminology, Holt Rinehart and Winston, New York, 1985

Asers, R.L. and: Criminological Theories-Introduction, Evaluation and Application, Selless,C.S. Rawat Publications, New Delhi, 2004

Gibbon,D.C. : Society,Crime and Criminal Career-An Introduction to Criminology, Prentice Hall of India, New Delhi, 1978

Haskell M.R.& : Crime and Delinquency, Rand Menally Colley Publishing Co. .Yanlonsky L Chicago, 1974

Ahuja R. : Criminology, Rawat Publications, Jaipur, 2004

Borbora, J. : The Thieves –A Sociological Understanding in North East India, DVS Publishers, Guwahati,2007

Essential Readings :

- i) The Code of Criminal Procedure of India, Universal Law Publishing Co.Pvt. Ltd.Deli,2010
- ii) The Indian Panel Code, Universal Law Publishing Co. Pvt. Ltd.Deli,2010
- iii) Juvenile Justice Act of 1986 to 2007

Labour Welfare and Management Practices in Organizations : 10402

Marks : 40/60

Unit I: Labour Welfare- Growth of Modern Industry, Labour Problems in India, Theories of Labour Welfare, Principles of labour welfare, Labour welfare practices in India.

Unit II: Social Security- Growth of Social Security Idea, Need of Social Insurance for Workers in India, Workmen's Compensation in India, Sickness Insurance in India, Other Social Security Measures in India.

Unit III: Labour Legislations in India – Growth of Labour Legislations, The Factories Act of 1948, The Plantation Labour Act of 1951, The Maternity Benefit Act of 1961, The Indian Mines Act of 1952.

Unit IV: Organizational Behaviour – Concept of organization and Organizational Theory, Motivation Concepts, Communication, Leadership, Group Behaviour.

Unit V: Human Resource Development- Changing Paradigms of Growth, Business Risks and Challenges Facing Today's Organization, Theoretical Foundations of Human Resource Development, Principles and Functions of HRD, Challenges of HRD.

References:

- Aswathappa K.2008. Human Resource Management- Text and Cases. New Delhi: Tata McGraw-Hill Publishing Company Limited.
- Deb, Tapomoy.2006. Human Resource Development – Theory & Practice. New Delhi: Ane Books India.
- Newstrom John W. and Keith Devis.2002. Organizational Behavior-Human Behavior at work, New Delhi: Tata McGraw-Hill Publishing Company Limited.
- Punekar S.D,S.B. Deodhar,Saraswathi Sankaran.2004. Labour Welfare, Trade Unionism and Industrial Relations. Mumbai: Himalaya Publishing House.
- Robbins Stephen P., Timothy A. Judge, Seema Sanghi.2007. Organizational Behaviour. Delhi: Pearson Education.
- Saxena R.C.2007.Labour Problems And Social Welfare. Meerut: K. Nath & Co. Educational Publishers.
- Tripathi P.C. : Personal Management and Industrial Relations, Sultan Chand and Sons, New Delhi, 2000
- Miller D.C. & : Industrial Sociology, The Sociology of Work Organization, Harper & Row W.H Row Publishers, New York, 1967
- Masie .J.L. : Essentials of Management, Prantice Hall of India, New Delhi, 1995
- Etzioni A. : Modern Organizations, Prentice Hall of India Pvt Ltd, New Delhi, 1995
- Agrawala B.P.: The Labour Code, Ram Narain Lal Beni Prashad Law Publishers, Allahabad, 1990.