Revised Syllabus

M.Sc. (Geography)

Department of Geography

Central University of Haryana, Mahendergarh

DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY

Department of Geography, Central University of Haryana has been opened in the academic year 2014-15 by offering M.Sc. (Geography) programme. This *Department* is functioning under the School of Earth, Environment & Space Studies and is the founding department of the School along with Department of Environment Studies. This school right now have the following departments:

- Department of Environment Studies
- Department of Geography

SCHEME OF EXAMINATION AND COURSE STRUCTURE

Department of Geography offers PG programme, i.e., M.Sc. (Geography) of two years duration which are divided into four semesters & based on choice based credit system (CBCS). The structure of the programme has been given on the following pages. Practical examination shall be conducted by two examiners, internal examiner appointed by Head, Department of Geography and external examiner appointed by the Vice-Chancellor out of the penal recommended by the Board of Studies of Department of Geography. Marks of Internal assessment shall be awarded as per the laid down norms of the University. The Elective papers shall be provided by the department according to its administrative and academic convenience.

CENTRAL UNIVERSITY OF HARYANA
Master of Science in Geography (Comprehensive structure)

1. Core Course (CC)
(Exclusive for Geography students)

S.No.	Course code	Course title	L	T	P	Credit
1.	SEE GEO 1 1 01 C 4004	Geographical Thought	4	0	0	4
2.	SEE GEO 1 1 02 C 4004	Quantitative Techniques in Geography	4	0	0	4
3.	SEE GEO 1 1 03 C 4004	Geomorphology	4	0	0	4
4.	SEE GEO 1 1 04 C 0084	Practical I: Practical Geography: Interpretation of Topographical Sheets and Morphometric Analysis	0	0	8	4
5.	SEE GEO 1 2 05 C 4004	Climatology	4	0	0	4
6.	SEE GEO 1 2 06 C 4004	Contemporary Human Geography	4	0	0	4
7.	SEE GEO 1 2 07 C 4004	Advanced Geography of India	4	0	0	4
8.	SEE GEO 1 2 08 C 0084	Practical II: Field Work and Report Writing	0	0	8	4
9.	SEE GEO 1 3 09 C 4004	Interdisciplinary Research Methods and Techniques	4	0	0	4
10.	SEE GEO 1 3 10 C 4004	Fundamentals of Remote Sensing and GIS	4	0	0	4
11.	SEE GEO 1 3 11 C 0084	Practical IV: Interpretation of Aerial Photographs & Satellite Images and Thematic Mapping	0	0	8	4

2. Generic Elective Course (GEC)
(Offered to other departments)

S.No.	Course code	Course title	L	T	P	Credit
1.	SEE GEO 1 1 01 GE 4004	Population and Development	4	0	0	4
2.	SEE GEO 1 1 02 GE 4004	Biogeography	4	0	0	4
3.	SEE GEO 1 2 03 GE 0042	Practical III: Computer Aided Statistical Diagrams and Data Processing (compulsory)	0	0	4	2
4.	SEE GEO 1 3 04 GE 4004	Geography of Natural Hazards and Disasters	4	0	0	4
5.	SEE GEO 1 3 05 GE 4004	Cultural Geography	4	0	0	4
6.	SEE GEO 1 3 06 GE 4004	Soil Geography	4	0	0	4

3. Discipline Centric Elective Courses (DCEC)
(offered to the students from Geography and other departments)

S.No.	Course code	Course title	L	T	P	Credit
1.	SEE GEO 1 2 01 DCEC 4004	Urban Geography	4	0	0	4
2.	SEE GEO 1 2 02 DCEC 4004	Natural Resource Management	4	0	0	4
3.	SEE GEO 1 2 03 DCEC 4004	Hydrology and Water Resource Management	4	0	0	4
4.	SEE GEO 1 3 03 DCEC 0202	Assignment based Seminar Paper (compulsory)	0	2	0	2
5.	SEE GEO 1 3 04 DCEC 4004	Population Geography	4	0	0	4
6.	SEE GEO 1 3 05 DCEC 4004	Regional Development and Planning	4	0	0	4
7.	SEE GEO 1 3 06 DCEC 4004	Oceanography	4	0	0	4

4. Skill Enhancement Elective Course (Compulsory and exclusively for Geography students)

S.No.	Course code	Course title	L	T	D	Credit
1.	SEE GEO 1 4 01 SEEC 0066	Field based Dissertation (including viva voce)	0	0	24	24
2.	SEE GEO 1 4 02 SEEC	Self-Study Course	-	-	-	-

- **Note: L: Lecture; T: Tutorial; P: Practical; D: Dissertation**

- **Core Course (CC)**
  (Exclusive for Geography students)

- **Generic Elective Course (GEC)**
  (offered to other departments)

- **Discipline Centric Elective Courses (DCEC)**
  (offered to the students from Geography and other departments)

- **Skill Enhancement Elective Course (SEEC)**
  (Exclusively for Geography students)

Master of Science in Geography (Semester-wise structure)

Semester I

S. No.	Course code	Course title	L	T	P	Credit
1.	SEE GEO 1 1 01 C 4004	Geographical Thought	4	0	0	4
2.	SEE GEO 1 1 02 C 4004	Quantitative Techniques in Geography	4	0	0	4
3.	SEE GEO 1 1 03 C 4004	Geomorphology	4	0	0	4
4.	SEE GEO 1 1 04 C 0084	Practical I: Practical Geography: Interpretation of Topographical Sheets and Morphometric Analysis	0	0	8	4
5.		**To be taken from other department**	4	0	0	4
Generic Elective Course (GEC) (offered to other departments)						
6.	SEE GEO 1 1 01 GE 4004	Population and Development	4	0	0	4
7.	SEE GEO 1 1 02 GE 4004	Biogeography	4	0	0	4
Total Credit						**20**

Note: Course no. 6 and 7 are exclusively for other departments

Semester II

1.	SEE GEO 1 2 05 C 4004	Climatology	4	0	0	4
2.	SEE GEO 1 2 06 C 4004	Contemporary Human Geography	4	0	0	4
3.	SEE GEO 1 2 07 C 4004	Advanced Geography of India	4	0	0	4
4.	SEE GEO 1 2 08 C 0084	Practical II: Field Work and Report Writing	0	0	8	4
5.	SEE GEO 1 2 03 GE 0042	Practical III: Computer Aided Statistical Diagrams and Data Processing	0	0	4	2
6.		***Any one of the following three courses***	4	0	0	4
	SEE GEO 1 2 01 DCEC 4004	Urban Geography				
	SEE GEO 1 2 02 DCEC 4004	Natural Resource Management				
	SEE GEO 1 2 03 DCEC 4004	Hydrology and Water Resource Management				
Total Credit						**22**

Semester III

1.	SEE GEO 1 3 09 C 4004	Interdisciplinary Research Methods and Techniques	4	0	0	4
2.	SEE GEO 1 3 10 C 4004	Fundamentals of Remote Sensing and GIS	4	0	0	4
3.	SEE GEO 1 3 11 C 0084	Practical IV: Interpretation of Aerial Photographs & Satellite Images and Thematic Mapping	0	0	8	4
4.	SEE GEO 1 3 03 DCEC 0202	Assignment based Seminar Paper (compulsory)	0	2	0	2
5.		***To be taken from other department***	4	0	0	4
	Generic Elective Course (GEC) (offered to other departments)					
	SEE GEO 1 3 04 GE 4004	Geography of Natural Hazards and Disasters	4	0	0	4
	SEE GEO 1 3 05 GE 4004	Cultural Geography	4	0	0	4
	SEE GEO 1 3 06 GE 4004	Soil Geography	4	0	0	4
6.		***Any one of the following Three courses***	4	0	0	4
	SEE GEO 1 3 04 DCEC 4004	Population Geography				
	SEE GEO 1 3 05 DCEC 4004	Regional Development and Planning				
	SEE GEO 1 3 06 DCEC 4004	Oceanography				
Total Credit						**22**

Note: Courses under sl. no. 5 is exclusively for Students of other Department

Semester IV

Skill Enhancement Elective Course (Compulsory and exclusively for Geography students)

S. No.	Course code	Course title	L	T	D	Credit
1.	SEE GEO 1 4 01 SEEC 0066	Field Based Dissertation (including viva voce)	0	0	24	24
2.	SEE GEO 1 4 02 SEEC	Self-Study Course	-	-	-	-

Total Credits: 20+22+22+24 = 88

Semester I

M.Sc. Geography Semester I
Paper: Geographical Thought (SEE GEO 1 1 01 C 4004)

Credit - 4

Course Outline

1. Evolution of Geographic Thought: Changing paradigms – Environmentalism, Possibilism, areal differentiation, spatial organisation
2. Theory in Geography: structure, nature, type and applications in geography; human-environment interactions and social theory.
3. Philosophical debates in Contemporary Geography: Critical understanding of positivism, behaviouralism, realism, Marxism, Structuralism, post-structuralism and postmodernism.
4. Methods in Geographical Analysis: Epistemology of geography, critical assessment and debates on quantitative, qualitative, field and cartographic methods in geography
5. Future of Geography: changing nature, concepts, approaches and methodologies of geography in a Globalising World
6. Progress and Contributions in Indian Geography

Recommended Readings:

1. Bhaskar, R. (1978): **A Realist Theory of Science**, Hassocks, Sussex.
2. Bhaskar, R. (1989): **Reclaiming Reality: A Critical Introduction to Contemporary Philosophy**, Verso, London.
3. Bunge, W. (1966): **Theoretical Geography**. Lund Studies in Geography, Series C., no.1, Lund, Sweeden
4. Buttimer, A. and Seamon, D. (eds) (1980): **The Human Experience of Space and Place**, Croonhelm, London.
5. Castells, M (1978): **City, Class and Power**, St. Martins Press, New York
7. Castree, R., Rogers A. and Sherman D. (2005): Q**uestioning Geography: Fundamental Debates**. Blackwell, Oxford.
8. Clifford, N.J. (2002): T**he Future of Geography: when the whole is less than the sum of its parts**. Geoforum, Vol. 33, 431-436.
9. Haggett, P. and Cliff, A.D. and Frey, A. (1977): **Locational Analysis in Human Geography**. Arnold, London
10. Hartshorne R (1939): **The Nature of Geography**. Association of American Geographers
11. Harvey, D., (1969): **Explanation in Geography**. Arnold, London.

12. Harvey, D., (1973): **Social Justice and the City**, John Hopkins University, Baltimore

13. Holt-Jensen A. (1999): ***Geography– History and Concepts***, Sage Publications, London,

14. Cresswell, T. (2014): **Geographic Thought: A Critical Introduction**, Blackwell, New York

15. Johnston, R., Gregory D., Pratt G., Watts, M. and Whatmore, S. (2009): **The Dictionary of Human Geography**, Blackwell Publishers

16. Johnston, R.J. and Sidaway, J.D. (2004): **Geography and Geographers**, Edward Arnold, London.

17. Peet, R. (1998): **Modern Geographical Thought**, Wiley-Blackwell, New York.

18. Dikshit, R.D. (2010): **Geographical Thought**, Prentice-Hall, New Delhi.

M.Sc. Geography Semester I
Paper - Quantitative Techniques in Geography
(SEE GEO 1 1 02 C 4004)

Credit – 4

Course Outline

1. Statistics, Geography and Statistics; Significance of Statistics in geographical studies; Types of Data; levels of data measurement.

2. Sampling: basic concepts, sample units and design, sampling frame and procedures, standard error and sample size, testing the adequacy of samples.

3. Measures of Central Tendency and their significance; Centrographic techniques: mean centre, median centre and standard distance.

4. Measures of dispersion and concentration: Range, quartile deviation, mean deviation, standard deviation; coefficient of variation, Lorenz Curve and Gini's Coefficient; location Quotient.

5. Bivariate Analysis: Forms of relation and measuring the strength of association and relation-construction and meanings of scatter diagram; Spearman's Rank Difference and Karl Pearson's Product Moment Correlation Coefficients

6. Regression analysis- regression equations, construction of regression line-interpolation, prediction, explanation; residual-statistical tests of significance of the estimates; computation of residuals and mapping.

7. Hypothesis Testing: Needs and types of hypotheses-goodness of fit and significance and confidence levels-parametric and non-parametric procedures: contingency tables, Chi-square test, t-test, Mann-Whitney U test, Analysis of Variance (ANOVA)

Recommended Readings:

1. David M. Smith (1975), ***Patterns in Human Geography***, Penguin, Harmonsworth.
2. David U. (1981), ***Introductory Spatial Analysis***, Methuen, London.
3. Ebdon, D. (1983), ***Statistics in Geography: A Practical Approach***, Blackwell, London.
4. Gregory, S. (1978), ***Statistical Methods and the Geographer*** (4th Edition), Longman, London.
5. Gregory, S. (1978), ***Statistical Methods and the Geographer***, Longman, London.
6. Gupta, S.P. (2010), **Statistical Methods**, Sultan Chand and Sons, Latest Edition.
7. Hammond, R. and McCullagh, P.S. (1974), ***Quantitative Techniques in Geography: An Introduction***, Clarendan Press, Oxford.
8. John P. Cole and Cuchlaine, A. M. King (1968), ***Quantitative Geography***, John Wiley, London.
9. Johnston R. J. (1973), ***Multivariate Statistical Analysis in Geography***, Longman, London.
10. Mathews, J.A. (1987), ***Quantitative and Statistical Approaches to Geography*****,** Practical Manual, Pergamon, Oxford.
11. Pal, S.K. (1998), ***Statistics for Geoscientists; Techniques and Applications***, Concept Publishing Company Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi.
12. Haggett, P., Andrew D. C., & Allan F. (1977), ***Location Methods***, Vols. I and II, Edward Arnold, London.
13. Peter J. Taylor (1977), ***Quantitative Methods in Geography***, Houngton Mifflin Company, Boston.
14. Yeates, Mauris (1974), ***An Introduction to Quantitative Analysis in Human Geography***, McGraw Hill, New York.

M.Sc. Geography Semester - I
Paper- Geomorphology (SEE GEO 1 1 03 C 4004)

Credit – 4

Course Outline

1. Concepts and Approaches: Fundamental Concepts, Concepts of time: cyclic, graded and steady state, concept of morphogenetic regions, concept of dynamic equilibrium, approaches in geomorphology, Recent trends in geomorphology

2. Geomorphic Processes: Earth movements, Plate Tectonic and Sea floor Spreading, Weathering and Mass Movements, Dynamics of fluvial, glacial, aeolian, marine, and karst processes

3. Landforms: Climatic, Tectonic, Erosional and depositional Landforms

4. Theories and Techniques: Theories of Hill slope evolution, Erosion surfaces; Systems in geomorphology; Models in geomorphology

5. Applied Geomorphology: nature and objectives, geomorphic hazards and mitigation measures, Application of geomorphological knowledge in mining, constructions and other human activities

Recommended Readings :

1. Bloom, A.L. (1992), ***Geomorphology***, Second Edition, Prentice Hall of India, New Delhi.
2. Chorley, R.J. (1972), ***Spatial Analysis in Geomorphology***, Methuen, London.
3. Cooke, R.U. and Doornkamp, J.C. (1974), ***Geomorphology in Environmental Management—An Introduction***, Clarendon Press, Oxford.
4. Dayal, P. (1990), ***A Text Book of Geomorphology***, Shukla Book Depot, Patna.
5. Dury, G.H. (1959), ***The Face of the Earth***, Penguin, Harmondsworth.
6. Fairbridge, R.W. (1968), ***Encyclopedia of Geomorphology***, Reinholdts, New York.
7. Garner, H.F. (1974), ***The Origin of landscape-A Synthesis of Geomorphology***, Oxford University Press, London.
8. Goudie, A. (1993), ***The Nature of the Environment***, Oxford & Blackwell, London.
9. Husain, Majid (2002), ***Fundamentals of Physical Geography***, Second Edition, Rawat Publications, Jaipur and New Delhi.
10. McKnight, T. L. (1987), ***Physical Geography: A Landscape Appreciation*****,** Second Edition, Prentice Hall, Inc., Englewood Cliffs, N.J.
11. Olliver, C.D. (1979), ***Weathering***, Longman, London.
12. Pitty, A.F. (1971), ***Introduction to Geomorphology***, Methuen, London.
13. Sharma, H.S. (ed.) (1980), ***Perspectives in Geomorphology***, Concept, New Delhi.
14. Singh, Savindra (1993), ***Physical Geography*****,** Prayag Pustak Bhawan, Allahabad.
15. Singh, Savindra (1998), ***Geomorphology***, Prayag Pustak Bhawan, Allahabad.
16. Skinner, B.J. & Porter, S.C. (1995), n***The Dynamic Earth***, John Wiley, New York.
17. Sparks, B.W. (1960), ***Geomorphology***, Longman, London.
18. Stoddart, D.R. (ed.) (1996), ***Process and Form in Geomorphology***, Routledge, New York.
19. Strahler, A.N. (1988), ***Earth Sciences***, Harper & Row Publishers, New Delhi.
20. Strahler, A.H. and Strahler, A.N. (2006), ***Modern Physical Geography,*** Fourth Edition, Willey-India, New Delhi.
21. Thornbury, W.D. (1991), ***Principles of Geomorphology***, (Indian Reprint), John Wiley, New Delhi
22. Wooldridge, S. W and Morgan, R.S. (1991), ***An Outline of Geomorphology***, Orient Longmans, Calcutta.

M.Sc. Geography Semester - I

Practical I: Interpretation of Topographical Sheets and Morphometric Analysis

(SEE GEO 1 1 04 C 0084)

Credit - 4

Course Outline

Toposheet Interpretation: Basic information on Topographical sheets, Preliminary information, Conventional Signs, Interpretation of Relief, Drainage, Settlements, Land-use, Vegetation and Transport network on Toposheets (at least 12 Exercises).

Morphometric Analysis of Drainage basin- its geographical significance; Basin morphometry of fluvially originated drainage basin

Linear Aspects: Stream ordering based on Horton and Strahler, Bifurcation ratio

Areal Aspects: Geometry of basin shape, Basin Perimeter, Length and Area, Stream frequency and Drainage density.

Relief Aspects: Hypsometric analysis- Hypsometric curve and Integral Hypsometric curve, Clinographic analysis, Altimetric analysis,

Slope Analysis- Average Slope (Wentworth's method), Relative Relief (Smith's method), Dissection Index,

Profile Analysis - Longitudinal profile.

Recommended Readings:

1. Monkhouse, F.J. and Wilkinson, H.R. (1980), ***Maps and Diagrams***, B. I. Publications, Bombay.
2. Singh, Savindra (1997), ***Geomorphology***, Prayag Pustak Bhawan, Allahabad.
3. Sparks, B.W. (1982), ***Geomorphology***, Second Edition, Longman.
4. Ishtiaq, M. (1989), ***Practical Geography***, Heritage Publishers, New Delhi.
5. Khan, Md. Z.A. (1998), ***Text Book of Practical Geography***, Concept publishing, New Delhi.
6. Khullar, D.R. (2001), ***Essentials of Practical Geography***, Second Edition, New Academic Publishing Co., Jalandhar.
7. Misra, R.P. and Ramesh, A. (1989), ***Fundamentals of Cartography***, Revised and Enlarged Edition, Concept Publishing Co., New Delhi.
8. Robinson, A.H. *et al.* (2004), ***Elements of Cartography***, Sixth Edition, Wiley-India, New Delhi.
9. Sarkar, A. (2008), ***Practical Geography: A Systematic Approach***, Orient Blackswan, Kolkata.
10. Sharma, J.P. (1996), ***Prayogik Bhoogol***, Rastogi Publications, Meerut.
11. Singh, R.L. (1979), ***Elements of Practical Geography***, Kalyani Publishers, New Delhi.
12. Yadav, H.L. (2002), ***Prayogatamak Bhoogol Ke Aadhar***, Radha Publications, New Delhi.
13. Chorley R.J., (Ed.), (1972), **Spatial Analysis in Geomorphology**, Harper & Row.
14. Doornkamp, J.C. and King, C.A.M. (1971), **Numerical Analysis in Geomorphology: An Introduction**, Arnold, London.

15. Mayer, L. (1990), **Introduction to Quantitative Geomorphology**, Prentice Hall, New Jersey.
16. Morisawa, M. (1983), **Geomorphological Laboratory Mannual**, John Wiley, New York.
17. Pal, S.K. (1998), **Statistics for Geoscientists: Techniques and Application**, Concept, New Delhi.
18. Upton, W.B. (1970), **Landforms and Topographic Maps**, John Wiley & Sons, New York.

M.Sc. Geography Semester I
Paper - Population and Development (SEE GEO 1 1 01 GE 4004)

Credit - 4

Course Outline

1. Conceptual Frame: Population as resource; Population and development: a debate; Population and ecosystem; Demographic transition.

2. Historical Background and Characteristics: History of human population; Relationship between population, food and energy; Debate on The Limits to Growth; Population characteristics: developed and developing countries (case study of India).

3. Problems and Policies: Optimum population; Family welfare and planning; Population policies in developed and developing countries (case study of India).

4. Population-Development Conflict: Concepts of rich and poor worlds and their global perspectives; Neo-Malthusian theory; Future perspectives: Growth scenario and relationship with development.

Recommended Readings:

1. Champion, T. (ed.) (1993): **Population Matters**. Paul Chapman, London.
2. Ehrlich, P.R. and Ehrlich, A.H. (1996): **Eco-science: Population, Resources and Environment**., W.H. Freeman and Company, San Francisco.
3. Firor, J. and Jacobsen, J. E. (2003): **The Crowded Greenhouse: Population, Climatic Change and Creating a Sustainable World**. Universities Press, Hyderabad.
4. Haggett, P. (2001): **Geography, A Modern Synthesis**. Harper & Row, New York.
5. Hammett, C. (eds.) (1996): Social Geography: A Reader, Arnold, London.
6. Meadow, D.H., Meadows D.L., Randers J., and Behrens W.W. III. (1973): **The Limits to Growth. I Report of the Club of Rome**. The New American Library, New York.

7. Meadows, D.H., Meadows, D.L. and Randers, J. (1992): **Beyond the Limits. Confronting Global Collapse, Envisioning a Sustainable Future. (A sequel to The Limits to Growth)**. Chelsa Green Publishers, Post Mills VT, USA.
8. Mesarovic, M. and Pester, E. (1974): **Mankind at the Turning Point. II Report of the Club of Rome.** The New American Library, New York.
9. Middleton, N. and O'Keefe, P. (2001): **Redefining Sustainable Development,** Pluto Press, London.
10. Ross, J. A. (ed.) (1982): **International Encyclopaedia of Population,** Free Press, New York.
11. Sharma, P. R. (ed.) (1991): **Perspectives on the Third World Development**. Rishi Publications., Varanasi.
12. Simon, J. L. (1977): **The Economics of Population Growth,** Princeton University Press, Princeton.
13. Thakur, B. (ed.) (2004): **Population, Resources and Development**. Vol. II, Perspectives in Resource Management in Developing Countries. Concept Publishing Company, New Delhi.
14. Tinbergen, J. (1976): **RIO. Reshaping the International Order. III Report of the Club of Rome**. The New American Library, New York.
15. U.N.C.E.D. (1987): **Our Common Future**, UNCED The Centre for Our Common Future, Geneva.

M.Sc. Geography Semester I
PAPER - Biogeography (SEE GEO 1 1 02 GE 4004)

Credit - 4

Course Outline

1. Biogeography – Development and scope; Biosphere - definition, nature and composition; Environment, Habitat and Plant-animal association.

2. Biogeochemical cycles - the hydrological cycle, the carbon cycle, the oxygen cycle, the nitrogen cycle, the phosphorous cycle and the sediment cycle.

3. Elements of plant geography, distribution of forests and major communities; Plant successions in newly formed landforms; National Forest Policy of India; Conservation of Biotic Resources.

4. Ecosystem - Meaning, types, components and functioning of ecosystem; Evolution of living organism and factors influencing their distribution on the earth; Biomes- Meaning and types.

5. Bio-geographical realms: Zoogeography and Zoogeographical realms; Zoogeography and its Environmental Relationship; Palaeobotanical and Palaeo climatological records of environmental change in India.

Recommended Readings:

1. Agarwal, D.P. (1992), ***Man and Environment in India through Ages***, Books & Books, New Delhi.
2. Bradshaw, M.J. (1979), ***Earth and Living Planet***, ELBS, London.
3. Cox. C.D. and Moore, P.D. (1993), ***Biogeography: An Ecological and Evolutionary Approach*** (Fifth Edition), Blackwell.
4. Gaur, R. (1987), ***Environment and Ecology of Early Man in Northern India***, R.B. Publication, New Delhi.
5. Hoyt, J.B. (1992), ***Man and the Earth***, Prentice Hall, U.S.A.
6. Huggett, R.J. (1998), **Fundamentals of Biogeography**, Routledge, New York.
7. Illics, J. (1974), ***Introduction to Zoogeography***, Mcmillian, London.
8. Khoshoo, T.N. and Sharma, M. (eds.) (1991), ***Indian Geosphere-Biosphere,*** Har-Anand Publication, Delhi.
9. Lapedes, D.N. (ed.) (1974), **Encyclopedia of Environmental Science**, McGraw Hill, New York.
10. Mathur, H.S. (1998), ***Essentials of Biogeography***, Anuj Printers, Jaipur.
11. Pears, N. (1985), ***Basic Biogeography***. 2nd ed., Longman, London.
12. Simmon. I.G. (1974), ***Biogeography, Natural and Cultural***, Longman, London.
13. Tivy, J. (1992), ***Biogeography: A Study of Plants in Ecosphere*****,** 3rd Edition. Oliver and Boyd, U.S.A.

Semester II

M.Sc. Geography Semester - II
Paper- Climatology (SEE GEO 1 2 05 C 4004)

Credit – 4

Course Outline

1. Nature and Scope of Climatology, Climatic elements – atmospheric temperature, pressure, moisture: forms of condensation and precipitation, general atmospheric circulations and processes, jet stream.

2. Weather system and disturbances – Concept of atmospheric stability, Air mass, fronts, Cyclones, Tornades; Ocean atmospheric interaction- EI Nino, ENSO, Monsoon winds (case study of India).

3. Global climate system – Approaches to climatic classification; Classification of Koppen, and Thornthwaite, Major climates of the world – tropical, Temperate and polar.

4. Climatic changes – evidences, causes, global warming, Impact of Global Warming.

Recommended Readings:

1. Menon, P.A. (1989), ***Our Weather***, N.B.T., New Delhi.
2. Das, P.K. (1987), ***Monsoons,*** National Book Trust, New Delhi.
3. Fein, J.S. and Stephens, P.N.(1987), ***Monsoons,*** Wiley Interscience
4. Peterson, S. (1969), ***Introduction to Meteorology***, McGraw Hill Book, London.
5. Thompson, R.D. and Perry, A. (ed.) (1997), ***Applied Climatology: Principles and Practice,*** Routledge, London.
6. Barry, R.G. and Chorely, R.J., (2004), **Atmosphere, Weather and Climate**, Methuen, London.
7. Bhutani S., (2000), **Our Atmosphere**, Kalyanai Publishers, New Delhi.
8. Critchfield, H.J. (1987), **Climatology**, Prentice Hall, New Delhi.
9. Griffith, J.F. and Driscell, D.M. (1982), **Survey of Climatology**, Charles Merril.
10. Lal, D.S. (1993), **Climatology**, Chaitanya Publishing House, Allahabad.
11. Riehl, H. (1968), **Introduction to Atmosphere**, McGraw Hill, New York.
12. Robinson, P.J. and Sellers, H. (1986), **Contemporary Climatology**, Longman, London.
13. Trewartha, G.T. (Latest edition) **Introduction to Climate**, McGraw Hill, New York.

M.Sc. Geography Semester - II

Paper: Contemporary Human Geography (SEE GEO 1 2 06 C 4004)

Credit - 4

Course Outline

1. Introduction to Human Geography: changing views, concerns and deliberations.
2. Human Geography and Social perspectives: Analytical understanding of social theory and human Geography
3. Space and place: Format of space, changes in space; comparative structure of space and place; social development of space and time; Ethics of space and place
4. Geography of difference and separation: Geographies of identity and difference related to class, religion, caste, gender and location; social justice and political geography of difference.
5. Geographic system of power: Spatial meaning and definitions of power; changing spatio-social interactions and power; geopolitics of power-territoriality and globalization
6. Geography of progress: meaning, definitions and approaches; construction of progress indicators; linking globalisation and new types of development; local efforts towards progress.
7. Geography of movements: logic and ways to social movements; forms of social security; social-environmental movements in India.

Recommended Readings:

1. Agnew, J.A and Corbridge, S. 1995: ***Masterering Space: Hegemony, Territory and International Political Economy***, Routledge, London.

2. Benko, G. and Strohmayer, U. 1997: *Sp**ace and Social Theory: Interpreting Modernity and Postmodernity**,* Blackwell Publishers, Oxford, London.

3. Bhabha, H., 1994: ***The Location of Culture***, Routledge, New York.

4. Corbridge, S., Martin, R. and Thrift, N., 1997: ***Money, Power and Space***, Blackwell, Oxford.

5. Derek, G., Martin, R., and Smith, G., 1994: ***Human Geography: Society, Space and Social Science***. Macmillan publishers, Cambridge.

6. Johnston, R.J., 1991: ***A Question of Place: Exploring the Practice of Human Geography***. Blackwell Publishers, Cambridge.

7. Harvey, D., 1996: ***Justice, Nature and Geography of Difference*****,** Blackwell Publishers, Cambridge.

8. Callinicos, A. 1999: **Social Theory: A Historical Introduction**. Quality press, Cambridge.

9. Diani, M., 1992: **The concept of social movement**. The Sociological Review, Vol. 40.

10. Allen J. S. & Gioacchino G., 2007: **Development on the Ground.** Rutledge, London.

11. Heilbron, J., 1995: **The Rise of Social Theory**. Cambridge University Press. Cambridge.

M.Sc. Geography Semester - II
Paper - Advanced Geography of India (SEE GEO 1 2 07 C 4004)

Credit – 4

Course Outline

1. Introduction: Geological structure and Physiographic Regions, Drainage Systems, Climatic Characteristics, Natural Vegetation and Soil.

2. Agriculture: nature, problems and prospects; Infrastructure: irrigation, power, fertiliser, HYV seeds and farm technology; Green revolution and its socio-economic and ecological implications; Recent trends in agriculture

3. Industry: New industrial policy: Globalisation and liberalisation; Industrial complexes and industrial regions

4. Development of transport and Information technology and its impact on society and economy

5. Growth, distribution and density of population; Population characteristics and composition (Literacy, Sex, Age, work structure, etc.); Population problems and policies

6. Contemporary Issues: Environmental Pollution and degradation, Regional Disparities in regional Development, globalization and Indian Economy

Recommended Books:

1. Centre for Science & Environment (1988), ***State of India's, Environment***, New Delhi.
2. Deshpande, C.D. (1992), ***India: A Regional Interpretation***, ICSSR & Northern Book Centre, New Delhi.
3. Dreze, Jean & Sen Amartya (ed.) (1996), ***India's Economic Development and Social Opportunity,*** Oxford University Press, New Delhi.
4. Gautam, Alka (2009), ***Advanced Geography of India,*** Second Edition, Sharada Pustak Bhawan, Allahabad.
5. Husain, Majid (2008), ***Geography of India,*** Tata McGraw-Hill, New Delhi.

6. Khullar, D.R. (2006), ***India: A Comprehensive Geography***, Kalyani Pub., New Delhi.
7. Kundu A. and Raza, Moonis (1982), ***Indian Economy: The Regional Dimension***. Spectrum Publishers, New Delhi.
8. Robinson, Francis (1989), ***The Cambridge Encyclopedia of India, Pakistan, Bangladesh, Sri Lanka, Nepal, Bhutan & Maldives,*** Cambridge University Press, London.
9. Singh R.L. (ed.) (1971), ***India-A Regional Geography,*** National Geographical Society, India, Varanasi.
10. Spate, O.H.K. & Learmonth, A.T.A. (1967), ***India & Pakistan***, Methuen, London.
11. Tirtha R. & Krishan, Gopal (1996), ***Emerging India***, Reprinted by Rawat Publications, Jaipur.
12. Tiwari, R.C. (2010), ***Geography of India,***Sixth Edition**,** Prayag Pustak Bhawan, Allahabad.

M.Sc. Geography Semester - II

Paper - Practical II: Field Work and Report Writing (SEE GEO 1 2 08 C 0084)

Credit – 4

Course Outline

1. Sources of data; Collection of primary data: methods of primary data collection – observation method, interview method, through questionnaire, through schedule and other methods; questionnaire and schedule; processing and analysis of data.

2. Field work and report writing: Identification of research problem; preparing research design; data collection through field visit; Report writing.

Recommended Readings:

1. Dey, Ian (1993), **Quantitative Data Analysis**, Routledge, London.
2. Eyles, John and David M. Smith (1988), **Qualitative Methods in Human Geography**, Polity Press, Oxford.
3. Gupta, S.P. (2010), **Statistical Methods**, Twenty Fifth Edition, Sultan Chand & Sons, New Delhi.
4. Kidder, Louise H. (1981), **Research Methods in the Social Relations**, Fourth Editions, Hault-Saunders International Editions.
5. Kitchin, Rob and Nicholas J. Tate (2002), **Conducting Research in Human Geography**, Prentice Hall, London.
6. Krishnaswamy, and Ranganatham, (2005), **Methodology of Research in Social Sciences**, Himalayan Publishing House, New Delhi.
7. Limb, Melanie and Claire Dwyer (2001), **Qualitative Methodologies for Geographers**, Arnold, London.
8. Robinson, Guy M. (1998), **Methods and Techniques in Human Geography**, John Wiley, New York.
9. Sadhu, A. N. and Singh, Amarjit (1983), **Research Methodology in Social Sciences**, Second Edition, Himalayan Publishing House, New Delhi.

10. Scale, Clive (ed.) (2008), **Social Research Methods**, (India Edition), Routledge, London.
11. Somekh, Bridget and Cathy Lewin (eds.) (2005), **Research Methods in the Social Sciences**, Vistaar Publications, New Delhi.
12. Tondon, B.C. (1979), **Research Methodology in the Social Sciences**, Chaitanya Publishing House, Allahabad.

M.Sc. Geography Semester - II
Paper - Practical III: Computer Aided Statistical Diagrams and Data Processing
(SEE GEO 1 2 03 GE 0042)

Credit – 2

Course Outline

Introduction to computer: Components of Computer - Hardware and Software); Use of Computers in Geography. Introduction to MS-Excel : Drawing of line graph, Bar Diagram, Pie diagram, Scatter diagram, (changes from colour to different shade patterns, placement of Legend, different weight to X and Y coordinates, Placement of Headings and Sub-headings, Font Size, Style, Bold and Italics.

Data Processing: Students are required to learn data analysis using any software preferably SPSS (Statistical Package for Social Sciences). They are expected to learn statistical methods and techniques through computer.
SPSS: Introduction, managing Data, frequencies and cross tabulation, Graphs, Central Tendencies, Measures of Distribution, Measures of Asymmetry, Estimation and Hypothesis Testing, Statistical Dependence, Correlation and Regression

Recommended Readings:

1. Field, A., (2013), **Discovering Statistics using IBM SPSS Statistics**, Sage Publication.
2. Landau, S. and Everitt B. S., (2004), **A Handbook of Statistical Analyses using SPSS**, Chapman & Hall, London
3.http://**www.pearsonhighered.com**/george/SPSS_21_Step_by_Step_Answers_to_Selected_Exercises.pdf
4. Etheridge, D., (2010), **Excel Data Analysis**, Wiley, New York
5. Khullar, D.R. (2001), ***Essentials of Practical Geography***, Second Edition, New Academic Publishing Co., Jalandhar.
6. Sharma, J.P. (1996), ***Prayogik Bhoogol***, Rastogi Publications, Meerut.
7. Singh, R.L. (1979), ***Elements of Practical Geography***, Kalyani Publishers, New Delhi.
8. Linoff, G.S., (2007), **Data Analysis Using SQL and Excel**, Wiley, New York

M.Sc. Geography Semester - II
Paper - Urban Geography (SEE GEO 1 2 01 DCEC 4004)

Credit – 4

Course Outline

1. Urban Geography - Definition, nature and scope; different approaches and recent trends in urban geography; Origin and growth of urban places; classification of urban settlements

2. Aspects of urban places: Location, site and situation; Major processes of urban growth and change; Urban economic base: Basic and non-basic functions, Theories of city structure (Burgess, Hoyt, Harris and Ullman, Mann, White)

3. Urban Systems: Concept of National Urban System, Central Place Theory of Christaller and Losch; the rank-size distribution of cities; Primate City distribution, Diffusion theories

4. Organization of urban space: urban morphology and land use structure, city-region relations, urban sprawl, umland and periphery; rural-urban fringe.

5. Urbanization: definition and measures of urbanization, factors affecting urbanization, cycle of urbanization; Regional aspects of world urbanization; Patterns and trends of urbanisation in India.

6. Contemporary urban issues: urban poverty; urban renewal; slums; transportation; housing; urban infrastructure; urban finance; environmental pollution; urban crime

7. Urban policy and planning: Concept and History of urban planning, urban land use planning, Urban Policy and programmes in India.

Recommended Readings:

1. Alam, S.M. (1964), **Hyderabad-Secunderabad Twin Cities**, Asia Publishing House, Bombay.
2. Bala, Raj (1986), **Urbanisation in India**, Rawat Publishers, Jaipur.
3. Bansal, S.C. (2010), **Urban Geography**, Meenakshi Prakashan, Meerut.
4. Berry, B.J.L. and Horton F.F. (1970), **Geographic Perspectives on Urban Systems**, Prentice Hall, New Jersey.
5. Cadwallader, Martin (1986), **Urban Geography**, Prentice Hall, New Jersey.
6. Carter, Harold (1995), **The Study of Urban Geography** (4th Edition), Arnold, London.
7. Chorley, R.J. and Haggett, P. (1966), **Models in Geography**, Methuen, London,
8. Dickinson, R.E. (1964), **City and Region**, Routledge, London.
9. Dwyer, D.J. (1971), **The City as a Centre of Change in Asia**, University of Hong Kong Press, Hongkong.
10. Hall P. (1992), **Urban and Regional Planning**, Routledge, London.

11. Hauser, Philip M. and Schnore Leo F. (eds.) (1965), **The Study of Urbanisation**, Wiley, New York.
12. James, P.E. and Jones C.F. (eds.) (1954), **American Geography: Inventory and Prospect**, Syracuse University Press, Syracuse.
13. Kundu, A. (1992), **Urban Development and Urban Research in India**, Khanna Publication, New Delhi.
14. Mayer, H.M. and Kohn, C.F. (eds.) (1958), **Readings in Urban Geography**, University of Chicago Press, Chicago.
15. Mumford, L. (1958), **Culture of Cities**, McMillan, London.
16. Nangia, Sudesh (1976), **Delhi Metropolitan Region: A Study in Settlement Geography**, Rajesh Publication, New Delhi.
17. Pacione, Michael (2010), **Urban Geography-A Global Perspective**, Routedge, London,
18. Prakasa Rao, V.L.S.: **Urbanisation in India: Spatial Dimensions**, Concept Publishing Co., New Delhi.
19. Prakasa Rao, V.L.S. (1979), **The Structure of an Indian Metropolis: A Study of Bangalore**, Allied Publishers, Bangalore.
20. Ramachandran, R. (1989), **Urbanisation and Urban Systems in India**, Oxford, New Delhi.
21. Rao, B.P. and Sharma, N. (2000-01), **Urban Geography** (Hindi Edition), Vasundhra Prakashan, Gorkhpur.
22. Mishra A.K. (2012): **'Urban Land Use and Planning: A Study of Emerging Alwar'**, India', Lap Lambert, Saarbrucken, Germany.
23. Singh, K. and Steinberg, F. (eds.) (1998), **Urban India in Crisis**, New Age International, New Delhi.
24. Smailes, A.E. (1953), **The Geography of Towns**. Hutchinson, London.
25. Tewari, Vinod K.; Weinstein, Jay A.; Prakasa Rao, V.L.S. (eds.) (1986). **Indian Cities: Ecological Perspectives**, Concept Publishing, New Delhi.

M.Sc. Geography Semester - II
Paper - Natural Resource Management (SEE GEO 1 2 02 DCEC 4004)

Credit – 4

Course Outline

1. Nature, scope and significance of the Geography of Resource, Definition and concept of Resources, Classification of Resources.

2, Models of Natural Resources Process: Zimmermann's Primitive and Advance Models of natural resource process, Kirk's Decision Model, Brookfield System Model.

3. Use and Misuse of Resources: Soil Resource, Water Resource, Forest Resource and Mineral Resources, Future prospects of Natural resources

4. Conservation and Management of Natural Resources: Meaning and Concept of conservation of Natural Resources, Resources Conservation and Management Methods of Natural resources: Soil Resource, Water Resource, Forest Resource and Mineral Resources, Problems of Natural Resource Management in India.

Recommended Readings:

1. Borton, I. and R.W. Kates, (1984), **Readings in Resource Management and Conservation**, University of Chicago Press, Chicago.

2. Bruce, Mitchell (1989), **Geography and Resource Analysis**, John Wiley, New York.

3. Eliot Hurst, M.E. (1972), **A Geography of Economic Behaviour : An Introduction**, Duxbury Press, California.

4. Guha, J.L. and Chattroj, P.R., (1994), **Economic geography- A Study of Resources**, The World Press, Calcutta

5. Martino, R.L. (1969), **Resource Management**. McGraw Hill, London.

6. Negi, B.S. (2000), **Geography of Resources**, Kedar Nath and Ram Nath, Meerut.

7. Owen, Oliver, S., (1971), **Natural Resource Conservation : A Ecological Approach**. McMillion, New Delhi.

8. Raja, M. (1989), **Renewable Resource Development**, Concept Pub., New Delhi.

9. Ramesh, A. (1984), in **Resource Geography** (Eds) R.P. Misra, Contribution to Indian geography, Heritage Publishers, New Delhi.

10. Singh, A and Raja, M. (1982), **Geography of Resources and conservation** (Hindi Edition) Pragati Parkashan, Meerut.

11. Zimmermann, E. W. (1951), **World Resources and Industries**, Harper & Brothers, New Delhi.

M.Sc. Geography Semester - II
Paper - Hydrology and Water Resource Management
(SEE GEO 1 2 03 DCEC 4004)

Credit – 4

Course Outline

1. Bases of Hydrology: Meaning, scope, approach and development of Hydrology; Hydrological cycle; Man's influence on the hydrological cycle; Precipitation types, characteristics and measurements; Interception; Evaporation: factors affecting evaporation from free water surface and soil; Evapotranspiration: estimation and its control;

2. Water and Its Disposition. Soil moisture and its zones; Infiltration; Groundwater: occurrence, storage, recharge and discharge; Runoff: its sources and components, factors affecting runoff; River regimes; floods and droughts; Hydrograph: components and separation, water balance: measures and time-space characteristics

3. Water as a resource: Factors affecting water resources development, Water Resource Problems: water demand and supply, water quality, interstate water disputes, institutional and financial constraints, eco-hydrological consequences of environmental degradation.

4. Water Resource Management: social and institutional considerations in water management, water quality management and Pollution control, water management in urban areas, watershed management, conjunctive use of surface and ground water

Recommended Readings :

1. Abbas, B.M., 1982: **The Ganges Water Dispute**, Vikas Publishing House, New Delhi.
2. Aggarwal, A., 1991: **Floods, Floodplains and Environmental Myths**, Centre for Science and Environment, New Delhi.
3. Andrew. D. ward and Stanley, Trimble (2004): **Environmental Hydrology**, 2nd edition, Lewis Publishers, CRC Press.
4. Bhattacharya, S.K., 1988: **Urban Domestic Water Supply in Developing Countries**, CBS Publishers and Distributors, Delhi.
5. Karanth, K.R., 1988: **Ground Water: Exploration, Assessment and Development**, Tata-McGraw Hill, New Delhi.
6. Mahajan, G., 1989: **Evaluation and Development of Groundwater**, Ashish Publishing House, New Delhi.
7. Palanisami, K, 1984: **Integrated Water Management: The Determinants of Canal Water Distribution in India: A Micro Analysis**, Aricole, New Delhi.
8. Ramaswamy, C., 1985: **Review of floods in India during the past 75 years: A Perspective**. Indian National Science Academy, New Delhi.
9. Rao, K.L., 1982: **India's Water Wealth,** 2nd edition, Orient Longman, Delhi,.
10. Singh, Vijay P., 1995: **Environmental Hydrology,** Kluwar Academic Publications, The Netherlands.
11. Todd, D.K. 1980: **Groundwater Hydrology**. John Wiley, New York.
12. Warren Viessman Jr. and Gary L. Lewis, 2002: **Introduction to Hydrology**, Prentice Hall, New York
13. Davie, Tim, 2008: **Fundamentals of Hydrology**, Routledge, London.
14. Rai, V.K. 1993: **Water Resource Planning and Development**, Deep & Deep Publication, New Delhi
15. Bilas, R., 1988: **Rural Water Resource Utilization and Planning**. Concept, New Delhi.
16. Reddy, J.P., 1988: **A Textbook of Hydrology**. Laxmi Publication, New Delhi.
17. Singh, M.B. 1999: **Climatology and Hydrology**. Tara Book Agency, Varanasi. (In Hindi).
18. Ward, R.C. and Robinson, M. 2000: **Principles of Hydrology**. McGraw Hill, New York.
19. Brutsaert, Wilfried, 2005: **Hydrology: An Introduction**, Cambridge University Press.

Semester III

M.Sc. Geography Semester - III
Paper- Interdisciplinary Research Methods and Techniques
(SEE GEO 1 3 09 C 4004)

Credit – 4

Course Outline

1. Introduction to research in Geography: Concept and significance of research in geography; Philosophy and methods; Naturalism and anti-naturalism; realism and idealism.

2. Scientific Research; Inductive and deductive approaches; Research design; Formulation of research problem; Development and testing of hypothesis; Techniques of data collection; Sampling and field survey.

3. Qualitative research: Qualitative research design; Case study; Ethnography; Phenomenology and participatory research.

4. Data Analysis, interpretation and report writing: Data classification and tabulation; Data analysis and interpretation; Writing thesis, project report and research paper. Scientific journals (impact factor, citation), Ethics in scientific research

Recommended Readings:

1. Montello, D. and Sutton, P. (2013): **An Introduction to Scientific Research Methods in Geography and Environmental Studies**, Sage Publications, London.

2. Gomez, B. and Jones, J. P. III (2010): **Research Methods in Geography: A Critical Introduction**, John Wiley, New York.

3. Warf, B. (Eds.) (2006): **Encyclopedia of Human Geography**, Sage Publications, London.

4. Goudie, A. (Ed) (2004): **Encyclopedia of Geomorphology**, Routledge, London.

5. Gregory, D., Johnston, R., Pratt, G., Watts, M. and Whatmore, S. (2009): **The Dictionary of Human Geography**, Wiley-Blackwell, Singapore.

6. Ahuja, R. (2001): **Research Methods**, Rawat Publications, Jaipur and New Delhi.

7. Bhattacharyya, D. K. (2005): **Research Methodology**, Excel Books, New Delhi

8. Blackburn, J. and Holland, J. (eds.) (1998): **Who Changes? Institutionalising Participation in Development.** IT Publications, London.

9. Blaxter, L., Hughes, C. and Tight, M. (1996): **How to Research**. Open University Press, Buckingham.

10. Crang, Mike 1999. **Cultural Geography**. Routledge, London.

11. Daniels, P., Bradshaw, M., et al. (2000): **Human Geography: Issues for the 21st Century**. Prentice Hall, London, Indian reprint, 2003.

12. Denzin, N. K. and Lincoln, Y.S., (eds.) (2000): **Handbook of Qualitative Research**, Sage Publications.

13. Dikshit, R. D. (2003): **The Art and Science of Geography: Integrated Readings**. Prentice-Hall, New Delhi.

14. Dorling, D. and Simpson, L. (eds.) (1999): **Statistics in Society**. Edward Arnold, London.

15. Fisher, P. and Unwin, D., (eds.) (2002): **Virtual Reality in Geography**. Taylor & Francis, London.

16. Flowerdew, R. and Martin, D. (eds.) (1997): **Methods in Human Geography: A Guide for Students Doing a Research Project**. Longman, Harlow.

17. Hay, I. (ed.) (2000): **Qualitative Research Methods in Human Geography**. Oxford University Press, New York.

18. Henn, M., Mark W., and Nick F. (2006): **A Short Introduction to Social Research**, Vistaar Publications, New Delhi.

19. Eyles J. and Smith D. M. (1988): **Qualitative Methods in Human Geography**, Polity Press, Dales Brewering Cambridge.

20. Kitchin, R. and Tate, N., (2001): **Conducting Research into Human Geography. Theory, Methodology and Practice**. Prentice-Hall, London.

21. Kitchin, R. and Fuller, D., (2003): **The Academic's Guide to Publishing**, Vistaar Publications, New Delhi

22. Limb, M. (2001): **Qualitative Methodologies for Geographers: Issue and Debates**. Edward Arnold, London.

23. Lofland, J. and Lofland, L.H. (1995): **Analysing Social Setting. A Guide to Qualitative Observation and Analysis**. Wadsworth, Belmont, CA.

24. Longley, P., Goodchild, M.F., Maguire, D. and Rhind, D. (1999): **Geographic Information Systems: Principles, Techniques, Management, Applications**. John Wiley and Sons, New York.

25. Mikkelsen, B. (2005): **Methods for Development Work and Research: A New Guide for Practitioners**. Sage Publications, London.

M.Sc. Geography Semester - III

Fundamentals of Remote Sensing and GIS (SEE GEO 1 3 10 C 4004)

Credit – 4

Course Outline

1. Fundamentals: Remote sensing: definition and scope; Electro-magnetic radiation, Remote sensing regions and bands; Spectral signature; Types of remote sensing.

2. Aerial Photographs: Aerial photos: types, scale, resolution; Geometric properties of aerial photos; Stereoscopy; Stereoscopic parallax; Relief displacement

3. Satellite Imagery. General orbital characteristics of remote sensing satellites; General characteristics of remote sensing sensors; Characteristics of MSS, HRV, LISS; Characteristics of raw remote sensing data.

4. Interpretation and Application. Elements of image interpretation; Image processing techniques: Visual and digital; Remote sensing data: pre-processing operations, enhancements and classifications; Application of Remote Sensing.

5. GIS: Definition, and Components, Geographical data: types and characteristics; Spherical and plane coordinate systems in GIS; geo-referencing, Digital representation of geographic data: Data structure, spatial data model, raster and vector models; GIS data standards: concepts and components; Integration of Remote sensing and GIS; GIS project design and planning methodologies; GIS data base management systems; Applications of GIS.

Recommended Readings:

1. Bhatta, B. (2010), **Remote Sensing and GIS**, Oxford University Press, New Delhi.
2. Bonham, Carter G.F. (1995): **Information Systems for Geoscientists – Modelling with GIS**. Pergamon, Oxford.
3. Burrough, P.A. and McDonnell, R. (1998): **Principles of Geographic Information Systems**. Oxford University Press, Oxford.
4. Campbell, J. B. (2002): **Introduction to Remote Sensing**. Taylor and Francis, London.
5. Chang, K.T. (2003): **Introduction to Geographic Information Systems**. Tata McGraw Hill Publications Company, New Delhi.
6. Chauniyal, D. D. (2004): **Remote Sensing and Geographic Information Systems**. (in Hindi). Sharda Pustak Bhawan, Allahabad.
7. Cracknell, A and Hayes, L. (1990): **Remote Sensing Year Book**, Taylor & Francis, London.
8. Curran, P.J. (1985): **Principles of Remote Sensing**, Longman, London.
9. Deekshatulu, B.L. and Rajan, Y.S. (ed.) (1984): **Remote Sensing**. Indian Academy of Science, Bangalore.
10. Demers, M.N. (2000): **Fundamentals of Geographic Information Systems**. John Wiley and Sons, Singapore.
11. ESRI (1993): **Understanding GIS**. Redlands, USA
12. Floyd, F. and Sabins, Jr. (1986): **Remote Sensing: Principles and Interpretation**, W.H. Freeman, New York.
13. Fraser Taylor, D.R. (1991): **Geographic Information Systems**. Pergamon Press, Oxford.

14. George, J. (2003): **Fundamentals of Remote Sensing**. Universities Press Private Ltd, Hyderabad.
15. Girard, M.C. and Girard, C.M. (2003): **Processing of Remote Sensing Data**. Oxford and IBH, New Delhi.
16. Glen, E.M. and Harold, C.S. (1993): **GIS Data Conversion Handbook**. Fort Collins, Colorado.
17. Goodchild, M.F.; Park, B.O. and Steyaert, L.T. (eds.) (1993): **Environmental Modelling with GIS**. Oxford University Press, Oxford.
18. Guham, P.K. (2003): **Remote Sensing for Beginners**. Affiliated East-West Press Private Ltd., New Delhi.
19. Guptill, S.C., and Morrison, J.L. (1995): **Elements of Spatial Data Quality**. Elsevier, Oxford.
20. Hallert, B. (1960): **Photogrammetry**, McGraw Hill, New York
21. Harry, C.A. (ed.) (1978): **Digital Image Processing**, IEEE Computer Society, California.
22. Heywood, I. (2003): **An Introduction to Geographical Information Systems**. 2nd edition, Pearson, Singapore.
23. Hord, R.M. (1982): **Digital Image Processing of Remotely Sensed Data**, Academic Press, New York.
24. Leuder, D.R. (1959): **Aerial Photographic Interpretation: Principles and Application**. McGraw Hill, New York.
25. Lillesand, T.M. and Kiefer, R.W. (2000): **Remote Sensing and Image Interpretation.** John Wiley, New York.
26. Lo, C.P. and Yeung, A.K.W. (2002): **Concepts and Techniques of Geographic Information Systems**. Prentice Hall, New Delhi.
27. Longley, P. and Batty, M. (eds.) (1996): **Spatial Analysis: Modelling in a GIS Environment**. Geo-Information International, Cambridge.
28. Longley, P., Goodchild, M.F., Maguire, D. and Rhind, D. (1999): **Geographic Information Systems. Principles, Techniques, Management, Applications**. John Wiley, New York.
29. Maguirre, D.J.; Michael F.G. and David W. R. (1999): **Geographical Information Systems: Principles and Application**. Geo Information International, Vol. 2, Longman Publication, New York.
30. Martin, D. (1996): **Geographic Information Systems: Socio-economic Implications**. Routledge, London.
31. Michael F. G. and Karan K. K. (ed.) (1990): **Introduction to GIS.** NCGIA, Santa Barbara, California.
32. Nag, P. (ed.) 1992: **Thematic Cartography and Remote Sensing**, Concept, New Delhi.
33. Ralston, B. A. (2002): **Developing GIS Solutions with Map Objects and Visual Basic**, Thompson Learning, Singapore.
34. Reddy, M.A. (2001): **Textbook of Remote Sensing and Geographic Information Systems.** B. S. Publications., Hyderabad.
35. Reeves, R.G. (ed.) (1983): **Manual of Remote Sensing**, Vols. 1 & 2, American Society of Photogrammetry and Remote Sensing, Falls Church, Virginia.
36. Ripple, W. J. (ed.) (1989): **Fundamentals of Geographic Information Systems: A Compendium**. ASPRS/ ACSM, Falls Church.
37. Siddiqui, M.A. (2005): **Introduction to Geographical Information Systems**, Sharda Pustak Bhawan, Allahabad. (in Hindi)
38. Siegel, B.S. and Gillespie, R. (1985): **Remote Sensing in Geology**, John Wiley & Sons, New York.

39. Silver, M. and Balmori, D. (eds.) (2003): **Mapping in an Age of Digital Media**. Wiley-Academy, New York.
40. Spurr, R. (1960): **Photogrammetry and Photo Interpretation**, Roland Press, London.
41. Star, J. and Estes, J. (1990): **Geographic Information Systems – An Introduction**. Prentice-Hall, New Jersey.
42. Survey of India, (1973): **Photogrammetry**, Survey of India, Dehradun.
43. Swain, P.H. and Davis, S.M. (ed.), (1978): **Remote Sensing: The Quantitative Approach**. McGraw Hill, New York.
44. Worboys, M.F. (1995): **GIS: A Computing Perspective**. Taylor & Francis, London.

M.Sc. Geography Semester - III
Practical IV: Interpretation of Aerial Photographs & Satellite Images and Thematic Mapping (SEE GEO 1 3 11 C 0084)

Credit – 4

Course Outline

1. Stereo Vision Test, Determination of scale on an aerial photograph; Measurement of height of an object on single vertical aerial photograph; Parallax bar measurement and height determination; Preparation of stereogram, stereo-triplet and mosaic from aerial photographs.

2. Interpretation of Aerial photographs: Identification, mapping and interpretation of Natural and Cultural features (at least two exercises)

3. Interpretation of a Satellite Image (Landsat, LISS III, LISS IV, Cartosat etc.): Identification, mapping and interpretation of Natural and Cultural features (at least two exercises)

4. Comparison of features on Panchromatic, True Colour and False Colour Composite images and Preparation of interpretation keys

5. Thematic Mapping with any Software: Geo-referencing; creation of PGDB, creation of shape files; on-screen digitization of polygons, points and lines and adding attributes, (at least one exercise each on Point, line and polygon features)

Recommended Readings:

1. Heywood, lan*et al.* (2002), ***Geographical Information Systems*** (Second edition), Pearson Education, Delhi.
2. Lillesand, T.M. and Kiefer, R.W. (2002), ***Remote Sensing and Image Interpretation***, John Wiley and Sons, New York.
3. Nag. P. and Kudrat M. (1998), ***Digital Remote Sensing***, Concept Publishing Co., New Delhi.

4. Rampal, K.K. (1999), ***Handbook of Aerial Photography and Interpretation***, Concept Publishing Co., New Delhi.
5. Robbert, G. Reaves et.al. (eds.) (1981), ***Manual of Remote Sensing***, Fourth Edition, Vols. I & II, American Society of Photogrammetry, Falls Church, U.S.A.
6. Sabins, F.F. (1986), ***Remote Sensing-Principles and Interpretation***, Second Edition, WH Freeman and Co., New York.
7. Sharma, J.P. (1996), ***Prayogic Bhoogol*****,** RastogiPublicatoins, Meerut.
8. Wolf, Paul R. (1983), ***Elements of Photogrammetry****, 2nd Ed., McGraw-Hill, New York.*

M.Sc. Geography Semester - III

Paper - Assignment based Seminar (SEE GEO 1 3 03 DCEC 0202)

Credit - 2

M.Sc. Geography Semester - III
Paper- Geography of Natural Hazards and Disasters
(SEE GEO 1 3 04 GE 4004)

Credit – 4

Course Outline

1. Concept of Hazards, Risk, Vulnerability and Disaster. Types of Hazards: Natural (Tectonic Hazards – Earthquakes and Volcanoes; Hydrological Hazards – Floods and Droughts.

2. Regional Dimension of Natural Hazards: Occurrence and Trends. (Tectonic Hazards – Earthquakes and Volcanoes; Hydrological Hazards – Floods and Droughts.

3. Disaster Losses and Impact – Displacements, Livelihood. Economy and Infrastructure, and Health.

4. Mitigation and Management: Plans and Policies. Role of Remote Sensing, GIS and GPS in Disaster Management.

Recommended Readings:

1. Allan, S., Adam, B. and Carter, C. (eds.), (2000): **Environmental Risks and the Media**, Routledge, London.
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10. Quarantelli, E.L. (ed.) (1998), **What is a Disaster? Perspective on the Question**, Routledge, London.
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M.Sc. Geography Semester - III
Paper - Cultural Geography (SEE GEO 1 3 05 GE 4004)

Credit -4

Course Outline

1. The Nature, Scope, approaches in Cultural Geography. The Historical development of cultural Geography. Themes in cultural Geography - The Cultural Region. Functional, Formal. Perceptual, Determinism and Possibilism.

2. Environment and Culture : Culture Areas & Cultural Realms of the world and its relationship with environment, Elements of cultural expressions. Folk Culture its Revival. Cultural Adaptation and Environmental perception.

3. Spatial structure. Focuses on similarities and differences of various cultures with respect to racial, ethnic, religious, linguistic, demographic, and organizational characteristics in Indian context.

4. Human races, Habitat economy and Society of tribal groups. Racial Elements in India's Population; Tribes of India (Bhil, Gond, Toda, Naga); Tribes of World (Eskimo, Pigmy, Bushman); Patterns of popular Culture and Cultural fusion.

Recommended Readings:

1. Ahmad, Aijazuddin, 1999, **Social Geography**, Rawat Publication, New Delhi.
2. Erin H. Fouberg, Alexander B. Murphy, Harm J. de Blij, 2012, **Human Geography: People, Place, and Culture**. John Wiley & Son, New York.
3. Dreze Jean, Amartya Sen, 1996, **Economic Development and Social Opportunity**, Oxford University press, New Delhi.
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5. Gregory, D. and UJ. Larry. (eds.), 1985, **Social relations and Spatial Structures**, McMillan, London.
6. Haq, Mahbubul: **Reflection on Human Development**. Oxford University Press. New Delhi
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8. Planning Commission, 1981, **Report on Development of Tribal areas**. Government of India, New Delhi
9. Rao, M.S.A., 1970, Urban Sociology in India. Orient Longman, Delhi
10. Schwartzberg Joseph, 1978, **An Historical Atlas of South Asia**. University of Chicago Press, Chicago.
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M.Sc. Geography Semester - III
Paper – Soil Geography (SEE GEO 1 3 06 GE 4004)

Credit – 4

Course Outline

1. Nature, scope and significance of Soil Geography.

2. factors and Processes of soil formation and development; Soil Profile; Soil catena, podzolization, laterisation, calcification and gleezation and salinization.

2. Soil organisms.

3. Physical and Chemical properties of soils.

4. Genetic and Taxonomic classification of soils, their characteristics and world patterns.

5. Evaluation of land and soil: Parametric and non-parametric systems, soil survey; Land capability classification, Soil erosion and degradation.

6. Soil reclamation and management: integrated soil and water management; Methods of Soil reclamation, quality enhancement and management.

Recommended Readings:

1. Backman, H.O and Brady, N.C. (1960), ***The Nature and Properties of Soils***, McMillan, New York.
2. Basile, R.M. (1971), ***A Geography of Soils***, William C. Brown, Dubuque, Ia.
3. Bennet, Hugh H. (), ***Soil Conservation***, McGraw Hill, New York.
4. Bunting, B.T. (1973), ***The Geography of Soils***, Hutchinson, London.
5. Clarke, G.R. (1957), ***Study of the Soil in the Field***, Oxford University Press, Oxford.
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7. Foth, H.D. and Turk, L.M. (1972): ***Fundamentals of Soil Science***, John Wiley, New York.
8. Gardiner, James S. (1977), ***Physical Geography***, Harper's College Press, New York.
9. GovindaRajan, S.V. and Gopala Rao, H.G. (1978), ***Studies on Soils of India***, Vikas, New Delhi.
10. McBride, M.B. (1999), ***Environmental Chemistry of Soils***, Oxford University Press, New York.
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15. Steila, D. (1976), ***The Geography of Soils***, Prentice Hall, New Jersey.
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M.Sc. Geography Semester - III
Paper- Population Geography (SEE GEO 1 3 04 DCEC 4004)

Credit – 4

Course Outline

1. Concepts, scope and methodology of population geography; Sources of population data with particular reference to India

2. Theories of Population: Malthus, Marx, Optimum and Demographic transition

4. Population dynamics: Measurement, theories, trend and pattern of Fertility, Mortality and Migration

3. Urbanisation: Concept, theories, Characteristics, trend and pattern

4. World: Population Scenario and Issues – Population and Resource; Population resource regions; Population and Environment, Concept and pattern of human development

5. India: Population Scenario and Issues

6. Population problems and Policies in developing and developed countries with special focus on India

Recommended Readings:

1. Beaujen- Garnier, J. (1966), Geography of Population, Longman, London.
2. Bhende, Asha andKanitkar, Tara (2006), ***Principles of Population Studies***, 18th Edition, Himalaya Publishing House, Mumbai.
3. Bilasborrow, Richard E. and Daniel Hogan (1999), ***Population and Deforestation in the Humid Tropics***, International Union for the Scientific Study of Population, Belgium.
4. Bogue, D.J. (1969), ***Principles in Demography***, John Wiley, New York.
5. Bose, Ashish *et al*. (1974), ***Population in India's Development (1947-2000),*** Vikas Publishing House, New Delhi.
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7. Clarke, J.I. (1992), ***Population Geography***, Second Edition, Pergamon Press, Oxford England.
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M.Sc. Geography Semester - III
Paper - Regional Development and Planning
(SEE GEO 1 3 05 DCEC 4004)

Credit – 4

Course Outline

1. Fundamentals. Concept, nature and scope of Regional Planning; Different approaches to regional planning; Planning regions: concept and types; Planning regions of India; Regional policies in India.

2. Conceptual Outlook. Regional planning and national development; Economic development and regional development; Regional economic complexes; Inter-regional and intra-regional functional interactions; Regional disparities in India.

3. Approaches. Approaches to integrated regional planning at different levels: local, regional and national; Multi-level planning in India: State, District and Block level planning; Planning for tribal, agricultural, industrial and urban (metropolitan) regions.

4. Development Perspective. Service and market centres planning; Growth centre and regional development with reference to India and France; Decentralised planning: themes and issues; Regional Planning: Development Strategies in the 21st century

Recommended Readings:

1. Bhatt, L.S. (1972), **Regional Planning in India**, Statistical Publishing Society, Calcutta.
2. Bhatt, L.S. et al. (eds.) (1982), **Regional Inequalities in India**, Society for the study of Regional Disparities, New Delhi.
3. Blunder. J. et al. (1973), **Regional Analysis and Development**, Harper & Row, London.
4. Chand, M. and Puri, V.K. (1985), **Regional Planning in India**, Allied Pub. Pvt. Ltd. New Delhi.
5. Chandna, R. C. (2000): **Regional Planning: A Comprehensive Text**. Kalyani Publishers, New Delhi.
6. Chaudhuri, J. R. (2001): A**n Introduction to Development and Regional Planning with special reference to India**. Orient Longman, Hyderabad.
7. Coates, B.R. and R.J. Johnston (1977), **Geography and Inequality**, Oxford University Press, Oxford.
8. Cowen, M.P. and Shenton, R.W. (1996): **Doctrines of Development**. Routledge, London.
9. Doyle, T. and McEachern, D. (1998): **Environment and Politics**. Routledge, London.
10. Friedmann, J. (1992): **Empowerment: The Politics of Alternative Development**. Blackwell, Cambridge MA.
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12. Hettne, B.; Inotai, A. and Sunkel, O. (eds.) (1999–2000): **Studies in the New Regionalism**. Vol. I-V. Macmillan Press, London.
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15. Kuklinski, A. R. (1972): **Growth Poles and Growth Centres in Regional Planning**. Mouton and Co., Paris.
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18. Mahapatra, A.C. and Pathak, C.R. (eds.) (2003): **Economic liberalisation and Regional Disparities in India. Special Focus on the North Eastern Region**. Star Publishing House, Shillong.
19. Misra, R. P. (ed.) (1992): **Regional Planning: Concepts, Techniques, Policies and Case Studies**. 2nd edition. Concept Publishing Company, New Delhi.
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22. Moseley, M.J., (1974): **Growth Centres in Spatial Planning**. Pergamon Press, Oxford.
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25. Pathak, C. R. (2003): **Spatial Structure and Processes of Development in India**. Regional Science Association, Kolkata.
26. Raza, Moonis (1988), **Regional Development**, Heritage, New Delhi.
27. Sanyal, B. M. (2001): **Decentralised Planning: Themes and Issues**. Concept Publishing Company, New Delhi.
28. Sen, A. (1999): **Development as Freedom**. Oxford University Press, Oxford.
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32. Stöhr, W. B. and Taylor, D.F.R. (eds.) (1981): **Development from Above and Below? The Dialectics of Regional Planning in Developing Countries**. John Wiley, Chichester.
33. Sundaram, K. V. (1997): **Decentralized Multilevel Planning: Principles and Practice (Asian and African Experiences).** Concept, New Delhi.
34. Sundaram, K. V. (2004): **The Trodden Path: Essays on Regional and Micro Level Planning**. Anaunya Publications., New Delhi.
35. Sundram, K. V. (1977), **Urban and Regional Planning in India**, Vikas Publishig House, New Delhi.
36. Toye, J. (1987): **Dilemmas of Development. Reflections on the Counterrevolution in Development Theory and Policy**. Blackwell, Oxford.
37. Verhelst, T. (1990): **No Life Without Roots – Culture and Development**. Zed Books, London.
38. World Bank (2000): **Entering the 21st Century. World Development Report**. The World Bank and Oxford University Press, New York and Oxford.
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M.Sc. Geography Semester - III
Paper- Oceanography (SEE GEO 1 3 06 DCEC 4004)

Credit – 4

Course Outline

1. Nature and scope of oceanography; historical development of oceanography; Distribution pattern of land and water

2. Origin of ocean basins: Wegner's drift hypothesis, sea floor spreading and Plate Tectonics

3. Major topographic features of ocean basins: continental shelf, slope, ridge and deeps, abyssal plains; submarine canyons; Marine Sediments; configuration of ocean floors of Indian Ocean and Atlantic Ocean.

4. Physical Properties of sea water: heat, temperature, density, light, sound

5. Chemical properties of sea water: chemical composition of sea water, salinity, residence time, inputs, outputs

6. Interlink between atmospheric and ocean; Upper and Deep ocean circulation; currents, waves, tides and tsunami.

7. Life in the sea: types of Organisms; coral reefs-origin and distribution, Major Marine Environments: Coastal: estuaries, deltas; Deep sea environment

8. Marine Resources: Food, Mineral and Energy

9. Impact of Human activities on the Marine Environment.

Recommended Readings:

1. Davis, Richard J.A. (1986), **Oceanography - An Introduction to the Marine Environment**, C. Brown, Iowa.
2. Denny, M. (2008), **How the Ocean Works: An introduction to Oceanography**, Princeton University Press, New Jersey.
3. Duxbury, C.A and Duxbury, B. (1996), **An Introduction to the world's Oceans**, 2nd Edition, C. Brown, Iowa.
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6. Gross, M. Grant (1987), **Oceanography: A View of the Earth**, Prantice - Hall Inc. New Jersy.
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9. Sharma, R.C. (1985), **The Oceans**, Rajesh Publications, New Delhi.
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11. Shepart, F. (1969), **The Earth Beneath the Sea**, Athneum, New York.
12. Sieboldt, E. and W.H. Berger (1994), **The Sea Floor**, 2nd ed., Freeman, New York.
13. Stopmmel, H. (1987), **A View of the Sea**, Princeton University Press, New Jersey.
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Semester IV

M.Sc. Geography Semester – IV
Field Based Dissertation (including viva voce)
(SEE GEO 1 4 01 SEEC 0066)

Credits: 24

M.Sc. Geography Semester – IV
Self-Study Course (SEE GEO 1 4 02 SEEC)

Non Credit Course