

B.Com (Advertising and Sales Management)
Syllabus (CBCS)
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CBCS COURSE STRUCTURE
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Sl.No. (1)	Code (2)	Course Title (3)	HPW (5)	Credits (6)	Exam Hrs (7)	Marks (8)
SEMESTER - I						
1.	ELS1	English (First Language)	4	4		
2.	SLS1	Second Language	4	4		
3.	AECC1	a) Environmental Science/ b) Basic Computer Skills	2	2		
4.	DSC101	Financial Accounting-I	5	5	3 hrs	80U+20I
5.	DSC102	Business Organization and Management	5	5	3 hrs	80U+20I
6.	DSC103	Marketing Management	5	5	3 hrs	80U+20I
		Total	25	25		
SEMESTER - II						
7.	ELS2	English (First Language)	4	4		
8.	SLS2	Second Language	4	4		
9.	AECC2	a) Basic Computer Skills/ b) Environmental Science	2	2		
10.	DSC201	Financial Accounting-II	5	5	3 hrs	80U+20I
11.	DSC202	Business Laws	5	5	3 hrs	80U+20I
12.	DSC203	Fundamentals of Advertising	5	5	3 hrs	80U+20I
		Total	25	25		
SEMESTER - III						
13.	ELS3	English (First Language)	3	3		
14.	SLS3	Second Language	3	3		
15.	SEC1UGC Specified Course	Communication Skills Professional Skills	2	2	1 ½ hrs	40U+10I
16.	SEC2Dep t. Specified Course	a) Principles of Insurance/ b) Foundation of Digital Marketing & Web Design	2	2	1 ½ hrs	40U+10I
17.	DSC301	Advanced Accounting	5	5	3 hrs	80U+20I
18.	DSC302	Business Statistics-I	5	5	3 hrs	80U+20I
19.	DSC303	Media Management	5	5	3 hrs	80U+20I
		Total	25	25		
SEMESTER - IV						
20.	ELS4	English (First Language)	3	3		
21.	SLS4	Second Language	3	3		
22.	SEC3 UGC Specified Course	Leadership & Management Skills Universal Human Values	2	2	1 ½ hrs	40U+10I
23.	SEC4Dep t. SpecifiedC ourse	a) Practice of Life and General Insurance / b) Social Media Marketing Search Engine Optimization & Online Advertising	2	2	1 ½ hrs	40U+10I
24.	DSC401	Income Tax	5	5	3 hrs	80U+20I
25.	DSC402	Business Statistics-II	5	5	3 hrs	80U+20I
26.	DSC403	Marketing Research	5	5	3 hrs	80U+20I

		Total	25	25		
		SEMESTER – V				
27.	ELS5	English (First Language)	3	3		
28.	SLS5	Second Language	3	3		
29.	GE	a) Business Economics / b) Advanced Aspects of Income Tax	4	4	3 hrs	80U+20I
30.	DSE501	a) Cost Accounting/ b) Financial Planning & Performance/ c) International Financial Reporting-I	5	5	3 hrs	80U+20I
31.	DSE502	a) Computerized Accounting/ b) Financial Decision Making-I/ c) International Tax & Regulation	3T+4P/5	5	1 ½ hrs/3 hrs	50T+35P + 15I/ 80U+20I
32.	DSE503	a) International Advertising/ b) Advanced Corporate Accounting/ c) Financial Management	5	5	3 hrs	80U+20I
		Total	27/25	25		
		SEMESTER – VI				
33.	ELS6	English (First Language)	3	3		
34.	SLS6	Second Language	3	3		
35.	PR	Research Methodology and Project Report	2T+4R	4	1 ½ hrs	40U+10I 35R+15VV
36.	DSE601	a) Cost Control and Management Accounting/ b) Financial control/ c) International Financial Reporting-II	5	5	3 hrs	80U+20I
37.	DSE602	a) Theory and Practice of GST/ b) Financial Decision Making-II / c) International Auditing	3T+4P/5	5	1 ½ hrs/3 hrs	50T+35P + 15I/ 80U+20I
38.	DSE603	a) Brand Management/ b) Corporate Governance/ c) Investment management	5	5	3 hrs	80U+20I
		Total	29/27	25		
		GRAND TOTAL	156/152	150		

ELS: English Language Skill; SLS: Second Language Skill; AEC: Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course; SEC: Skill Enhancement Course; DSC: Discipline Specific Course; DSE: Discipline Specific Elective; GE: Generic Elective; T: Theory; P: Practical; I: Internal Exam U: University Exam; PR: Project Report; VV: Viva-Voce Examination.

Note: If a student should opt for “a” in SEC in III semester, the student has to opt for “a” only in IV semester and so is the case with “b” and “c”. In the case of DSE also the rule applies.

SUMMARY OF CREDITS

Sl. No.	Course Category	No. of Courses	Credits Per Course	Credits
1	English Language	6	4/3	20
2	Second Language	6	4/3	20
3	AECC	2	2	4
4	SEC	4	2	8
5	GE	1	4	4
6	Project Report	1	4	4
7	DSC	12	5	60
8	DSE	6	5	30
	TOTAL	38		150
	Commerce	24		106
CREDITS UNDER NON-CGPA		NSS/NCC/Sports/Extra Curricular	Up to 6 (2 in each year)	
		Summer Internship	Up to 4 (2 in each after I & II years)	

Paper DSC 101: FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING - I

Objective: To acquire conceptual knowledge of basics of accounting and preparation of final accounts of sole trader.

UNIT-I: ACCOUNTING PROCESS:

Financial Accounting: Introduction – Definition – Evolution – Functions-Advantages and Limitations –Users of Accounting Information- Branches of Accounting – Accounting Principles: Concepts and Conventions- Accounting Standards– Meaning – Importance – List of Accounting Standards issued by ASB – Accounting System- Types of Accounts – Accounting Cycle- Journal- Ledger and Trial Balance. (Including problems)

UNIT-II: SUBSIDIARY BOOKS:

Meaning –Types - Purchases Book - Purchases Returns Book - Sales Book - - Sales Returns Book - Bills Receivable Book - Bills Payable Book – Cash Book - Single Column, Two Column, Three Column and Petty Cash Book - Journal Proper.(Including problems)

UNIT-III: BANK RECONCILIATION STATEMENT:

Meaning – Need - Reasons for differences between cash book and pass book balances – Favourable and over draft balances – Ascertainment of correct cash book balance (Amended Cash Book) - Preparation of Bank Reconciliation Statement. (Including problems)

UNIT-IV: RECTIFICATION OF ERRORS AND DEPRECIATION:

Capital and Revenue Expenditure – Capital and Revenue Receipts: Meaning and Differences - Differed Revenue Expenditure. Errors and their Rectification: Types of Errors - Suspense Account – Effect of Errors on Profit. (Including problems)

Depreciation (AS-6): Meaning – Causes – Difference between Depreciation, Amortization and Depletion - Objectives of providing for depreciation – Factors affecting depreciation – Accounting Treatment – Methods of depreciation: Straight Line Method - Diminishing Balance Method (Including problems)

UNIT-V: FINAL ACCOUNTS:

Final Accounts of Sole Trader: Meaning -Uses -Preparation of Manufacturing, Trading and Profit & Loss Account and Balance Sheet – Adjustments – Closing Entries.(Including problems)

SUGGESTED READINGS:

1. Accountancy-I: Haneef and Mukherjee, Tata McGraw Hill Company.
2. Principles & Practice of Accounting: R.L.Gupta&V.K.Gupta, Sultan Chand.
3. Accountancy-I: S.P. Jain & K.L Narang, Kalyani Publishers.
4. Accountancy–I: Tulasian, Tata McGraw Hill Co.
5. Introduction to Accountancy: T.S.Grewal, S.Chand and Co.
6. Advanced Accountancy-I: S.N.Maheshwari&V.L.Maheshwari, Vikas.
7. Fundamentals of Financial Accounting: Deepak Sehgil, Tax Mann Publication.
8. Financial Accounting: JawaharLal, Himalaya Publishing House.

Paper DSC 102: BUSINESS ORGANISATION AND MANAGEMENT

Objective: To acquaint the students with the basics of Commerce and Business concepts and functions, forms of Business Organization and functions of Management.

UNIT-I: INTRODUCTION AND FORMS OF BUSINESS ORGANISATIONS:

Concepts of Business, Trade, Industry and Commerce - Objectives and functions of Business – Social Responsibility of a business - Forms of Business Organization - Meaning, Characteristics, Advantages and Disadvantages of Sole Proprietorship – Meaning, Characteristics, Advantages and Disadvantages of Partnership - Kinds of Partners - Partnership Deed - Concept of Limited liability partnership – Meaning, Characteristics, Advantages and Disadvantages of Hindu Undivided Family – Meaning, Advantages and Disadvantages of Co-Operative Organization.

UNIT-II: JOINT STOCK COMPANY:

Joint Stock Company - Meaning - Definition - Characteristics - Advantages and Disadvantages - Kinds of Companies - Promotion - Stages of Promotion - Promoter - Characteristics - Kinds - Preparation of Important Documents - Memorandum of Association - Clauses - Articles of Association - Contents – Prospectus - Contents – Red herring Prospectus- Statement in lieu of Prospectus (As per Companies Act. 2013).

UNIT-III: INTRODUCTION TO FUNCTIONS OF MANAGEMENT:

Management - Meaning - Characteristics - Functions of Management - Levels of Management – Skills of Management- Scientific Management - Meaning - Definition - Objectives - Criticism – Fayol's 14 Principles of Management .

UNIT-IV: PLANNING AND ORGANISING: Meaning - Definition - Characteristics - Types of Plans - Advantages and Disadvantages – Approaches to Planning - Management by Objectives (MBO) - Steps in MBO - Benefits – Weaknesses—Definition of Organizing-Organization-Process of Organizing - Principles of Organization - Formal and Informal Organizations - Line, Staff Organizations - Line and Staff Conflicts - Functional Organization - Span of Management - Meaning - Determining Span - Factors influencing the Span of Supervision.

UNIT-V: AUTHORITY, COORDINATION AND CONTROL:

Meaning of Authority, Power, responsibility and accountability - Delegation of Authority - Decentralization of Authority - Definition, importance, process, and principles of Coordination- techniques of Effective Coordination - Control - Meaning - Definition – Relationship between planning and control-Steps in Control – Types (post, current and pre-control) - Requirements for effective control.

SUGGESTED READINGS:

1. Business Organization & Management: Sharma Shashi K. Gupta, Kalyani Publishers
2. Business Organisation & Management: Patrick Anthony, Himalaya Publishing House
3. Business Organization & Management: Dr. Manish Gupta, PBP.
4. Organization & Management: R. D. Agarwal, McGraw Hill.
5. Modern Business Organization: S.A. Sherlekar, V.S. Sherlekar, Himalaya Publishing House
6. Business Organization & Management: C.R. Basu, Tata McGraw Hill
7. Business Organization & Management: M.C. Shukla S. Chand,
8. Business Organisation and Management: D.S. Vittal, S. Chand
9. Organizational Behaviour Text & Cases: V.S.P. Rao, Himalaya Publishing House
10. Business Organization & Management: Uma Shekaram, Tata McGraw Hill
11. Business Organization & Management: Niranjana Reddy & Surya Prakash, Vaagdevi publishers
12. Business Organisation and Management, Dr. Neeru Vasihth, Tax Mann Publications.

Paper DSC103: MARKETING MANAGEMENT

Objective: To familiarize the students with the concepts of marketing management.

UNIT-I: INTRODUCTION TO MARKETING & MARKETING ENVIRONMENT:

Meaning and Definition of Marketing - Scope of Marketing - Evolution of Marketing Concepts - Production Concept - Product Concept - Marketing Myopia - Selling Concept - Marketing Concept - Societal Marketing Concept - Objectives of Marketing - Role of Marketing in Economic Development - Rural Marketing - Rural Markets Vs Urban Markets - Marketing Management Tasks - Marketing Mix-Marketing of services. **Marketing Environment:** Micro Environment (Company-Suppliers-Marketing Intermediaries-Customers- Competitors- Public) - Macro Environment (Demographic-Economic-Natural-Technological-Political-Legal and Regulatory - Cultural -Social) - International Marketing-GAAT and WTO.

UNIT-II: MARKET SEGMENTATION, TARGETING & POSITIONING:

Concept of Target Market - Diffused Market - Concentrated Market - Clustered Market - Market Segmentation (Concept-Bases-Benefits-Requirements for Effective Segmentation) - Market Segmentation Analysis for consumer and service products - Product Positioning - Positioning maps.

UNIT III: CONSUMER AND ORGANIZATIONAL BUYING BEHAVIOR:

Consumer Behavior (Nature-Scope-Importance) - Factors influencing Consumer Behavior (Economic psychological-Cultural-Social and Personal) - Steps in Consumer Decision Process - Post Purchase Behavior - Cognitive Dissonance - Organizational Buyer (Industrial Markets-Resellers Market-Government Market)- Characteristics of Organizational Buyer Organizational Buying Behavior Vs Consumer Behavior.

UNIT IV: PRODUCT & PRICE MANAGEMENT:

Concept of Product - Classification of Products - Product Levels- Product Mix - Product Mix Decisions - New Product - New Product Development Stages - Product Life Cycle Stages and marketing implications - Branding - Packaging and Labeling. **Price Management:** Pricing- Objectives of Pricing-Role of Price in Marketing Mix-Factors influencing price - Pricing under different competitive conditions, Skimming and Penetration Pricing - Pricing Methods/strategies- cost based- demand based- competition based.

UNIT-V: PROMOTION & CHANNEL MANAGEMENT:

Promotion-Significance-Promotion Mix-Advertising - Objectives - Media - Budget- Types of Advertising - Personal Selling - Nature - Steps in personal selling. Sales Promotion - Objectives - Tools - Public Relations - Direct marketing - Forms of direct marketing.

UNIT-V: CHANNEL MANAGEMENT:

Marketing Channels: Nature-Channel Levels - Channel Structure & Participants - Functions Marketing Intermediaries - Channel Design Decisions - Online Marketing - Online Marketing Channels - objectives - merits - demerits- Retailing: Meaning - Significance - forms of retailing - formats of retail stores.

SUGGESTED READINGS:

1. Marketing Management, Philip Kotler, PHI, 12e
2. Introduction to Marketing, Lamb: Thomson, 8e, 2007
3. Fundamental of Marketing, Stanton WJ, 1996
4. Marketing Planning and Strategy, Jain, 7e
5. Marketing Management, Czinkota & Kotabe, 2005
6. Marketing Management, Ramaswamy & Namakumari.

Paper DSC 201:FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING-II

Objective: To acquire accounting knowledge of bills of exchange and other business accounting methods.

UNIT-I: BILLS OF EXCHANGE:

Bills of Exchange - Definition- Distinction between Promissory note and Bills of exchange- Accounting treatment of Trade bills: Books of Drawer and Acceptor- Honour and Dishonour of Bills- Renewal of bills- Retiring of bills under rebate- Accommodation bills.(Including problems)

UNIT-II: CONSIGNMENT ACCOUNTS:

Consignment – Meaning – Features– Proforma invoice - Account sales – Del credere commission-Accounting treatment in the books of the consignor and the consignee - Valuation of consignment stock –Treatment of Normal and abnormal Loss - Invoice of goods at a price higher than the cost price. (Including problems)

UNIT-III: JOINT VENTURE ACCOUNTS:

Joint Venture – Meaning –Features-Difference between Joint Venture and Consignment-Accounting Procedure-Methods of Keeping Records for Joint Venture Accounts-Method of Recording in co-ventures books-Separate Set of Books Method- Joint Bank Account-Memorandum Joint Venture Account (Including problems)

UNIT-IV: ACCOUNTS FROM INCOMPLETE RECORDS:

Single Entry System – Meaning -Features–Difference between Single Entry and Double Entry systems -Defects in Single Entry System - Books and accounts maintained - Ascertainment of Profit - Statement of Affairs and Conversion method (Including problems)

UNIT-V: ACCOUNTING FOR NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS:

Non- Profit Organization – Meaning – Features – Receipts and Payments Account – Income and Expenditure Account – Balance Sheet(Including problems)

SUGGESTED READINGS:

1. Accountancy-I: Haneef and Mukherjee, Tata McGraw Hill Co.
2. Principles and Practice of Accounting: R.L. Gupta & V.K. Gupta, Sultan Chand & Sons.
3. Accountancy-I: Tulasian, Tata McGraw Hill Co.
4. Accountancy-I: S.P. Jain & K.L. Narang, Kalyani.
5. Advanced Accountancy-I: S.N. Maheshwari & V.L. Maheswari, Vikas.
6. Advanced Accountancy: M. Shrinivas & K. Sreelatha Reddy, Himalaya Publishers.
7. Financial Accounting: M.N. Arora, Tax Mann Publications.

Paper DSC 202: BUSINESS LAWS

Objective: To understand basics of contract act, sales of goods act, IPRs and legal provisions applicable for establishment, management and winding up of companies in India.

UNIT-I: INDIAN CONTRACT ACT:

Agreement and contract - Essentials of a valid contract - Types of contracts - Offer and Acceptance - Essentials of valid offer and acceptance - Communication and revocation of offer and acceptance - Consideration definition - Essentials of valid consideration - Modes of Discharge of a contract - Performance of Contracts - Breach of Contract - Remedies for Breach - Significance of Information Technology Act.

UNIT-II: SALE OF GOODS ACT AND CONSUMER PROTECTION ACT:

Contract of Sale: Essentials of Valid Sale - Sale and Agreement to Sell - Definition and Types of Goods - Conditions and Warranties - Caveat Emptor - Exceptions - Unpaid Seller - Rights of Unpaid Seller. Consumer Protection Act 1986: Definitions of Consumer - Person - Goods - Service - Consumer Dispute - Consumer Protection Councils - Consumer Dispute Redressal Agencies - Appeals.

UNIT-III: INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS:

Trade Marks: Definition - Registration of Trade Marks - Patents: Definition - Kinds of Patents - Transfer of the Patent Rights - Rights of the Patentee - Copy Rights: Definition - Rights of the Copyright Owner - Terms of Copy Right - Copy Rights Infringement - Other Intellectual Property Rights: Trade Secrets - Geographical Indications.

UNIT-IV: MANAGEMENT OF COMPANIES AND MEETINGS:

Director: Qualification - Disqualification - Position - Appointment - Removal - Duties and Liabilities - Loans - Remuneration - Managing Director - Corporate Social Responsibility - Corporate Governance. Meeting: Meaning - Requisites - Notice - Proxy - Agenda - Quorum - Resolutions - Minutes - Kinds - Shareholder Meetings - Statutory Meeting - Annual General Body Meeting - Extraordinary General Body Meeting - Board Meetings.

UNIT-V: WINDING UP:

Meaning - Modes of Winding Up - Winding Up by tribunal - Voluntary Winding Up - Compulsory Winding Up - Consequences of Winding Up - Removal of name of the company from Registrar of Companies - Insolvency and Bankruptcy code - 2016.

SUGGESTED READINGS:

- 1) Company Law: ND Kapoor, Sultan Chand and Co.
- 2) Company Law: Rajashree. - HPH
- 3) Business Law - Kavitha Krishna, Himalaya Publishing House
- 4) Business Laws - Dr. B. K. Hussain, Nagalakshmi - PBP
- 5) Company Law: Prof. G. Krishna Murthy, G. Kavitha, PBP
- 6) Company Law and Practice: GK Kapoor & Sanjay Dhamija, Taxmann Publication.
- 7) Business Law - Dr. Indrakanti Sekhar & Ms. Tulja Bhavani, SIA Publishing & Distributors Pvt. Ltd.
- 8) Company Law: Revised as per Companies Act- 2013: KC Garg et al, Kalyani Publication.
- 9) Corporate Law: PPS Gogna, S Chand.
- 10) Business Law: D.S. Vital, S Chand
- 11) Company Law: Bagrial AK, Vikas Publishing House.

Paper DSC 203: FUNDAMENTALS OF ADVERTISING

Objective: To make students to learn Fundamentals of Advertising.

UNIT-I: INTRODUCTION TO ADVERTISING:

Advertising - Definition - Importance - Classification of advertisements – Functions of Advertising - Objectives – DAGMAR - Advertising and Direct Marketing: Advertising - Determinants of Advertisability - Causes for advertisement failure - Direct marketing - Definition - Growth of direct marketing - Causes - Process of Direct marketing.

UNIT-II: ADVERTISING & SALES PROMOTION:

Sales Promotion - Definition - Types - Features - Increasing importance - Reasons - Advantages and disadvantages of the combination of advertising and sales promotion - Advertising and Public Relations/Publicity: Public Relations - Definition – Publicity – Meaning - Advertising, PR and publicity - Advantages and Disadvantages.

UNIT-III: PLANNING FOR ADVERTISING:

Strategic planning - Marketing plan - Advertising objectives - Communication response pyramid - Advertising Department - Organizing for advertising department - Functions of advertising management.

UNIT-IV: ECONOMIC EFFECTS OF ADVERTISING:

Explicit role of advertising - Indirect role of Advertising - Economic effects - Social Effects of Advertising: Benefits of Advertising - Impact of Advertisements on children - Women in Advertising.

UNIT-V: ETHICS IN ADVERTISING:

Criticism of Advertising – Controversial effects of advertising – Puffery – Shock – advertisements - Subliminal advertising- Regulating bodies in India.

SUGGESTED READINGS:

1. Advertising & Promotion: Belch & Belch, Tata McGraw Hill
2. Advertising: Sontakki, Himalaya Publishing House
3. Advertising Planning and implementation: Sharma and Singh, Prentice Hall
4. Advertising Management Concepts and Cases: Mahendra Mohan, Tata McGraw Hill
5. Promotion Management: Burnelt, Tata McGraw Hill.

Paper SEC - 2 (a): PRINCIPLES OF INSURANCE

Objectives: To make Students to learn Principles of Insurance.

UNIT I: RISK MANAGEMENT AND INSURANCE & INSURANCE TERMINOLOGY:

Risk Management -Types of Risks - Actual and Consequential Losses - Management of Risks - Risk of Dying Early - Risk of Living too Long - Different Classes of Insurance - Importance of Insurance - Management of Risk by Individuals and Insurers - Fixing of Premiums – Reinsurance - Role of Insurance in Economic Development and Social Security - Constituents of Insurance Market - Operations of Insurance Companies - Operations of Intermediaries - Specialist Insurance Companies - Role of Regulators - Common and specific terms in Life and Non-Life Insurance - Understanding Insurance Customers - Customer Behavior at Purchase Point - Customer Behavior when Claim Occurs - Importance of Ethical Behavior

UNIT II: INSURANCE CONTRACT AND INSURANCE PRODUCTS:

Insurance Contract Terms - Principles of Insurance: Principle of Insurable Interest, Principle of Indemnity, Principle of Subrogation, Principle of Contribution, Relevant Information Disclosure, Principle of utmost Good Faith, Relevance of Proximate Cause - **Life Insurance Products:** Term Plans - Pure Endowment Plans - Combinations of Plans - Traditional Products - Linked Policies - Features of Annuities and Group Policies - **General Insurance Products:** Risks faced by Owner of Assets - Exposure to Perils - Features of Products Covering Fire and Allied Perils - Products covering Marine and Transit Risks - Products covering Financial Losses due to Accidents - Products covering Financial Losses due to Hospitalization - Products Covering Miscellaneous Risks

SUGGESTED READINGS:

1. Principles of Risk Management and Insurance: George E Rejda (13th Edition) 2. Risk Management and Insurance: Trieschman ,Gustavson and Hoyt . South Western College Publishing, 3. Principles of Insurance: A Publication of the Insurance Institute of India 4. Principles of Insurance: Telugu Academy, Hyderabad 5. Guide to Risk Management: SagarSanyal6. Principles of Insurance: Dr V Padmavathi,Dr V Jayalakshmi - PBP 7. Insurance and Risk Management : P.K. Gupta 8. Insurance Theory and Practice :Tripathi PHI 9. Principles of Insurance Management: Neelam C Gulati, Excel Books 10. Life and Health Insurance: Black, JR KENNETH & Harold Skipper, Pearson, Cincinnati,Ohio Suggested Websites: 1) www.irda.gov.in 2) www.polocyholder.gov.in 3) www.irdaindia.org.in

Paper SEC - 2 (b): FOUNDATION OF DIGITAL MARKETING & WEB DESIGN

Objective:

- i. To make students to understand Foundation of digital marketing.
- ii. To make students to understand the Fundamentals of Web design and Analytics.

UNIT I: DIGITAL MARKETING FOUNDATIONS& CONTENT MARKETING:

Digital Marketing Strategy - Exploring Digital Marketing - Starting with the Website - Foundations of Analytics - Search Engine Optimization - Search and Display Marketing - Social Media Marketing - Video Marketing.

Email marketing tools and setup - Email marketing segmentation, personalization and mobile friendly design

Content marketing foundations - Blogs for content marketing - Content marketing for staying relevant - Newsletters for content marketing - Mobile marketing foundations

UNIT II: WEB DESIGN AND GOOGLE ANALYTICS:

Exploring and learning web design – Understanding Conversion rate optimization (CRO) – Setting CRO – Understanding target audience – Optimization champion

Getting started with Google Analytics – Core concepts – Additional interface features – Using reports – Audience reports – Acquisition reports – Social reports – Behavior reports – Track events – Conversion reports – Additional features

SUGGESTED READINGS:

1. The Art of Digital Marketing: The Definitive Guide to Creating Strategic, Targeted, and Measurable Online Campaigns by Ian Dodson, Wiley
2. Fundamentals of Digital Marketing by Puneet Singh Bhatia, Pearson
3. Digital Marketing by Vandana Ahuja, Oxford
4. Digital Marketing by Seema Gupta, McGraw Hill
5. Digital Marketing For Dummies by Ryan Deiss and Russ Henneberry
6. Don't Make Me Think Revisited: A Common Sense Approach to Web Usability By Steve Krug
7. Web Analytics 2.0 – Avinash Kaushik
8. Successful Analytics by Brian Clifton
9. Math and Stats for Web Analytics and Conversion Optimization by Himanshu Sharma

Paper DSC 301: ADVANCED ACCOUNTING

Objective: To acquire accounting knowledge of partnership firms and joint stock companies

UNIT-I: PARTNERSHIP ACCOUNTS-I:

Meaning – Partnership Deed - Capital Accounts (Fixed and Fluctuating) – Admission of a Partner – Retirement and Death of a Partner (Excluding Joint Life Policy)(Including problems)

UNIT-II: PARTNERSHIP ACCOUNTS–II:

Dissolution of Partnership – Insolvency of a Partner (excluding Insolvency of all partners) – Sale to a Company (Including problems)

UNIT-III: ISSUE OF SHARES, DEBENTURES, UNDERWRITING AND BONUS SHARES:

Issue of Shares at par, premium and discount - Prorata allotment – Forfeiture and Re-issue of Shares – Issue of Debentures with Conditions of Redemption – Underwriting: Meaning – Conditions- Bonus Shares: Meaning – SEBI Guidelines for Issue of Bonus Shares – Accounting of Bonus Shares(Including problems)

UNIT-IV: COMPANY FINAL ACCOUNTS AND PROFIT PRIOR TO INCORPORATION:

Companies Act 2013: Structure – General Instructions for preparation of Balance Sheet and Statement of Profit and Loss – Part-I: Form of Balance Sheet – Part-II: Statement of Profit and Loss – Preparation of Final Accounts of Companies - Profits Prior to Incorporation- Accounting treatment. (Including problems)

UNIT-V: VALUATION OF GOODWILL AND SHARES:

Valuation of Goodwill: Need – Methods: Average Profits, Super Profits and Capitalization Methods -Valuation of Shares: Need –Net Assets, Yield and Fair Value Methods. (Including problems)

SUGGESTED READINGS:

1. Principles and Practice of Accounting: R.L. Gupta & V.K. Gupta, Sultan Chand & Sons.
2. Advanced Accountancy: Shukla and Grewal, S.Chand & Co.
3. Advanced Accountancy: R.L.Gupta & Radhaswamy, Sultan Chand & Sons.
4. Advanced Accountancy (Vol-II): S.N.Maheshwari & V.L.Maheshwari, Vikas.
5. Advanced Accountancy: Dr. G. Yogeshwaran, Julia Allen - PBP
6. Accountancy–III: Tulasian, Tata McGraw Hill Co.
7. Advanced Accountancy: Arulanandam; Himalaya.
8. Accountancy–III: S.P. Jain & K.L Narang, Kalyani Publishers.
9. Guidance Note on the Revised Schedule VI to the Companies Act, 1956, The Institute of Chartered Accounts of India.
10. Advanced Accounting (IPCC): D. G. Sharma, Tax Mann Publications.

Paper DSC 302: BUSINESS STATISTICS -I

Objective: To inculcate analytical and computational ability among the students.

UNIT-I: INTRODUCTION:

Origin and Development of Statistics – Definition - Importance and Scope - Limitations of Statistics - Distrust of Statistics.

Statistical Investigation: Planning of statistical investigation - Census and Sampling methods - Collection of primary and secondary data - Statistical errors and approximation - classification and Tabulation of data - Frequency distribution.

UNIT – II: DIAGRAMMATIC AND GRAPHIC PRESENTATION:

Diagrammatic presentation: One Dimensional and Two Dimensional Diagrams – Pictograms – Cartograms Graphic presentation: Technique of Construction of Graphs - Graphs of Frequency Distribution - Graphs of Time Series or Histograms.

UNIT-III: MEASURES OF CENTRAL TENDENCY:

Introduction –Significance -Arithmetic Mean- Geometric Mean - Harmonic Mean - Mode – Median - Quartiles and Percentiles - Simple and Weighted Averages - Uses and Limitations of different Averages.

UNIT-IV: MEASURES OF DISPERSION, SKEWNESS AND KURTOSIS:

Measures of Dispersion: Significance - Characteristics - Absolute and Relative Measures - Range - Quartile Deviation - Mean Deviation- Standard Deviation - Coefficient of Variation.

Measures of Skewness - Karl Pearson's Coefficient of Skewness - Bowley's Coefficient of Skewness - Kelly's Measure of Skewness – Kurtosis: Mesokurtosis, Platy kurtosis and Leptokurtosis.

UNIT-V: CORRELATION:

Meaning -Types - Correlation and Causation – Methods: Scatter Diagram - Karl Person's Coefficient of Correlation - Probable Error and Interpretation of Coefficient of Correlation - Rank Correlation - Concurrent Deviation Method.

SUGGESTED READINGS:

1. Statistics for Management: Levin & Rubin, Pearson
2. Fundamentals of Statistics: Gupta S.C, Himalaya
3. Statistics: E. Narayanan Nadar, PHI Learning
4. Business Statstics –I: Dr. Obul Reddy, Dr. D. Shridevi - PBP
5. Business Statistics: Dr. J. K. Thukral, Taxmann Publications
6. Business Statistics –I: Dr. PrashantaAthma, N. Rajyalaxmi – SIA Publishers & Distributors Pvt. Ltd.
7. Business Statistics: K. Alagar, Tata McGraw Hill
8. Fundamentals of Statistical: S. P Gupta, Sultan Chand
9. Business Statistics: J. K. Sharma, Vikas Publishers
10. Business Statistics: S. L Aggarwal, S. L. Bhardwaj, Kalyani Publications
11. Statistics-Problems and Solutions: Kapoor V.K, S. Chand
12. Statistics - Theory, Methods and Applications: Sancheti D.C. &Kapoor V.K
13. Business Statistics: S. K. Chakravarty, New Age International Publishers
14. Statistics: Andasn,Sweenly,Williams,Cingage.

Paper DSC 303: MEDIA MANAGEMENT

Objective: To expose students to the rigors of media management and equip them to be able to manage the media in the marketing environment.

UNIT – I: OVERVIEW OF MEDIA AND MEDIA PLANNING:

Meaning of Media & Features of Media, Meaning of Media Planning, Scope of Media planning, Media Planning Elements, Role of Media in Business, Media Planning Process, Impact of Marketing Objectives on Media Planning, Factors Influencing Media Planning Decisions, Role and Importance of Media in Consumer Buying Decision, Role of Media Planner, Challenges of Media Planning, Organization Structure of Media Company, Regulatory Framework and Legal Aspects in Media Planning

UNIT – II: MEDIA RESEARCH:

Meaning, Role and Importance sources of media research, Audit Bureau of Circulation, Press Audits, National Readership Survey/IRS, Businessmen's Readership Survey, TRP, National Television Study, ADMAR Satellite Cable Network Study, Reach and Coverage Study, CIB Listenership Survey.

UNIT – III: MEDIA MIX AND MEDIA STRATEGY:

a) Media Mix: Meaning, Need for Media Mix, Identifying Audience for Mass Media, Factors Affecting Media Mix Decision, Types of Media Mix Decisions: Broad Media Classes, Media Vehicles, Media Units, Deciding Ideal Media Mix **b). Media Choices:** Print Meaning- Factors Affecting Selection of Print Media Decisions, Types of Print Media, Advantages and Limitations, Television- Meaning, Factors Affecting Selection of Television Media Decisions, Advantages and Limitations, Radio- Meaning, Factors Affecting Selection of Radio Media Decision, Advantages and Limitations, out of Home (OOH)- Meaning, Types of OOH, Factors Affecting OOH Planning Decision, Advantages and Limitations. **c). Emerging Media:** Online, Mobile, Gaming, In flight, In Store, Interactive Media **d). Media Strategy:** Meaning, Need for Media Strategy, Situation Analysis for Media Strategy and its Components, steps in Formulating Media Strategies: Defining the Target Group, Market Prioritization, Media Weights, Media Mix, Media Scheduling.

UNIT – IV: MEDIA BUDGETING, BUYING & SCHEDULING:

a) Media Budget: Meaning, Factors to be considered while Framing a Budget: Advertising Task, Competitive Framework, Market Dominance, Market Coverage, Media Cost, Market Task, Pricing, Frequency of Purchase Importance of Media Budget. Methods of Setting Media Budget

– Status Quo, Inflation Adjusted, Advertising Sales, Case Rate & Advertising Margin Method, Share of Market, Yardstick Method, Effective Frequency & Reach Method & Margin Analysis ROI Based Approach, Experimental Approach, Break Even Planning. **b) Media Buying:** meaning, role of Media Buyer, Objectives of Media Buying, Buying Process: Buying Brief, Environmental Analysis, Science and Art of Buying, Benchmarking Buying Plan Presentation Deal Management and Post Buy, Buying brief: Concept & Elements of Buying Brief, Art of Media Buying – Negotiation in Media Buying, Plan Presentation and Client Feedback, Criteria in Media Buying. **c) Media Scheduling:** Meaning, Importance, Factors Affecting Scheduling: Sales Pattern, Purchase Cycle, Product Availability, Competitive Activity, Marketing Task, Budget Constraints, Target Group. Scheduling Patterns – Continuity, Fighting, Pulsing,

Scheduling Strategies for Creating Impact: Road Block, Day or Day part Emphasis, Multiple Spotting, Teasers.

UNIT – V: DEVELOPMENTS IN INTERNATIONAL MARKETING:

a) Media Measurement: Basic Metrics: Reach, Cumulative/Frequency Reach, Discrete & Cumulative distribution, Average Opportunity to See (AOTS), Effective frequency/Reach, Television Metrics: Dairy v/s People meter, TRP/TVR, Program Reach & Time Spent, Stickiness Index, Ad Viewership, Radio Metrics: Arbitron Radio Rating, Print Metrics: Circulation, Average Issue Readership (AIR), Total or Claimed Reader, Sole or Solus reader. OOH Metrics: Traffic Audit Bureau (TAB), **b) Benchmarking Metrics:** Share, Profile, and Selectivity Index. **c) Plan Metrics:** Gross Rating Points (GRP), Gross Impressions (GI), Share of Voice (SOV). **d) Evaluating Media Buys:** Evaluating Television Media Buying: Dysfunctional Card Rate, Secondary and Effective Rate, Deal Composition, Cost Per Rating Point (CPRP), Reach Delivered by the Buy, Visibility Spots, Bonus Percentage, Upgrades and Spot Fixing, Sponsorships, Evaluating Print Media Buying: Discount on Rate Card, Negotiated Rate, Cost Per Thousand (CPT), Market Share Incentives, Readership v/s Circulation Track, Growth Incentives, Combination Rate Incentives, Full Page Discounts and Size Upgrades, Discount for Colour Ads, Date Flexibility Incentives, Positioning, Innovations, Evaluating Other Media Buys: Radio Buys, Outdoor Buys, Cinema Buys, Internet Buys, and Mobile Buys.

SUGGESTED READINGS:

1. Arpita Menon, Media Planning and Buying, Tata McGraw Hill Education Private Limited, Second Edition 2010.
2. Jack Z Sissors and Roger B. Baron, Advertising Media Planning, McGraw Hill Education India Pvt. Limited, Seventh Edition.
3. Larry Percy and Richard Elliott, Strategic Advertising Management, Oxford University Press, Second Edition.
4. Larry d. Kelly and Donald W. Jugeneimer, Advertising Media Planning, PHI learning Private Limited
5. Dennis .F. Herrick, Media Management in Age of Giants, Surjeet Publications.
6. Charles Warner and Joseph Buchman, Media selling, Surjeet Publication, 3rd edition
7. Jack Z Sissors and Jim Surmanek, Advertising Media Planning - Crain books 1976
8. James R Adams, Media Planning - Business books 1977
9. Advanced M.P. - John R Rossister, Kluwer Academic publications 1998. 10) Advertising M.P., Jack Z Sissors, McGraw Hill 6th Edition

Paper SEC - 4 (a): PRACTICE OF LIFE AND GENERAL INSURANCE

Objective: To make students to learn Practice of Life and General Insurance

UNIT-I: PREMIUM CALCULATION AND POLICY DOCUMENTS:

Meaning of Premium, its calculation- Rebates – Mode of Rebates – Large sum assured
Rebates – Premium Loading – Rider Premiums – Computation of Benefits – Surrender value – Paid up value -General Insurance Policy Documents and Forms - Rating and Premiums - concept of soft and hard markets

UNIT-II: SETTLEMENT OF CLAIMS RISK & UNDERWRITINGS AND FINANCIAL PLANNING & TAX SAVING:

Life Insurance: Settlement of claims: Intimation Procedure, documents and settlement procedures - Underwriting: The need for underwriting – Guiding principles of Underwriting – Factors affecting Insurability – Methods of Life Classification – Laws affecting Underwriting - Financial Planning and taxation: Savings – Insurance vis-à-vis- Investment in the Units Mutual Funds, Capital Markets – Life Insurance in Individual Financial Planning – Implications in IT treatment.

General Insurance: Concept of Underwriting—Underwriting Process—Risk sharing and its methods—risk management and steps involved in it—Concept of Claim—understanding the process of claim management—claims fraud and fraud prevention—Insurance reserves and accounting—different types of reserves of insurance companies—reserving process followed by insurance companies—Insurance accounting.

SUGGESTED READINGS: 1. Practice of Life Insurance&General Insurance: Insurance Institute of India, Mumbai. 2. Insurance and Risk Management: P.K.Gupta, Himalaya Publishing House, Mumbai. 3. Fundamentals of Life Insurance Theories and Applications: Kanika Mishra, Prentice Hall 4. Principles of Life Insurance & Practice of General Insurance– Dr. V. Padmavathi, Dr. V. Jayalakshmi - PBP 5. Managing Life Insurance: Kutty, S.K., Prentice Hall of India: New Delhi 6. Life and Health Insurance: Black, Jr. Kenneth and Harold Skipper Jr., Prentice Hall, Inc., England. 7. Life Insurance: Principles and Practice: K.C. Mishra and C.S. Kumar, Cengage Learning, New Delhi. 8. Life Insurance in India: Sadhak, Respose Books, New Delhi. 9. Practice of General Insurance – D.S. Vittal-HPH, 10.Principles & Practice of Insurance- Dr. P. Periasamy – HPH. 11. Risk Management: A Publication of the Insurance Institute of India. 12. Insurance Theory and Practice: Tripathi PHI 13. Risk Management and Insurance: Trieschman, Gustavson and Hoyt 9. South Western College Publishing Cincinnati, Ohio.

Paper SEC - 4 (b): SOCIAL MEDIA MARKETING, SEARCH ENGINE OPTIMIZATION & ONLINE ADVERTISING

Objective:

- I. To make students to understand the Social Media marketing.
- II. To make students to understand the Search engine optimization and online advertising.

UNIT I: SOCIAL MEDIA MARKETING:

Building an online community – Understanding Social Media Marketing – Marketing and building presence on Facebook – Marketing and building presence on Twitter – Employer branding on LinkedIn

Facebook advertising overview – How Facebook ads work – How to create Facebook ads – Additional advertising options and best practices for Facebook advertising – Marketing and monetizing on YouTube – Customize your YouTube Channel – Video optimization on YouTube – YouTube Analytics

UNIT II: SEO FOUNDATION & STRATEGIES:

Understanding SEO — Content optimization – Long-term content planning

Keyword strategy – Linkbuilding strategies – Measuring SEO effectiveness – SEO for Ecommerce – Local search – Mobile SEO UNIT

Pay-Per-Click Advertising – Getting started with Google Adwords – Advertising tracking – Key Google Adwords strategies – Remarketing with Google – Budget and ROI tips – B2B Remarketing Campaigns

SUGGESTED READINGS:

1. The Art of Digital Marketing: The Definitive Guide to Creating Strategic, Targeted, and Measurable Online Campaigns by Ian Dodson, Wiley
2. Fundamentals of Digital Marketing by Puneet Singh Bhatia, Pearson
3. Digital Marketing by Vandana Ahuja, Oxford
4. Tuten: Social Media Marketing, Sage
5. Digital Marketing by Seema Gupta, McGraw Hill
6. Social Media Marketing All-In-One for Dummies By Jan Zimmerman and Deborah Ng
7. Facebook Growth Hacking: How to Correctly Set Up and Maintain Your Facebook Presence and Gain Massive Amounts of Fans (Social Media Marketing) by Jeff Abston
8. Youtube Influencer: How To Become a Youtube Influencer, Why Influencer Marketing Matters, and How To Monetize Your Channel by Jeff Abston
9. SEO Fitness Workbook: 2018 Edition: The Seven Steps to Search Engine Optimization Success on Google By Jason McDonald
10. The Art of SEO: Mastering Search Engine Optimization By Eric Enge, Stephan Spencer and Jessie Stricchiola
11. Google Adwords for Beginners: A Do-It-Yourself Guide to PPC Advertising By Cory Rabazinsky, 2015

Paper DSC 401: INCOME TAX

Objective: To acquire conceptual and legal knowledge about Income Tax provisions relating to computation of Income from different heads with reference to an Individual Assessee.

UNIT-I: INTRODUCTION:

Direct and Indirect Taxes – Canons of Taxation - Features and History of Income Tax in India – Definitions and Basic Concepts of Income Tax: Assessee – Deemed Assessee – Assessee-in-default – Assessment Year – Previous Year - Person – Agricultural Income – Heads of Income – Gross Total Income – Total Income — Incomes Exempt from Tax. Residential Status and Scope of Total Income: Meaning of Residential Status – Conditions applicable to an Individual Assessee – Incidence of Tax – Types of Incomes. (Theory only)

UNIT-II: INCOME FROM SALARIES:

Definition of ‘Salary’ – Characteristics of Salary – Computation of Salary Income: Salary u/s 17(1) – Annual Accretion – Allowances – Perquisites – Profits in lieu of Salary – Deductions u/s. 16 – Problems on computation of Income from Salary.

UNIT-III: INCOME FROM HOUSE PROPERTY:

Definition of ‘House Property’ – Exempted House Property incomes– Annual Value – Determination of Annual Value for Let-out House and Self-occupied House – Deductions u/s.24 – Problems on computation of Income from House Property.

UNIT-IV: PROFITS AND GAINS OF BUSINESS OR PROFESSION:

Definition of ‘Business and Profession’ – Procedure for computation of Income from Business – Revenue and Capital nature of Incomes and Expenses – Allowable Expenses u/s. 30 to 37 – Expenses expressly disallowed – Deemed Profits – Miscellaneous provisions u/s 44. Depreciation: Meaning – Conditions for charge of depreciation – Problems on computation of Income from Business. Income from Profession: Rules– procedure – problems on computation of Income from Profession.

UNIT-V: CAPITAL GAINS AND INCOME FROM OTHER SOURCES:

Introduction - Meaning – Scope of charge – Basis of charge – Short term and Long term Capital Assets – Transfer of Capital Asset – Deemed Transfer –Determination of Cost of Acquisition – Procedure for computation of Long-term and Short-term Capital Gains/Losses – Exemptions in respect of certain Capital Gains u/s. 54 – Problems on computation of capital gains - General Incomes u/s. 56(1) – Specific Incomes u/s. 56(2) – Dividends u/s. 2(22) – Winnings from lotteries Puzzles, crown world puzzles, Races – Interest on Securities – Gifts received by an Individual – Casual Income – Family Pension – Rent received on let out of Furniture- Plant and Machinery with/without Building – Deductions u/s. 57. (Theory only)

SUGGESTED READINGS:

1. Income Tax Law and Practice: V.P. Gaur & D.B Narang, Kalyani Publishers.
2. Taxation: Dr. M.N. Ravi, PBP.
3. Direct Taxes Law & Practice: Dr.Vinod K. Singhanian&Dr.KapilSinghanian, Taxmann
4. Income Tax: B.B. Lal, Pearson Education.
5. Taxation: R.G. Saha, Himalaya Publishing House Pvt. Ltd.
6. Income Tax: Johar, McGrawHill Education.
7. Taxation Law and Practice: Balachandran&Thothadri, PHI Learning.
8. Direct Tax Law and Practice : AhujaGirish

Paper DSC 402: BUSINESS STATISTICS - II

Objective: to inculcate analytical and computational ability among the students.

UNIT-I: REGRESSION:

Introduction - Linear and Non Linear Regression – Correlation Vs. Regression - Lines of Regression - Derivation of Line of Regression of Y on X - Line of Regression of X on Y - Using Regression Lines for Prediction.

UNIT-II: INDEX NUMBERS:

Introduction - Uses - Types - Problems in the Construction of Index Numbers - Methods of Constructing Index Numbers - Simple and Weighted Index Number (Laspeyre - Paasche, Marshall – Edgeworth) - Tests of Consistency of Index Number: Unit Test - Time Reversal Test - Factor Reversal Test - Circular Test - Base Shifting - Splicing and Deflating of Index Numbers.

UNIT-III: TIME SERIES:

Introduction - Components – Methods-Semi Averages - Moving Averages – Least Square Method - Deseasonalisation of Data – Uses and Limitations of Time Series.

UNIT-IV: PROBABILITY:

Probability – Meaning - Experiment – Event - Mutually Exclusive Events - Collectively Exhaustive Events - Independent Events - Simple and Compound Events - Basics of Set Theory – Permutation – Combination - Approaches to Probability: Classical – Empirical – Subjective - Axiomatic - Theorems of Probability: Addition – Multiplication - Baye’s Theorem.

UNIT-V: THEORITCAL DISTRIBUTIONS:

Binomial Distribution: Importance – Conditions – Constants - Fitting of Binomial Distribution.
Poisson Distribution: – Importance – Conditions – Constants - Fitting of Poisson Distribution.
Normal Distribution: – Importance - Central Limit Theorem - Characteristics – Fitting a Normal Distribution (Areas Method Only).

SUGGESTED READINGS:

1. Statistics for Management: Levin & Rubin, Pearson,
2. Fundamentals of Statistics: Gupta S.C, Himalaya
3. Business Statistics: Theory & Application, P. N. Jani, PHI Learning
4. Business Statics – II: Dr. OBul Reddy, Dr. D. Shridevi - PBP
5. Business Statistics: Dr. J. K. Thukral, Taxmann Publications
6. Business Statistics –II: Dr. PrashantaAthma, N. Rajyalaxmi – SIA Publishers & Distributors Pvt. Ltd.
7. Business Statistics: K. Alagar, Tata McGraw Hill
8. Fundamentals of Statistical: S. P Gupta , Sultan Chand
9. Business Statistics: J. K. Sharma,Vikas Publishers
10. Business Statistics: Vora, Tata McGraw Hill
11. Statistics-Problems and Solutions: Kapoor V.K, S. Chand
12. Statistics-Teory, Methods and Applications: SanchetiD.C. &Kapoor V.K

13. Business Statistics: S. K. Chakravarty, New Age International Publishers

14. Business Statistics-G.Laxman,Vasudeva Reddy, K.Goud, TaxmannPublications,Hyderabad.

Paper DSC 403 :MARKETING RESEARCH

Objective: to enable the students with market research techniques and implementing their own ideas for developing business.

UNIT –I: MARKETING RESEARCH DYNAMICS:

Introduction, Meaning of Research - Research Characteristics - Various Types of Research - Marketing Research and its Management - Nature and Scope of Marketing Research - Marketing Research in the 21st Century (Indian Scenario) - Value and Cost of Information.

UNIT-II:PLANNING THE RESEARCH PROCESS:

Introduction - Research Process: An Overview - Formulation of a Problem - Research Methods, Research Design - Data Collection Methods - Sample Design - Data Collection - Analysis and Interpretation - Report Writing.

UNIT –III: DATA COLLECTION: SOURCES AND METHODS:

Introduction - Meaning and Nature of Secondary Data - Advantages of Secondary Data - Drawbacks of Secondary Data -Types of Secondary Data Sources - Primary Data and its Types.

UNIT-IV: APPLICATIONS OF MARKETING RESEARCH:

Introduction - Consumer Market Research - Business-to-Business Market Research - Product Research - Pricing Research - Motivational Research - Distribution Research - Advertising Research - Media research - Sales Analysis and Forecasting - Data Mining.

UNIT-V: RECENT TRENDS IN MARKETING RESEARCH:

Introduction - Marketing Information System and Research - Online Marketing Research - Recent Trends in Marketing Research - Research in Lifestyle Retail - Marketing Research and Social Marketing - Rural Marketing Research - Trends in Services Marketing Research - Brand Equity Research - International Marketing and Branding Research

SUGGESTED READINGS:

1. Research for Marketing Decisions Paul E. Green, Donald S. Tull
2. Marketing Research- Text and Cases Harper W. Boyd Jr. , Ralph Westfall
3. Naresh K. Malhotra, MARKETING RESEARCH: AN APPLIED ORIENTATION, Pearson Education, Asia
4. Paul E. Green & Donald S. Tull, RESEARCH FOR MARKETING DECISIONS. PHI Learning Private Limited, New Delhi, 2009
5. Donald R. Cooper & Schindler, MARKETING RESEARCH CONCEPT & CASES, Tata McGrawHill Publishing Company Limited, new Delhi, 2006
- 6.S.C. Gupta, MARKETING RESEARCH, Excel Books India, 2007

Paper GE: a) BUSINESS ECONOMICS

Objective: To acquire knowledge for application of economic principles and tools in business practices.

UNIT-I: INTRODUCTION:

Business Economics: Meaning - Nature – Characteristics - Importance and Role - Micro & Macro Economics - Scope - Objectives - Law of Diminishing marginal utility - Law of Equi-marginal utility.

UNIT- II: DEMAND ANALYSIS:

Meaning – Function - Factors influencing Demand -Types of Demand -Demand Curve - Law of Demand –Exceptions to the law of demand-Elasticity of Demand: Concept - Types of elasticity of demand-price, income and cross Elasticity of Demand –measurement of elasticity—arc and point methods—Importance of various Elasticity of Demand

UNIT-III: SUPPLY ANALYSIS:

Law of Supply - Factors influencing Supply - Market Equilibrium- Consumer Surplus - Theory of Consumer behavior - Utility and indifference curve analysis.

UNIT-IV: PRODUCTION ANALYSIS:

Concept of Production –production function-Total Production - Marginal Production - Average Production –returns to a factor- Law of Variable Proportions - Law of Returns to Scale –Isocost–Isoquants - Economies and Dis-economies of Scale.

UNIT-V: COST AND REVENUE ANALYSIS:

Theory of Cost - Concepts of Cost - Short run and Long run cost curves - Traditional and Modern Approaches -Revenue Curves–relationship between total marginal and average revenues- --Break Even Analysis—Meaning – Assumptions – Uses and Limitations.

SUGGESTED READINGS:

7. Business Economics: V. G. Mankar, Himalaya Publishing House
8. Managerial Economics: VanithAgrawal, Pearson Education
9. Business Economics: H. L. Ahuja, S. Chand & Co. Ltd.
10. Business Economics : R. K. Lekhi, Kalyani Publishers
11. Business Economics: D. M. Mithani, Himalaya Publishing House
12. Business Economics: P. N. Chopra, Kalyani Publishers
13. Essential of Business Economics: D. N. Dwivedi, Vikas Publishers
14. Managerial Economics: Varshney and Maheswari, Sultan Chand
15. Business Economics: P. K. Mehta, Tax Mann Publication.

Paper GE: b) ADVANCED ASPECTS OF INCOME TAX

Objective: To acquire conceptual and legal knowledge about Income Tax provisions relating to computation of Income from certain heads and other provisions relating to clubbing, aggregation of income and assessment procedure.

UNIT-I: PROFITS AND GAINS OF BUSINESS OR PROFESSION:

Valuation of Stock Depreciation: Meaning – Assets used for Business – Block of Assets – Rates of Depreciation – Miscellaneous Provisions about depreciation – Computation of Depreciation.

UNIT-II: INCOME FROM OTHER SOURCES:

Winnings from lotteries Puzzles, crown world puzzles, Races Problems on computation on Income from Other Sources. Treatment of Agricultural Income. Heads of income: Gross Total Income – Taxable Income – Income Tax Rates. Problems on computation of Total Income of an Individual based on Residential Status.

UNIT-III: CLUBBING AND AGGREGATION OF INCOME:

Income of other persons included in the total income of Assesse – Income from Firm and AOP – Clubbing Provisions – Deemed Incomes – Provisions of set-off and Carry forward of losses – computation of Gross Total Income – Deductions from GTI u/s 80C to 80U – Problems on Computation of Taxable Income.

UNIT-IV: ASSESSMENT OF INDIVIDUALS:

Computation of Tax Liability – Applicability of Alternate Minimum Tax on Individual u/s 115JC – Problems on Computation of tax liability.

UNIT-V: ASSESSMENT PROCEDURE:

Income tax returns – Types of returns – Filing of e-return – Assessment – Types of assessment: Self-assessment – Provisional assessment – Regular assessment – Best judgement assessment – Reassessment – Rectification of mistakes – Notice on demand.

SUGGESTED READINGS:

1. Income Tax Law and Practice: V.P. Gaur & D.B Narang, Kalyani Publishers.
2. Direct Taxes Law & Practice: Dr. Vinod K. Singhanian& Dr. KapilSinghanian, Taxmann
3. Income Tax: M. Jeevarathinam& C. Vijay Vishnu Kumar, SCITECH Publications.
4. Taxation: R.G. Saha, Himalaya Publishing House Pvt. Ltd.
5. Income Tax: B. Lal, Pearson Education.
6. Income Tax: Johar, McGrawHill Education.
7. Taxation Law and Practice: Balachandran&Thothadri, PHI Learnin

Paper DSE 501 (a) : COST ACCOUNTING

Objective: To make the students acquire the knowledge of cost accounting methods.

UNIT-I: INTRODUCTION:

Cost Accounting: Definition – Features – Objectives – Functions – Scope – Advantages and Limitations - Essentials of a good cost accounting system- Difference between Cost Accounting and Financial Accounting – Cost concepts – Cost Classification.

UNIT-II: MATERIAL:

Direct and Indirect Material cost – Inventory Control Techniques – Stock Levels – EOQ – ABC Analysis – JIT - VED - FSND - Issue of Materials to Production – Pricing methods: FIFO - LIFO with Base Stock and Simple and Weighted Average methods.

UNIT-III: LABOUR AND OVERHEADS:

Labour: Direct and Indirect Labour Cost – Methods of Payment of Wages (only Incentive Plans): Halsey, Rowan, Taylor Piece Rate and Merrick Multiple Piece Rate Methods.

Overheads: Classification - Methods of Allocation - Apportionment and Absorption of overheads.

UNIT-IV: UNIT AND JOB COSTING:

Unit Costing: Features - Cost Sheet – Tender and Estimated Cost Sheet.

Job Costing: Features - Objectives – Procedure - Preparation of Job Cost Sheet.

UNIT-V: CONTRACT AND PROCESS COSTING:

Contract Costing: Features – Advantages - Procedure of Contract Costing – Guidelines to Assess profit on incomplete Contracts.

Process Costing: Meaning – Features – Preparation of Process Account – Normal and Abnormal Losses.

SUGGESTED READINGS:

1. Cost Accounting: Jain and Narang, Kalyani
2. Cost Accounting: Srihari Krishna Rao, Himalaya
3. Cost and Management Accounting: PrashantaAthma, Himalaya
4. Cost Accounting: Dr. G. Yogeshweran, PBP.
4. Cost Accounting: Jawaharlal, Tata Mcgraw Hill
5. Cost Accounting: Theory and Practice: Banerjee, PHI
6. Introduction to Cost Accounting: Tulsian, S.Chand
7. Cost Accounting: Horngren, Pearson
8. Cost Accounting: Ravi M. Kishore, Tax Mann Publications.

Paper DSE 501 (b) : FINANCIAL PLANNING & PERFORMANCE

Objective: *To make students to understand the Financial Planning & Performance.*

UNIT I: STRATEGIC PLANNING:

Strategic planning: Analysis of external and internal factors affecting strategy - Long-term mission and goals - Alignment of tactics with long-term strategic goals - Strategic planning models and analytical techniques - Characteristics of successful strategic planning process - Annual profit plan and supporting schedules: Operational budgets - Financial budgets - Capital budgets - Top-level planning and analysis: Pro forma income - Financial statement projections - Cash flow projections.

UNIT II: BUDGETING AND FORECASTING:

Budgeting Concepts: Operations and performance goals - Characteristics of a successful budget process - Resource allocation - Forecasting techniques: Regression analysis - Learning curve analysis - Expected value - Budgeting Methodologies: Annual business plans (master budgets) - Project budgeting - Activity-based budgeting - Zero-based budgeting - Continuous (rolling) budgets - Flexible budgeting

UNIT III: COST AND VARIANCE ANALYSIS:

Cost and Variance Analysis: Comparison of actual to planned results - Use of flexible budgets to analyze performance - Management by exception - Standard Cost System: Use of standard cost systems - Analysis of variation from standard cost expectations

UNIT IV: PERFORMANCE MEASURES:

Performance Measures: Product profitability analysis - Business unit profitability analysis - Customer profitability analysis - Return on investment - Residual income - Investment base issues - Key performance indicators (KPIs) - Balanced scorecard - Responsibility Centers and Reporting Segments: Types of responsibility centers - Transfer pricing - Reporting of organizational segments

UNIT V: TECHNOLOGY AND ANALYTICS:

Information Systems: Accounting information systems - Enterprise resource planning systems - Enterprise performance management systems - Data Governance: Data policies and procedures - Life cycle of data - Controls against security breaches - Technology-enabled finance transformation: System Development Life Cycle - Process automation - Innovative applications
Data analytics: Business intelligence - Data mining - Analytic tools - Data visualization

SUGGESTED READINGS:

1. Wiley CMAexcel Learning System, Part 1: Planning, Performance & Analytics
2. Strategic Management and Business Policy: Globalization, Innovation and Sustainability, 15th edition; Wheelen, Thomas L., et. al.; Prentice Hall
3. Cost Management: A Strategic Emphasis, 6th edition; Blocher, Edward, J., Stout, David E., Juras, Paul E., and Cokins, Gary; McGraw Hill
4. Horngreen's Cost Accounting: A Managerial Emphasis, 16th edition; Charles T., Datar, Srikant, and Rajan, Madhav; Pearson
5. Quantitative Methods for Business, 13th Edition; Anderson, David, R., Sweeney, Dennis J., Williams, Thomas A., Camm, Jeff, and Martin, R. Kipp; Cengage Learning
6. Management Accounting: An Integrative Approach; McNair-Connolly, C.J., Merchant, Kenneth A.; IMA.

Paper DSE 501 (c) :INTERNATIONALFINANCIAL REPORTING -I

Objective: To make students to understand the International Financial Reporting

UNIT I: GENERAL PURPOSE OF FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING AND REPORTING AS PER US GAAP AND IFRS:

Conceptual framework: Standard Setting Bodies & Hierarchy - Elements of F/S - Primary objectives of financial reporting - Qualitative Characteristics of F/S - Fundamental Assumptions & Principles - Accounting Cycle & Preparation of F/S - General-purpose financial statements: Balance sheet - Income statement - Statement of comprehensive income - Statement of changes in equity - Statement of changes cash flows - Public company reporting requirements: SEC Reporting Requirements - Interim Financial Reporting - Segment Reporting - Revenue recognition: 5-Step approach to Revenue Recognition - Certain Customer's Rights & Obligations - Specific Arrangements - Long Term Construction Contracts

UNIT II: CURRENT ASSETS AND CURRENT LIABILITIES (AS PER US GAAP AND IFRS):

Monetary Current Assets & Current Liabilities: Cash & Cash Equivalents - Accounts Receivable - Notes Receivable - Transfers & Servicing of Financial Assets - Accounts Payable - Employee-related Expenses Payable - Inventory: Determining Inventory & Cost of Goods Sold - Inventory Valuation - Inventory Estimation Methods

UNIT III: FINANCIAL INVESTMENTS AND FIXED ASSETS (AS PER US GAAP AND IFRS):

Financial Investments: Investments in Equity Securities - Investment in Debt Securities - Financial Instruments - Tangible Fixed Assets: Acquisition of Fixed Assets - Capitalization of Interest - Costs Incurred After Acquisition - Depreciation - Impairment - Asset Retirement Obligation - Disposal & Involuntary Conversions - Intangible Assets: Knowledge-based intangibles (R&D, software) - Legal rights based intangibles (patent, copyright, trademark, franchise, license, leasehold improvements) – Goodwill

UNIT IV: FINANCIAL LIABILITIES (AS PER US GAAP AND IFRS):

Bonds Payable: Types of Bonds - Convertible bonds vs. Bonds with detachable warrants - Bond Retirement - Fair Value Option & Fair Value Election - Debt Restructuring: Settlement - Modification of terms

UNIT V: SELECT TRANSACTIONS (AS PER US GAAP AND IFRS):

Fair value measurements: Valuation techniques - Fair value hierarchy - Fair value concepts -Accounting changes and error correction: Changes in accounting estimate - Changes in accounting principle - Changes in reporting entity - Correction of an error - Contingencies: Possibility of occurrence (remote, reasonably possible or probable) - Disclosure vs. Recognition
Derivatives and Hedge Accounting: Speculation (non-hedge) - Fair value hedge - Cash flow hedge - Non-monetary exchanges: Exchanges with commercial substance - Exchanges without commercial substance - Leases: Operating lease - Finance lease - Sale leaseback

SUGGESTED READINGS:

1. Miles CPA Review Concept Book: Financial Accounting & Reporting, Miles Education
2. Wiley CPA Excel Exam Review Course Study Guide: Financial Accounting and Reporting, Wiley
3. IFRS & US GAAP Best Practices in Accounting World: GAAP Analysis, Rajesh Dhawan
4. Transparency in Financial Reporting: A concise comparison of IFRS and US GAAP 1st Edition, Ruth Ann McEwen, Harriman House Ltd.
5. IFRS and US GAAP: A Comprehensive Comparison, Steven E. Shamrock, Wiley
6. Wiley GAAP: Interpretation and Application of Generally Accepted Principles, Barry J. Epstein and Ralph Nach, Wiley

7. IFRS Simplified with Practical Illustration Part 1 & 2, Mr RammohanBhave and Dr Mrs Anjali RammohanBhave, CNBC TV 18.

Paper DSE 502 (a) : COMPUTERIZED ACCOUNTING

Objective: To make the students to acquire the knowledge of computer software

UNIT I: MAINTAINING CHART OF ACCOUNTS IN ERP:

Introduction-Getting Started with ERP - Mouse/Keyboard Conventions-Company Creation-Shut a Company-Select a Company-Alter Company Details-Company Features and Configurations-F11: Company Features-F12: Configuration-Chart of Accounts-Ledger-Group-Ledger Creation-Single Ledger Creation-Multi Ledger Creation-Altering and Displaying Ledgers-Group Creation-Single Group Creation-Multiple Group Creation-Displaying Groups and Ledgers-Displaying Groups-Display of Ledgers-Deletion of Groups and Ledgers – P2P procure to page.

UNIT II: MAINTAINING STOCK KEEPING UNITS (SKU):

Introduction-Inventory Masters in ERP - Creating Inventory Masters-Creation of Stock Group-Creation of Units of Measure-Creation of Stock Item-Creation of Godown-Defining of Stock Opening Balance in ERP Stock Category-Reports.

UNIT III: RECORDING DAY-TO-DAY TRANSACTIONS IN ERP:

Introduction-Business Transactions-Source Document for Voucher-Recording Transactions in ERP - Accounting Vouchers-Receipt Voucher (F6)-Contra Voucher (F4)-Payment Voucher (F5)-Purchase Voucher (F9)-Sales Voucher (F8)-Debit Note Voucher-Credit Note (Ctrl+F8)-Journal Voucher (F7).

UNIT IV: ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE AND PAYABLE MANAGEMENT:

Introduction-Accounts Payables and Receivables-Maintaining Bill-wise Details-Activation of Maintain Bill-wise Details Feature-New Reference-Against Reference-Advance-On Account-Stock Category Report-Changing the Financial Year in ERP.

UNIT V: MIS REPORTS:

Introduction-Advantages of Management Information Systems-MIS Reports in ERP - Trial Balance - Balance Sheet-Profit and Loss Account-Cash Flow Statement-Ratio Analysis-Books and Reports - Day Book-Receipts and Payments-Purchase Register-Sales Register-Bills Receivable and Bills Payable.

SUGGESTED READINGS:

1. Computerised Accounting: GarimaAgarwal, Himalaya
2. Computerised Accounting: A. Murali Krishna, Vaagdevi publications
3. Computerised Accounting: Dr. G. Yogeshweran, PBP.
4. Aakash Business Tools: Spoken Tutorial Project IIT Bombay
5. Mastering Tally: Dinesh Maidasani, Firewal Media
6. Implementing Tally ERP 9: A.K Nadhani and K.K Nadhani, BPB Publications
7. Computerised Accounting and Business Systems: Kalyani Publications
8. Manuals of Respective Accounting Packages
9. Tally ERP 9: J.S. Arora, Kalyani Publications.

Paper DSE 502 (b): FINANCIAL DECISION MAKING - I

Objective: To make students to understand the Financial Decision Making

UNIT I: FINANCIAL STATEMENT ANALYSIS

Basic Financial Statement Analysis: Common size financial statements - Common base year financial statements - Financial Ratios: Liquidity - Leverage - Activity - Profitability - Market Profitability analysis: Income measurement analysis - Revenue analysis - Cost of sales analysis - Expense analysis - Variation analysis - Special issues: Impact of foreign operations - Effects of changing prices and inflation - Off-balance sheet financing - Impact of changes in accounting treatment - Accounting and economic concepts of value and income - Earnings quality

UNIT II: FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

Risk & Return: Calculating return - Types of risk - Relationship between risk and return
Long-term Financial Management: Term structure of interest rates - Types of financial instruments - Cost of capital - Valuation of financial instruments

UNIT III: RAISING CAPITAL

Raising Capital: Financial markets and regulation - Market efficiency - Financial institutions - Initial and secondary public offerings - Dividend policy and share repurchases - Lease financing

UNIT IV: WORKING CAPITAL MANAGEMENT

Managing working capital: Cash management - Marketable securities management - Accounts receivable management - Inventory management - Short-term Credit: Types of short-term credit - Short-term credit management

UNIT V: CORPORATE RESTRUCTURING AND INTERNATIONAL FINANCE

Corporate Restructuring: Mergers and acquisitions - Bankruptcy - Other forms of restructuring
International Finance: Fixed, flexible, and floating exchange rates - Managing transaction exposure - Financing international trade - Tax implications of transfer pricing

SUGGESTED READINGS:

1. Wiley CMAexcel Learning System, Part 2: Strategic Financial Management
2. Interpretation and Application of International Financial Reporting Standards; Mackenzie, Bruce, Coetsee, Danie, Njikizana, Tapiwa, Chamboko, Raymond, Colyvas, Blaise, and Hanekom, Brandon; Wiley
3. Financial Reporting & Analysis, 13th edition; Gibson, Charles H.; South-Western Cengage Learning
4. Financial Statement Analysis, 10th edition; Subramanyam, K.R., and Wild, John L.; McGraw Hill
5. Principles of Corporate Finance, 11th edition; Brealey, Richard, A., Myers, Stewart C., and Allen, Franklin; McGraw Hill
6. Fundamentals of Financial Management, 13th edition; Van Horn, James, C., and Wachowicz, John M. Jr.; FT / Prentice Hall

Paper DSE 502 (c) : INTERNATIONAL TAX & REGULATION

Objective: To make students to understand the International Tax & Regulation.

UNIT I: TAXATION OF INDIVIDUALS:

Individual Income Tax Return: Filing Status - Cash basis and Accrual basis

Gross Income: Wages, Salaries, Bonus, Commission, Fees & Tips - Interest & Dividend Income - Business Income - Capital Gains & Losses - Passive Income - Farming Income - Deductions: Adjustments - Deductions from AGI - Calculating Tax: Tax Credits - Alternative Minimum Taxes - Other Taxes - Estimated Tax penalty

UNIT II: PROPERTY TRANSACTIONS & DEPRECIATION:

Capital Gains & Losses - Gains & Losses from Sale of Long-term Business Property - Depreciation & Amortization

UNIT III: TAXATION OF CORPORATIONS:

C-Corporations: Formation - Income Tax Return - Income - Deductions - Reconciliation of Taxable Income with books - Calculating Tax - Corporate Earnings & Distributions - Corporate Liquidation & Reorganizations - S-Corporations: Eligibility criteria - Income Tax Return - Shareholder basis - Earnings and Distribution - Termination of Election

UNIT IV: TAXATION OF OTHER ENTITIES:

Partnerships: Formation - Income Tax Return - Partner basis - Partnership Distributions - Sale of Partnership Interest by a Partner - Termination of Partnership - Estate, Trust & Gift Taxation: Estate and Trust Fiduciary Income Tax Return - Estate Tax Return - Gift Tax Return - Generation-skipping transfer Tax - Tax Exempt Organizations: Formation - Income Tax Return

UNIT V: STATUTORY REGULATIONS, ACCOUNTANT RESPONSIBILITIES, BUSINESS STRUCTURES:

Federal Security Regulations: Securities Act of 1933 - Securities Exchange Act of 1934 - Other federal security regulations - Professional & Legal Responsibilities: Accountant Common Law Liabilities - Accountant Statutory Liabilities - Accountant Liabilities for Privileged Information - Accountant Criminal Liabilities - Employment Regulations - Environmental Regulations - Antitrust Regulations - Business Structures: Sole Proprietorships - Partnerships - Corporations

SUGGESTED READINGS:

1. Miles CPA Review Concept Book: Regulation, Miles Education
2. Wiley CPA Excel Exam Review Course Study Guide: Regulation, Wiley
3. Internal Revenue Code: Income, Estate, Gift, Employment and Excise Taxes, CCH Tax Law Editors
4. Federal Income Tax: Code and Regulations--Selected Sections, Martin B. Dickinson, Wolters Kluwer
5. Federal Income Taxation by Katherine Pratt and Thomas D. Griffith, Wolters Kluwer
6. Federal Income Taxation (Concepts and Insights), Marvin Chirelstein and Lawrence Zelenak, Foundation Press

Paper DSE 503 (a): INTERNATIONAL ADVERTISING

Objective: To expose students to the rigors of advertising and equip them to be able to manage the advertising in the international markets.

UNIT – I: ADVERTISING:

Its importance and nature; Communication model; Persuasion Process – perception, learning and attitude change; Major advertising decisions and influencing factors; Determining advertising Objectives and budget.

UNIT – II: DEVELOPING ADVERTISING CAMPAIGN:

Determining advertising message and copy - Headline, body copy, logo, illustration and layout; Media planning – media selection and scheduling Advertising through Internet.

UNIT – III: CREATIVE STRATEGY IN INTERNATIONAL ADVERTISING:

Planning & Development, Creative styles and advertising appeals; implementation & Evaluation. marketing mistakes.

UNIT – IV: ORGANISATION AND EVALUATION OF ADVERTISING EFFORTS:

Measuring the Effectiveness of the Promotional Program.Regulation of Advertising and Promotion. In-house arrangements; Using advertising agencies – selection, compensation and appraisal of advertising agency; Evaluating Advertising Effectiveness.

UNIT –V: INTERNATIONAL ADVERTISING:

Complexities and issues; Developing international advertising campaign; Advertising of India products abroad.

SUGGESTED READINGS:

1. Akaker, David A., Batra, Rajeev and Myers, John G., Advertising Management, Prentice Hall, New Jersey, 1996.
2. Bergh, Bruce, Vanden, G. and Katz, Helen, Advertising Principles: Choice Challenge, and Change, NTC Business Books, Illinois, 1999.
3. Dunn, S. W. and Barbar, A. M., Advertising: Its Role in Modern Marketing Dryden Press.
4. Hard, Norman, The Practice of Advertising, Butter worth Heinemann, Oxford, 1995.
5. Parente, Danald, Advertising Campaign Strategy: A Guide to marketing Communication Plan, 2nd ed., The Dryden Press, Fort Worth, 2000.
6. Sandage, C.H. and Fryburger, Vernon, Advertising Theory and Practice Richards. Irwin, Homewood Illinois. 1. Advertising and Promotion: An Integrated Marketing Communications Perspective
7. Belch, G. E., & Belch, M. A., McGraw-Hill (2014)
8. Dynamics of International Advertising (2nd Edition). Mueller, Barbara. New York, NY: Pater Lang (2010)
9. Intercultural Communication in Context (6th Edition) Martin, J. & Nakayama, McGraw Hill. (2012)

Paper DSE 503 (b) : ADVANCED CORPORATE ACCOUNTING

Objective: To gain knowledge of AS-19 & 21 and format accounts.

UNIT-I: HOLDING COMPANIES (AS-21):

Nature – Legal requirements – Capital and Revenue Profit/Reserves/Losses – Minority Interest – Cost of Control or Goodwill – Capital Reserve – Inter Company Transactions – Un-realized Profit on Unsold stock - Revaluation of Assets – Interim Dividend by Subsidiary Companies - Debentures in Subsidiary Companies – Consolidated Balance Sheet.

UNIT-II: ELECTRICITY COMPANIES (DOUBLE ACCOUNTING SYSTEM):

Meaning of Double Account System – Final Accounts - Calculation of Reasonable Return and Disposal of Surplus – Replacement of an Asset.

UNIT-III: ACCOUNTING FOR PRICE LEVEL CHANGES:

Introduction – History – Limitations – Profit measurement under different systems of accounting – Methods of Accounting for Price Level Changes: Current Purchasing Power (CPP) – Current Cost Accounting (CCA).

UNIT-IV: LEASE ACCOUNTS (AS-19):

Meaning – Terminology – Advantages and Disadvantages – Types: Financial and Operating Lease – Accounting Treatment in the books of both the parties.

UNIT-V: HUMAN RESOURCE ACCOUNTING & SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY ACCOUNTING:

Human Resource Accounting: Definition – Objectives – Assumptions – Advantages and Limitations – Approaches - Human resource accounting in India (Theory only).

Social Responsibility Accounting: Meaning – Nature – Need – Objectives – Accounting Concepts – Indicators of Social Performance (Theory only).

SUGGESTED READINGS:

1. Corporate Accounting: R.L.Gupta, M.RadhaSwamy, Sultan Chand
2. Advanced Corporate Accounting: Srilatha Reddy, Himalaya
3. Advanced Corporate Accounting: Dr. Thangapandi, PBP
3. Advanced Accounting: Tulsania, TataMcGraw-hill Publishing Company
4. Corporate Accounting: Jain &Narang, Kalyani Publications
5. Advanced Accounting: S.M.Shukla, SahityaBhavan
6. Corporate Accounting: PrashantaAthma, Himalaya Publishers.
7. Advanced Accounting (Vol. II): Chandra Bose, PHI

Paper DSE 503 (c) : FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

Objective: To understand basics in Financial Management.

UNIT-I: INTRODUCTION:

Financial Management: Meaning - Nature and Scope – Importance - Objectives - Profit Maximization vs Wealth Maximization – Traditional Functions of Finance Manager – Changing Role of Finance Manager – Relationship between Financial Management and Other Management Areas (Theory).

UNIT-II: FINANCIAL PLANNING:

Sources of Finance - Financial Planning: Meaning and Definition – Objectives – Characteristics – Process – Factors - Limitations (Theory).

UNIT-III: CAPITALIZATION:

Meaning of Capital and Capitalization – Sources of Capital - Theories of Capitalization – Over Capitalization: Meaning - Causes – Consequences - Remedies - Under Capitalization: Meaning – Causes – Consequences - Remedies - Comparison of Under and Over Capitalization – Watered Stock (Theory).

UNIT-IV: COST OF CAPITAL:

Meaning and Definition – Significance – Classification of Costs – Problems in Determination of Cost of Capital – Cost of Debt - Cost of Perpetual and Redeemable Debt - Cost of Preference Capital - Cost of Equity Capital – Cost of retained earnings - Weighted Average Cost of Capital (Simple Problems).

UNIT-V: CAPITAL STRUCTURE:

Meaning – Importance – Factors – Types – Optimal Capital Structure – Theories of Capital Structure: Net Income Approach - Net Operating Income Approach - Traditional Approach - Modigliani and Miller Approach (Simple Problems).

SUGGESTED READINGS:

1. Financial Management: I MPandey, Vikas Publishing House Pvt Ltd.
2. Financial Management: M.Y. Khan & P.K. Jain, Tata McGraw-Hill
3. Financial Management: Shashi K. Gupta & R.K. Sharma, Kalyani Publishers,
4. Financial Management: R.M. Srivastava, Himalaya Publishing House, Hyderabad.
5. Financial Management: Prasanna Chandra, McGraw Hill
6. Financial Management: Kothari, sage
7. Financial Management: Rustagi, Taxman Publications.
8. Fundamentals of Financial Management: Sharan, Pearson.
9. Financial Management: Tulsian, S. Chand.
10. Financial Management: Satish B Mathur, Trinity Press.
11. Fundamentals of Financial Management: D. Chandra Bose, PHI.

Paper PR : RESEARCH METHODOLOGY & PROJECT REPORT

Objective: To introduce the basics of conducting research in social sciences.

UNIT-I: INTRODUCTION, MEASUREMENT AND HYPOTHESIS TESTING:

Meaning of Research-Steps involved- Identification of Problem- Steps involved in the selection of problem-Research Design-Meaning and Types- Measurement Levels/Scales - Scaling Techniques-Hypothesis-Meaning - Types – Testing Procedure.

UNIT-II:PARAMETRIC AND NON PARAMETRIC TESTS AND RESEARCH REPORT:

Introduction - t-Test - F-Test - Chi Square Test - Anova (One Way Anova, Two Way Anova).concepts onlyContents of a Research Report.

SUGGESTED READINGS:

1. Research Methodology: Himalaya Publications.
2. Methodology of Research in Social Sciences: Krishna Swamy,
3. Research Methodology: Kothari &Garg, New Age Publication
4. Research Methodology: Paneerselvam R, PHI
5. Research Methodology: Dr Vijay Upagade& Dr ArvindShende, S. Chand Publications
6. Research Methodology: Ranjit Kumar, Pearson Publication
7. Reading in Research Methodology in Commerce & Business Management: Achalpathi KV,
8. Research Methodology: Sashi.K Gupta, PraneethRangi, Kalyani Publishers.
9. Research Methodology: Ms.TuljaBhavani, SIA Publishers & Distributors Pvt. Ltd.

GUIDELINES FOR PROJECT WORK

- 1) Project work is a part of the prescribed curriculum to B. Com students.
- 2) Project work is allotted to a group of 4 students.
- 3) During the IV semester, students are expected to undergo internship at a business firm/ Government Department /Software organization/Voluntary organization as per the guidance of teacher concerned.
- 4) Students should get a certificate from the organization.
- 5) At the end of Semester-VI, the project reports would be evaluated by the external examiner designated by the Controller of Examinations, from the panel submitted by the Board of Studies in Commerce. The Examiner would evaluate the project reports for a maximum of 35 marks and conduct Viva-Voce examination for 15 marks. The award lists duly signed would be sent the Controller of Examinations.
- 6) Examiners will examine the following in the project report: i) Survey/Analysis on the topic chosen; ii) Method of data collection; iii) Presentation: Style, Comprehensiveness, graphs, charts etc.; iv) Analysis and inference and implications of the study; v) Bibliography.
- 7) Students must ensure that they maintain **regular contact with their supervisor** and also that they provide the supervisor with drafts of their work at regular intervals.
- 8) Students are required to submit a project report on a topic related/connected with trade, industry & commerce. Project can be done by taking the information from the select organization focusing on areas like marketing, finance, human resource, operations, general management etc.

- 9) Project should be a practical, in-depth study of a problem, issue, opportunity, technique or procedure or some combination of these aspects of business. The Students are required to define an area of investigation, assemble relevant data, analyse the data, draw conclusions and make recommendations.

ORGANISATION OF PROJECT REPORT

1) Project report should be presented in the following sequence:

i) Title page; ii) Student's declaration; iii) Supervisor's certificate; iv) Internship certificate; v) Abstract; vi) Acknowledgements; vii) Table of contents; viii) List of tables; ix) List of figures; x) List of appendices.

2) Chapter Design should be as follows:

Chapter-I: Introduction: this chapter includes the research problem, need for study/significance of the project, objectives, methodology (hypotheses, statistical tools, data source, scope, sample, chapter design).

Chapter-II: Company Profile: this chapter should contain a brief historical retrospect about the entity of your study.

Chapter-III: Data Analysis and interpretation: this chapter should present the data analysis and inferences.

Chapter-IV: Summary and Conclusions: This Chapter should give an overview of the project, conclusions, implications, recommendations and scope for further research.

Bibliography: lists the books, articles, and websites that are referred and used for research on the topic of the specific project. Follow Harvard style of referencing.

Appendices: the data, used to prepare the tables for analysis, may not be feasible to incorporate as part of chapters, may given as appendices.

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS OF THE PROJECT

1) Project should be typed on **A4 white paper**, and be **1.5 spaced**.

2) All pages should be **numbered**, and numbers should be placed at the centre of the bottom of the page.

3) **All tables, figures and appendices** should be consecutively numbered or lettered, and suitably labeled.

4) **3 bound copies&a soft-copy** should be handed in to the **principal/director of your college/institute** at the time of submission.

5) **bibliography and referencing:** **Referencing** is necessary to avoid plagiarism, to verify quotations and to enable readers to follow-up and read more fully the cited author's arguments. Reference is given within the text of the project as well as at the end of the project. The basic difference between citation and a reference list (bibliography) is that the latter contains full details of all the in-text citations.

- **Citation** provides brief details of the author and date of publication for referencing the work in the body of the text.
- **Reference list** is given at the end of the text and is a list of all references used with additional details provided to help identify each source.

Proper referencing is as crucial aspect of your project. You are therefore strongly advised to talk to your supervisor about this, in order to make sure that your project report follows the appropriate referencing system.

Paper DSE 601 (a) : COST CONTROL AND MANAGEMENT ACCOUNTING

Objective: To be acquaint with Cost Control techniques, Managerial Accounting decision-making techniques and reporting methods.

UNIT-I: INTRODUCTION TO MANAGEMENT ACCOUNTING & MARGINAL COSTING:

Meaning and Importance of Management Accounting – Marginal Cost Equation – Difference between Marginal Costing and Absorption Costing – Application of Marginal Costing – CVP Analysis – Break Even Analysis: Meaning – Assumptions – Importance - Limitations. Marginal Costing for Decision Making-Make or Buy – Add or Drop Products – Sell or Process Further – Operate or Shut-down – Special Order Pricing – Replace or Retain.

UNIT-II: BUDGETARY CONTROL AND STANDARD COSTING:

Budget: Meaning – Objectives – Advantages and Limitations – Essentials of Budgets - Budgetary Control - Classification of Budgets - Preparation of Fixed and Flexible Budgets. Standard Costing: Meaning – Importance – Standard Costing and Historical Costing - Steps involved in Standard Costing. Variance Analysis: Material variance - Labour variance - Overhead variance .

UNIT-III: TECHNIQUES OF FINANCIAL STATEMENT ANALYSIS:

Meaning – Objectives - Techniques: Comparative Statement, Common Size Statement, Trend Analysis. Ratios- Meaning , Objectives and Classification—Computation of Activity, Liquidity, Solvency and Profitability Ratios.

UNIT-IV: FUNDS FLOW ANALYSIS:

Concept of Funds – Meaning and Importance – Limitations – Statement of Changes in Working Capital – Statement of Sources and Application of Funds.

UNIT-V: CASH FLOW ANALYSIS (AS-3):

Meaning – Importance – Differences between Funds Flow and Cash Flow Statements – Procedure for preparation of Cash Flow Statement.

SUGGESTED READINGS:

1. Management Accounting- Principles & Practice: Sharma RK & Shashi K. Gupta, Kalyani
2. Advanced Managerial Accounting: Srihari Krishna Rao, Himalaya
3. Advanced Managerial Accounting: Dr. Sundaram, PBP
3. Advanced Management Accounting: Robert S. Kaplan & Anthony A. Atkinson, Prentice-Hall
4. Management Accounting: Rustagi R.P, Galgotia
5. Managerial Accounting: Ronald W. Hilton, TMH

Paper DSE 601 (b) : FINANCIAL CONTROL

Objective: To make students to understand the Financial Control.

UNIT I: EXTERNAL FINANCIAL REPORTING DECISIONS (AS PER US GAAP & IFRS):

Financial Statements: Balance sheet - Income statement - Statement of Comprehensive Income - Statement of changes in equity - Statement of cash flows - Integrated reporting

UNIT II: RECOGNITION, MEASUREMENT, VALUATION, AND DISCLOSURE (AS PER US GAAP & IFRS) :

Assets, Liabilities & Equity: Asset valuation - Valuation of liabilities - Equity transactions - Income: Revenue recognition - Income measurement - Major differences between U.S. GAAP and IFRS

UNIT III: COST MANAGEMENT:

Measurement concepts: Cost behavior and cost objects - Actual and normal costs - Standard costs - Absorption (full) costing - Variable (direct) costing - Joint and by-product costing - Costing Systems: Joint and by-product costing - Job order costing - Process costing - Activity-based costing - Life-cycle costing -Overhead costs: Fixed and variable overhead expenses - Plant-wide versus departmental overhead -Determination of allocation base - Allocation of service department costs

UNIT IV: SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT AND BUSINESS PROCESS IMPROVEMENT:

Supply chain management: Lean resource management techniques - Enterprise resource planning (ERP) - Theory of constraints - Capacity management and analysis - Business Process Improvement: Value chain analysis - Value-added concepts - Process analysis, redesign, and standardization - Activity-based management - Continuous improvement concepts - Best practice analysis - Cost of quality analysis - Efficient accounting processes

UNIT V: INTERNAL CONTROLS:

Governance, Risk & Compliance: Internal control structure and management philosophy - Internal control policies for safeguarding and assurance - Internal control risk - Corporate governance - External audit requirements - System Controls & Security Measures: General accounting system controls - Application and transaction controls - Network controls - Backup controls - Business continuity planning

SUGGESTED READINGS:

1. Wiley CMAexcel Learning System, Part 1: Planning, Performance & Analytics
2. Intermediate Accounting, 17th edition; Kieso, Donald E., Weygandt, Jerry J., and Warfield, Terry D.; Wiley
3. Intermediate Accounting, 11th edition; Nikolai, Loren A., Bazley John D., and Jones, Jefferson P., South-Western Cengage Learning
4. Cost Management: A Strategic Emphasis, 6th edition; Blocher, Edward, J., Stout, David E., Juras, Paul E., and Cokins, Gary; McGraw Hill
5. Horngreen's Cost Accounting: A Managerial Emphasis, 16th edition; Charles T., Datar, Srikant, and Rajan, Madhav; Pearson
6. Management Accounting: An Integrative Approach; McNair-Connolly, C.J., Merchant, Kenneth A.; IMA

Paper DSE 601(c) : INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL REPORTING - II

Objective: To make students to understand the International Financial Reporting

UNIT I: PENSIONS & POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (AS PER US GAAP & IFRS):

Defined contribution pension plans - Defined benefit pension plans: Pension obligations - Pension plan assets - Net pension expense - Other Post-retirement benefits

UNIT II: INCOME TAXES (AS PER US GAAP & IFRS):

Income tax expense: Current income tax expense - Deferred income tax expense - Deferred taxes on balance sheet: Deferred tax assets - Deferred tax liabilities - Specific accounting - considerations: Net Operating Losses (NOL) - Investee's undistributed dividends

UNIT III: EQUITY (AS PER US GAAP & IFRS):

Equity accounts: Common Stock - Preferred Stock - Additional Paid-In Capital - Retained Earnings - Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income - Treasury Stock - Specific accounting considerations: Share-based Payments to Employees - Equity Securities Classified as Debt

Presentation of Equity: On Balance sheet - On Statement of Changes in Equity - Earnings per Share (EPS): Basic EPS - Diluted EPS

UNIT IV: SELECT TRANSACTIONS (AS PER US GAAP & IFRS):

Business Combinations and Consolidations: Acquisitions - Non-controlling Interest - Intercompany Transactions - Variable Interest Entities (VIE) - Foreign currency: Remeasurement - Translation

UNIT V: NOT-FOR-PROFIT AND GOVERNMENTAL ACCOUNTING AND REPORTING (AS PER US GAAP):

Not-for-Profit (NFP) Entities: NFP Financial Statements - Contribution Revenue - Specific Accounting Considerations - Colleges and Universities - Voluntary Health and Welfare Organizations - Health Care Organizations - Governmental Entities: Fund types (Governmental funds, Proprietary funds, Fiduciary funds) - Modified Accrual Accounting - Inter-fund transactions - Government Financial Reporting

SUGGESTED READINGS:

1. Miles CPA Review Concept Book: Financial Accounting & Reporting, Miles Education
2. Wiley CPA Excel Exam Review Course Study Guide: Financial Accounting and Reporting, Wiley
3. IFRS & US GAAP Best Practices in Accounting World: GAAP Analysis, Rajesh Dhawan
4. Transparency in Financial Reporting: A concise comparison of IFRS and US GAAP 1st Edition, Ruth Ann McEwen, Harriman House Ltd.
5. IFRS and US GAAP: A Comprehensive Comparison, Steven E. Shamrock, Wiley
6. Wiley GAAP: Interpretation and Application of Generally Accepted Principles, Barry J. Epstein and Ralph Nach, Wiley
7. IFRS Simplified with Practical Illustration Part 1 & 2, Mr RammohanBhave and Dr Mrs Anjali RammohanBhave, CNBC TV 18

Paper DSE 602(a) : THEORY AND PRACTICE OF GST

Objective: To equip the students with the knowledge regarding Theory and Practice of GST.

UNIT I: INTRODUCTION TO GST:

Introduction – GST - Taxes Subsumed under GST -Determination of Tax - Registration -Process of Registration - Cancellation and renovation of registration - Supply of Goods and Services - Transition to GST - Registered Business -Availed Input Tax Credit -Unavailed CENVAT credit and Input VAT on capital goods-Availing the input credit held in closing stock -Invoicing -Tax Invoice -Bill of Supply - Credit Note, Debit Note and Supplementary Invoice-Transportation of goods without issue of Invoice - Input Credit Mechanism - Input Tax - GST Returns - Payment of Tax.

UNIT II: GETTING STARTED WITH GST:

Introduction - Enabling GST and Defining Tax Details-Transferring Input Tax credit to GST -Intrastate Supply of Goods-Intrastate Inward Supply -Intrastate Outward Supply -Interstate -Interstate Outward Supply - Return of Goods -Purchase Returns -Sales Returns -Supplies Inclusive of Tax -Defining Tax Rates at Master and Transaction Levels - Defining GST Rates at Stock Group Level-Defining GST Rate at Transaction Level -Hierarchy of Applying Tax Rate Details –Reports.

UNIT III: RECORDING ADVANCED ENTRIES, GST ADJUSTMENT AND RETURN FILING:

Introduction -Accounting of GST Transactions -Purchases from Composition Dealer -Purchases from Unregistered Dealers-Exports -Imports -Exempted Goods -SEZ Sales -Advance Receipts and payments - Mixed Supply and Composite Supply under GST -Mixed Supply of Goods -Composite Supply of Goods -GST Reports - Generating GSTR- Report in ERP -Input Tax Credit Set Off -GST Tax Payment -Time line for payment of GST tax -Modes of Payment -Challan Reconciliation -Exporting GSTR- return and uploading in GST portal.

UNIT IV: GETTING STARTED WITH GST (SERVICES):

Introduction -Determination of supply of services -Determining the Place of Supply of Services -Enabling GST and Defining Tax Details-Transferring Input Tax credit to GST -Intrastate Supply of Goods - Intrastate Inward Supply-Intrastate Outward Supply -Interstate Supply -Interstate Outward Supply - Interstate Inward Supply -Interstate Outward Supply of Services -Cancellation of Services -Cancellation of Inward Supplies -Cancellation of Outward Supply of Services -Defining Tax Rates at Master and Transaction Levels.

UNIT V: RECORDING ADVANCED ENTRIES AND MIGRATION TO ERP:

Introduction - Accounting Multiple Services in a Single Supply - Recording Partial Payment to Suppliers -Outward Supplies - Recording Outward Supply with Additional Expenses - Supply of services -Business to consumers - Time of Supply of Services - Place of Supply of Services - Determining place of supply of services - Exempt Supply of Services under GST -Export Supply of Services - Reverse Charge on Services under GST - Advance Receipts from Customers under GST - Advance Receipt and issuing Invoice on same month -Advance Receipt and issuing Invoice on different month - Reversal of GST on account of cancellation of advance receipt - Generating GSTR- Report in ERP - Input Tax Credit Set Off - Migration to ERP - Activate Goods and Services Tax (GST) in ERP - Set up GST rates - Update Masters - Update party GSTIN/UIN - Creation of GST Duty ledgers.

SUGGESTED READINGS:

1. Taxmann's Basics of GST
2. Taxmann's GST: A practical Approach
3. Theory & Practice of GST, Srivathsala, HPH
4. Theory & Practice of GST: Dr. Ravi M.N, PBP
5. Theory and Practice of GST: Prof. A. Sudhakar, Dr. O. Bhavani& Dr. N. Moses, National Publishing Co.

Paper DSE 602(b) : FINANCIAL DECISION MAKING - II

Objective: To make students to understand the Financial Decision Making.

UNIT I: DECISION ANALYSIS:

Cost/volume/profit analysis: Breakeven analysis - Profit performance and alternative operating levels - Analysis of multiple products - Marginal Analysis: Sunk costs, opportunity costs and other related concepts - Marginal costs and marginal revenue - Special orders and pricing - Make versus buy - Sell or process further - Add or drop a segment - Capacity considerations

UNIT II: PRICING:

Pricing decisions: Pricing methodologies - Target costing - Elasticity of demand - Product life cycle considerations - Marketstructure considerations

UNIT III: RISK MANAGEMENT:

Enterprise Risk: Types of risk - Risk identification and assessment - Risk mitigation strategies - Managing risk

UNIT IV: INVESTMENT DECISIONS:

Capital budgeting process: Stages of capital budgeting - Incremental cash flows - Income tax considerations - Evaluating uncertainty - Capital investment method analysis: Net present value - Internal rate of return - Payback - Comparison of investment analysis methods

UNIT V: PROFESSIONAL ETHICS:

Business ethics: Moral philosophies and values - Ethical decision making - Ethical considerations for management accounting and financial management professionals: IMA's Statement of Ethical Professional Practice - Fraud triangle - Evaluation and resolution of ethical issues - Ethical considerations for the organization: Organizational factors and ethical culture - IMA's Statement on Management Accounting, "Values and Ethics: From Inception to Practice" - Ethical leadership - Legal compliance - Responsibility for ethical conduct - Sustainability and social responsibility.

SUGGESTED READINGS:

1. Wiley CMAexcel Learning System, Part 2: Strategic Financial Management
2. Cost Management: A Strategic Emphasis, 6th edition; Blocher, Edward, J., Stout, David E., Juras, Paul E., and Cokins, Gary; McGraw Hill
3. Horngreen's Cost Accounting: A Managerial Emphasis, 16th edition; Charles T., Datar, Srikant, and Rajan, Madhav; Pearson
4. Principles of Corporate Finance, 11th edition; Brealey, Richard, A., Myers, Stewart C., and Allen, Franklin; McGraw Hill
5. Fundamentals of Financial Management, 13th edition; Van Horn, James, C., and Wachowicz, John M. Jr.; FT / Prentice Hall
6. Enterprise Risk Management - Integrated Framework; COSO, The Committee of Sponsoring Organizations of the Treadway Commission, 2017

Paper DSE 602 (c) : INTERNATIONAL AUDITING

Objective: To make students to understand the International Auditing.

UNIT I: ETHICS, PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES AND GENERAL AUDITING**PRINCIPLES:**

Introduction to Auditing: Generally Accepted Auditing Standards (GAAS) - International Standards of Auditing (ISA) - Ethics, independence and professional conduct: AICPA Code of Professional Conduct - Sarbanes-Oxley Act (SOX), 2002 - Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (PCAOB) - Securities & Exchange Commission (SEC) - International Standards - Engagement Understanding and Acceptance: Pre-Engagement Acceptance Activities - Engagement Letter - Auditor's communication with those charged with governance

Quality Control: Statements on Quality Control Standards (SQCS) - Elements of a System of Quality control

UNIT II: ASSESSING AUDIT RISK AND DEVELOPING A PLANNED RESPONSE:

Audit Risk: Inherent Risk - Control Risk - Detection Risk - Fraud Risk: Fraudulent financial reporting - Misappropriation of assets - Fraud risk factors - Auditor's consideration of fraud

Planning the Audit: Audit Strategy - Audit Plan - Internal Controls: Auditor's Consideration of Internal Control - Operating Cycles - Internal Control Reports and Communications

UNIT III: PERFORMING FURTHER PROCEDURES AND OBTAINING AUDIT EVIDENCE:

Audit Evidence: Management's Assertions - Sufficient & Appropriate Audit Evidence - Audit Evidence determined by Risk of Material Misstatement (RMM) - Substantive Procedures: Revenue cycle - Expenditure cycle - Production cycle - Payroll cycle - Investing cycle - Financing cycle - Opening Balances - Illegal Acts - Related Parties - Contingencies - Estimates & Fair Value Measurements - Subsequent Events - Omitted Procedures & Subsequent Discovery of Facts - Using the Work of Others - Evaluating Audit Findings - Audit Documentation - Management Representation Letter - Audit Sampling: Sampling Risks - Attributes Sampling - Classical Variables Sampling - Probability Proportional to Size (PPS) Sampling

UNIT IV: AUDIT REPORTING:

Audit Reports: Unmodified opinion - Unmodified Opinion with Emphasis-of-matter and/or Other-matter paragraph - Qualified Opinion - Adverse Opinion - Disclaimer of Opinion - Audit Reporting Considerations: Audit of Comparative financial statements - Supplementary Information - Audit of Group financial statements - Audit of Single financial statements & Specific financial statement elements, accounts or items - Audit of Special Purpose financial statements - Audit of financial statements prepared using financial reporting framework of another country

UNIT V: OTHER ENGAGEMENTS:

Accounting & Review Services: Preparation of financial statements - Compilation engagement - Review engagement - Attestation Engagements: Examination - Review - Agreed-upon Procedures - Governmental Auditing: Governmental Auditing Standards - Single Audit Act

SUGGESTED READINGS:

1. Miles CPA Review Concept Book: Auditing and Attestation, Miles Education
2. Wiley CPA Excel Exam Review Course Study Guide: Auditing and Attestation, Wiley
3. Wiley Practitioner's Guide to GAAS: Covering all SAS, SSAE's, SSARS, PCAOB, Auditing Standards, and Interpretations, Joanne M. Flood, Wiley
4. Auditing: A Risk Based-Approach to Conducting a Quality Audit, Karla M Johnstone, Audrey A. Gramling and Larry E. Rittenberg, Cengage Learning
5. Principles of Auditing & Other Assurance Services, Ray Whittington and Kurt Pany, McGraw Hill

6. Auditing & Assurance Services: A Systematic Approach, William F Messier Jr, Steven M. Glover and Douglas F. Prawitt, McGraw Hill.

Paper DSE 603 (a): BRAND MANAGEMENT

Objective: To understand the methods of managing brands and strategies for brand management.

UNIT-I: INTRODUCTION:

Basic Understanding of Brands – Definitions - Branding Concepts – Functions of Brand - Significance of Brands – Different Types of Brands – Co branding – Store brands.

UNIT-II: BRAND STRATEGIES:

Strategic Brand Management process – Building a strong brand – Brand positioning – Establishing Brand values – Brand vision – Brand Elements – Branding for Global Markets – Competing with foreign brands.

UNIT-III BRAND COMMUNICATIONS:

Brand image Building – Brand Loyalty programmes – Brand Promotion Methods – Role of Brand ambassadors, celebrities – On line Brand Promotions.

UNIT-IV BRAND EXTENSION:

Brand Adoption Practices – Different types of brand extension – Factors influencing decision for extension – Re-branding and re-launching.

UNIT-V BRAND PERFORMANCE:

Measuring Brand Performance – Brand Equity Management - Global Branding strategies - Brand Audit – Brand Equity Measurement – Brand Leverage -Role of Brand Managers– Branding challenges & opportunities.

SUGGESTED READINGS:

1. Kevin Lane Keller, Strategic Brand Management: Building, Measuring and Managing, Prentice Hall, 3rd Edition, 2007
2. Moorthi YLR, Brand Management – I edition, Vikas Publishing House 2012
3. LanBatey, Asain Branding – A Great way to fly, PHI, Singapore, 2002.
4. Paul Tmepoal, Branding in Asia, John Willy, 2000.
5. Ramesh Kumar, Managing Indian Brands, Vikas Publication, India, 2002
6. JagdeepKapoor, Brandex, Biztranza, India, 2005
7. MahimSagar, Deepali Singh, D.P.Agarwal, Achintya Gupta.–Brand Management Ane Books Pvt.Ltd – (2009).

Paper DSE 603(b) : CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

Objective: To acquaint the student with the finer nuances of Corporate Governance.

UNIT - 1: CORPORATE GOVERNANCE: Evolution and Significance: Corporate Governance: Meaning – Definition - Evolution – Historical Perspective of Corporate Governance – Nature and Scope of Corporate Governance – Need for Corporate Governance – Essentials of Corporate Governance – Objectives of Corporate Governance - Benefits and Limitations of Corporate Governance - Structure – Theories.

UNIT – II: CORPORATE GOVERNANCE COMMITTEES AND MODELS:

CG Committees: Cadbury Committee, Greenbury Committee, Hampel Committee, Sarbanes-Oxley Act, 2002, Blue Ribbon Committee, King Committee, Kumara Mangalam Birla Committee, Narayana Murthy Committee, CII Task Force Committee – CG Models : Anglo-American, German, Japanese and Indian Model.

UNIT - III: CORPORATE GOVERNANCE AND SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY:

Corporate Social Reporting – Meaning – Types of CSR - Role of CSR towards Society – Employees, Government, Stakeholders and Consumers – Nature of CSR – CSR Principles and Strategies - Models – Best Practices of CSR - CSR: Indian Perspective – Sachar Committee Report.

UNIT - IV: ACCOUNTABILITY IN CORPORATE GOVERNANCE:

Definition – Importance - Accounts and Financial Reporting - Stakeholders Influence - Social Responsibility and Accountability - Reflection of Stakeholder’s Accountability in Legislation, Guidance on Stakeholders and Shareholders Interest. Role of Top Management in Corporate Governance. Role of Auditors in Corporate. Role of Shareholders & Other Stakeholders in Corporate Governance.

UNIT – V: ISSUES IN CORPORATE GOVERNANCE :

Role of Promoters - Nominee Directors - Mismanagement – Corporate Frauds - Negligent Role of Auditors – Banks- Supervision and Control of Stock Exchanges – Whistle Blowing Policy - RBI – Ministry of Corporate Affairs – Towards Building Ethical and Sustainable Organization.

SUGGESTED READINGS:

1. Business Ethics and Corporate Governance, (2017) Prof. K. ViyyannaRao, Dr. G. Nagaraju I.K., International Publishing House Pvt. Ltd,
2. Corporate Governance,(2014), BholanathDutta and S.K. Podder - Vision Book house,
3. Business Ethics,(2005)2ND Edition, R.V. Badi N.V. Badi,Vrinda Publication pvt Ltd
4. Business Ethics An Indian Perspective, 2015, A. C. Fernando - Pearson
5. Business Ethics and Corporate Governance, Reprint 2013, C.S.V. Murthy – Himalaya Publication
6. Corporate Governance,(2004) H.R. Machiraju, Himalaya Publication House
7. Business Ethics -Text & Cases 2010, C.S.V. Murthy – Himalaya Publication
8. Business Ethics – Dr. Muninarayanappa, Prof. Manjula, Prof. V. Tamil Selvan, Prof. Raghavendra K.S.- Takur Publishers,2015, Bangalore
9. A Study in Business Ethics, Reprint (2008) RituParna Raj, Himalaya Publishing house
10. Ethics in Business and Management Concepts (Western and Indian) & Cases (National & International), R. P. Banerjee, Himalaya Publishing House.
11. Corporate Governance (with Case Studies), DayanandAchrekar, Surendra Publications, New Delhi.
12. Corporate Governance, Robert A G Monks, Wiley India Pvt. Ltd.

Paper DSE 603(c) : INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT

Objective: To familiarize with concepts of risk and return relating to Investment.

UNIT-I: INTRODUCTION:

Investment Management: Meaning and Definition – Objectives - Scope – Investment Vs Speculation – Investment Vs Gambling - Factors affecting Investment Decisions – Investment Alternatives - Types of Investors (Theory).

UNIT-II: RISK AND RETURN:

Meaning of Risk – Risk Vs Uncertainty – Causes of Risk – Types of Risks – Risk and Return of a Single Asset – Ex-Ante and Ex-Post – Risk-Return Relationship – Risk-Return Trade off (Simple Problems).

UNIT-III: MARKET INDICES:

Concept of Index – Methods of computing stock indices – Leading Stock Price Indices in India – Sensex and Nifty – Uses of Market Index (Simple Problems).

UNIT-IV: TIME VALUE OF MONEY:

Concept - Techniques - Compounding Techniques - Doubling Period - Multiple Compounding Period - Present Value Techniques (Simple Problems).

UNIT-V: PORTFOLIO ANALYSIS:

Traditional Vs Modern - Rationale of Diversification - Markowitz portfolio theory - Effect of combining the securities - Measurement of expected return and risk of portfolio (Simple Problems).

SUGGESTED READINGS:

1. Investment Management (Text and Cases): V.K. Bhalla, S. Chand & Company.
2. Security Analysis and Portfolio Management: Shashi K. Gupta & Rosy Joshi, Kalyani Publishers.
3. Investment Management: Dr. V.A. Avadhani, Himalaya Publishing House.
4. Fundamentals of Investment Management: Preeti Singh, Himalaya Publishing House
5. Security Analysis and Portfolio Management: Kevin, PHI.
6. Investment Analysis and Portfolio Management: Prasanna Chandra, Tata McGraw-Hills
7. Investment Management, Prashanta Athma: Kalyani Publications.
8. Security Analysis and Portfolio Management: Madhumati Ranganathan, Pearson.
9. Investment Management: Masheswari, PHI.
10. Security Analysis and Portfolio Management: Dhanesh Khatri, Trinity Press.