

Pre-Doctoral Course work in History

Paper-I

Research Methodology

Objectives:

This paper is designed as foundation for historical research and divided into two specific sections of historiography and methodology. The chapters are intended to provide a proper understanding of the nature and character of the discipline, its development through stages and various thoughts. The methodology part deals with the process of research writing and history writing.

Learning Outcomes:

The paper is expected to provide the necessary insights into the theoretical and structural aspects of the discipline enabling the researcher to carry out research.

Paper-II

Research & Publication Ethics (RPE)

Objectives:

This paper covers different aspects of research and publication ethics to avoid bias in experimental design, data analysis, data interpretation, peer review, personnel decisions, grant writing, expert testimony, and other related aspects.

Learning Outcomes:

The young researchers will be immensely benefitted by this paper and move in the right direction of research and avoid errors in their dissertations and research papers.

Paper-III

Computer Application

Objectives:

To instill the computer skills in the minds of the students as mostly required for research – computing, statistics, data analysis – and many other mechanisms while doing their research.

Learning Outcomes:

The students will be able to demonstrate the data and information in their project and dissertation

with the help of computer application.

Paper-IV

Review of Literature and Seminar Paper

Objective:

To engage the students into the process of reviewing books, journal articles and other secondary records of their research areas which are considered very crucial in research.

Learning Outcomes:

The students will have better understanding in reviewing the secondary works which would help them to select their research topic and reviewing the secondary readings.