## Detailed Syllabus
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HR 101: Managerial Economics  
Module I: Micro Economics

1. **Micro Economics:** Introduction Scope & nature of Economics; Relationship to functional areas of management and business, Scope and Nature of Managerial Economics.

2. **Demand Analysis:** Demand functions – factors and features – ordinary and compensated demand – time characteristics of demand; Price and income elasticity; Income and substitutions effects. Substitutes and complements; Demand forecasting.

3. **Production, Cost & Profit Analysis:** Short run and long run theories of production, Nature of cost-short and long term cost functions, empirical cost functions, Optimization.

4. **Market Structure and Pricing:** Market structure and degree of competition; Perfect competition, monopoly, monopolistic & imperfect competition, oligopoly market, game theory; pricing of multiple products, transfer pricing, peak load, pricing, piece discrimination

5. **Market Failure & Regulation:** Externalities and market failures, responses to market failures.

6. **Investment Analysis:** Time value of money, Investment valuation

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**Books Recommended:**

1. Henderson & Quandt – Macro Economics – A Mathematical Approach
2. Koutsoyiannis – Modern Micro Economics
5. Curwen – Managerial Economics
6. K.Basu – Lectures in Industrial Organization
8. Mankiew – Managerial Economics
9. David Kreps – A course in Microeconomics
HR 101 : Managerial Economics
Module II: Macro Economics & Economic Policies

1. National Income Accounting: Methods and problems in accounting
2. Income Determination Models: Theory of consumption and multiplier; Marginal efficiency of Capital and Investment; Quantitative Theory of Money; Keynesian Money demand function.
4. The Complete Keynesian Model.
6. Inflation and Unemployment: Theories of Unemployment; Government Policies on Unemployment; Phillip’s Curve; Stagflation Process.

Books Recommended:
1. Samuelson, Paul & Nordhans – Economics
2. Robert Gordon – Macro economic
3. Lipsy R. G. – Introduction to Positive Economics
4. Dornbusch & Fisher – Macro economics
HR 102 : Economic Environment of Business  
Module I: Indian Business Environment

1. **Introduction and Definition**: Business and its emergence, concept of environment and its analysis, types of environment - micro and macro environment, concept of business strategy with respect to environment

2. **Economic Environment (with special emphasize to economic policies adopted in India)**: Various economic systems, Union Budget, Tax structure, Fiscal Policy, Capital market and Money Market, Monetary Policy, SEBI guidelines relating to capital market issues, Finance Commission, Foreign Trade policy, Industrial policy (including SSI) since 1991, Economic Liberalization, Public sector vis-à-vis Privatization, Policy for Navaratnas

3. **Banking System**: Role of Central Bank, Role of Commercial Banks, Non-banking financial institutions, Development Banking, Development Financial Institutions

4. **Political Environment**: Government’s role in Business: Regulatory role, Infrastructure Development, Entrepreneurial role of government, Indian Political Institutions

5. **Socio-cultural Environment**: Impact of socio-cultural environment on business, Responsibility towards consumers, employees, communities (Corporate Social Responsibility), Corporate Governance.

6. **Legal Environment (with special emphasize to Indian acts)**: Consumer Protection Act, MRTP Act, Negotiable Instruments Act, Cyber Laws

**Books Recommended:**
1. Vivek Mittal - Business Environment; Excel Books
2. Justin Paul - Business Environment; TMH
3. Ashwathappa - Essentials of Business Environment; Himalaya
HR 102 : Economic Environment of Business
Module II: International Economy

1. **International Trade**: Theories of absolute and comparative advantage – Hecksher – Ohlin Model of Free trade – Factor Price Equalization – Gains from Trade – Trade policy and LDCs – Tariffs

2. **International Business**: Types and Forms of Capital Movement – MNCs, TNCs, Foreign Collaboration – JVs – Subsidiaries


4. **International Environment**: Role of WTO, GATT, IMF, IBRD, Asian Development Bank, OPEC, ASEAN, NAFTA, Foreign Investment - different types, significance and control of foreign direct investment, Role of Multi-National Corporations

**Books Recommended:**
1. International Economics – Bosodersten and Geoffrey reed
2. International Economics – Miltiades Chacholiades
3. International Economics – Dominick Salvatore
HR 103: Management Principles  
Module I: Management Principles - Planning & Organizing

1. **Introduction to Management**: Organisation and the Need for Management, Functions of Management, Role of Managers, Management Level and Skills

2. **Planning**: Importance of Planning, Types of Plans, Planning Process, Steps in Planning Levels of Planning, Techniques of Planning of different resources, Management by Objectives (MBO)

3. **Strategic Management**: Mission of Goals, SWOT Analysis, Portfolio Analysis, BCG Matrix, 7Ss of Mckinsey, Strategic Models and Choices, Levels of Strategy, Implementing Strategy


**Books Recommended:**

4. R. L. Daft: Management, Thomson
HR 103: Management Principles
Module II: Management Process – Directing & Controlling


Books Recommended:
4. R. L. Daft: Management, Thomson
HR 104 : Organisational Behaviour
Module I: Individual and Group behavior

1. Organizational Behaviour (OB) – Overview: Foundation of OB, Field of OB, Contributing Disciplines, Importance of OB in Industry
3. Conflict in Organization: Sources of Conflict, Types of Conflict, Conflict Process, Conflict Resolution – Principles & Practices
5. Managing Stress: Understanding Stress, Sources of Stress, Consequences of Stress Management

Books Recommended:
2. Fred Luthans: Organizational Behaviour, McGraw Hill
3. Kavita Singh: Organizational Behaviour, Text & Cases, Person
5. Mary J. Hatch: Organizational Behaviour, Oxford University Press
1. **Organization Theory**: Basic & Fundamentals

2. **Classical Theories**: Administrative Theory (Henri Fayol)
   - Scientific Management Principles (F W Taylor)
   - Theory of Bureaucracy (Max Weber)

3. **Neo-Classical Theory**: Human Relations Approach (Elton Mayo – Hawthorne experiments)

4. **Modern Theory – Contemporary Approaches**:
   - Behavioural Approach (Motivation & Leadership Approaches)
   - Systems Approach (Socio-Technical System – Tevistock School)
   - Quantitative Approach
   - Contingency Approach (Situational Factors – Technology, Environment)

5. **Organization Structure & Design**: Types of Organizational Structure (Product bases, Function based, Location/Area based, Virtual)

**Books Recommended:**
2. Fred Luthans: Organizational Behaviour, McGraw Hill
3. Kavita Singh: Organizational Behaviour, Text & Cases, Person
5. Mary J. Hatch: Organizational Behaviour, Oxford University Press
HR 105: Accounting for Managers
Module – I: Financial Accounting

1. Conceptual Framework
2. Introduction to Accounting standards and IFRSs
3. The Accounting Cycle and Preparation of Financial Statements
4. Corporate Financial Statements: Presentation and Disclosure
5. Financial Statement Analysis

Books Recommended:
1. Narayanswamy, PHI – Managerial Accounting
2. Bhattacharyya, A. PHI (Essentials of Financial Accounting
4. Kishore Ravi M. – Cost & Management Accounting
5. Banerjee B - Cost & Management Accounting
6. Bhattacharyya A. - Cost & Management Accounting
HR 105: Accounting for Managers  
Module – II: Cost and Management Accounting

1. Cost concepts and need for cost management (Strategic cost management)  
2. Ascertainment and absorption of cost.  
3. CVP analysis; Marginal Costing and Managerial Decision Making.  
4. Cost control through budgets and standards (introductory aspects).

Books Recommended:
1. Narayanswamy, PHI – Managerial Accounting  
2. Bhattacharyya, A. PHI (Essentials of Financial Accounting  
4. Kishore Ravi M. – Cost & Management Accounting  
5. Banerjee B - Cost & Management Accounting  
6. Bhattacharyya A. - Cost & Management Accounting
HR 106: Statistics for Management  
Module I: Descriptive Statistics

Collection and presentation of data; Frequency Distribution; Measures of Central Tendency, Dispersion, Skewness & Kurtosis, Correlation & Regression, Time-series Analysis, Index Number Analysis.

Books Recommended:
HR 106: Statistics for Management
Module II: Probability Theory

Probability Theory and Probability Distributions – Binomial, Poisson, Normal and Exponential; Types of Samples-Random Sampling Techniques
- Sampling Distributions – Sampling Error – Estimation

Books Recommended:
HR 107: Environment Management
Module I: Values & Ethics in Business

1. **Introduction:** Nature of business ethics; ethics and morality; ethics versus law; Kohlberg’s six stages of moral development; levels of ethical analysis.
2. **Ethical Principles in Business:** The teleological approach; the deontological approach; the virtue ethics approach; the systems development approach; ethical relativism.
3. **Business Ethics and Strategy:** Strategic vision, ethical stance, corporate philosophy and Freeman’s concept of enterprise strategy; business and society – the stakeholder theory versus social contract theory of the firm; various nuances of corporate social responsibility.
4. **Managing Ethical Dilemmas:** Dilemma versus decision; characteristics of ethical dilemmas; the dilemma resolution process.
5. **Application of Business Ethics in HRM:** Workplace ethical issues – whistle-blowing; insider trading; employee discrimination; sexual harassment; corporate espionage; ethical dilemmas in human resources management; ethics in multinational companies (MNCs)
6. **Leadership Ethics:** Personal integrity and self-development; wisdom-based leadership, Ethical Leadership.
7. **Ethics & Social Responsibility**

**Books Recommended**
1. Boatright, J. R. *Ethics and the Conduct of Business*, Personal Education
1. **Resources:** Natural and Human. Ecosystems and Eco-system Management. Resources and the Environment.
4. **WTO and Environment:** Climate change implications of business.
5. **Pollution Mitigation:** Command and Control strategies, Incentive-based strategies, Technology-based strategies.
6. **Environmental Laws in India:** Overview
8. **Environmental risk:** Industrial disaster management.

**Books Recommended**
2. Rabindranath Bhattacharya (edited), Environmental Economics. (OUP)
HR 108: Psychology and Social Structure

Module I: Indian Society and Culture

1. Indian Society: Unity in Diversity: Demographic Profile – Language based, Religion based and Region based diversity in Demography of India
   Sociological outline of Agrarian India, Urban Indian and Tribal India, Intersections of Society, Culture and Politics (As in Francine R. Frankal)

2. Elements of Social Structure
   Caste – Contradiction and Conflict
   Tribe – Features of Tribal Society – Tribes in Conflict (Protests against Displacement and Development) – Insurgency.
   Class Structure – Nature of Class Conflict in India
   Middle Class – Features – Consumerist Turn
   Inequality and Poverty in India

3. Religion – Multiplicity of Religions
   Beliefs and practices, Identity formation
   Culture – India’s composite culture with reference to Religion and Public culture – cultural globalization and Indian culture

4. Socio Economic Problems
   Population, Poverty and Malnutrition, Illiteracy, Unemployment, Child Labour, Alcoholism and Drug, Occupational Disease, Terrorism, Crime.

5. Social Change
   Effects on Community, Impact on Family Structure and Gender Roles, Household Economy, Child and Aged in the family, Quality of Life

6 State and Society
   Responses to Social vulnerability - State and NGO

Books Recommended

1. S.C. Dube: Indian Society
2. Yogesh Atal: Changing Indian Society
3. Francine R Frankel: Contextual Democracy: Intersections of society, culture and politics in india’ in Francine R. Frankel, Zoya Hasan, Rajeev Bhargava and Balveer Arora [eds]
4. Transforming India: Social and Political Dynamics of Democracy
6. Yogesh Atal: Changing Indian Society
7. T K Oommen: Social Movements: Concerns of equity and security, vol 1 & 2
8. Varma, P K , The Great Indian Middle Class
9. Ruchira Ganguly – Scrase and Timothy J Scrase,: Globalizational and Middle Caste in India
10. Abid Husain: The National Culture of India
12. M N Srinivas: Village, Caste, Gender & Method, OUP
13. Andre Beteille: Society and Politics in India, OUP
HR 108: Psychology & Social Structure
Module II: Psychology in Business
1. **Introduction**: Definition, Scope, Methods and Branches of Psychology (Industrial/Organizational Psychology). Different school of approaches: Behaviouristic approach, Gestalt school, Psychoanalytic school etc.

2. **Perceptual Process**: Factors influencing perception, Perceptual Constancy & Attribution theory, Techniques in Perception and its application.

3. **Learning**: Concepts and Principles, Theories of Learning, Types, Techniques of Administration, Reinforcement, Effect of Punishment

4. **Individual Decision Making**: Rationality & creativity in decision making, Normative and cognitive models, organizational decision-making process and individual differences.

5. **Personality & Emotional Intelligence**: Foundation of Individual behaviour and Ability; Determinants of personality, Traits & personality attributes, personality assessment. Concept of IQ, EI and EQ, Mind and emotion, applying EQ in organizations, Managing emotion

**Books Recommended**
3. Robbins, S.P., Organizational Behaviour, PHI
4. Goleman, D., Working with Emotional Intelligence; Bloomsbury
5. Singh, Dalip, Emotional Intelligence at Work, Response Books
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Module-I: Production & Materials Management

1. Production planning and control: production systems, types of production, re-planning and control functions, relations with other departments, efficiency of production planning and control – scheduling – Gnatt Charts.
3. Work study: method study, motion study, work measurement, performance rating, work sampling, time study.
4. Operations management: operations scheduling, job shop, batch shop and service systems, PERT, CPM, Inspection & Quality Control, TQM.
5. Inventory planning and control: EOQ models – without shortage, with shortage, with price breaks, effect of quality discount, ABC, FSN, VED classification, inventory control: perpetual, two-bin and periodic inventory system, material requirements planning (MRP) and just in time (JIT).

Books recommended:

2. Panneersalvam, Production and Operations Management, PHI
3. Adam, Production and Operations Management, Pearson Education / PHI
4. Altekar, Production Management, Jaico
5. Gaither, Operations Managements, 9th ed, Thomson Learning
Paper HR-201: Operations & Quality Management

Module-II: Quality Management
Fundamentals of TQM ; The Evolution of Quality ; Terms and Definitions ; Concept of Internal and External Customer ; Changing Market Environments ; Capturing Voice of Customer ; Parameters of Product and Service Quality ; Concepts and Philosophies of TQM ; Concept of Process and System ; Process structure and requirements ; Quality Planning ; Quality Improvement -Incremental and Breakthrough ; The Plan-Do-Check-Act Cycle ; Sources of Variation ; Statistical Process Control ; Quality Management System - ISO 9000 ; Quality Management Principles ; Problem Solving Tools and Techniques ; (Quality Circle Techniques) ; Process Capability ; 6 Sigma Methodology ; Failure Mode and Effect Analysis ; Mistake Proofing – Poka Yoke ; 5-S and Housekeeping ; Lean Management and Waste Reduction ; Total Productive Maintenance ; Benchmarking ; People Involvement in TQM ; Economics of Quality ; Business Balanced Score Card ; Business Excellence Models.

Books Recommended:
1. J. M. Juran & Frank M Gryna - Quality Planning & Analysis
4. Masaki Imai - Kaizen: The Key to Japan’s Competitive Success
5. Douglas Montgomery, Cheryl Jeennings & Michael E P fund -Managing, Controlling and Improving Quality
6. James R Evans and James W. Dean - Total Quality: Management, Organisation & Strategy
Paper HR-202: Finance & Marketing Functions

I – Financial Management
II – Marketing Management

Module-I: Financial Management
1. Introduction: Concept of finance and functions of financial management; objectives of the firm; time value of memory and risk-return relationship.
2. Cost of capital, operating and financial leverages.
3. Capital structure theories.
4. Investment Decisions:
   (a) Working capital management
   (b) Capital Budgeting

Books recommended:
Paper HR-202: Finance & Marketing Functions

Module-II: Marketing Management
1. Concept of Marketing and Marketing Management, Marketing as a Business Process,
   Marketing Environment, Relationship of Marketing Department with Production,
   Finance, Purchase and Human Resource Department, Demand and Market,
   Concepts of Consumer Marketing, Industrial Marketing and Services Marketing.
1. Understanding the Consumer:

2. Elements of Marketing:
   Concept of Marketing Mix, Product Management (Defining Product, Product Hierarchy, Introduction to PLC), Pricing (Factors influencing Pricing, Methods of Pricing), Channel Management (Levels of Channel, Role of Channel Intermediaries.), Marketing Communication and its stages with brief orientation of various theories, Promotion Management (Promotion Mix, Concept of Advertising, Sales Promotion, Public Relation).

3. Management and Control:
   Managing a Sales Team (Basics of Motivation & Training of Sales Force), Evaluation of Sales Personnel’s Performance, Compensation of Sales Force.

4. Emerging issues of Marketing.
   Rural Marketing, Global Marketing.

Books recommended:
1. Kotler Philip, PHI, New Delhi - Marketing Management
5. Cundiff, Still & Govoni., PHI, New Delhi - Sales Management
Paper HR-203: Labour Economics

Module – I (Micro Labour Economics)  
Module – II (Macro Labour Economics)  

Module – I (Micro Labour Economics)
1. Introduction – Approaches to labour economics: Neo-classical; Keynesian & Post-Keynesian; Institutional; Marxian.
2. Demand for Labour – Marginal Productivity theory; labour as semi-fixed cost; elasticity of labour demand – factor substitution; technical progress; short-run vs. long-run labour demand; Demand for labour under different market conditions.
3. Supply of labour – Neo-classical approach: labour supply with family income; with non-wage income – the endowment approach; alternative uses of, and approaches to, time and work.
4. Theory of human capital – role and economies of training and education; migration and human capital; wage differentials and wage differences in different occupations.
5. Internal labour markets and wage structure.

References:
1. Stephen W Smith - Labour Economics
3. Hamermesh Rees - The Economics of Work and Pay
4. David Sapsford Zafiris Tzannutos - Current Issues in Labour Economics (ed)
5. P R G Lay and A Walters - Micro Economic Theory
6. Bruce E Kaufman - The Economics of Labour Markets and Labour Relations
7. Alison L Booth - The Economics of the Trade Union Behaviour
8. Martin Bronfenbrenner - Income Distribution Theory
**Paper HR-203: Labour Economics**

**Module – II (Macro Labour Economics)**
1. Behaviour of the macro labour market – Neo-classical approach; alternative approaches
2. Trade Unions – Role and objectives; collective bargaining; alternative trade union theories; economic effects of trade unions
3. Distribution of Income and relative income shares – neo-classical; post-Keynesian; Marxian approaches
4. Wage inflation and income policy

**References:**
1. Stephen W Smith - Labour Economics
3. Hamermesh Rees - The Economics of Work and Pay
4. David Sapsford Zafiris Tzannutos - Current Issues in Labour Economics (ed)
5. P R G Lay and A Walters - Micro Economic Theory
6. Bruce E Kaufman - The Economics of Labour Markets and labour Relations
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8. Martin Bronfenbrenner - Income Distribution Theory
Paper HR-204: MIS

I – MIS-I Fundamental of MIS
II - MIS – II Computer Applications

Module – I: Fundamental of MIS
MIS: Definition, Concept, Characteristics, Factors of designing successful MIS, Steps involved in setting up MIS, Advantages of MIS, Problems involved in installing and operating MIS, MIS growth stages theory in an organizations, Limitations of MIS, Status of MIS personnel. Dimensions of information need at different levels of management, Uncertainty absorption & planning, organizing and controlling.

Reporting: General principles, Types of reporting, Considerations of developing management reporting system.
Information Systems for Functional Areas: Accounting information system, Financial information system, Marketing information system, Human Resource information system, Production information system, Materials Handling information system.
Database Management System: Introduction, Facilities of database, Database Administrator, Abstract architecture for a database system – External level, Conceptual level, Internal level, Schema and Sub-schema, DBMS in operational steps, DDL, DML.

Module – II Computer Applications

Problems solving tools:

Flowcharts: Concepts, advantages and disadvantages of flow charts, Problem solving using flowcharts.

Decision tables: Concepts, advantages and disadvantages of decision tables, Problem solving using decision tables.


Problem solving using RDBMS: Data base files and related commands, Memory variables and related commands, RDBMS functions, Program files and related commands, Programming techniques (loop setting, condition setting) other commands.

Communication and Computer Networks:

Concept of Data Communications, Transmission modes [Simplex Half duplex, full duplex, serial, Parallel, Synchronous, Asynchronous], communication media, Wireless and Satellite communication, Wireless Broad Band, WAP, Network components – switch, router, Gateway.

Network concepts: Types – LAN, WAN, MAN, VAN, SAN
Various topologies: Bus, Star, Ring, Mesh, Tree
Protocol Models: OSI, TCP/IP
Internet concepts: IP address, URL, DNS.
Internet Protocol: TCP/IP, UDP, HTTP, FTP, Telnet
Website designing using MS-Front page

Books recommended (I & II):

1) Murdick & Ross – MIS – PHI
3) Date C. J. – Database Management System
5) Introduction to Information technology, ITLESL - Pearson Education
6) Fundamentals of Computers – Sinha & Sinha, BPB publication

I – Manpower Planning
II – Recruitment & Selection

Module I: Manpower Planning

1. Evolution of HRM as a subject, HRM functions, roles and process.
4. Competency & Skill Analysis in HR Management.
5. HR Plan, Implementation strategies: Recruitment, Redeployment, Redundancy, Retention, Productivity plan, training plan, Career plan, Succession plan, strategic reward management.

Books recommended
1. D J Bell, Planning Corporate Manpower, Longman
3. B O Pettman & G Taverneir, Manpower Planning Workbook, Gower
5. ILO, Job Evaluation
7. C B Mamoria & S V Gankar, Personnel Management, Himalaya
8. N P Rajsekharan, Competency Web, University Press
9. Strategic HRP, Paul Turner, Jaico
Module II Recruitment and Selection

1. HR Policy: Purpose, Basis, Coverage; Policies on Recruitment, Promotion, Transfer, Compensation, Leave, Working hours, Holidays, Development and training, Retention, Discipline and Separation.
2. Recruitment: Recruitment Plans; Requirement analysis; Sources; Job Specification; Job Description; Notification; Application Bank; Process of Recruitment & Strategic Choice; Budget Compliance in Recruitment; E-Recruitment.
3. Selection: Methods; Test; Group Discussion; Interview; Interview Techniques and Skills; Problems in Selection; Verification; Appointment.
4. Placement and Induction: Objectives; Procedures and Programmes.
5. Redeployment of Manpower: Promotion- Procedure & Programme; Demotion; Transfer- Purpose and Procedure.

Books recommended
Module I: Industrial Relations – Concepts & Framework

1. Employee Relations: Meaning and scope, Theoretical Background of ER, Parties to ER, Industrialisation Strategy and ER.
2. ER in India: Labour Policy in Five Year Plans, Bipartism, Tripartism; Role of government and State; Role of management; Role of Trade Unions.
3. Industrial Disputes: Causes, Types, Trends.
4. Labour Welfare and ER: Concept, Purpose, Statutory and Non-statutory provisions, ILO Conventions
5. Globalisation and ER.

Books recommended
1. R: C S Venkata Ratnam, Publisher OUP
2. I R: Arun Monappa, Publisher Tata McGraw-Hill
3. I R: Ratna Sen Publisher Macmillan India
4. HRM Texts and Cases: K Aswathappa, Publisher Tata McGraw-Hill
5. H R Strategy: George F Dreher & Thomas W Dougherty, Publisher Tata McGraw-Hill
Paper HR-206: Industrial Relations

Module II: Industrial Relations Management of Industrial Disputes
1. Human Resource Management (HRM) and Industrial Relations (IR):
   Conflicts and Complementarities from managerial viewpoint
2. Dynamics of Industrial Relations in India:
   a. Significance of IR, Conflicts and Disputes,
   b. Trade Unions, Employers’ Federations
   c. Dispute Settlement Machinery
   d. Wages and IR, Collective Bargaining,
   e. Labour Welfare and Social Security
   f. Employee Discipline and Domestic Enquiry
   g. Employee Grievances
3. Industrial Democracy and Employee Participation, Worker Development
4. Labour Policy over the Five Year Plans: Roles of Management, Trade
   Union and Government
5. India and the ILO
6. Globalization and its impact on Labour market institutions, processes
   and workers
7. Major Employment Relations Laws
   (1) Trade Unions Act, 1926
   (2) Industrial Employment (Standing Orders) Act, 1946
   (3) Industrial Disputes Act, 1947
   (4) The Payment of Bonus Act, 1965
   (6) Workmen’s Compensation Act, 1923 (WC Act)
   (7) Employees’ State Insurance Act, 1948 (ESI Act)
   (8) Payment of Gratuity Act, 1972 (PG Act)
   (9) Child Labour (Prohibition & Regulation) Act, 1986

Books recommended
1. IR : C S Venkata Ratnam, Publisher OUP
2. IR : Arun Monappa, Publisher Tata McGraw-Hill
3. IR : Ratna Sen Publisher Macmillan India
4. HRM Texts and Cases: K Aswathappa, Publisher Tata McGraw-Hill
5. HR Strategy: George F Dreher & Thomas W Dougherty, Publisher Tata McGraw-Hill
Paper HR-207: Research Methodology

Module I: Research Instruments and Analysis
Module II: Quantitative Methods – Tools & Applications

Module – I: Research Instruments and Analysis
Introduction: Meaning of research; Objective of research; Types of research

Problem Formulation and Research Design: Broad problem area, Literature survey; Problem formulation; Hypothesis development; Research design; Experimental design

Scaling Techniques and Questionnaire Design: Types of scale; Rating scales; Ranking scales; Scales for stimuli; Scales for respondents; Scales for both stimuli and respondents; Questionnaire construction; Checklist in questionnaire construction

Sampling Design and Data Collection: Selection of random sample; Probability and non-probability sampling techniques; Sampling distributions (statement only); Sample size decisions; Field work

Data Preparation and Data Analysis: Coding, editing and data entry; Tabulation of data; Univariate data analysis; Parametric and nonparametric tests; Analysis of variance; Overview of some bivariate and multivariate data analysis; Use of statistical packages.

Report Preparation and Presentation: The research proposal; Characteristic of a well-written report; Report format; Report presentation.

Books recommended
1. R. Panneerselvam (Prentice Hall of India) – Research Methodology
2. C. R. Kothari (New Age International Ltd) – Research Methodology
4. Saunders (Pearson Education) – Research Methods for Business Students
5. S. N. Murthy and U Bhojanna (Excel Books) – Business Research Methods
6. G. C. Beri (Tata McGraw Hill) – Marketing Research
8. N. Malhotra (Pearson Education) – Marketing Research: An applied Orientation
10. G. V. Shenoy and M. Pant (Macmillan India) – Statistical Methods in Business and Social Science
Paper HR-207: Research Methodology

Module II: Quantitative Methods – Tools & Applications

Linear Programming Problem: Linear programming problem formulation; Graphical solution; simplex method; Duality; Dual simplex method

Transportation and Assignment Models: Transportation problems; The trans-shipment problem; Assignment problems; The traveling salesman problem

Decision Theory and Game Theory: Decision under uncertainty; Decision under risk; Game theory; Two person zero sum game; Pure and mixed strategy games

Network Analysis: Net work diagram; Time estimate for activity; programme evaluation and review technique; Critical path method; Network crashing

Queuing Models: Role of Poisson and Exponential distributions; Arrival and service pattern; Single server model; Multiple server model

Simulation Models: Discrete simulation models; Formulation and solution technique; Monte-Carlo simulation; Applications to business problem

Markov Analysis: Markov Process; Transition probability; Transition matrix; Brand switch analysis; Prediction of market share in future periods.

Books recommended
1. Anderson, D. R. Sweeney, D. J. and Williams, T.A. – An Introduction to Management Science, Thompson South-Western
2. Gupta, P. K. and Hira, D.S. – Problems in Operations Research, S Chand and Co
8. Vohra, N. D. – Quantitative Techniques in Management, Tata Mcgraw Hill
Paper HR-208: Term Paper
## Detailed Syllabus Semester- III (2010-12)

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1. **Human Resource Development**: An Introduction – Evolution, Meaning, Purpose & Process

2. **Training and Development**: Objectives and Importance, Role of Trainer, HR Manager and Line Manager

3. **Assessing Training Needs**: Organizational Analysis, Task Analysis, Individual Analysis, Role Analysis, Skill Analysis, etc.

4. **Individual Development through Training**: Designing Training Programme, Importance of learning principles to this end.

5. **Methods of Training**: On-the-job training, Off-the-job training; management development program

**Books Recommended:**
1. H. Aguinis: Performance Management, Pearson
HR 301 Human Resource Management – II
Module II – Human Resource Utilization

6. **Delivering Training Programmes**: Issues and concerns

7. **Evaluation of Training Programs**: Need, Techniques, Models

8. **Individual Development through Non-training**: Methods - Job Redesign Programme; Job Enlargement, Job Enrichment, Job Rotation; Job Characteristic model, Matching of personnel with the job, Suggestion Schemes, Career Planning, Counselling

9. **Team Development Programmes**: Methods and Schemes - Quality Circle, Kaizen

10. **Technological Advancements in Training**

**Books Recommended:**
HR 302 Employee Relations – I  
Module I – Employee Relations – Principles & Practices  
  6. **Employee Relations**: Meaning and scope, Theoretical Background of ER, Parties to ER, Industrialisation Strategy and ER.  
  7. **ER in India**: Labour Policy in Five Year Plans, Bipartism, Tripartism; Role of government and State; Role of management; Role of Trade Unions.  
  8. **Industrial Disputes**: Causes, Types, Trends.  
  9. **Labour Welfare and ER**: Concept, Purpose, Statutory and Non-statutory provisions, ILO Conventions  
  10. **Globalisation and ER**.  
  6. **Background**: Industrial Relations vs Employee Relations, Assumption – Traditional vs New  
  13. **Organizational and Behavioural Aspects of Employee Relations**  
  Nature and Type of Employees (needs, desires, aspirations, drive, motivation), Managrial Assumptions about Employees.  
  14. **Management of Employee Relations**  
  Practices in Industry, Power & Authority Structure, Organizational Politics, Conflict Handling, Consultation, Counselling, Mentoring, Building Positive Employee Relations and Work Culture.  

Books Recommended:  
  1. C.V. Venkata Ratnam: Industrial Relations, OUP  
  2. E.A. Ramaswamy & Uma Ramaswamy: Industry and Labour, OUP  
  4. ILO: Collective Bargaining  
  5. B D Singh: Industrial Relations, Excel Books  
HR 302 Employee Relations – I  
Module II – Managing Employee Relations  

1. Grievance Handling  
   Definition & Legal Framework, Nature & Causes of Grievance, Model Grievance Procedure – Grievance Machinery, Grievance Procedure, Grievance Committee  

2. Employee Participation and Labour-Management Relations  
   Constitutional and Legal Framework, Participation vs Collective Bargaining, Labour-Management Cooperation (Company level, Shop floor level), Workers’ Participation Schemes, Quality Circles, Company Experience – Case Study  

3. Collective Bargaining (CB)  
   Concept, Nature of CB, ILO Conventions  

4. Legal Framework of CB  

5. Levels of Bargaining and Agreements  
   National-level Agreements, Industry-cum-region-wide Agreements, Plant-level Agreements, Duration of Agreements, Coverage  

6. International CB  
   Experience of Multi-national Corporations  

7. CB and Stakeholders  
   Government, Employers/Management, Workers/Trade Unions, Consumers and Community  

8. Negotiating Techniques and Skills  

9. Drafting of an Agreement  

Books Recommended:  
7. C.V.Venkata Ratnam: Industrial Relations, OUP  
8. E.A.Ramaswamy & Uma Ramaswamy: Industry and Labour, OUP  
10. ILO: Collective Bargaining  
HR 303 Employee Relations – II
I- Disciplining Employees

1. Changing Concept of meaning of discipline from ancient period to Modern era (Oriental and Occidental) with reference to Social, Economic, Political and Psychological Perspective
2. Discipline as a process of learned behaviour – Socialization – Role of institutions – family, educational institutions, society, organization. Reward and punishment as reinforce
3. Employee Involvement: Meaning, Methods, forms of involvement and participation, Planning for involvement and participation, etc.
4. Understand of Employment Practices: Terms and references of employment in terms of employment contracts, Transfer policy and procedure affecting attitude of the employees, Promotion procedure, Managing workforce diversity, Biographical characteristics and employment.
5. Disciplining and Communication – Interpersonal, communication – Barriers
6. Organisational Culture and discipline
7. Managerial and Leadership practices and discipline
8. Self discipline reference to our bodily system
9. Techniques of modifying behaviour

Books Recommended:
1. Developmental Psychology: Eligabeth. B. Hurlcok
HR 303 Employee Relations – II  
Module II – Counselling Employees

1. **Counselling**: Definition, different approaches – Psychodynamic, Existentialism, Behaviouristic (cognitive), Humanistic, Eclectic Theories


3. **Employee Counselling**: Present Status. Work to family, family to work conflict – consequences

4. **Occupational Health Hazards**: General employees, IT jobs with special reference to Alcoholism, General diseases, HIV-AIDS. Intervention techniques and strategies

5. **Measurement of personality, Adjustment, Anxiety, Depression**

6. **Developing Counseling Skill**: Micro skill in Communication

**Books Recommended:**
1. Theories and Practice of Counseling and Therapy – Rechard Nelson Jones, Sage
3. Theory and Practice of Group Counselling – Corey. G. Belmant
HR 304 Performance Management
I – Performance Appraisal: Tools & Techniques

1. Performance Appraisal & Evaluation
   Purpose, Approaches – Subjective & Objective, Focus of Appraisal – All Employees
   or Managers, Benefits of Evaluation

2. Performance Appraisal Methods
   Type of Appraisal – by Boss (Reporting & Reviewing Officer), By self, By Team or
   Mixed, Appraisal Instruments – Annual Confidential Report, Ranking, Critical
   Incident, Behaviorally, Anchored Rating, MBO

3. Appraisal Process
   in reducing Appraisal Problems

4. New Appraisal System
   360 Degree Feedback, Potential Appraisal, KRA & KPI linked Appraisal, Joint Goal
   Setting & Appraisal, Practices in Indian Industries

5. Appraisal Interview
   Types, Conducting the Appraisal Interview, Performance Improvement Guidelines,
   HR Scorecard, Role Play on Appraisal Interview

6. Performance Appraisal
   Strategic Issues & Case Studies

Books Recommended:
1. H. Aguinis: Performance Management, Pearson
HR 304 Performance Management

II – Appraisals & Actions

7. **Performance Management System (PMS)**
   - Introduction – Meaning, Purpose & Process, Organizational Culture and Performance, HR Strategy & Performance Planning, Organizational and Performance Feedback, Technology-based and Learning and Performance, Performance Appraisal to Performance Improvement

8. **Performance Management (PM)**

9. **HR Audit**
   - Audit & Accounting, Scope of Audit, Approaches (Comparative, Compliance, Statistical, MBO approach), Audit Process, Methodology (interview, workshop, questionnaires, Observations, Analysis or records), Challenges in HR Audit, Use of Audit Findings & Action Plan, Benefits of HR Audit.

10. **Balanced Scorecard**
    - Need for a Scorecard, Building a Balanced Scorecard, Balance Scorecard – Strategic Initiative.

11. **HR Audit in Industry** – Case Study

**Books Recommended:**
1. H.Aguinis: Performance Management, Pearson
HR 305 Compensation Management

I – Principles of Compensation

1. Objective and Important Issues in Compensation Management.
2. Concept of Wage and Salary: Theories of wage, minimum wage, fair wage, living wage, need-based wage, time & piece wage.
5. Job Evaluation and Job analysis
6. Performance based compensation
7. Severance compensation
8. International compensation

Books Recommended:
2. Understanding Wage System by A.M.Sarma; Publisher - Himalaya Publishing House.
3. Compensation Management by V. Vijayalakshmi; Publisher - Virinda Publications (P) Ltd., Delhi - 91
HR 305 Compensation Management
II – Salary & Wage Administration


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3. Compensation Management by V. Vijayalakshmi; Publisher - Virinda Publications (P) Ltd., Delhi - 91
HR 306 Organizational Development
I – Management of Change

1. Organisational Change: Concept, Change Agent, Resistance to Change, Managing Planned Change, Need for organizational change/forces for change

2. Models and Dynamics of Change:
   Types of change, Models and Theories of Planned Change
   - Lewin’s change Model and Force-Field Analysis
   - Edgar Schein’s Seven Stage Model
   - Kotter’s Eight Stage for leading organizational change
   - Systems Models of change
     Definition and characteristics of Systems, A System Model of Change (Fuque & Kurpius, 1993), David Nadler’s Congruence Model showing Organization as a System

3. Resistance to Change:
   Forms/Continuum of resistance to change, Sources of resistance to change: Why People resist change in the workplace, Managing resistance to change

4. Influence of Change in Organisational Behaviour, Innovations in management process.

Books Recommended:
1. S. P. Robbins: Organisational Behaviour, PHI
2. Fred Luthans: Organisational Behaviour, McGraw Hill
3. Mary J. Hatch: Organisational Behaviour, Oxford
HR 306 Organizational Development
II –Organisational Development Interventions Techniques

2. Foundations of Organisational Development (OD)
3. Entry and Contract
4. Organisational Diagnosis – India, Group & System Process
5. Survey Feedback, Action Research and OD
6. OD Intervention: An Overview
7. Individual and Interpersonal Intervention
8. Team / Group Intervention
9. Intergroup Intervention
10. Team / Group Intervention
11. Comprehensive Intervention
12. The OD Consultant: Role, Skill and Dilemmas
13. Success and failure of OD
14. Future of OD

Books Recommended:
1. S. P. Robbins: Organisational Behaviour, PHI
2. Fred Luthans: Organisational Behaviour, McGraw Hill
3. Mary J. Hatch: Organisational Behaviour, Oxford
HR 307 Strategic & Sectoral HRM
Module: I –Strategic HRM
1. Fundaments of Strategic Management
3. Evolution of SHRM, Strategic fit, Models of Strategic HRM, Indian Context Case discussion
5. Functional Strategies in HRM – Strategic HR Planning to Developing performance, compensation and reward strategy, mentoring relationship – case – discussion
6. Strategic Role of HR – the new mandate, Improving Business performance through SHRM
7. SHRM Practices in India: Case Studies

Books Recommended:
HR 307 Strategic & Sectoral HRM  
Module II- Sector Specific HR Management

1. HRM and Employee Services  
3. Emerging Issues of HRM in Manufacturing  
4. Emerging Issues of HRM in Services Sectors  
5. Employment in IT and ITES  
7. HRM in Public Enterprises, Non-profit sector.

Books Recommended:  
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HR 401 Legal Environment – I
Module I – Laws on Establishments (Factories Act)

1. Labour regulatory framework
   Labour legislation- Need, aim, scope, principles, constitutional understanding and concept of tort and brief outline of industrial jurisprudence, Major defects in Indian labour laws

2. Company Act 1956
   Nature and types, Formation, Memorandum of Association, Article of Association, Prospectus, Role of Directors, Meetings, Structure of Company Capital, Wind up

3. International Standard


3. Factories Act 1948
2. Plantation Labour Act 1951
3. Shops and Establishment Act
4. Dock Workers Act 1948 [Generic and Comparative discussions are needed]
1. **Introduction to IR**
   Objectives of IR; Four actors (Workers, Management, Government, Society and their role in maintaining IR), Workers’ participation in Management, Industrial democracy, Employee grievance and grievance handling procedures

2. **Laws relating to labour relations**
HR 402 Legal Environment – II
Module II – Laws on Social Security (Gratuity, PF, Pension)

1. **Background of Social Security**
   Need for social insurance and Social safety net – Right to information act, Laws relating to Welfare and health provisions, Appeal, Environmental protection and reporting (ISO 14000)

2. **Laws relating to Social benefits**

3. **Social Accountability Standard SA 8000**

Books Recommended:
2. S. N. Misra – An Introduction to labour and Indian Laws – Ad agency
6. J. N. Pandus – Constitution of India – AL agency
8. Arun Munnapa – Industrial Relations
1. Industrial Employment Standing Order Act and Standing Order Rules 1946.

2. Contract Labour Act 1970

3. TU Act 1926, TU Amendment Act 2001

4. IESO

5. Industrial Disputes Act 1947

2. Minimum Wages Act 1948, Payment of Bonus Act 1965
HR 404 Labour Welfare
Module I – Labour Welfare Measures

1. Scope of Welfare
2. The Directive Principles of State Policy of the Constitution of India
4. ILO Recommendations on Welfare
5. Concept of Intra mural and extra mural welfare.
   Welfare and amenities within the precincts of the establishment – latrines and
   urinals, washing bathing facilities, crèches, rest shelters and canteens,
   arrangements for prevention of fatigue, health services including occupational
   safety, administrative arrangement within a plant to look after welfare, uniforms
   and protective clothing, shift allowance.

   Welfare outside the establishments – Maternity Benefits, Social Insurance
   measures including Gratuity, Pension, Provident Fund and rehabilitation,
   Benevolent Funds, Medical facilities (Physical fitness, Family Planning and Child
   Welfare). Education facilities, Housing facilities, Recreation facilities (sports,
   cultural activities, library), Holiday Homes and Leave Travel facilities, Workers’
   Cooperatives, Vocational Training, Welfare for Women, Youth and Children,
   Transport facilities

6. Welfare Officers – Statutory provisions, Role and duties

Books Recommended:

1. Report of the National Commission on Labour (Chapter X & XI) Govt. of
   India, 1969
3. P. R. N. Sinha, I.B. Sinha & S.P. Shekhar: Industrial Relations, Trade Unions
   and Labour Legislations (Chapter 16), Pearson Education, 2006
1. Provisions of Safety and Health under Indian Factories Act 1948
4. OHSAS 18000 Occupational Health & Safety Standard
5. Safety Officers – Statutory Provisions, Role and Duties

Books Recommended:

1. Report of the National Commission on Labour (Chapter X & XI) Govt. of India, 1969
HR 405 Contemporary Labour Issues
I-Labour Issues (Knowledge Worker, Attrition, Talent Management, Contract Labour)
Knowledge Management

Attrition Management

Contract Labour Management

Talent Management: definition, elements, process

Talent Management: focus, employer branding, creating a great place to work

Strategies: creating attraction, recruitment processes, development strategies, career planning, retention, performance management system (PMS) and reward mechanism

New framework of talent management

Managing Talent on Demand

Company illustrations (IBM, GE & AT &T)

Books Recommended:
HR 405 Contemporary Labour Issues
Module II- Rationalization of Labour – Methods & Practices

1. Concept of Rationalization: Rational use of inputs and rational distribution of output to meet the market demands and reduction in costs

2. Economic Effects: Forces of competition, technological impact, production process, wage pressures and inter-industry wage differential

3. Effect on Labour: Automation, redundancy, occupational adjustment, allocation of gains, transfer and retraining problem, investment required, effects on management policies, union reactions, issues of motivation and job satisfaction, impact on employment

4. Policy considerations (a) General aspects (mechanization)
   (b) Plan Policies – technical examination of work-loads, stress on natural separation, liberal separation allowance, provision of alternative employment to persons affected, retraining arrangements, sharing gains.
   (c ) Tripartite Decisions – 15th Indian Labour Conference (1957)

5. Rationalisation Practices in Industries – Cotton, Jute, Coal and other Industries

Books Recommended:
1. Report of the National Commission on Labour (Chapter XVIII), Govt. of India, 1969
2. The Third Five Year Plan
HR 406 HRM – New Direction
Module I-Human Resource Accounting & Audit, HRIS

1. **Meaning and Definition of HRA** – Evolution of the Concept – Advantages and disadvantages – objectives of Human Resources Accounting
2. **Human Capital and Productivity** – Human Resource Valuation Models
3. **HR Audit** - Audit & Accounting, Scope of Audit, Approaches (Comparative, Compliance, Statistical, MBO approach), Audit Process, Methodology (interview, workshop, questionnaires, Observations, Analysis or records), Challenges in HR Audit, Use of Audit Findings & Action Plan, Benefits of HR Audit.
5. **HR Audit in Industry** – Case Study

6. **Introduction** – HRIS, Need & Types of HRIS

4. **HRIS Development Process** - System planning, Design and Development process of HRIS
8. **HR Implementation** - Purpose, Process and Implementation of HRIS


10. **HRIS in Recruitment & Selection** - Relationship between recruitment and selection with HRIS

**Books Recommended:**
5. D. Prabakara Rao: Human Resource Accounting; Inter India Publications
6. HRIS – by Michael J. Kavanagh & Mohan Thite
7. Michael J. Kavanagh & Mohan Thite
HR 406 HRM – New Direction

Module II-International Human Resource Management

1. International HRM: definitions, concepts, different aspects, difference between International HRM and Domestic HRM; reasons for emergence of International HRM
2. Global Labour Market and Workforce demography
3. International HR staffing, HRD, HR Audit
5. Major International HRM issues in cross-border functions
   International HRM and managing diverse culture – cross country variation in Business Culture and Communication, convergence and divergence of culture.
7. Global Labour market and Workforce Demography
8. Global Staffing – Management of Talent in MNCS / MNES
9. Training and Development in International Human Racecourse Management

Books Recommended: