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COURSES OF READING
FOR

B.A. (HONS.) EXAMINATION IN HISTORY

- Part I Examination 2003
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PROPOSED SCHEME OF EXAMINATION
(To be implemented w.e.f. Admissions of 2002)

NOTE : The students offering History (Honours) Course will be required to answer FOUR questions out of a total of TWELVE in each course and in each year of the three years' course. Each Course has been divided into various UNITS and detailed specific requirements of each course have been given separately. EACH COURSE SHALL CARRY A MAXIMUM OF 100 MARKS AND EXAMINATION IN EACH COURSE SHALL BE OF THREE HOURS' DURATION.

PART - I EXAMINATION (2003)

COURSE NO. TITLE OF THE COURSE

- I. HISTORY OF INDIA UP TO circa AD 750.
- II. SOCIAL FORMATIONS AND CULTURAL PATTERNS OF THE ANCIENT AND MEDIEVAL WORLD.

PART - II EXAMINATION (2004)

COURSE NO. TITLE OF THE COURSE

- III. HISTORY OF INDIA, circa AD 750 - 1550.
- IV. THE RISE OF THE MODERN WEST (Mid-15th Century to the American Revolution).
- V. Any one of the following :
 - [a] HISTORY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA (c. 1776-1945).
 - [b] HISTORY OF THE USSR (c. 1917-1964).
 - [c] HISTORY OF AFRICA AND HISTORY OF LATIN AMERICA (c.1500-1960s)
 - [d] HISTORY OF SOUTHEAST ASIA. (c. 1800 - 1970).

NOTE : IT IS DESIRABLE THAT EACH COLLEGE OFFERS MORE THAN ONE OPTION OUT OF THE FOUR LISTED ABOVE.

PART - III EXAMINATION (2005)

COURSE NO. TITLE OF THE COURSE

- VI. HISTORY OF INDIA (c.1550 – 1750s).
- VII. HISTORY OF INDIA, 1750s - 1950.
- VIII. HISTORY OF CHINA AND JAPAN (c. 1840 – 1949).
- IX. HISTORY OF MODERN EUROPE (c. 1780 – 1939).

PART I : COURSE I

HISTORY OF INDIA UP TO circa AD 750

NOTE : Students shall be expected to answer four questions, selecting **ONE** from **EACH UNIT**. There may be a **MAP** question from any one of the four units.

UNIT : I

I. Reconstructing Ancient Indian History

- [a] Early Indian notions of History
- [b] Sources and tools of historical reconstruction.
- [c] Historical interpretations (with special reference to gender, environment, technology, and regions).

II. Pre-historic hunter-gatherers

- [a] Palaeolithic cultures — sequence and distribution; stone industries and other technological developments.
- [b] Mesolithic cultures — regional and chronological distribution; new developments in technology and economy; rock art.

III. The advent of food production

Understanding the regional and chronological distribution of the neolithic and chalcolithic cultures : subsistence, and patterns of exchange.

UNIT : II

IV. The Harappan civilization :

Origins; settlement patterns and town planning; agrarian base ; craft production and trade; social and political organisation; religious beliefs and practices; art; the problem of urban decline and the late / post-Harappan traditions.

V. Cultures in transition — settlement patterns, technological and economic developments; social stratification; political relations; the Aryan Problem.

- [a] North India (circa 1500 BC - 600 BC)
- [b] Central India and the Deccan (circa 1000 BC - circa 300 BC)
- [c] Tamilakam (circa 300 BC to circa AD 300)

UNIT : III

VI. Economy and Society (circa 600 BC to circa AD 300) :

- [a] Expansion of agrarian economy; production relations.
- [b] Urban growth : north India, central India and the Deccan ; craft production; trade and trade routes; coinage.
- [c] Social stratification : class, *varna*, *jati*, untouchability; gender: marriage and property relations.

VII. Changing political formations (circa 600 BC to circa AD 300) :

- [a] *Gana / sanghas* (up to c. AD 500)
- [b] Early monarchical states
- [c] Nature and bases of the Mauryan Empire; Asoka's dhamma
- [d] Post-Mauryan polities with special reference to the Kushanas and the Satavahanas.

VIII. Towards early medieval India [circa AD fourth century to AD 750]:

- [a] Agrarian expansion: land grants, changing production relations; graded land rights and peasantry.
- [b] The problem of urban decline; patterns of trade, currency, and urban settlements.
- [c] *Varna*, proliferation of *jatis*; changing norms of marriage and property.
- [d] The nature of polities : the Gupta empire and its contemporaries; post-Gupta polities - Pallavas, Chalukyas, and Vardhanas.

UNIT : IV

IX. Religion, philosophy and society

- (a) Vedic Religion : rituals; deities and myths; Upanishadic doctrines.
- (b) A general survey of *shad-darshanas* and *Lokayata*.
- (c) Socio-religious ferment in north India (circa sixth to first century BC); brahmanical normative traditions; doctrines and histories of

early Buddhism, Jainism and the Ajivikas; sources of patronage.

- (d) Consolidation of the brahmanical tradition : *dharma*, *varnashram*, *purusharthas*, *samskaras*.
- (e) Theistic cults (from circa second century BC) : Mahayana, the Puranic tradition.
- (f) The beginnings of Tantricism.

X. Cultural developments :

- [a] A brief survey of Sanskrit, Pali, Prakrit and Tamil literature. Scientific and technical treatises.
- [b] Art and architecture - form and patronage :
 - (i) The Mauryan phase : monumental architecture; stone sculptures and terracottas.
 - (ii) Early religious architecture : stupa - Sanchi and Bharhut; rock-cut caves - Western Ghats, Udayagiri and Khandagiri.
 - (iii) Sculpture : regional styles (up to circa AD 300) : Gandhara, Mathura, Amaravati
 - (iv) Cave architecture and structural temple; stone and metal sculpture; terracotta; painting (circa AD 300 to circa AD 750).

ESSENTIAL READINGS

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- Bridget & F. Raymond Allchin. The Rise of Civilisation in India and Pakistan, 1983.
- F. R. Allchin, et. al. The Archaeology of Early Historic South Asia. 1995.
- A. L. Basham. The Wonder that Was India. 1971.
- N. N. Bhattacharya. Ancient Indian Rituals and Their Social Contents. 2nd ed., 1996.
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- S. K. Maity. *Economic Life in Northern India in the Gupta Period*. 1970.
- H. C. Raychaudhuri. *Political History of Ancient India*, Rev. Ed. with Commentary by B. N. Mukherjee. 1996.
- B. P. Sahu (ed.), *Land System and Rural Society in Early India* 1997.
- K. A. N. Sastri (ed.), *A Comprehensive History of India*, Vol. II, with an updated bibliography 1987.
- K. A. N. Sastri, *A History of South India*.
- R. S. Sharma, *Aspects of Political Ideas and Institutions in Ancient India*, 1991.
- R. S. Sharma, *Material Culture and Social Formations in Ancient India*, 1983.
- R. S. Sharma, *Indian Feudalism*, 1980.
- Romila Thapar. *Asoka and the Decline of the Mauryas*, 1997.

SUGGESTED READINGS

- V. S. Agrawala, *Indian Art*, Vol. 1. 1972.
- Bridget & F. Raymond Allchin, *Origins of a Civilisation : The Prehistory and Early Archaeology of South Asia*. 1994.
- R. Champakalakshmi, *Trade, Ideology and Urbanisation : South India 300 BC - AD 1300*, 1996.
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- J. C. Harle, *The Art and Architecture of the Indian Subcontinent*. 1987.
- M. Hiriyanna, *Essentials of Indian Philosophy* OR *Outline of Indian Philosophy*, 1995.

- S. Huntington, *The Art of India*, 1985.
- D. N. Jha, *Revenue System in Post-Maurya and Gupta Times* 1967.
- Nayanjot Lahiri, *The Archaeology of Indian Trade Routes up to c. 200 BC* 1992.
- R. C. Majumdar, et al. (eds.), *History and Culture of the Indian People*, Vols. I, II and III.
- B. N. Mukherjee, *Rise and Fall of the Kushana Empire*, 1988.
- G. L. Possehl (ed.), *Harappan Civilization : A Contemporary Perspective*, 1993.
- G. L. Possehl (ed.), *Ancient Cities of the Indus*, 1979.
- Aloka Parasher, *Social and Economic History of the Early Deccan*, 1993.
- Himanshu Prabha Ray, *The Winds of Change*, 1994.
- A. K. Ramanujan, *Speaking of Shiva*.
- B.P. Sahu, *From Hunters to Breeders* 1988.
- J. Schwartzberg, *Historical Atlas of South Asia*.
- R. S. Sharma, *Perspectives in Social and Economic History of Early India*, 1983.
- R. S. Sharma, *Urban Decay in India, c.300 - c.1000*, 1987.
- R. S. Sharma, *Shudras in Ancient India*, 1990.
- K. M. Shrimali, *Agrarian Structure in Central India and the Northern Deccan: A Study in Vakataka Inscriptions*, 1987.
- D.C. Sircar, *Studies in The Geography of Ancient and Medieval India* 1960.
- A. J. Syed (ed.), *D. D. Kosambi on History and Society : Problems and Interpretation*, 1985.
- Romila Thapar (ed.), *Recent Perspectives of Early Indian History*, 1995.
- Romila Thapar, *From Lineage to State*, 1984.
- M. Winternitz, *History of Indian Literature* . 3 Vols. (Indian Reprint).

PART I : COURSE II

SOCIAL FORMATIONS AND CULTURAL PATTERNS OF THE ANCIENT AND MEDIEVAL WORLD

NOTE : Students shall be expected to answer four questions, selecting
AT LEAST ONE FROM EACH UNIT

UNIT : I

- I. Evolution of humankind; Palaeolithic and Mesolithic cultures.
- II. Food production : beginnings of agriculture and animal husbandry.
- III. Bronze Age Civilisations :
[a] Economy, [b] social stratification, [c] religion and [d] state structure.
{Either (i) EGYPT (Old Kingdom) OR MESOPOTAMIA (up to the Akkadian Empire)}

AND

- (ii) either CHINA (Shang) OR EASTERN MEDITERRANEAN (Minoan)}
- IV. Nomadic groups in Central and West Asia

UNIT : II

- V. The advent of iron and its implications.
- VI. Slave societies in ancient Greece and Rome : agrarian economy, urbanisation and trade.
- VII. Political apparatus : Athenian democracy and Roman Republic; Roman Empire; Greek and Roman cultures.
- VIII. Crises of Roman Empire.

UNIT : III

- IX. Subsistence economy to feudal dynamism in Europe from the 7th to the 15th centuries : organisation of production, towns and trade, technological developments. Crisis of feudalism.
- X. Religion and culture in medieval Europe :
[a] Rise of Papacy, [b] monastic revival and [c] arts and patronage.
- XI. Societies in Central Islamic Lands :
[a] The tribal background, *ummah*, Caliphate state; rise of Sultanates
[b] Religious developments : the origins of *Shariah*, *Mihna*, Sufism.
[c] Urbanisation and trade [d] architecture.
- XII. Scientific and technological developments either in Islamic societies or Medieval China.

ESSENTIAL READINGS

- Perry Anderson. Passages from Antiquity to Feudalism.
J. D. Bernal. Science in History. Vol. I.
Marc Bloch. Feudal Society, 2 Vols.
Burns and Ralph. World Civilisations.
Cambridge History of Africa. Vol. I.
Cambridge History of Islam. 2 Vols.
V. Gordon Childe. What Happened in History.
V. Gordon Childe. Social Evolution.
G. Clark. World Prehistory: A New Perspective.
Georges Duby. The Early Growth of the European Economy.
Glyn Daniel. First Civilisations.
B. Fagan. People of the Earth.
Amar Farouqi. Early Social Formations (2001).
M. I. Finley. The Ancient Economy.
Fontana Economic History of Europe. Vol. I (relevant chapters).
A. Hauser. A Social History of Art. Vol. I.
Jacquetta Hawkes. First Civilisations.
P. K. Hitti. History of the Arabs.
G. Roux. Ancient Iraq.
Bai Shaoyi. An Outline History of China.
H. W. F. Sagg's. The Greatness that was Babylon.
B. Trigger. Ancient Egypt : A Social History.
UNESCO Series : History of Mankind. Vols. I - III. / or New ed. History of Humanity.
R. J. Wenke. Patterns in Prehistory.

SUGGESTED READINGS

- V. I. Alexeev. The Origins of the Human Race.
S. Ameer Ali. The Spirit of Islam.
J. Barraclough. The Medieval Papacy.
J. Barraclough (ed.) The Times Atlas of World History. rev. ed., Geoffrey Parker (1994).
R. E. M. Balsden. The Story of Empire.

- G. E. M. Ste Croix. *Class Struggle in the Ancient World*.
- K. C. Chang. *The Archaeology of China*.
- V. Gordon Childe. *Man Makes Himself*.
- Encyclopaedia of Islam. (1st ed.) 4 Vols.
- M. I. Finley. *The Ancient Greeks*.
- M. I. Finley. *Ancient Slavery and Modern Ideology*
- P. Garnsey and Saller. *The Roman Empire*.
- J. Huizinga. *The Waning of the Middle Ages*. / Revised ed. *The Autumn of the Middle Ages*.
- K. Hopkins. *Conquerors and Slaves*.
- M. G. S. Hodgson. *The Venture of Islam*.
- Rodney Hilton. *Bondmen Made Free*.
- Rodney Hilton. *Transition from Feudalism to Capitalism*.
- A. H. M. Jones. *Decline of the Ancient World*.
- J. Mellaart. *Neolithic of the Near East*.
- Joseph Needham. *Science and Civilisation in China*, Vol. I
- A. L. Oppenheim. *Ancient Mesopotamia*.
- J. N. Postgate. *Early Mesopotamia*.
- G. W. Southern. *Making of Middle Ages*.
- Paul Wheatley. *Pivot of the Four Quarters*.

PART II : COURSE III
HISTORY OF INDIA, circa AD 750 - 1550

NOTE : Students shall be expected to answer FOUR questions, selecting AT LEAST ONE FROM EACH UNIT. There may be a MAP question from any one of the three units .

UNIT : I

- I. Interpreting Early Medieval India, circa 750 - 1200:**
 Sources: Historiography and Recent Debates.
- II. Structure of Polities :**
- [a] Evolution of political structures : Rashtrakutas, Palas, Pratiharas, Rajputs and Cholas.
- [b] Forms of legitimation: brahmanas and temples; royal genealogies; rituals of kingship.

III. Agrarian Structures and Social Change :

- [a] Agricultural Expansion.
- [b] Peasants and landlords with reference to regional variations.
- [c] Peasantisation of tribes and their place in the *varna* order; proliferation of castes; untouchables.

IV. Trade, Urbanisation and Forms of Exchange :

- [a] Inter-regional and maritime trade.
- [b] Urban processes.
- [c] Forms of exchange and extent of monetisation.
- [d] Merchant guilds of south India.

V. Religious and Cultural Developments :

- [a] Bhakti, Tantrism, Puranic traditions; Buddhism and Jainism; Popular religious cults.
- [b] Regional languages and literature.
- [c] Art and Architecture : Evolution of regional styles.

UNIT : II

VI. Interpreting the Delhi Sultanate, circa 1200 - 1550:

- [a] Survey of sources; Delhi-centred focus.
- [b] Historiography: (i) Mahmud of Ghazni: nature of Turkish campaigns; (ii) the issue of "Indian" and "foreign"; (iii) Islam and the question of social mobility; (iv) continuity and change : urban centres, technology; rural society.

VII. Changes in the Sultanate Political Structures :

- [a] Phases of the Delhi Sultanate: 1200-1290; 1290-1450; 1450-1550; Ruling elites; *Iqta*; Territorial changes; Mongol threat; Relations with rural chieftains.
- [b] Legitimation of political authority and resistance : (i) Theories of kingship in chronicles and normative literatures; (ii) Imperial monuments and coinage; (iii) Sufis, Bhaktas and political authority (cf. Sections IX a and XIII c).

VIII. Society and Economy in north India :

- [a] Geographical factors: agricultural production; technology.
- [b] Changes in rural society : revenue systems
- [c] Urbanization; technology and non-agricultural production.

[d] Monetisation; Market regulations; Trade.

IX. Religion, Society, Culture :

[a] Sufism: doctrines, *silsilas* and practices.

[b] Bhakti movements: Nathpanthis: Kabir, Nanak and the Sant tradition.

UNIT : III

X. The "regions" in Indian history, circa 1200 - 1550 :

[a] Historiographical issues.

[b] Evidence : Regional chronicles; bardic narratives; sufi and bhakti texts; travelogues.

XI. Regional Societies and Political Formations — Continuity and Change :

[a] Local societies; Clan solidarities, confederations and "Rajput".

[b] Vijayanagar : City, kingdom, super-regional power; *nayaks*, *amaram*.

[c] Warfare and Society.

XII. Society and Economy :

[a] Expansion of agrarian structures, social stratification and the Vijayanagar empire.

[b] Peasants, pastoral and tribal communities : the Deccan and Rajasthan.

[c] Trade and urbanisation with special reference to south India.

[d] Indian Ocean trade.

XIII. Religion, Society, Culture :

[a] Religious cults and regional identities : (i) Vaishnavite movement in eastern India; (ii) Jagannath cult in Orissa; (iii) Warkari movement and cult of Vithoba in Maharashtra.

[b] Patriarchy, gender relations and women Bhaktas : Mahadevi Yakka. Laldey and Mira.

[c] Sufis and local societies.

[d]. Consolidation of regional identities : (i) Regional art and architectural forms. (ii) Beginning of regional literature.

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D. D. Kosambi, An Introduction to the Study of Indian History (chapters 9 and 10).

Hermann Kulke, The State in India (AD 1000 - AD 1700).

W. H. McLeod, Karin Schomer, et. al (eds.), The Saints.

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R. N. Nandi, Social Roots of Religion in Ancient India.

Vijaya Ramaswamy, Walking Naked : Women, Society, Spirituality in South India.

Tapan Raychaudhuri and Irfan Habib (eds.), Cambridge Economic History of India, Vol. I.

K. A. N. Sastri, A History of South India.

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I. H. Siddiqui, Perso-Arabic Sources of Information: Life and Conditions in

the Sultanate of Delhi.

Burton Stein, Peasant State and Society in Medieval South India.

Kesavan Veluthat, The Political Structure of Early Medieval South India.

SUGGESTED READINGS

Satish Chandra, Medieval India : From Sultanate to the Mughals.

Simon Digby, War Horses and Elephants in the Delhi Sultanate : A Study in Military Supplies.

A. B. M. Habibullah, Foundations of Muslim Rule in India.

Abdul Halim, The Lodi Dynasty.

A. Mahdi Hussain, The Tughluq Dynasty.

N. Karashima, Towards a New Formation.

K. S. Lal , History of the Khaljis.

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R. C. Majumdar (ed.), History and Culture of Indian People. Vol. IV. Age of Imperial Kanauj. Vol. V. Struggle for Empire. Vol. VI. Delhi Sultanate.

W. H. McLeod, Guru Nanak and the Sikh Religion.

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H. K. Naqvi, Urbanisation and Urban Centres in North India.

M. Nazim, The Life and Times of Mahmud of Ghazna.

Khaliq A. Nizami, Religion and Politics in the Thirteenth Century.

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J. Schwartzberg, Historical Atlas of South Asia.

R. S. Sharma, Urban Decay in India (c. 300 - c.1000)

R. S. Sharma, Early Medieval Indian Society: A Study in Feudalization (2001).

S. K. Sherwani (ed.), The History of Medieval Deccan.

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Sanjay Subrahmanyam, The Portuguese Empire in Asia, 1500 - 1700.

A. J. Syed (ed.), D. D. Kosambi on History and Society : Problems and Interpretation (1985) [chaps. 7-11].

R. P. Tripathi, Some Aspects of Muslim Administration

Romila Thapar, Ancient Indian Social History — Some Interpretations.

C. Vaudeville, A Weaver Named Kabir.

H. C. Verma, Urban Dynamics in Pre-Mughal India.

Andre Wink, Al Hind, Vols. 1 and 2.

B. N. S. Yadava, Society and Culture of Northern India in the Twelfth Century.

PART II : COURSE IV

THE RISE OF THE MODERN WEST (Mid-15th Century to the American Revolution)

NOTE : Students shall be expected to answer four questions,
selecting TWO QUESTIONS FROM EACH UNIT.

UNIT : I

- I. Transition from feudalism to capitalism : problems and theories.
- II. Early colonial expansion : motives , voyages and explorations ; the conquests of the Americas: beginning of the era of colonisation ; mining and plantation; the African slaves.
- III. Renaissance: its social roots, city states of Italy; spread of humanism in Europe; Art.
- IV. Origins, course and results of the European Reformation in the 16th century.
- V. Economic developments of the sixteenth century : Shift of economic balance from the Mediterranean to the Atlantic; Commercial Revolution; Influx of American silver and the Price Revolution.
- VI. Emergence of European state system: Spain; France; England; Russia

UNIT : II

- VII. 17th century European crisis: economic, social and political dimensions.
- VIII. The English Revolution : major issues; political and intellectual currents.
- IX. Rise of modern science in relation to European society from the Renaissance to the 17th century.
- X. Mercantilism and European economies: 17th and 18th centuries.
- XI. European politics in the 18th century —parliamentary monarchy :

patterns of Absolutism in Europe.

XII. Political and economic issues in the American Revolution.

XIII. Preludes to the Industrial Revolution.

ESSENTIAL READINGS

T. S. Aston and C. H. E. Philpin (eds.), *The Brenner Debate*.

H. Butterfield, *The Origins of Modern Science*.

Carlo M. Cipolla, *Fontana Economic History of Europe*, Vols. II and III.

Carlo M. Cipolla, *Before the Industrial Revolution, European Society and Economy, 1000-1700*, 3rd ed. (1993).

D. C. Coleman (ed.), *Revisions in Mercantilism*.

Ralph Davis, *The Rise of the Atlantic Economies*.

Maurice Dobb, *Studies in the Development of Capitalism*.

J. R. Hale, *Renaissance Europe*.

R. Hall, *From Galileo to Newton*.

Christopher Hill, *A Century of Revolutions*.

Rodney Hilton, *Transition from Feudalism to Capitalism*.

H. G. Koenigsberger and G. L. Mosse, *Europe in the Sixteenth Century*.

Stephen J. Lee, *Aspects of European History, 1494 - 1789*.

G. Parker, *Europe in Crisis, 1598 - 1648*.

G. Parker and L. M. Smith, *General Crisis of the Seventeenth Century*.

J. H. Parry, *The Age of Reconnaissance*.

Meenaxi Phukan, *Rise of the Modern West: Social and Economic History of Early Modern Europe*.

V. Poliselky, *War and Society in Europe, 1618 - 48*.

Theodore K. Rabb, *The Struggle for Stability in Early Modern Europe*.

V. Scammell, *The First Imperial Age: European Overseas Expansion, 1400 - 1715*.

Jan de Vries, *Economy of Europe in an Age of Crisis 1600-1750*.

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M. S. Anderson, *Europe in the Eighteenth Century*.

Perry Anderson, *The Lineages of the Absolutist State*.

Stuart Andrews, *Eighteenth Century Europe*.

B. H. Slicher von Bath, *The Agrarian History of Western Europe, AD. 500-1850*.

The Cambridge Economic History of Europe, Vol. I - VI.

James B. Collins, *The State in Early Modern France, New Approaches to European History*.

G. R. Elton, *Reformation Europe, 1517 - 1559*.

M. P. Gilmore, *The World of Humanism, 1453-1517*.

Peter Kriedte, *Peasants, Landlords and Merchant Capitalists*.

J. Lynch, *Spain under the Hapsburgs*.

Peter Mathias, *First Industrial Revolution*.

Harry Miskimin, *The Economy of Later Renaissance Europe, 1460-1600*.

Charles A. Nauert, *Humanism and the Culture of the Renaissance* (1996).

The New Cambridge Modern History of Europe, Vols. I - VII.

L. W. Owie, *Seventeenth Century Europe*.

D. H. Pennington, *Seventeenth Century Europe*.

F. Rice, *The Foundations of Early Modern Europe*.

• PART II : COURSE V(a)

HISTORY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA (c.1776-1945)

NOTE : Students shall be expected to answer four questions, Selecting AT LEAST ONE QUESTION FROM EACH UNIT.

UNIT : I

I. The Background :

The land and indigenous people : settlement and colonisation by Europeans; early colonial society and politics; indentured labour — White and Black.

II. Making of the Republic :

- [a] Revolution Sources of conflict : Revolutionary groups, Ideology; The War of Independence and its historical interpretations.
- [b] Processes and Features of Constitution making : Debates : Historical interpretations.

III. Evolution of American Democracy :

- [a] Federalists : Jeffersonianism : Jacksonianism. Rise of political

parties — 1840 to 1860 ; Judiciary — role of the Supreme Court.

[b] Expansion of Frontier : Turner's Thesis ; Marginalisation, displacement and decimation of native Americans: Case histories of : Tecumseh ; Shawnee Prophet .

[c] Limits of democracy : Blacks and women .

IV. Early Capitalism :

[a] Beginnings of Industrialisation .

[b] Immigrants and changing composition of Labour: Early Labour Movements.

UNIT : II

V. The Agrarian South :

[a] Plantation economy. [b] Slave Society and Culture : Slave resistance.

VI. Ante Bellum Foreign Policy :

War of 1812 : Monroe Doctrine : Manifest Destiny.

VII. Civil War :

[a] Abolitionism and Sectionalism. [b] Issues and interpretations. and [c] Rise of Republicanism, Emancipation and Lincoln.

VIII. Reconstructions : Political changes and agrarian transformation :

[a] Conservative and Radical phases.

[b] The New South: Participants and Reactions - Carpet Baggers; Scalawags, Blacks, Ku Klux Klan.

UNIT : III

IX. Industrial America :

[a] Growth of Capitalism and Big Business.

[b] Business cycles; Depression.

X. Resistance and Reform :

[a] Labour movements and Unionisation .

[b] Agrarian crises and populism. Urban corruption and progressivism.

[c] New Deal .

XI. U. S. Imperialism :

(a) Spanish-American War : (b) Expansion in the Far East and Latin America: (c) World War I and Fourteen Points: (d) Isolationism: (e) Americans in World War II : Bombing of Hiroshima and Nagasaki .

XII. Afro-American Movements: Black Movements : Booker T. Washington, W.E.B. Dubois; NAACP and Marcus Garvey.

XIII. Women's Movements :

[a] Rise of the Lowell Factory System [b] Abolitionists and Women's rights movement [c] Suffrage

[d] Afro-American women.

XIV. Religious, Cultural and Intellectual Trends :

[a] Religious movements: Early Revivalism: Puritans; Quakers; Mormons; Temperance.

[b] Mass culture (circa 1900 - 1945).

[c] Major literary trends (circa 1900 - 1945).

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PART II : COURSE V (b) HISTORY OF THE USSR (c. 1917-1964)

NOTE : Students shall be expected to answer four questions, selecting ONE FROM EACH UNIT.

UNIT : I

- I. The Background to the Revolution: peasant movements, industrialization, working class movements.
- II. Literature and the Arts in post-Emancipation Russia.
- III. The War, the Russian Revolutions of 1917 and the Establishment of Soviet Power: the Czarist military defeat; Dual Power; the Nationalities question.

UNIT : II

- IV. The Civil War and War Communism, 1918-21 :
 - [a] The first eight months.
 - [b] Civil War; Red and White economic Policies.
 - [c] The transition to NEP.
- V. The New Economic Policy :
 - [a] Restoration of the market and economic recovery.
 - [b] Political debates, trade unions and the Party; gender relations.
 - [c] Changes in foreign policy and the Comintern; the formation of the USSR.

UNIT : III

- VI. The Debates on economic reconstruction.
- VII. Early Soviet culture: Literature and Cinema.
- VIII. Collectivisation and Planned Industrialization, 1928-41.
- IX. Changes in State and Party Structures, 1930-45.

X. **Social and Cultural Change, 1928 - 1945 : demography, working class, gender relations, nationalities and cultural policies.**

UNIT : IV

XI. **Foreign Policy, Comintern and the second world war, 1929-1945.**

XII. **Soviet History, 1945-56: Industrial and agricultural reconstruction; moves towards Market Socialism, Cold war and foreign policy**

XIII. **The Khrushchev Era: DeStalinization; industrial and agricultural strategies; foreign relations: Soviet Relations with Western Powers, Eastern Europe, China and the Third World.**

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J. Stalin : Problems of Leninism.

PART II : COURSE V(c)

**HISTORY OF AFRICA AND HISTORY OF LATIN AMERICA
(c1500-1960s)**

NOTE : Students shall be expected to answer FOUR questions, selecting TWO FROM EACH UNIT

UNIT : I : AFRICA

I. Main Issues in the Historiography of Africa.

II. Commerce and Migration, c. 1500 - 1900 :

[a] Changing patterns of trade.

[b] The trans-Atlantic slave trade and its repercussions.

[c] Migration of capital and labour, with special reference to southern Africa.

III. Patterns of Colonisation :

[a] Informal empire in the 19th century.

[b] European imperialism and the partition of Africa.

IV. Structures of Colonial Control :

- [a] The French in the Maghreb and West Africa.
- [b] The British in East, West and Southern Africa.
- [c] The Belgians in Congo.

V. Economic Transformations :

- [a] Agriculture and forests.
- [b] Mining.

VI. Emergence of New Identities :

- [a] Islam, Christianity and indigenous religions.
- [b] Race and class in colonial South Africa.
- [c] Language, education and cultural forms.

VII. Popular Protests, Rebellions and National Liberation Movements :

- [a] Peasants.
- [b] Labour.
- [c] Nationalist movements in Algeria, Ghana, Kenya, Congo, Angola and South Africa

UNIT : II : LATIN AMERICA

I. Conquest of America and its Repercussions, with special reference to Mexico and Peru.

II. Economic Transformations :

- [a] Mining. [b] Trade. [c] Agriculture and forests.

III. Social Transformations :

- [a] Decimation of indigenous peoples.
- [b] Demographic changes.
- [c] Emergence of new social classes.

IV. Cultural Transformations :

- [a] Christianity and indigenous religions.
- [b] Mestizo cultures.
- [c] Language and education.

V. Bolivar's Vision and the Emergence of New States in the first half of the 19th Century.

VI. Protests and Rebellions :

- [a] Peasants. [b] Labour. [c] Indigenous communities.

VII. Assertion of the U.S. Hegemony in the Twentieth Century.

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PART II : COURSE V(d)

HISTORY OF SOUTHEAST ASIA, circa 1800 - 1970

(Countries to be covered : Burma, Indonesia, Kampuchea, Thailand and Vietnam)

NOTE : Students shall be expected to answer four questions, selecting AT LEAST ONE FROM EACH UNIT.

UNIT : I

I. Pre-Colonial Structures of Power and Authority, c. 1800.

II. Economy and Society in the early 19th century :

- [a] Patterns of Production in agriculture and the crafts.
- [b] Organisation of trade and banking.
- [c] Cultural expressions : Folk and Classical.
- [d] Islam and popular culture.

UNIT : II

III. Colonisation and Colonial Transformations :

- [a] Processes of colonial control and the Informal Empire in Thailand.
- [b] Peasant society and agrarian transformations, plantations, forests, mining.
- [c] Urbanisation : Colonial cities in Plural Societies.
- [d] Culture : (i) Colonial Discourses and the Creation of "National Cultures", (ii) Oral traditions, literacy and the case of Malay Hikayats, (iii) Creation of "Perfect Natives", (iv) Education.

IV. Migration : Indian and Chinese Labour and Capital.

UNIT : III

V. Movements of Resistance and the Making of New Identities :

- [a] Peasant resistance.
- [b] Radicalism and the Origins of the Vietnamese Revolution, 1920 - 1946.
- [c] Indonesian Revolution, 1945 - 1949.

VI. Emergence of Modern Nations and States :

[a] The Union of Burma (Myanmar), 1948 - 1962.

[b] Indonesia, the Sukarno Era, 1949 - 1965.

[c] Cambodia under Norodom Sihanouk, 1955 - 1970.

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PART III : COURSE VI

HISTORY OF INDIA, AD 1550 - 1750s

NOTE : Students shall be expected to answer FOUR questions, selecting at least ONE FROM EACH UNIT. There may be a MAP question from any one of the four units.

UNIT : I

THE MUGHAL EMPIRE, circa 1550-1707 TERRITORIAL EXPANSION, CONSOLIDATION AND RESISTANCE

I. Expansion and Integration under Akbar :

- [a] Campaigns and conquests: tactics and technology.
- [b] Evolution of administrative system : Zabt; Mansab; Jagir; Umara
- [c] The Mughal ruling class; Akbar's religious ideas: sulh I kul ; relations with religious elites.
- [d] Revolts, Resistance and Intellectual Opposition
- [e] Traditions of Kingship and Service

II. Mughal Dominance under Jahangir and Shah Jahan :

- [a] Extension of Mughal rule, relations with regional groups; changes in Mansab and Jagir systems.
- [b] Orthodoxy and syncretism — Naqshbandi sufis, Mian Mir, Dara Shukoh, Sarmad.

III. Mughal Empire under Aurangzeb :

- [a] State and Religion under Aurangzeb; issues in the war of succession; policies regarding religious groups and institutions.
- [b] Conquests and limits of expansion.
- [c] Beginning of the Crisis : Contemporary perceptions; agrarian and jagir crises; revolts.

UNIT : II

SOCIETY, ECONOMY AND CULTURE UNDER THE MUGHALS

IV. Rural Economy and Society :

- [a] Demography; agricultural zones, forests and the moving Mughal frontier.
- [b] Agricultural production — Mughal and Local strategies; water resources, irrigation; agricultural technology and crop patterns.
- [c] Agrarian structure : ownerships and rights; land revenue system; the Village Community; Zamindars and Peasants; rural tensions.

V. Trade, Exchange System and Urban Society :

- [a] Markets; Trade routes and patterns of internal commerce.
- [b] Merchant Communities; relations with the state.

- [c] Crafts and technologies; urban centres.
- [d] Indian ocean trade network in the 17th century.
- [e] Monetary system — influx of silver and "Price Revolution".

VI. Society and Culture :

- [a] Persian language and culture: translations.
- [b] Genres of Persian literature: histories, memoirs, travelogues.
- [c] Imperial architectural tradition and regional developments.
- [d] Paintings and visual culture.

UNIT : III

REGIONAL FORMATIONS AND THE MUGHAL EMPIRE: 17th and 18th Centuries

VII. Patterns of Regional Politics :

- [a] Rural society and agrarian structure in Rajasthan and Maharashtra.
- [b] Rajput political culture and state formation.
- [c] Deccan kingdoms; emergence of the Marathas; Shivaji; expansion under the Peshwas.
- [d] Mughal decline; wizarat; emergence of successor states.

VIII. Religion, Identity and Culture :

- [a] Vaishnava bhakti and its regional variants; sants and their cults; shrines and pilgrimages.
- [b] Formation of religious identities: Nanakpanthis, Kabirpanthis, Dadupanthis.
- [c] Regional languages and literature.

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PART III : COURSE VII

HISTORY OF INDIA : 1750s - 1950

NOTE : Students shall be expected to answer four questions,
selecting **AT LEAST ONE FROM EACH UNIT**. There may be a
MAP question from any one of the four units.

UNIT : I

- I. **India in the mid- 18th Century : Society, Economy, Polity.**
- II. **Expansion and Consolidation of Colonial Power :**
 - [a] Mercantilism, foreign trade and early forms of exactions from Bengal.
 - [b] Dynamics of expansion : with special reference to Bengal, Mysore, Western India, Awadh, Punjab and Sindh.
- III. **Colonial State and Ideology :**
 - [a] Arms of the colonial state: army, police, law.
 - [b] Ideologies of the Raj and racial attitudes.
 - [c] Education : indigenous and "modern".
- IV. **Rural Economy and Society :**
 - [a] Land revenue systems and forest policy.
 - [b] Commercialisation and indebtedness.
 - [c] Rural society: change and continuity.
 - [d] Famines.
 - [e] Pastoral economy and shifting cultivation.
- UNIT : II**
- V. **Trade and Industry :**
 - [a] De-industrialisation.
 - [b] Trade and fiscal policy.
 - [c] Drain of Wealth.
 - [d] Growth of modern industry.
 - [e] Capitalists and workers.

VI. Cultural Changes and Social and Religious Reform Movements :

- [a] The advent of printing and its implications.
- [b] Reform and Revival : Brahma Samaj, Prarthna Samaj, Ramakrishna and Vivekananda, Arya Samaj, Wahabi, Deoband, Aligarh and Singh Sabha movements.
- [c] Debates around gender.
- [d] Making of religious and linguistic identities.
- [e] Caste : sanskritising and anti - Brahmanical trends.

VII. Popular Resistance :

- [a] Santhal uprising (1856-7); Indigo rebellion (1860); Pabna agrarian leagues (1873); Deccan riots (1875).
- [b] Uprising of 1857.

VIII. Nationalism : Trends up to 1919 :

- [a] Political ideology and organisations; formation of the INC.
- [b] Moderates and extremists.
- [c] Swadeshi movement.
- [d] Revolutionaries.

UNIT : III

IX. Gandhian Nationalism after 1919 : Ideas and Movements :

- [a] Mahatma Gandhi : his Perspectives and Methods.
- [b] (i) Impact of the First World War (ii) Rowlatt Satyagraha and Jallianwala Bagh (iii) Non-Cooperation and Civil Disobedience (iv) Provincial Autonomy, Quit India and INA.
- [c] Left-wing movements.
- [d] Princely India : States' peoples' movements
- [e] Nationalism and Culture : literature and art.

X. Nationalism and Social Groups : Interfaces :

- [a] Landlords, Professionals and Middle Classes.
- [b] Peasants.
- [c] Tribals.
- [d] Labour.
- [e] Dalits
- [f] Women.

[g] Business groups.

XI. Communalism : Ideologies and practices - RSS, Hindu Maha Sabha, Muslim League.

XII. Independence and Partition :

[a] Negotiations for independence and partition [b] Popular movements [c] partition riots.

XIII. Emergence of a New State :

[a] Making of the constitution.

[b] Integration of princely states.

[c] Land reform and beginnings of planning.

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Asiya Siddiqi, *Trade and Finance (Oxford in India Readings).*

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PART III : COURSE VIII

HISTORY OF CHINA AND JAPAN (1840 - 1949)

NOTE : Students shall be expected to answer four questions, selecting TWO QUESTIONS FROM EACH UNIT

UNIT : I (CHINA)

I. Imperialism and China during the 19th century :

[a] Chinese feudalism: Gentry, bureaucracy and peasantry; the Confucian value system; Sinocentrism; the Canton commercial system .

[b] The transformation of China into an 'informal colony' : the Opium Wars; the Unequal Treaties; the scramble for concessions ; Finance Imperialism; the 'Open Door' policy .

[c] Agrarian and popular movements : T'ai ping and Yi Ho Tuan .

[d] Attempts at self-strengthening (tzu-ch'iang) : Reforms of 1860-1895; of 1898; and 1901-08.

II. The Emergence of Nationalism in China :

[a] The Revolution of 1911 : causes and contexts; the social composition of the Revolution; Sun Yat-sen and his contribution; the formation of the Republic and Yuan Shi-kai.

[b] Era of Warlords, 1916-1928.

[c] Cultural and intellectual ferment : May Fourth movement : its nature and significance.

III. Nationalism and Communism in China , 1921-1937 :

[a] The political crises of the 1920s.

[b] Industrialisation.

[c] The changing social structure: new groups and classes.
[d] The First United Front.

IV. The Communist Movement: 1928-1949 :

[a] The Jiang period and the rise of Mao Tse-tung.

[b] The Second United Front.

[c] Civil War.

[d] The dynamics of the Chinese Revolution.

UNIT : II (JAPAN)

I. Transition from feudalism to capitalism :

[a] Crisis of Tokugawa bakuhan system.

[b] Western intrusions and 'unequal' treaties.

[c] Meiji Restoration ; its nature and significance.

[d] Social, cultural and educational reforms (bummei kaika).

[e] Military reforms.

[f] Political reorganisation.

[g] Economic development : agrarian settlement; industrialisation and the problems of the working class.

II. Popular and Democratic Movements :

[a] Satsuma rebellion, [b] Popular Rights Movement, and [c] Meiji Constitution.

III. Japanese Imperialism :

[a] China [b] Korea [c] Manchuria

IV. Democracy and militarism / fascism :

[a] Rise of political parties

[b] Failure of liberal experiment.

[c] Rise of militarism.

[d] Japan and the Second World War

[e] American Occupation

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 Mary C. Wright, *China in Revolution : The First Phase, 1900 - 1913.*

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 George B. Sansom, *The Western World and Japan.*
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 Chitoshi Yanaga, *Japan since Perry.*

PART III : COURSE IX

HISTORY OF MODERN EUROPE : c. 1780 - 1939

NOTE : Students shall be expected to answer four questions, selecting ONE FROM EACH UNIT.

UNIT : I

- I. **Revolution and Reaction, c. 1750 - 1850 :**
 1. The French Revolution and its European repercussions :
 - [a] Crisis of Ancien Regime.
 - [b] Intellectual currents.
 - [c] Social classes and emerging gender relations.
 - [d] Phases of the French Revolution, 1789-99.
 - [e] Art and Culture of French Revolution.
 - [f] Napoleonic consolidation — reform and empire.
 2. Restoration and Revolution : c. 1815 - 1848 :
 - [a] Forces of conservatism - restoration of old hierarchies.
 - [b] Social, political and intellectual currents.

[c] Revolutionary and Radical movements, 1830 - 1848.

UNIT : II

II. Capitalist Industrialisation and Social and Economic Transformation (late 18th century to AD 1914)

- [a] Processes of capitalist development in industry and agriculture; case studies of Britain, France, the German States, and Russia.
- [b] Evolution and Differentiation of social classes: Bourgeoisie, proletariat, land owning classes and peasantry.
- [c] Changing trends in demography and urban patterns.
- [d] Family, gender and process of industrialisation.

III. Varieties of Nationalism and the Remaking of States in the 19th and 20th centuries.

- [a] Intellectual currents, popular movements and the formation of national identities in Germany, Italy, Ireland and the Balkans.
- [b] Specificities of economic development, political and administrative reorganisation - Italy; Germany.

UNIT : III

IV. Liberal Democracy, Working Class Movements and Socialism in the 19th and 20th Centuries :

- [a] The struggle for parliamentary democracy and civil liberties in Britain.
- [b] Forms of protest during early capitalism: food riots in France and England; Luddites and Chartism.
- [c] Early socialist thought; Marxian Socialism - the First and the Second International.
- [d] German Social Democracy — Politics and Culture.
- [e] Christian Democracy as a political and ideological force in western and central Europe.

V. The Crisis of Feudalism in Russia and Experiments in Socialism :

- [a] Emancipation of serfs.
- [b] Russian Populism and Social Democracy.
- [c] Revolutions of 1905; the Bolshevik Revolution of 1917.
- [d] Programme of Socialist Construction.

UNIT : IV

VI. Imperialism, War, and Crisis : c. 1880 - 1939 :

- [a] Theories and mechanisms of imperialism; growth of militarism; Power blocks and alliances; expansion of European empires — War of 1914 - 1918.
- [b] The post-1919 World Order : economic crises, the Great Depression, and Recovery.
- [c] Fascism and Nazism.
- [d] The Spanish Civil War.
- [e] Origins of the Second World War.

VII. Cultural and Intellectual Developments since circa 1850 :

- [a] Changing contexts : [i] Notions of Culture [ii] Creation of a new public sphere and mass media [iii] Mass education - extension of literacy.
- [b] Creation of new cultural forms : from Romanticism to Abstract Art.
- [c] Major intellectual trends : [i] Institutionalisation of disciplines - history, sociology and anthropology [ii] Darwin and Freud.
- [d] Culture and the making of ideologies : Constructions of Race, Class and Gender; ideologies of Empire.

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कोर्स I : भारत का इतिहास (७५० ई. तक)

भारत के इतिहास से सम्बन्धित चारों कोर्स (1,3,6, और 7) के लिए अवश्य देखें : "इतिहास" (भारतीय इतिहास अनुसंधान परिषद् की शोध पत्रिका) अंक १-३ (१९६२, १९६३, १९६४) जो अभी तक प्रकाशित हो चुके हैं।

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