UNIVERSITY OF RAJASTHAN
JAIPUR

SYLLABUS

M.A HISTORY

Semester Scheme

II\textsuperscript{nd} Semester Exam June 2017
Syllabus and Scheme of Examination

**M.A. HISTORY**

**SEMESTER II**

*(w.e.f. January 2017)*

There shall be six papers, three papers as compulsory core courses (CCC) and three papers as elective core courses (ECC) in M.A. History Semester II examination. Each paper shall be of 6 Credits. Each Question Paper shall be of three hours duration and of 100 marks. Each question paper shall consist of three parts. Part I shall carry 20 marks and shall consist of 10 compulsory questions of 2 marks each to be answered in 20 words. Part II shall carry 20 marks and shall consist of 4 compulsory questions of 5 marks each to be answered in 100 words each. Part III of the question paper shall carry 60 marks. This part shall be divided into three sections, each comprising of 2 essay type questions of 20 marks each. Candidates will be required to attempt one question from each section (3 questions in all, one from each section).

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PAPER I: HIS 801: EVOLUTION OF INDIAN SOCIETY AND THOUGHT,
PART II

Course Category: CCC 3 hrs. duration 100 marks Credits: 6

Section I

Section II

Section III

Recommended Readings:
G.C. Pande: Foundations of Indian Culture, Vols I & II; Bharatiya Parmapara ke Mula Swara (in Hindi), New Delhi, 1993;
A.L. Srivastava: Medieval Indian Culture [Also in Hindi]
Syed Athar Abbas Rizvi: History of Sufism, Vol. I.
D.S. Sharma: Renaissance of Hinduism
Satprem: Sri Aurobindo, or the Adventure of Consciousness, Sri Aurobindo Ashram Press, Pondicherry, 1968
Williams, Christine V.: Jiddu Krishnamurti: world philosopher (1895-1986): his life and thoughts, Motilal Banarsiddas, Delhi, 2004
PAPER II: HIS 802: WORLD IN THE TWENTIETH CENTURY, PART II
(AFTER WORLD WAR II)

Course Category: CCC
3 hrs. duration 100 marks
Credits: 6

Section I
The World after World War II - Emergence of two power blocs. Cold war and its effects. Emergence of the Third World and the Non-Aligned Movement. Growth of NAM as a critic of Imperialism and Neo-Colonialism. UNO and the global disputes.

Section II
Communist Revolution in China and its impact on world politics. Nationalist Movements and Decolonization: Latin America (Bolivar); Arab World (Egypt); South-East Asia (Vietnam); Africa - Apartheid to Democracy. Consolidation and Expansion of European Community: European Union.

Section III

Recommended Readings:


Geoffrey Barraclough : An Introduction to Contemporary History.
William R. Keylor : The Twentieth Century World and Beyond
Ian Clark : The Post Cold War Order
Paul Johnson : Modern Times
A. Dallin & G.W. Lapidus (eds.) : The Soviet System - from Crisis to Collapse
Moshe Lewin : The Gorbachev Phenomenon
L. Hertlay : Superpower Relations since 1945, Unwin Hyman, 1987
PAPER III HIS 803: RAJASTHAN THROUGH THE AGES

Course Category: CCC
3 hrs. duration
100 marks
Credits: 6

Section I

Section II

Section III

Recommended Readings:

V.N. Misra : Pre-history and Proto-history of Rajasthan.

G.H. Ojha : History of Rajputana (relevant volumes)
V.S. Bhatnagar : Life and Times of Sawai Jai Singh, 1688-1743, Impex India, Delhi, 1974.


आर.पी. वास: अध्ययन राजस्थान का बृहत इतिहास, राजस्थान हिन्दी प्रथा अकादमी, जयपुर, 1995, 2 खण्ड.

दसरथ शर्मा: गोपाल वृद्धि राजस्थान तृतीय और उनका युग, राजस्थानी ग्रंथगार, जोधपुर, 2015.

गोपीनाथ शर्मा: राजस्थान के इतिहास के प्रोत्साहित, पुस्तक संग्रह, भाग 1, राजस्थान हिन्दी ग्रंथ अकादमी, जयपुर, 1973.

विजय कुमार वर्तिप्प: राजस्थान इतिहास के अभिलेखागारीय एवं निजी प्रोत्साहित, राजस्थान अध्ययन केंद्र, जयपुर 2014.

नीलिमा वर्तिप्प: राजस्थान की मूर्तिकला परम्परा (800—1000 ई.), राजस्थान हिन्दी ग्रंथ अकादमी, जयपुर, 1990.
PAPER IV, V & VI
(Any three of the following)

HIS B01: WOMEN IN INDIAN SOCIETY: MODERN INDIA

Course Category: ECC.  3 hrs. Duration  100 Marks  Credits: 6

Section I

Colonial Period:
Colonial critique of women's status in India. Social Reform Movement and the
women's question - Young Bengal Movement, Jyotiba Phule, Raja Ram Mohan Roy,
Dayanand Saraswati, G. G. Agarkar, Ramabai. Women's Access to Education
Debates on Women's education in the nineteenth and twentieth centuries. Social

Section II

New Trends in the Colonial and Post Colonial Period:
Formation of Women's Organizations. Struggle for women's suffrage. Women in
the freedom struggle - Pre-Gandhian; Gandhian; Revolutionary. Partition and
Women. Important constitutional provisions and constitutional amendments
related to women.

Section III

Post Colonial Strategies and Challenges:
Women and work: organized and unorganized sectors. Participation of women in
the Politics in the post-independence period: Women's Movement - significant
trends. Violence against Women: Domestic Violence; Sexual Harassment at
workplace; Rape and Sexual Violence; mechanisms and laws to combat violence.
Challenges of Globalization.

Recommended Readings:
J. Krishnamurty : Women in Colonial India
B.R. Nanda (ed.) : Indian Women from Purdah to Modernity
Janaki Nair : Women and Law in Colonial India: A Social History
Neera Desai & Maithreyi Krishnaraj : Women and Society in India.
Veena Das : Indian Women: Work, Power and Status.
Kiran Pawar (ed.) : Women in Indian History: Social, Economic, Political and
Cultural Perspectives
Jana Matson Everett : Women and Social Change in India
HIS B02: HISTORY OF EUROPEAN DIPLOMACY (1815 - 1914 A.D.)

Course Category: ECC  3 hrs. duration  100 marks  Credits: 6

Section I

Section II
Shift in the Balance of Power after Unification of Italy and Germany. Franco-German relations, 1870-1875. The Balkan Crisis; Russo-Turkish War of 1877; the Congress of Berlin. The Bismarckian system of Alliances - 1879-1887. The Eastern Question, 1885-87.

Section III
William II's Diplomacy; The making of the Franco-Russian Alliance of 1894. Colonial rivalries influencing European Diplomacy; Competition in Asia and Africa; Diplomacy of imperialism, 1897-1902. The making of the Anglo-French Entente and its transformation into the Triple Entente. Anglo-German Rivalries. The Balkan Crisis; and the Outbreak of World War.

Recommended Readings:

Devendra Singh Chauhan : Europe ka Ithasa (1815-1918), Madhya Pradesh Hindi Granth Academy, Bhopal (in Hindi).
HIS B03 : HISTORY OF MAJOR REVOLUTIONS (1789 -1949 A.D.)

Course Category: ECC  3 hrs. duration  100 marks  Credits: 6

Section I
French Revolutions of 1789, 1830 and 1848.

Section II
Russian Revolutions of 1905 and 1917.

Section III
Chinese Revolutions of 1911 and 1949.

Note: The candidates are expected to be aware of the various approaches to the study of these Revolutions. The paper is meant to make them aware of broad trends and analyses of these revolutions.

Recommended Readings:

Leo Gershoy : The French Revolution and Napoleon, Central Book Depot, Allahabad, Indian Reprint.
A. Goodwin : The French Revolution
George Vernadsky : A History of Russia (Also in Hindi)
K.S. Latourette : A Short History of the Far East
Paul H. Clyde : The Far East (Also in Hindi)
Jean Chesneaux, et al : China from Opium War To 1911 Revolution
                         : China from 1911 Revolution to Liberation

Course Category: ECC  3 hrs. duration  100 marks  Credits: 6

Section I

Section II

Section III

Recommended Readings:

J.D. Hioks : The Federal Union – A History of USA since 1865.
Morrison and Commager : The Growth of the American Republic.
Wish Harvey : Contemporary America.
F.J. Turner : The Frontier in American History
Saxena : Sanyukta Rajya America ka Itihasa (in Hindi)

HIS B05: HISTORY OF ENGLAND (1815-1945 A.D.)

Course Category: ECC  3 hrs. duration  100 marks  Credits: 6

Section I
England in 1815 and the challenges faced by Castlereagh and Canning. Rise of Liberalism (1822-27) and the First Reform Bill. Chartism. The policy of Free Trade under Peel and Gladstone. The making of the Anglo-French Entente (1904) and its transformation into the Triple Entente (Anglo-Russian Convention of 1907); Anglo-German Rivalries.
Section II


Section III


Recommended Readings:

Donold Read : England, 1868-1914: Age of Urban Democracy. (Also in Hindi)
J.A.R. Marriott : England since Waterloo (also in Hindi), Modern England (also in Hindi)
E.L. Woodward : Age of Reform (1815-1870)
R.C.K. Ensor : England (1870-1914)
G.M. Trevelyan : British History in the Nineteenth Century and after (1782-1919)
Seton Watson : Britain in Europe (1789-1914) : A Survey of Foreign Policy

HIS B06 : HISTORY OF FAR EAST (1840-1950 A.D)

Course Category: ECC 3 hrs. duration 100 marks Credits: 6

Section I

Colonial Penetration in China- Opium Wars and treaties with Imperialist Powers and Struggle for Concessions in China; Open Door Policy. Popular Movements with special reference to Taiping Revolt. Emergence of Nationalism in China - Boxer Rebellion and its consequences; Republican Revolution of 1911; Sun Yat Sen- Principals and Politics.

Section II

Nationalism and Communism in China : Emergence of the Republic and Yuan Shi Kai; Political Crisis in the 1920's; The Kuomintangs and the First united front. The Communist Party under Mao Tse Tung - the making of the Red Army; The Second united front; Long March; The Chinese Revolution (1949) - ideology, causes and significance.
Section III

Japan - Western Contact and Intervention; Meiji Restoration; and Process of Modernization - Social, Military, Political and Economic; Popular and Democratic Movements; and Meiji constitution. Emergence of Japan as an Imperial power: Sino-Japanese War, Anglo-Japanese alliance, Russo-Japanese War, World War I and after; The Rise of Militarism in the 1930's and 1940's - Second Sino-Japanese War, Japan and World War II.

Recommended Readings:

- H.M. Vinacke: *A History of the Far East in Modern Times* (also in Hindi)
- Chitoshi Yanaga: *Japan since Perry* (Greenwood, 1975)
- Jean Chesneaux (et al): *China from Option War to 1911 Revolution*
- "": *China from the 1911 Revolution to Liberation*
- Jerome Chen: *Mao Tse Tung and the Chinese Revolution*
- John K Fairbank (et al): *East Asia - The Modern Transformation*
- Andrew Gordon: *A Modern History of Japan (From Tokugawa Times to Present)*
- E.H. Norman: *Japan's Emergence as a Modern State*
- G.M. Beekmann: *Modernization of China and Japan*
- Reisner and Fairbank: *East Asia, Vol. II.*
- H.F. Macnair and D.F. Lach: *Modern Far Eastern International Relations*
- P.H. Clyde: *The Far East*
- Chitoshi Yanaga: *Japan Since Perry*
- K.S. Latourrette: *A Short History of the Far East.*

HIS B07: HISTORY OF RUSSIA (1860-1945 A.D.)

Course Category: ECC  3 hrs. duration  100 marks  Credits: 6

Section I


Section II

Section III
The February and October Revolutions of 1917: nature and significance. Road to Socialism - Lenin's New Economic Policy. Stalin and his policies. Foreign policy of Soviet Union between two World Wars. The USSR in World War II.

Recommended Readings:-

B.H. Summner : A Survey of Russian History (Also in Hindi)
George Vernadsky : A History of Russia (Also in Hindi)
Ivar Spector : An Introduction to Russian History
CJH Hayes : Contemporary Europe since 1870.
Bernard Pares : A History of Russia
G. Von Rauch : A History of Soviet Russia
Christopher Hill : Lenin and the Russian Revolution
W.B. Walsh : Russia and the Soviet Union
H.M. Vinacke : A History of the Far East in Modern times (also in Hindi)

HIS B08: HISTORY OF SOUTHEAST ASIA (FROM ANCIENT TO MODERN TIMES)

Course Category: ECC 3 hrs. duration 100 marks Credits: 6

Section-I
A brief overview of the general history of Southeast Asia with particular reference to commercial and cultural contacts with India. The early kingdoms- Funan, Champa, Khmer empire, Srivijaya, the Sailendras, Majapahit empire. The advent of Islam and formation of Malacca sultanate.

Section-II

Section-III
Recommended Readings:

Williams, Lea E. (1975), *Southeast Asia: A History*.
Pluvier, Jan (1974), Southeast Asia from Colonialism to Independence, New York: Oxford University Press.
HIS B09: HISTORY OF INDIAN DIASPORA

Course Category: ECC  3 hrs. duration  100 marks  Credits: 6

Section I

Meaning of Diaspora:
Concept, scope and significance of Diasporic studies. Diasporic Identities and their nature - Ethnicity, Gender, Race, Class. Theory of Migration - Development and Displacement, Involuntary, Migration, Peasant and Labor migration, Seasonal Migration. Categories of Indian Diaspora - PIOs and NRIs - Indentured labor system; Kangani or Maitry system; Fee or Passage; Brain Drain or voluntary; Labor Emigration to west.

Section II

Stages of Migration:
Classical - Early Indian Migration to Ceylon, South East Asia, Indonesia, West Asia, Iran and Afghanistan. Colonial Migration - Emigration to British Plantation Colonies: Fiji, Surinam, Guyana, Mauritius, Malaysia, Trinidad and South Africa. Migration in 20th Centuries - Migration to Canada, USA and U.K. in Late 19th and early 20th centuries; Migration of Professional as to USA or Brain Drain; Migration to the Gulf countries.

Section III

Indian Diaspora in Host Societies (in U.K. and U.S.A.) - with specific reference to their social status, gender, race and ethnicity. Economic, business, professional position vis-à-vis other communities. Political Participation, religious, cultural and community activities.

Indian Diaspora and homeland - Cultural, economic, religious and political connections. India's policy towards her Diaspora: Immigration Policies, Dual Citizenship, Latest initiatives of GOI towards Global Indian Diaspora; Pravasi Bhaartiya Divas. Diaspora of Rajasthan with special reference to Marwaris, their mercantilist activities in medieval period and their entrepreneurial expanse in modern times.
Recommended Readings:


Motwani, Jyoti Banet-_Global Migration of India.


Sociological bulletin. 1989. Special No. on "Indians abroad" (Guest ed. S.L Sharma) 38 (1).

HIS B10: HISTORY OF ECOLOGY AND ENVIRONMENT IN INDIA

Course Category: ECC | 3 hrs. duration | 100 marks | Credits: 6

Section-I


Section-II


Section-III


Recommended Readings:

Ramchandra Guha, Environmentalism, A Global History.
Pankaj Jain, Dharma and Ecology in Hindu Communities, Ashgate, 2011.
Gadgil, Madhav and Guha Ramachandra, This Fissured Land, OUP, 1993.