The OSD (University) Raj Bhawan, Patna.

Sub:- Submission of rectified syllabus for M.A. in Ancient History, Culture & Archaeology under CBCS. Sir,

With reference to your letter No. BSU-20/2018-1510/GS(I) dated 05.06.2018, a meeting of the panel of expert has been held on 14.06.2018 from 10:30 A.M at the Raj Bhawan, Patna for the rectification of the syllabus for M.A. in Ancient History, Culture & Archaeology. Duly reviewed and rectified syllabus is submitted herewith as per instructions received.

Sincerely yours

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## **ANCIENT HISTORY CULTURE & ARCHAEOLOGY**

Syllabus for M. A. Academic Session 2018-19 & onwards

## **General Information**

- 1. It is Two Years Master Degree Programme.
- There will be four semesters for the complete programme; Semester I (1<sup>st</sup>Sem), Semester II (2nd Sem), Semester III (3rd Sem) & Semester IV (4<sup>th</sup>Sem),
- Each Semester shall consist of 15-18 weeks of academic work equivalent to 90 actual teaching days. The odd semesters may be scheduled from July to December and even semesters from January to June.
- 4. Two consecutive (one odd + one even) semesters shall constitute one academic year.
- The Master programme will have five types of courses, viz, Core Course (CC), Elective Course (EC), Discipline Specific Course (DSE), Ability Enhancement Courses (AEC) and Ability Enhancement Compulsory Courses (AECC).

Core Courses: The core courses are those courses whose knowledge is deemed essential for the students registered for the programme. All the core courses shall be mandatory for all the students registered for the programme. There will be Fourteen Core Courses spread over first three semesters.

**Elective Courses:** Generally a course which can be chosen from a pool of courses (Basket) and which may be very specific or specialized or advanced or supportive to the subject/ discipline of study of which provides an extended scope.

**Discipline Specific Elective Course (DSE):** Elective courses may be offered by the main discipline/ subject of study is referred to as Discipline Specific Elective. The University may also offer discipline related Elective courses of interdisciplinary nature (to be offered by main discipline/subject of study).

Ability Enhancement Courses (AEC): The Ability Enhancement Courses (AEC)/ Skill Enhancement Courses (SEC). "AEC" courses are the courses based upon the content that leads to life skill enhancement.

Ability Enhancement Compulsory Courses(AECC): (Qualifying and Non-CGPA course): University will run a number of Ability Enhancement Compulsory Courses(AECC) which is qualifying in nature and student from all facilities have to qualify in all courses.

- Each Core, Elective Courses and Discipline Elective Courses (paper) will have 100 marks in full divided into 70 marks for End - Semester Examination and 30 marks for Internal Assessment Work.
- 7. The Internal Assessment Work shall consist or the following components with marks indicated against each:

## i. Attendance

- 5 marks

Below 75 %	- Nil
75%to 80%	- 1 mark
80% to 85 %	- 2 marks
85% to 90 %	- 3 marks
90% to 95 %	- 4 marks
95% to 100 %	- 5 marks

ii. Assignment/presentation and class participation - 5 marks

iii. Internal Assessment test - I

- 10 marks

iv. Internal Assessment test - II

- 10 marks

- 8. The end semester examination covering the entire syllabus prescribed for the course shall be conducted by the examination department of the University in consultation with the department.
- 9. The distribution of marks for the evaluation of semester long excursion/ project/Dissertation shall be:

1 Excurtion & / or Periodic Presentation

30%

2. Project Report/Tour Report

40%

3. Viva- Voce

30%



## Ancient History Culture & Archaeology COURSES OUTLINE

Semester	Paper	Nature of course	Name of the course	Course code	marks	Marks of CIA	Marks of ESE	Passing Criterion	Qualification Criterion
SEMESTER-I	1	CC	Political History of India (From Indus Valley Civilization to 319 A.D)	BSCC 101	100	30	70	45% in CIA 45% in ESE	Marks decide class/ CGPA
	2	CC	Political History of India (From Indus Valley Civilization to 319 A.D)	BSCC 102	100	30	70	45% in CIA 45% in ESE	Marks decide class/ CGPA
	3	CC	Ancient Indian Epigraphy	BSCC 103	100	30	70	45% in CIA 45% in ESE	Marks decide class/ CGPA
	4	CC	Ancient Indian Numismatics	BSCC 104	100	30	70	45% in CIA 45% in ESE	Marks decide class/ CGPA
	5	AECC-1			100	50	50	45% in CIA 45% in ESE	Qualifying
SEMESTER-II	6	CC	Social Economic History of Ancient India	BSCC 105	100	30	70	45% in CIA 45% in ESE	Marks decide
	7	CC	Political History of South – East Asia	BSCC 106	100	30	70	45% in CIA 45% in ESE	Marks decide
	8	CC	Ancient World Civilization	BSCC 107	100	30	70	45% in CIA 45% in ESE	Marks decid
	9	CC	Concept and Technique of Archaeology, Pre and Proto History of Arfica & Excavated Archaeology Sites	BSCC 108	100	30	70	45% in CIA 45% in ESE	Marks decid class/ CGPA
	10	CC	Ancient Indian art, Architecture and Iconography	BSCC 109	100	30	70	45% in CIA 45% in ESE	Marks decid class/ CGPA
	11	AEC-1			100	50	50	45% in CIA 45% in ESE	Qualifying
SEMESTER-III	12	CC	Cultural History of South-East Asia	BSCC 110	100	30	70	45% in CIA 45% in ESE	Marks decid
	13	CC	Pre and Proto History of India and Ancient Potteries	BSCC 111	100	30	70	45% in CIA 45% in ESE	Marks decid
	14	CC	Historiography, History of Bihar and Research Methodology	BSCC 112	100	30	70	45% in CIA 45% in ESE	Marks decid
	15	CC	Religion, Philosophy & Political Administration of Ancient India	BSCC 113	100	30	70	45% in CIA 45% in ESE	Marks decid
	16	CC	Practical	BSCC 114	100	30	70	45% in CIA 45% in ESE	Marks decid
	17	AECC-1			100	50	50	45% in CIA 45% in ESE	Qualifying
SEMESTER-IV	18	EC-1	Subject Specific Elective		100	Will be decided the BOCS	Will be decided the BOCS	45% in CIA 45% in ESE	Marks decid class/ CGP/
	19	EC-2	Subject Specific Elective		100	Will be decided the BOS	Will be decided the BOS	45% in CIA 45% in ESE	Marks decid
	20	DSE-1	Discipline Specific Elective		100	30	70	45% in CIA 45% in ESE	Qualifying
	Or	GE-1	Generic Elective- may be unrelated to subject/across the faculty		100	30	70	45% in CIA 45% in ESE	Qualifying

