



# UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA

## Notification No. CSR/ 12 /18

It is notified for information of all concerned that the Syndicate in its meeting held on 28.05.2018 (vide Item No.14) approved the Syllabi of different subjects in Undergraduate Honours / General / Major courses of studies (CBCS) under this University, as laid down in the accompanying pamphlet:

### List of the subjects

Sl. No.	Subject	Sl. No.	Subject
1	Anthropology (Honours / General)	29	Mathematics (Honours / General)
2	Arabic (Honours / General)	30	Microbiology (Honours / General)
3	Persian (Honours / General)	31	Mol. Biology (General)
4	Bengali (Honours / General /LCC2 /AECC1)	32	Philosophy (Honours / General)
5	Bio-Chemistry (Honours / General)	33	Physical Education (General)
6	Botany (Honours / General)	34	Physics (Honours / General)
7	Chemistry (Honours / General)	35	Physiology (Honours / General)
8	Computer Science (Honours / General)	36	Political Science (Honours / General)
9	Defence Studies (General)	37	Psychology (Honours / General)
10	Economics (Honours / General)	38	Sanskrit (Honours / General)
11	Education (Honours / General)	39	Social Science (General)
12	Electronics (Honours / General)	40	Sociology (Honours / General)
13	English ((Honours / General/ LCC1/ LCC2/AECC1)	41	Statistics (Honours / General)
14	Environmental Science (Honours / General)	42	Urdu (Honours / General /LCC2 /AECC1)
15	Environmental Studies (AECC2)	43	Women Studies (General)
16	Film Studies ( General)	44	Zoology (Honours / General)
17	Food Nutrition (Honours / General)	45	Industrial Fish and Fisheries – IFFV (Major)
18	French (General)	46	Sericulture – SRTV (Major)
19	Geography (Honours / General)	47	Computer Applications – CMAV (Major)
20	Geology (Honours / General)	48	Tourism and Travel Management – TTMV (Major)
21	Hindi (Honours / General /LCC2 /AECC1)	49	Advertising Sales Promotion and Sales Management –ASPV (Major)
22	History (Honours / General)	50	Communicative English –CMEV (Major)
23	Islamic History Culture (Honours / General)	51	Clinical Nutrition and Dietetics CNDV (Major)
24	Home Science Extension Education (General)	52	Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA) (Honours)
25	House Hold Art (General)	53	Bachelor of Fashion and Apparel Design – (B.F.A.D.) (Honours)
26	Human Development (Honours / General)	54	Bachelor of Fine Art (B.F.A.) (Honours)
27	Human Rights (General)	55	B. Music (Honours / General) and Music (General)
28	Journalism and Mass Communication (Honours / General)		

The above shall be effective from the academic session 2018-2019.

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**CBCS SYLLABUS**  
**IN**  
**HISTORY (HONOURS)**

**CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY**

**2018**

# University of Calcutta

## HIS – A

The Three - year B.A. Honours in History will comprise 6 Semesters. The curriculum will consist of 14 Core Courses (CC), 4 Discipline Specific Elective (DSE) courses, 2 Ability Enhancement Compulsory Courses (AECC), 2 Skill Enhancement Courses (SEC) Each course will be of 100 Marks. Attendance: 10 marks per Paper, Internal Assessment: 10 marks per paper.

### ➤ **Core Courses CC**

[Fourteen courses. Each course: 6 credits (5 theoretical segments TH+ 1 for tutorial related segment TU). Total: 84 credits.

- Each course carries 80 marks. Teaching time: 6x14 = 84 hrs  
Minimum 60 classes
- 65 marks for theoretical segment.
- Question Pattern for subjective/descriptive segment of 65 marks: 3 questions out of 6 (within 500 words) (10 x3 = 30) + 4 questions out of 8 within 250 words; 5x4 =20) + 15 objective type questions carrying 1 mark each (15 x 1 = 15).
- 15 marks for tutorial - related segments as suggested below (any one from each mode):
- Any one of the following modes: upto 1000 words for one Term Paper/upto 500 words for each of the two Term Papers/ equivalent Book Review/ --based on syllabus -related and/or current topics .[The modes and themes and/or topics are be decided by the concerned faculty of respective colleges.]
- Core courses: 2 each in Semesters 1 and 2; three each in Semesters 3 and 4; 2 each in Semesters 5 and 6.
- **IMPORTANT NOTES:**  
The Readings provided below include many of those of the UGC Model CBCS Syllabus in History. For further details of Course Objectives and additional references it is advised that the UGC model CBCS syllabus concerning relevant courses and topics should be given due importance and primarily consulted.
- Cited advanced texts in Bengali are not necessarily substitutes, but supplementary to the English books.

- The format is subject to the common structural CBCS format of the University.
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- **Discipline- specific Elective Courses DSE**

Each course: 6 credits 5 for theoretical segment + 1 for tutorial-related segment. **(TH -5 TU-1)**

- DSE-A for Semester -5/6, DSE-B for Semester 5/6**

- Each course carries 80 marks. Minimum 60 classes.
  - 65 marks for theoretical segment.
  - Question Pattern for subjective/descriptive segment of 65 marks: 3 questions out of 6 (within 500 words;  $(10 \times 3 = 30)$  + 4 questions out of 8 (within 250 words;  $5 \times 4 = 20$ ) and 15 objective type questions carrying 1 mark each ( $15 \times 1 = 15$ ).
  - 15 marks for tutorial-related segments as suggested below (any one from each mode): Any one of the following modes: upto 1000 words for one Term Paper/upto 500 words for each of the two Term Papers/ equivalent Book Review/ based on syllabus related and/or current topics [The modes and themes and/or topics of a. and b. to be decided by the concerned faculty of respective colleges.]
- **HIS-A: Skill Enhancement/Skill-based Courses SEC** Each Course: 2 credits . **(Only theoretical.)**  
**SEC –A in Semester 3, SEC –B in Semester 4.**
    - Each course carries 80 marks. Teaching time: 2 hrs per week or  $2 \times 14 = 28$  hrs
    - 80 marks for theoretical segment.
    - Question Pattern for subjective/descriptive segment of 80 marks: 4 questions out of 8 (within 500 words;  $(10 \times 4 = 40)$  + 5 questions out of 10 (within 250 words;  $5 \times 5 = 25$ ) and 15 objective type questions carrying 1 mark each ( $15 \times 1 = 15$ ).
  - **HIS-A: Ability Enhancement Compulsory Courses ( AECC )** Each Course 2 credits
    - AECC -1** : Communicative English/ MIL
    - AECC-2** : Environmental Studies
    - AECC -1 in Semester 1, AECC -2 in Semester 2**

### **IMPORTANT NOTES:**

## LIST OF COURSES FOR HISTORY HONOURS PROGRAMME

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\*Website: BA History (Honours):

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### HIS-A COURSES SEMESTER WISE

	<b>SEM-1</b>	<b>SEM-2</b>	<b>SEM-3</b>	<b>SEM-4</b>	<b>SEM-5</b>	<b>SEM-6</b>
<b>CC</b>	CC- 2TH/ 2TU <b>1&amp; 2</b>	CC- 2TH/2TU <b>3&amp;4</b>	CC- 3TH/3TU <b>5,6&amp;7</b>	CC- 3TH/3TU <b>8,9&amp;10</b>	CC-2TH/2TU <b>11,&amp;12</b>	CC- 2TH/2TU <b>13&amp;14</b>
<b>DSE</b>					DSE-A* DSE-B 2TH/2TU	DSE-A* DSE-B 2TH/2TU
<b>**GE</b>	GE-1 1TH/ 1TU	GE-2 1TH/ 1TU	GE-3 1TH/ 1TU	GE-4 1TH/ 1TU		
<b>AECC</b>	AECC-1 1TH/0 TU	AECC-2 1TH/ 0TU				
<b>SEC</b>			SEC-A 1TH/0 TU	SEC-B 1TH/0 TU		
<b>Total No. of Courses and Marks</b>	4x100= 400	4x100= 400	5x100= 500	5x100= 500	4x100= 400	4x100= 400
<b>Total Credits</b>	20	20	26	26	24	24

**\*HIS-A- DSE** – Candidates can choose any one paper in Semester -5 and another in Semester 6 taking one from Group –A and the other from Group –B

**\*\*HIS-A Generic Elective (GE):** The four Generic Elective papers (courses) for History (Honours) students will be from any subject other than History. Similarly History as Generic Elective will be offered to students having Honours in any subject other than History. The Generic Elective papers in History, for Honours students (for students having Honours in any subject other than History.) will be treated as Core Papers in History, for General students (for BA General Students having History. as a General paper)

COURSE CODE	(6 Credits per Core Course)
<b>Subject-Hon-Core-Semester-Paper-TH&amp;TU</b>	<b>CORE COURSES</b>
HIS-A-CC -1-1-TH&TU	
HIS-A-CC -1-2-TH&TU	
HIS-A-CC -2-3-TH&TU	
HIS-A-CC -2-4-TH&TU	
HIS-A-CC -3-5-TH&TU	
HIS-A-CC -3-6-TH&TU	
HIS-A-CC -3-7-TH&TU	
HIS-A-CC -4-8-TH&TU	
HIS-A-CC -4-9-TH&TU	
HIS-A-CC -4-10-TH&TU	
HIS-A-CC -5-11-TH&TU	
HIS-A-CC -5-12-TH&TU	
HIS-A-CC -6-13-TH&TU	
HIS-A-CC -6-14-TH&TU	
<b>Skill Enhancement Course (2 Credits per Course)</b>	
<b>GROUP-A</b>	<b>HIS-G-SEC-3-A(1) or A(2)-TH</b>
SEC-A-(1)	
SEC-A-(2)	
<b>GROUP-B</b>	<b>HIS-G-SEC-4-B(1) or B(2)-TH</b>
SEC-B-(1)	
SEC-B-(2)	
<b>DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE (6 Credits per Course)</b>	
<b>GROUP-A</b>	<b>Semester 5: DSE A-1/ A-2 &amp; Semester-6: DSE A-3/A4TH&amp;TU</b>
DSE-A-(1)	HIS-A-DSE-A-1-5 TH&TU
DSE-A-(2)	HIS-A-DSE-A-2 -5TH&TU
DSE-A-(3)	HIS-A-DSE-A-3-6 TH&TU
DSE-A-(4)	HIS-A-DSE-A-4 -6 TH&TU
<b>GROUP-B</b>	<b>Semester 5: DSE B-1/ B-2 &amp; Semester-6: DSE A3/A4 TH&amp;TU</b>
DSE-B-(1)	HIS-A-DSE-B--1 -5TH&TU
DSE-B-(2)	HIS-A-DSE-B-2 -5TH&TU
DSE-B-(3)	HIS-A-DSE-B-3-6 TH&TU
DSE-B-(4)	HIS-A-DSE-B-4-6 TH&TU
<b>➤ DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE</b>	
➤ Note: Choose any one paper in Semester -5 and another in Semester 6 taking one from Group -A and the other from Group -B	
<b>GENERIC ELECTIVE (6 Credits per Course)</b>	
➤ Note: Core Courses Designed for General Programme will be offered as Generic Elective courses for students of other Disciplines.	

**Structure of B.A (Hons. ) History Course under CBCS**  
**HIS-A-CC-1-14 TH & TU**

Paper 1 **SEM -1:** History of India (From the Earliest times to C 300 BCE)

Paper 2 **SEM-1:** Social Formations and Cultural Patterns of the Ancient World other than India

Paper 3 **SEM-2:** History of India (c 300 BCE to c.750 CE)

Paper 4 **SEM-2:** Social Formations and Cultural Patterns of the Medieval World other than India

Paper 5 **SEM-3:** History of India (c.750 – 1206)

Paper 6 **SEM-3:** Rise of the Modern West –I

Paper 7 **SEM-3:** History of India (c.1206 – 1526)

Paper 8 **SEM-4:** Rise of the Modern West – II

Paper 9 **SEM-4:** History of India (c.1526-1605)

Paper 10 **SEM-4** History of India (c.1605 – 1750s)

Paper 11 **SEM-5:** History of Modern Europe (c.1780-1939)

Paper 12 **SEM-5:** History of India (c.1750s– 1857)

Paper 13 **SEM-6:** History of India (c. 1857 – 1964)

Paper 14 **SEM-6 :** History of World Politics: (1945-1994)

**HIS-A- DSE TH & TU**

**Discipline Specific Elective DSE (Any Four) Choosing any one paper in Semester -5 and another in Semester 6 taking one from Group –A and the other from Group –B**

Paper 1 **DSE-A-1 SEM -5:** History of Bengal (c.1757-1905)

Paper 2 **DSE-A-3 SEM -6:** History of Bengal (c.1905-1947)

Paper 3 **DSE-B-2 SEM -5:** History of Southeast Asia – The 19<sup>th</sup> Century

Paper 4 **DSE-B-4 SEM -6:** History of Southeast Asia – The 20<sup>th</sup> Century

Paper 5 **DSE-B-1 SEM -5:** History of Modern East Asia – I China (c.1840 – 1949)

Paper 6 **DSE-B-3 SEM -6:** History of Modern East Asia – II Japan (c.1868 – 1945)

Paper 7 **DSE-A-2 SEM -5:** History of United States of America – I (c.1776 – 1945)

Paper 8 **DSE-A-4 SEM -6:** History of United States of America – II (c.1776-1945)

**Skill Enhancement Courses SEC –A & B (Any Two) Choosing one from group-A and one from group-B) in Semester 3 and 4**

SEC -A 1: **SEM-3** Archives and museums

SEC -B 1: **SEM-4** Understanding Popular Culture

SEC-A 2: **SEM-3** Understanding Heritage

SEC-B 2: **SEM-4** Art Appreciation: an Introduction to Indian Art

**\*Generic Elective Courses (GE) - Same as Core courses (CC) offered in the BA General Syllabus.**

# SEM 1

## Detailed Syllabus History Honours

### HIS-A CC –1- 14 TH&TU

#### CC 1 : History of India From the earliest times to C 300 BCE

#### **I. Reconstructing Ancient Indian History:** Sudeshna Mitra 4 lectures

- 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. Hunter-gatherers and the advent of food products** Sunritabari Sen 5 lectures

- a) Paleolithic 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.
- c) Neolithic and Chalcolithic cultures: distribution and subsistence pattern

#### **III. The Harappan civilization:** Shukla Sarkar 5 lectures

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

#### **IV. Cultures in transition** Chaitali Das 5 lectures

Settlement patterns, technological and economic developments; social stratification; political relations; religion and philosophy; the Aryan problem.

- a) North India (circa 1500 BCE – 300 BCE)
- b) Central India and the Deccan (circa 1000 BCE – circa 300 BCE)

#### **Essential Readings**

Agarwal D.P, The Archaeology of India, London, 1982.

Basham A.L, The Wonder That Was India, London, 1954.

Chakrabarti Dilip Kumar, An Oxford Companion to Indian Archaeology, New Delhi, 2006.

Chakrabarti Dilip Kumar, India, An Archaeological History, Delhi, 1999

Sharma R.S, Looking for the Aryans, 1995.

Sharma R.S, Material Cultures and Social Formations in Ancient India, New Delhi, 1983.

Thapar Romila, Early India: From the Origins to AD 1300, London, 2002

#### **Suggested Readings**

Basham A.L ed. A Cultural History of India, New Delhi, 1975.

Ghosh Amalananda, The City in Early Historic India, Shimla, 1973.

Altekar A.S, The Position of Women in Hindu Civilization from Pre-historic times to the Present Day, New Delhi, 1962.

Chattopadhyaya B.D, Studying Early India: Archaeology, Texts and Historical Issues. New Delhi, 2003.

Sircar D.C, Indian Epigraphy, New Delhi, 1965.

Kosambi D.D, An Introduction to the Study of Indian History, Bombay, 1956

Kosambi D.D, Combined Methods in Indology and Other Writings, Edited and Introduced By B.D Chattopadhyaya

Jha D.N, Ancient India: An Introduction, New Delhi, 1998

Chattopadhyay D.P, Science and Society in Ancient India, Calcutta, 1977.

Erdosy George, Urbanization in Early Historic India, Oxford, 1988.



Allchin F.R. (ed). The Archaeology of Early Historic South Asia: The Emergence of Cities and States, Cambridge, 1995.

Staal Frits, Discovering the Vedas : Origins, Mantras, Rituals Insights, New Delhi, 2008.

Possehl G.L, ed. Harappan Civilization- A Recent Perspective, Delhi, 1993 (second edition).

Michell George, The Penguin Guide to the Monuments of India. London, 1989.

Raychaudhuri H.C, Political History of Ancient India with a commentary by B.N.Mukherjee, New Delhi, 1996 (8th edition)

Habib Irfan (General Editor), A People's History of India (Volume 1,2,3), New Delhi.

Shastri K.A Nilakantha, A History of South India, Madras, 1974 (4th Edition)

Lahiri Nayanjyot, The Decline and Fall of the Indus Civilization, New Delhi, 2000.

Ray Nihar Ranjan, Brajadulal Chattopadhyaya, V.R. Mani and Ranabii Chakravarti eds. A Source Book of Indian Civilization, Kolkata, 2000.

Sahu Bhairabi Prasad (ed.). Iron and Social Change in Early India. New Delhi: Oxford University Press, 2006.

Chakraborty Ranabir, Exploring early India, upto circa AD 1300

Kochar R., The Vedic People, New Delhi. 2000.

Majumdar R.C (General Editor), The History & Culture of the Indian People, Volumes I – III, Bombay, 1951,1968, 1970

Sharma R.S, Advent of the Aryans, Manohar, 1999.

Sharma R.S, Aspects of Political Ideas and Institutions in Ancient India. New Delhi, 2005 (reprint).

Sharma R.S, India's Ancient Past, New Delhi, 2005.

Sharma R.S, Perspectives in the Social and Economic History of Early India, New Delhi, 1983.

Sharma R.S, Sudras in Ancient India.

Salomon Richard, Indian Epigraphy: A Guide to the Study of Inscriptions in Sanskrit, Prakrit, and Other Indo-Aryan Languages. New York, 1998.

Thapar Romila (et al). India: Historical Beginnings and the Concept of the Aryan, New Delhi, 2006

Thapar Romila, From Lineage to State, Delhi, 1996 (2nd Edition)

Ratnagar Shireen, (ed), Women in Early Indian Societies. New Delhi, 1999.

Ratnagar Shireen, The End of the Great Harappan Tradition, Delhi, 2000

Roy Kumkum, The Emergence of Monarchy in North India: eighth to fourth centuries BC, NewDelhi, 1994

Ratnagar Shireen, Understanding Harappa, Delhi 2001

Saraswati S.K, A Survey of Indian Sculpture, New Delhi, 1975 (second edition)

Bhattacharji Sukumar, Women and Society in Ancient India. Calcutta, 1994.

Singh Upinder, A History of Ancient and Early Medieval India. Delhi, 2008.

বাসাম এ এল, অতীতের উজ্জ্বল ভারত, (The Wonder That Was India), প্রগ্রেসিভ পাবলিশার্স, কলকাতা, ২০০৫

চক্রবর্তী রণবীর, ভারত ইতিহাসের আদি পর্ব, কলকাতা, ২০০৭

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প্রথম খন্ড – প্রাক-ইতিহাস, (Pre-history) এন বি এ, কলকাতা, ২০০২

দ্বিতীয় খন্ড: সিন্ধু সভ্যতা, (The Indus Civilisation) এন বি এ, কলকাতা, ২০০২

তৃতীয় খন্ড – বৈদিক সভ্যতা, (The Vedic Age) এন বি এ, কলকাতা, ২০০২

ঝা ডি এন, আদি ভারত – একটি সংক্ষিপ্ত ইতিহাস, (Ancient India: An Introduction), প্রগ্রেসিভ পাবলিশার্স, কলকাতা

কোশাম্বী ডি ডি, ভারত ইতিহাস চর্চার ভূমিকা (An Introduction to the Study of Indian History)

বাগচিকে পি এন্ড কোং, কলকাতা, ২০০২

রত্নাগর শিরিণ, হরপ্পা সভ্যতার সন্ধানে (Understanding Harappa) এন বি এ, কলকাতা, ২০০৩  
 রায়চৌধুরী হেমচন্দ্র, প্রাচীন ভারতের রাজনৈতিক ইতিহাস, (Political History of Ancient India),  
 পশ্চিমবঙ্গ রাজ্য পুস্তক পর্ষদ, কলকাতা  
 থাপার রোমিলা, ভারতবর্ষের ইতিহাস, ওরিয়েন্ট লংম্যান, কলকাতা  
 ভট্টাচার্য নরেন্দ্রনাথ, প্রাচীন ভারতে ধর্ম, কলকাতা, ১৯৮৮  
 ভট্টাচার্য নরেন্দ্রনাথ, প্রাচীন ভারতীয় সমাজ, পশ্চিমবঙ্গ রাজ্য পুস্তক পর্ষদ, কলকাতা  
 ভট্টাচার্য সুকুমারী, ইতিহাসের আলোকে বৈদিক সাহিত্য, পশ্চিমবঙ্গ রাজ্য পুস্তক পর্ষদ, কলকাতা  
 ভট্টাচার্য সুকুমারী, প্রাচীন ভারত- সমাজ ও সাহিত্য, আনন্দ পাবলিশার্স, কলকাতা  
 চক্রবর্তী দিলীপ কুমার - ভারতবর্ষের প্রাক ইতিহাস আনন্দ পাবলিশার্স, কলকাতা, ১৯৯৯  
 গঙ্গোপাধ্যায় দিলীপ কুমার - ভারত ইতিহাসের সন্ধানে, (২ খন্ডে), ২০০৭  
 চক্রবর্তী রণবীর, প্রাচীন ভারতের অর্থনৈতিক ইতিহাসের সন্ধানে, আনন্দ পাবলিশার্স, কলকাতা ২০০২  
 (সংশোধিত সংস্করণ)  
 চানানা দেবরাজ, প্রাচীন ভারতে দাস প্রথা, (Slavery in Ancient India as depicted in Pali and  
 Sanskrit Texts), কে পি বাগচি এন্ড কোং, কলকাতা ১৯৯৫  
 রায় নীহাররঞ্জন, বাঙালির ইতিহাস, কলকাতা, ১৯৮০ (দ্বিতীয় সংস্করণ)  
 শর্মা রামশরণ, প্রাচীন ভারতে বস্তুগত সংস্কৃতি ও সমাজ সংগঠন, (Material Cultures and Social  
 Formations in Ancient India), ওরিয়েন্ট লংম্যান, ১৯৯৮  
 শর্মা রামশরণ, আদি মধ্যযুগের ভারতীয় সমাজ : সমস্ত-প্রক্রিয়া বিষয়ে এক সমীক্ষা (Early  
 Medieval Indian Society : A Study in Feudalism) ওরিয়েন্ট লংম্যান, ২০০৩  
 শর্মা রামশরণ, ভারতের সমাজতন্ত্র, (Indian Feudalism), কে পি বাগচি এন্ড কোং, কলকাতা  
 শর্মা রামশরণ, আর্যদের অনুসন্ধান, (Looking for the Aryans), প্রগ্রেসিভ পাবলিশার্স, কলকাতা  
 শর্মা রামশরণ, আর্যদের ভারতে আগমন, (Advent of the Aryans), ওরিয়েন্ট লংম্যান, ২০০১  
 শর্মা রামশরণ, প্রাচীন ভারতে শূদ্র, (Sudras in Ancient India), কে পি বাগচি এন্ড কোং, কলকাতা  
 থাপার রোমিলা, অশোক ও মৌর্যদের পতন, (Asoka and the Decline of the Mauryas), কে পি  
 বাগচি এন্ড কোং, কলকাতা  
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 মুদ্রণ, এপ্রিল ২০০৪  
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 ফেব্রুয়ারি ২০০৪  
 মুখোপাধ্যায় হীরেন্দ্রনাথ, ভারতবর্ষের ইতিহাস (১ম খন্ড) (প্রাচীন ও মধ্যযুগ), পশ্চিমবঙ্গ রাজ্য  
 পুস্তক পর্ষদ, প্রথম মুদ্রণ নভেম্বর ১৯৯৭

## SEM 1

### **CC-2 : Social Formations and Cultural Patterns of the ancient world other than India**

**I. Evolution of human kind:** Paleolithic and Mesolithic cultures – Role of kinship social institutions in the development of early societies. [Chaitali Das 5 lectures](#)

**II. Food production :** beginnings of agriculture and animal husbandry. [Chaitali Das 4 lectures](#)

**III. Bronze Age civilizations,** with reference to any one of the following : i) Egypt (Old Kingdom); ii) China (Shang), economy, social stratification, state structure, religion. [Sudeshna Mitra 4 lectures](#)

**IV. Nomadic groups in Central and West Asia;** Debate on the advent of iron and its implications. [Sudeshna Mitra 5 lectures](#)

**V. Slave society in ancient Greece & Rome:** agrarian economy, urbanization, trade. [Shukla Sarkar 4 lectures](#)

**VI. Polis in ancient Greece:** Athens and Sparta; Greek culture. [Sunritabari Sen 4 lectures](#)

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গৰ্ডন চাইল্ড, সোশ্যাল ইভলিউশন, অসিত চৌধুরী (ভাষান্তৰ), দীপায়ন, কলকাতা, ১৪০৫ বঙ্গাব্দ।

গৰ্ডন চাইল্ড, ম্যান মেক্স হিমসেলফ, মগন দাস (ভাষান্তৰ), দীপায়ন, কলকাতা, ১৯৯৯।

গৰ্ডন চাইল্ড, হোয়াট হ্যাপেনড ইন হিষ্ট্রি, দীপায়ন, কলকাতা।

জন ডেসমন্ড বার্নাল, ইতিহাসে বিজ্ঞান, আনন্দ, কলকাতা।

কুণাল চট্টোপাধ্যায় ও সুজাত ভদ্র, প্রাচীন গ্রীসের সমাজ ও স্নগস্কৃতি, প্রগ্রেসিভ, কলকাতা ।

সুপ্রতিম দাস, গ্রীস অনুসন্ধান, প্রগ্রেসিভ, কলকাতা ।

## SEM 2

### CC-3 : History of India C 300 BCE to C 750 CE

#### **I. Economy and Society (circa 300 BCE to circa CE 300)**

Chaitali Das 5 lectures

- 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.

#### **II. Changing political formations (circa 300 BCE to circa CE 300) :**

Sudeshna Mitra 4 lectures

- a) The Mauryan Empire
- b) Post-Mauryan Polities with special reference to the Kushanas and the Satavahanas; Gana-Sanghas

#### **III. Towards early medieval India (circa CE fourth century to CE 750):**

Shukla Sarkar 6 lectures

- 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.

Aparna Chattopadhyay 4 lectures

#### **IV. Religion, philosophy and society (circa 300 BCE – CE 750)**

Sunritabari Sen 5 lectures

- a) Consolidation of the Brahmanical tradition : dharma, Varnashram, Purushastras, Samskaras.
- b) Theistic cults (from circa second century BC): Mahayana; the Puranic tradition.
- c) The beginnings of Tantricism.

#### **V. Cultural developments (circa 300 BCE to circa CE 750):**

Sunritabari Sen 4 lectures

- a) A brief survey of Sanskrit, Pali, Prakrit and Tamil literature. Scientific and technical treatises.
- b) Art and architecture and forms and patronage; Mauryan , Post-Mauryan, Gupta , Post-Gupta

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রোমিলা থাপার, অশোক ও মৌর্যদের পতন, (Asoka and the Decline of the Mauryas), কে পি বাগচি এন্ড কোং, কলকাতা

সুনীল চট্টোপাধ্যায়, প্রাচীন ভারতের ইতিহাস (১ম খন্ড), পশ্চিমবঙ্গ রাজ্য পুস্তক পর্ষদ, একাদশ মুদ্রণ, এপ্রিল ২০০৪

সুনীল চট্টোপাধ্যায়, প্রাচীন ভারতের ইতিহাস (২য় খন্ড), পশ্চিমবঙ্গ রাজ্য পুস্তক পর্ষদ, ৮ম মুদ্রণ, ফেব্রুয়ারি ২০০৪

হীরেন্দ্রনাথ মুখোপাধ্যায়, ভারতবর্ষের ইতিহাস (১ম খন্ড) (প্রাচীন ও মধ্যযুগ), পশ্চিমবঙ্গ রাজ্য পুস্তক পর্ষদ, প্রথম মুদ্রণ নভেম্বর ১৯৯৭

## SEM 2

### **CC-4 : Social Formations and Cultural patters of the Medieval World other than India**

- **CANDIDATES CAN CHOOSE EITHER GROUP- A OR B, GROUP –C IS COMPULSORY**

#### **GROUP- A**

##### **I. Arabia: Bedouin Society:**

- a) Tribal Organization (families and clans)
- b) System of Alliances
- c) Economic Structure
- d) Language and poetry

##### **II. The Steppes:**

- a) A brief outline of Central Asia (Geography and History)
- b) Mongols :
  - (i) The strategic location of Mongolia;
  - (ii) Mongol Society: Tribal organization, different tribal formations, unification of the tribes under Chenghiz Khan
  - (iii) Brief outlines of the Mongol Empire: Case Study: The Golden Horde, Tatar rule in Russia
- c) The Turks:
  - (i) Conversion of the Turks to Islam from Buddhism
  - (ii) Brief history of the Seljuks and the Ottomans
  - (iii) The rise of the Ottoman Empire
  - (iv) Ottoman Society and Administration.

#### **GROUP- B**

##### **III. Crisis of the Roman Empire and its principal causes: Historiography**

SM 4 lectures

**IV. Religion and Culture in Medieval Europe:** Society, Religious organizations (Church and Monastery), Carolingian renaissance 12<sup>th</sup> century renaissance, Position of Women in Medieval Europe, Witchcraft and Magic, Urbanization, Rise of University, Medieval art and architecture. SS2 5 lectures

##### **V. The feudal society its origins and its crisis: Historiography**

CD 5 lectures

#### **GROUP- C**

##### **VI. Judaism and Christianity under Islam**

SS1 5 lectures

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## SEM3

### CC-5 : History of India (CE 750 – 1206)

#### **I. Studying Early Medieval India:**

SS1 5 lectures

Historical geography sources: texts, epigraphic and numismatic data. Debates on Indian Feudalism, rise of the Rajputs and the nature of the state.

#### **II. Political Structures:**

- a) Evolution of political structures: Rashtrakutas, Palas, Pratiharas, Rajputs and Cholas. AC 2 lectures
- b) Legitimization of kingship; Brahmanas and temples; royal genealogies and rituals AC 2 lectures
- c) Arab conquest of Sindh : nature and impact of the new set-up; Ismaili Dawah SG 2 lectures
- d) Cause and consequences of early Turkish invasions : Mamud of Ghazna; Shahab-ud-Din of Ghur. SG 2 lectures

#### **III. Agrarian structure and social change:**

CD 5 lectures

- a) Agricultural expansion; crops
- b) Landlords and peasants
- c) Proliferation of castes: status of untouchables
- d) Tribes as peasants and their place in the Varna order

#### **IV. Trade and Commerce**

SS2 5 lectures

- a) Inter-regional trade
- b) Maritime trade
- c) Forms of exchange
- d) Process of urbanization
- e) Merchant guilds of South India

SM 4 lectures

#### **V. Religious and Cultural developments:**

- a) Bhakti, Tantrism, Puranic traditions; Buddhism and Jainism; Popular religious cults.
- b) Islamic intellectual traditions: Al-Biruni; Al-Hujwiri
- c) Regional languages and literature

d) Art and architecture: Evolution of regional styles.

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Yadava, B.N.S, Society & Culture in North India in the 12th century  
Yazdani, G., (ed), The Early History of the Deccan

বাসাম এ এল, অতীতের উজ্জ্বল ভারত, (The Wonder That Was India), প্রোগ্রেসিভ পাবলিশার্স, কলকাতা,  
২০০৫

মুখোপাধ্যায় হীরেন্দ্রনাথ, ভারতবর্ষের ইতিহাস (১ম খন্ড) (প্রাচীন ও মধ্যযুগ), পশ্চিমবঙ্গ রাজ্য পুস্তক পর্ষদ,  
প্রথম মুদ্রণ নভেম্বর ১৯৯৭

ভট্টাচার্য, নরেন্দ্রনাথ, ধর্ম ও সংস্কৃতিক: প্রাচীন ভারতীয় প্রেক্ষাপট

চক্রবর্তী রণবীর, প্রাচীন ভারতের অর্থনৈতিক ইতিহাসের সন্ধান, আনন্দ পাবলিশার্স, কলকাতা ২০০২

চক্রবর্তী রণবীর, ভারত ইতিহাসের আদি পর্ব, ওরিয়েন্ট লংম্যান, কলকাতা, ২০০৭

সেন সমরেন্দ্রনাথ, বিজ্ঞানের ইতিহাস, শৈব্যা প্রকাশন, ১৯৯৬

শর্মা রামশরণ, ভারতের সামন্ততন্ত্র, (Indian Feudalism), কে পি বাগচি এন্ড কোং, কলকাতা

শর্মা রামশরণ, আদি মধ্যযুগের ভারতীয় সমাজ: সামন্ত-প্রক্রিয়া বিষয়ে এক সমীক্ষা (Early Medieval  
Indian Society: A Study in Feudalisation), ওরিয়েন্ট লংম্যান, ২০০৩

## SEM 3

### CC-6 : Rise of the Modern West - I

- I. Transition Debate on transition from feudalism to capitalism: problems and theories. CD 3 lectures
- II a) The exploration of the new world: motives. CD 4 lectures  
b.) Portugese and Spanish voyages.
- III. a) Renaissance : its social roots SS1 6 lectures  
b.) Renaissance humanism  
c.) Rediscovery of classics  
d.) Italian renaissance and its impact on art, culture, education and political thought.  
e.) Its spread in Europe
- IV. a) Reformation movements: Origins & courses SS1 4 lectures  
b.) Martin Luther & Lutheranism  
c.) John Calvin & Calvinism  
d.) Radical reformation: Anabapists and Huguenots  
e.) English reformation and the role of the state  
f.) Counter Reformation
- V. a) Economic developments CD 4 lectures  
b.) Shift of economic balance from the Mediterranean to the Atlantic  
c.) Commercial Revolution  
d.) Price Revolution  
e.) Agricultural Revolution and the Enclosure Movement
- VI. a) Development of national monarchy SS1  
b.) Emergence of European state system

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## SEM 3

### CC-7 : HISTORY OF INDIA (c.1206-1526)

#### **I. Interpreting the Delhi Sultanate:**

Survey of sources: Persian tarikh tradition; vernacular histories; epigraphy

SS2 2 lectures

#### **II. Sultanate Political Structures:**

SS2 5 lectures

- a. Foundation, expansion and consolidation of the Sultanate of Delhi; the Khaljis and the Tughluqs; Mongol threat and Timur's invasion; Rise and fall of Syed dynasty; The Lodis; Conquest of Bahlul and Sikandar; Ibrahim Lodi and the battle of Panipat;
- b. Theories of Kingship; Ruling elites; Sufis, Ulama and the political authority; imperial monuments and coinage
- c. Emergence of provincial dynasties: Bahamanis, Vijayanagar, Gujarat, Malwa, Jaunpur and Bengal
- d. Consolidation of regional identities: regional art, architecture and literature

#### **III. Society and Economy:**

SM 4 lectures

- a. Iqta and the revenue-free grants
- b. Agriculture production; technology
- c. Changes in rural society; revenue systems
- d. Monetization; market regulations; growth of urban centres; trade and commerce; Indian Ocean trade

#### **IV. Religion and Culture:**

SM 5 lectures

- a. Sufi silsilas: Chishtis and Suhrawardis; doctrines and practices; social roles.
- b. Bhakti movements and monotheistic traditions in South and North India; Women Bhaktas; Nathpanthis; Kabir, Nanak and the Sant tradition
- c. Sufi literature; Malfuzat; Premakhayans
- d. Architecture of the Delhi Sultanate

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## SEM 4

### CC-8 : Rise of the Modern West - II

- I.** a) Printing Revolution. CD 3 lectures  
b) Revolution in war techniques
- II.** a.) Crisis in Europe in the 17<sup>th</sup> century CD 4 lectures  
b.) Its economic, social and political dimensions
- III.** a.) The English Revolution : major issues CD 4 lectures  
b.) Political and intellectual issues
- IV.** a.) Scientific Revolution SS1 3 lectures  
b.) Emergence of scientific academies  
c.) Origins of Enlightenment
- Va.) Mercantilism and European economics SS1 3 lecture  
b.) Preludes to the Industrial Revolution
- VI.** a.) European Politics in the 17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup> Century SS1 3 lectures  
b.) Parliamentary monarchy  
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## SEM 4

### CC-9 : History of India (c 1526 – 1605)

#### **I. Sources and Historiography:**

- a) Persian literary culture; translations; Vernacular literary traditions. SM 2 lectures
- b) Modern Interpretations

#### **II. Establishment of Mughal rule:**

- a) India on the eve of Babur's Invasion SG 5 lectures
- b) Fire arms, military technology and warfare
- c) Humayun's struggle for empire
- d) Sher Shah and his administrative and revenue reforms

#### **III. Consolidation of Mughal rule under Akbar:**

- a) Campaigns and conquests: tactics and technology SS2 3 lectures
- b) Evolution of administrative institutions : Zabt, Masnab, Jagir, Madad-I-Maash
- c) Revolts and resistance

#### **IV. Expansion and Integration:**

- a) Incorporation of Rajputs and other indigenous groups in Mughal nobility. SS2 2 lectures
- b) North-West frontier, Gujarat and the Deccan CD 2 lectures
- c) Conquest of Bengal CD 2 lectures

#### **V. Rural Society and Economy:**

- a) Land rights and revenue system; Zamindars and Peasants; rural tensions
- b) Extension of agriculture; agricultural production; crop patterns
- c) Trade routes and patterns of internal commerce; overseas trade; rise of Surat

CD 3 lectures

#### **VI. Political and religious ideals:**

- a) Inclusive political ideas: theory and practice
- b) Religious tolerance and Sulh-i-kul; Sufi mystical and intellectual interventions
- c) Pressure from the Ulama

#### **Readings**

For readings – see the listing given in Paper -10



## SEM 4

### CC-10: History of India (c 1605 – 1750s)

**I. Sources: Persian and vernacular literary cultures, histories, memoirs and travelogues**

SS2 2 lec

**II. Political Culture under Jahangir and Shah Jahan** SM 4 lectures

- a) Extension of Mughal rule; changes in Mansab and Jagir systems; imperial culture
- b) Orthodoxy and syncretism – Naqshbandi Sufis, Miyan Mir, Dara Shukoh, Samrad

**III. Mughal Empire under Aurangzeb** SS2 4 lectures

- 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.

**IV. Visual Culture: Paintings and Architecture** AC 2 lectures

**V. Patterns of Regional Politics:** SS2 4 lectures

- a) Rajput political culture and state formation
- b) Deccan kingdoms; emergence of the Marathas; Shiva; expansion under the Peshwas
- c) Mughal decline; emergence of successor states
- d) Interpreting eighteenth century India: recent debates

**V. Trade and Commerce** SM 4 lectures

- a) Crafts and technologies; Monetary system
- b) Markets, transportation, urban centres
- c) Indian Ocean trade network

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 চন্দ্র সতীশ, মুঘল দরবারে দল ও রাজনীতি, (Parties and politics at the Mughal Court 1707-1740) কে পি বাগচি এন্ড কোং, কলকাতা

চৌধুরী বিনয় ভূষণ ও অন্যান্যরা, বাংলার কৃষি সমাজের গঠন, কে পি বাগচি এন্ড কোং, কলকাতা

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হাবিব ইরফান, মুঘল ভারতের কৃষি ব্যবস্থা, (The Agrarian System of Mughal India (1556-1707)), কে পি বাগচি এন্ড কোং, কলকাতা

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(মুঘল ও ব্রিটিশ ভারত, পশ্চিমবঙ্গ রাজ্য পুস্তক পর্ষদ, কলকাতা ১৯৯৮

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## SEM 5

### CC-11: History of Modern Europe (c.1780 – 1939)

#### **I. The French Revolution and its European repercussions:**

SS2 5 lectures

- a) Crisis of *ancien regime*
- b) Intellectual currents
- c) Social classes and emerging gender relations.
- d) Phases of the French Revolution
- e) Art and Culture of French Revolution
- f) Napoleonic consolidation – reform and empire.

#### **II. Restoration and Revolution: c.1815 - 1848**

SS2 3 lectures

- a) Forces of conservatism and restoration of old hierarchies.
- b) Social, Political and intellectual currents.
- c) Revolutionary and Radical movements, 1830 -1848

#### **III. Capitalist Industrialization and Social and Economic Transformation (Late 18<sup>th</sup> century to AD 1914)**

CD lectures

- a) Process 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 industrialization.

#### **IV. Varieties of Nationalism and the Remaking of States in the 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> centuries.**

SS1 lectures

- a) Intellectual currents, popular movements and the formation of National identities in Germany, Italy, Ireland and the Balkans.
- b) Specifications of economic development, political and administrative Reorganization – Italy; Germany.
- c) Revolutions of 1905; the Bolshevik Revolution of 1917
- d) Programme of Socialist Construction and the Soviet Union during the inter-war period 1918-39.

#### **V. Imperialism, War and Crisis: c.1880 - 1918**

CD 5 lectures

- a) Theories and mechanisms of imperialism;
- b) Growth of Militarism;
- c) Power blocks and alliances;
- d) Expansion of European empires
- e) War of 1914 - 1918

#### **VI. Europe between Two World Wars: SM 4 lectures**

- a) Post War Europe: A Diplomatic History
- b) The Great Depression
- c) Rise of Fascism in Italy and Nazism in Germany
- d) The Spanish Civil War
- e) Policy of Appeasement and Russo German Non-Aggression Pact
- f) Origins and Course of the Second World War

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Hunt Lynn, Politics, Culture and Class in the French Revolution  
Joll James, Europe Since 1870  
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Lefebvre George, Coming of the French Revolution  
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Mansergh Nicholas, The Irish Question, 1840 – 1921  
Morgan K.O, Oxford Illustrated History of Britain, Volume 3 (1789-1983)  
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Perrot M. and Duby G. [eds.], A History of Women in the West, Volumes 4 and 5  
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Riasanovsky N.V, A History of Russia  
Robert J.M, Europe 1880 to 1985  
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Schamma Simon , Citizens: A chronicle of the French Revolution  
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Taylor A.J.P, Europe: Grandeur and Decline  
Taylor A.J.P, The Course of German History  
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Taylor, A.J.P, The Struggle for Mastery in Europe  
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(১৮৫১-১৯১৪) প্রগ্রেসিভ পাবলিশার্স, কলকাতা ২০০২ ও ২০০৩  
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কলকাতা, ২০১৩

## SEM 5

### CC-12: History of India (c 1750s – 1857)

**I. India in the mid 18<sup>th</sup> Century;** Society, Economy, Polity **SS1 2 lectures**

**II. Expansion and Consolidation of Colonial Power :** **SS1 4 lectures**

- 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:** **SM 3 lectures**

- 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:** **CD 5 lectures**

- a) Land revenue systems and forest policy
- b) Commercialization and indebtedness
- c) Rural society : change and continuity.
- d) Famines
- e) Pastoral economy and shifting cultivation.

**V. Trade and Industry** **SM 5 lectures**

- a) De industrialization
- b) Trade and fiscal policy
- c) Drain of Wealth
- d) Growth of modern industry

**VI. Popular Resistance:** **SS2 5 lectures**

- a) Santhal uprising (1857); Indigo rebellion (1860); Pabna Agrarian Leagues(1873); Deccan riots (1875)
- b) Uprising of 1857

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Bagchi, Amiya, Private Investment in India  
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## SEM 6

### CC-13 : History of India (c. 1857 – 1964)

#### **I. Cultural changes and Social and Religious Reform Movements:**

- a) Growth of a new intelligentsia – the Press and Public Opinion SS1 3 lectures
- b) Reform and Revival : Brahmo Samaj, Prarthna Samaj, and Ramakrishna and Vivekananda, Arya Samaj, Wahabi, Deoband, Aligarh and Singh Sabha Movements. SG 2 lectures
- c) Debates around gender SS1 2 lectures
- d) Making of religious and linguistic identities SS1 2 lectures
- e) Caste : Sanskritising and anti Brahminical trends SS1 2 lectures

#### **II. Nationalism : Trends up to 1919**

- a) Formation of early political organizations SS1 2 lectures
- b) Moderates and extremists SS1 2 lectures
- c) Swadeshi movement SG 2 lectures
- d) Revolutionaries SG 2 lectures

#### **III. Gandhian nationalism after 1919 : Ideas and Movements:** CD 5 lectures

- a) Mahatma Gandhi : his Perspectives and Methods
- b) i) Impact of the First World War
- ii) Rowlatt Satyagraha and Jalianwala Bagh
- iii) Non-Cooperative and Civil Disobedience
- iv) Provincial Autonomy, Quit India and INA SG 3 lectures
- c) Left wing movements
- d) Princely India : States people movements

#### **IV. Nationalism and Social Groups : Interfaces:**

- a) Landlords, Professionals and Middle Classes CD 5 lectures
- b) Peasants
- c) Tribals
- d) Labours
- e) Dalits
- f) Women
- g) Business groups

#### **V. Communalism : Ideologies and practices, RSS , Hindu Maha Sabha, Muslim League**

SS2 3 lectures

#### **VI. Independence and Partition**

SS2 2 lectures

- a) Negotiations for independence and partition
- b) Popular movements
- c) Partition riots SM 2 lectures

#### **VII. Emergence of a New State:** SM 5 lectures

- a) Making of the Constitution
- b) Integration of princely states
- c) Land reform and beginnings of planning
- d) The Nehru years.

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পাবলিশার্স, কলকাতা  
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পুস্তক পর্ষদ, ৪র্থ মুদ্রণ, ১৯৯৮  
সুর নিখিল, ভারতীয় জাতীয়তাবাদী আন্দোলনের পটভূমি, পশ্চিমবঙ্গ রাজ্য পুস্তক পর্ষদ, ১৯৮৯  
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## SEM 6

### CC-14 : History of World Politics: 1945-1994

- I. The Cold War: Weakening of European balance of power: Origins of The Cold War: Yalta and Potsdam Conferences; End of wartime alliance. **SS2 4 lectures**
- II. The USA in World Politics: Truman Doctrine, Marshall Plan, NATO. **SS2 3 lectures**
- III. The USSR in World Politics: Molotov Plan, COMECON and Cominform; Sovietisation of Eastern Europe; Berlin Blockade; Warsaw Pact. **CD 4 lectures**
- IV. Manifestation of Cold War: The Korean Crisis- End of French Colonial rule in Indo-China and the Vietnam War – Cuban Crisis. **CD 3 lectures**
- V. De-Stalinisation; Thaw in Cold War; Détente and road to the ending of Cold War. **CD 3 lectures**
- VI. Disintegration and Decline of the Soviet Union – Glasnost and Perestroika – Crisis of Socialist regimes in other East European Countries: Poland, Germany, Czechoslovakia, Hungary – Response of the USA; Rise of a Unipolar World system, Globalization. **SM 4 lectures**
- VII. Emergence of the People’s Republic of China – China and the USA – Sino-Soviet rift. **SM 3 lectures**
- VIII. West Asian Crisis – Palestine and Western Powers – Birth of Israel – Arab-Israel Conflict –The Suez Crisis (1956); Origin and Formation of PLO; Yom Kippur War(1973) ; Camp David Accord(1979); Oslo Peace Accord(1993). **SS1 4 lectures**
- IX. Decolonization: The African Case Study: Ghana, Algeria, Congo, Kenya. **SS1 4 lectures**
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## SEM 5

### Discipline Specific Elective: DSE TH&TU

#### Paper 1 DSE-A-1 SEM -5: History of Bengal (c.1757-1905)

- I. Political history of Bengal under the Nawabs: Rise of British power in Bengal from the battle of Plassey to Buxar. **SS1 3 lectures**
- II. Administrative history: 1765--1833 **CD 3 lectures**
- III. Colonial economy: - Agriculture, trade and industry. **SM 2 lectures**
- IV. Cultural changes and Social and Religious Reform Movements: **SM 4 lectures**  
Christian missionaries- The advent of printing and its implications, education: Indigenous and western - Hindu and Muslim religious revivalist movements.
- V. Social Reforms and the women's question. **SS1 2 lectures**
- VI. Protest movements and insurgencies against the Raj: The Fakir and Sannyasi revolts, Indigo Revolt (1859-1860), Pabna Peasant Uprisings (1873-76) **SS2 4 lectures**
- VII. Partition of Bengal 1905: Curzon and the administrative blueprint. **SG**

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চন্দ্র বিপান এবং অন্যান্য, ভারতবর্ষ – স্বাধীনতার পরে, , আনন্দ পাবলিশার্স, কলকাতা  
চন্দ্র বিপান, আধুনিক ভারত: ঔপনিবেশিকতাবাদ ও জাতীয়তাবাদ, কে পি বাগচি এন্ড কোং,  
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পাবলিকেশনস, কলকাতা, ২০০৩

দেশাই এ আর, ভারতীয় জাতীয়তাবাদের সামাজিক পটভূমি, কে পি বাগচি এন্ড কোং, কলকাতা

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ত্রিপাঠী অমলেশ, স্বাধীনতা সংগ্রামে ভারতের জাতীয় কংগ্রেস ১৮৮৫-১৯৪৭। কলকাতা আনন্দ  
পাবলিশার্স, ২০১২।

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পর্ষদ, ১৯৯৮

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## SEM 6

### Paper 2 DSE-A-3 SEM -6: History of Bengal (c.1905-1947)

- I. Partition of Bengal and Swadeshi Movement (1905-08) Political ideology and organizations, rise of Extremism in Bengal, Swadeshi movement, Revolutionary terrorism. AC 3 lectures
- II. Communal Politics: 1906- 30 Birth of Muslim League, and the Hindu response. SS2 2 lectures
- III. Gandhian nationalism after 1919, Non- Cooperation and Khilafat movement, Swaraj party, Civil Disobedience movement, Revolutionary Nationalists and the beginnings of Left politics in the 1920s, Rise of Krishak Praja Party, Muslim League in Bengal politics. CD 5 lectures
- IV. Government of India Act 1935 and its aftermath: SS1 2 lectures
- V. Peasant Movements in Bengal 1920-1946, Labour Movement in Bengal 1920-1946, Caste Movement in Bengal 1920-1946, Women's Movements in Bengal 1920-1946. SS1 5 lectures
- VI. Subhash Chandra Bose and the Congress, Quit India Movement in Bengal, Post war upsurges in Bengal- Left wing movements. SS2 5 lectures
- VIII. Independence and Partition: Communal Riots, the great Calcutta killing and Noakhali riots, Hindu Mahasabha, Muslim League, freedom and Partition, Birth of West Bengal and East Pakistan. SM

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## **Paper 3 DSE-B-2 SEM -5: History of Southeast Asia – The 19<sup>th</sup> Century**

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

### **II. Economy and Society in early 19<sup>th</sup> c.**

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

### **III. Colonisation and Colonial Transformations:**

- a) Processes of colonial controls 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 Culture
- ii) Oral traditions, literacy and the case of Malay Hikayats.
- iii) Creation of Perfect Natives
- iv) Education

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Wyatt, David K, *Thailand: Studies in Thai History*, 1999

## **Paper 4 DSE-B-4 SEM -6: History of Southeast Asia – The 20<sup>th</sup> Century**

### **I. Migration : Indian and Chinese Labour and Capital**

### **II. 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

### **III. Emergence of Modern Nations and States**

- a) The Union of Burma (Mynamar), 1948-1962
- b) Indonesia, the Sukarno Era, 1949-1965
- c) Two Vietnams : 1946 - 1976

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## SEM 5

### Paper 5 DSE-B-1 SEM -5: History of Modern East Asia – I China (c.1840 – 1949)

#### I. Imperialism and China during the 19<sup>th</sup> and early 20<sup>th</sup> century

- a) Chinese feudalism : Gentry, Bureaucracy and peasantry; the Confucian value system; Sinocentrism; the canton commercial system [CD 4 lectures](#)
- 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. [AC 3 lectures](#)
- c) Agrarian and Popular Movements : Taiping and Yi Ho Tuan [AC 3 lectures](#)
- d) Attempts at Self-Strengthening (Tzu-Chiang): Reforms of 1860-95; 1898; and 1901-08. [AC 2 lectures](#)
- ii) The Emergence of Nationalism in China [SM 3 lectures](#)
- a) The Revolution of 1911: Causes , nature and significance; the social composition of the Revolution; Sun Yat-sen and his contribution; the formation of the Republic; Yuan Shih Kai; War Lordism. [SS2 4 lectures](#)
- b) May Fourth Movement of 1919: Nature and Significance [SS2 3 lectures](#)

#### II. History of China (cc.1919 – 1949) [SS1 5 lectures](#)

- i) Nationalism and Communism in China (1921 – 1937)
  - a) Formation of CCP; and the
  - b) The First United Front
- i) The Communist Movement (1938-1949)
- ii) The Jiangxi Period and the rise of Mao Tse Tung [SS2](#)

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- Beckmann George M., *Modernization of China and Japan* Harper & Row, 1962
- Bianco Lucien, *Origins of the Chinese Revolution, 1915 -1949* Stanford University Press, 1973
- Chesneau Jean, et al, *China from Opium War to 1911 Revolution to Liberation*. Hassocks, Sussex : The Harvester Press, cop.1976
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- Franke Wolfgang, *A Century of Chinese Revolution* University of South Carolina Press, 1980
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- Jansen M.B., *Japan and China: From War to Peace, 1894 – 1972* Chicago : Rand McNally College Pub. Co., [1975
- Johnson Chalmers A, *Peasant Nationalism and Communist Power: The Emergence of Red China, 1937 -1945* Stanford, 1962
- Michael Franz, *The Taiping Rebellion* Seattle and London: University of Washington Press, 1971
- Peffer Nathaniel, *The Far East: A Modern History*. University of Michigan Press, 1958
- Purcell Victor, *The Boxer Uprising: A Background Study*. Cambridge University Press, 2010
- Schifrin Harold Z, *Sun Yat-Sen and the Origin of the Chinese Revolution*. University of California Press, 1968

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Tse Tung Chow, The May Fourth Movement: Intellectual Revolution in Modern China. Stanford University Press: Stanford, 1967  
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সেন জহর, এ যুগের চীনকথা, কলকাতা, ২০০৭

## SEM 6

### Paper 6 DSE-B-3 SEM -6: History of Modern East Asia – II Japan (c.1868 – 1945)

#### **D) Transition from feudalism to capitalism:** CD 4 lectures

- a) Crisis of Tokugawa Bakuhan system
- b) Meiji Restoration : Its nature and Significance
- c) Political Reorganization
- d) Military Reforms

- e) Social, cultural and educational reforms (Bunmeikaika) CD 4 lectures
- f) Financial reforms and educational development in the 'Meiji' era
- g) Meiji Constitution AC 2 lectures

## II) Japanese Imperialism SS2 4 lectures

- a) China
- b) Manchuria
- c) Korea

## 3) Democracy and Militarism / Fascism SM 4 lectures

- a) Popular/ People's Rights Movement
- b) Nature of political parties
- c) Rise of Militarism-Nature and significance
- d) Second World War; American occupation
- e) Post-War Changes

### Essential Readings

- Allen George, A Short Economic History of Modern Japan. Psychology Press, 2003  
 Beasley G., The Modern History of Japan. Weidenfeld & Nicolson, 1963  
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## Paper 7 DSE-A-2 SEM -5: History of United States of America – I (c.1776 – 1945)

### I. The Background:

The land and indigenous people: settlement and colonization 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 Construction making : Debates, Historical interpretations.

### **III. Evolution of American Democracy:**

a)Federalists: Jeffersonianism: Jacksonianism, Rise of political parties- 1840 – 1960; judiciary-  
role of the Supreme Court

b) Expansion of Frontier: Turner’s Thesis; Marginalization, 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 Industrialization

b) Immigrants and changing composition of Labour; Early Labour Movements.

### **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

c)Rise of Republicanism, Emancipation and Lincoln

### **Essential Readings**

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Bailyn Bernard, *The Ideological Origins of the American Revolution*. Harvard University Press  
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Beard Charles, *An Economic Interpretation of the American Constitution*. Macmillan, 1921

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Perspectives*, 2 Vols. New York, Free Press 1972.

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Jackson Frederick Turner, *The Frontier in American History*. Henry Holt, 1921  
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### **Suggested Readings**

Benson Lee, *The Concept of Jackson Democracy: New York as a Test Case* Princeton Legacy Library 1961  
Billington Ray A., *Westward Expansion*. UNM Press, 2001  
Boyer Paul, Sitkoff Harvard, Woloch Nancy, *The Enduring Vision : A History of the American People*, Vols. 1 and 2. Houghton Mifflin; 5th Revised edition 2003  
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Degler Carl N., *At Odds: Women and Family in America from the Revolution to the Present*. Oxford University Press, 1980  
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Tripathi Dwijendra and Tiwari S.C., *Themes and Perspectives in American History* American Studies Research Centre, 1978.  
Weinstein James, *The Corporate Ideal in the Liberal state. 1900-1918* Beacon Press, 1985

## **Paper 8 DSE-A-4 SEM -6: History of United States of America – II (c.1776-1945)**

### **I. Reconstructions: Political changes and agrarian transformation:**

- a) Conservative and Radical phases.
- b) The New South : Participants and Reactions, Carpetbaggers; Scalawags, Blacks, Ku Klux Klan.

### **II. Industrial America:**



- a) Growth of Capitalism and Big Business.
- b) Business cycles; Depression..

### **III. Resistance and Reform:**

- a) Labour movements and Unionization.
- b) Agrarian crisis and populism. Urban corruption and progressivism.
- c) New Deal.

### **IV. U.S Imperialism**

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

### **V. Afro-American Movements:**

Black Movements: Booker T. Washington, W.E.B Dubois, NAACP and Marcus Garvey.

### **VI. Women's Movements:**

- a) Rise of the Lowell Factory System
- b) Abolitionists and Women's rights movement
- c) Suffrage
- d) Afro-American Women

### **VII. 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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## Skill Enhancement Courses (SEC –A & B) Credits,-2 each

### SEM 3

#### SEC –A (1): Archives and museums

CD AND SS1 8 lectures

This course introduces students to the institutions that house and maintain documentary, visual and material remains of the past. Museums and archives are among the most important such repositories and this course explains their significance and how they work. Students will be encouraged to undertake collection, documentation and exhibition of such materials in their localities and colleges. Visit to National Archives and National Museum are an integral part of the course.

#### **I. Definition and history of development (with special reference to India)**

**II. Types of archives and museums:** Understanding the traditions of preservation in India  
Collection policies, ethics and procedures  
Collection: field exploration, excavation, purchase, gift and bequests, loans and deposits, exchanges, treasure trove confiscation and others.  
Documentation: accessioning, indexing, cataloguing, digital documentation and de-accessioning  
Preservation: curatorial care, preventive conservation, chemical preservation and restoration

#### **III. Museum Presentation and Exhibition:**

**IV. IV. Museums, Archives and Society:** (Education and communication Outreach activities

#### **Essential Readings:**

Agrawal, O.P., Essentials of Conservation and Museology, Sundeep Prakashan, New Delhi, India, 2007.

Choudhary, R.D. Museums of India and their maladies. Calcutta: Agam Kala Prakashan, New Delhi, 1998 (In Bengali).

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Kathpalia, Y. P. Conservation and Restoration of Archive Materials. UNESCO, 1973

Mathur Saloni, India by Design: Colonial History and Cultural Display, University of California, 2007

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## SEM 4

### SEC –B (1) Understanding Popular Culture

The paper examines some popular cultures expressed in different mediums like visual, oral and cultural. In the process of their evolution, these cultures eclectically draw from traditions, articulate anxieties, and even give rise to new traditions. The paper endeavours to equip students with understanding such phenomena historically, with special reference to India. It is imperative that the students use electronic devices to view, record, and document the subject matter.

**I Introduction: Defining popular culture and understanding it historically** SS1,CD,SM,SS2

**II Visual expressions Folk art, calendar art, photography**

**III. Performance: Theatre; music; folk tales/songs/swang and Nautanki:** Identifying themes, functionality, anxieties

**IV. The audio-visual: cinema and television:**

Indian cinema: Mapping the influence of the national struggle for independence (1930s and 40s); Idealized nationalism (1950s), disillusionment and the anti-establishment mood (1970s and 80s); documentary films Expressions of popular culture in television

**V. Fairs, Festivals and Rituals:**

Disentangling mythological stories, patronage, regional variations

**VI. Popular culture in a globalized world:**

The impact of the Internet and audio-visual media

**Essential Readings:**

Dissanayake, W. and K. M. Gokul Singh, Indian Popular Cinema, Trentham Book, London, 2004

John Storey, Cultural Theory and Popular Culture, London, 2001

Oberoi, Patricia, Freedom and Destiny: Gender, Family and Popular Culture in India, Delhi, 2009

Christopher Princy, Camera Indica: The Social Life of Indian Photographs, Chicago, 1998

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## **SEC –A (2) Understanding Heritage**

This course will enable students to understand the different facets of heritage and their significance. It highlights the legal and institutional frameworks for heritage protection in India as also the challenges facing it. The implications of the rapidly changing interface between heritage and history will also be examined. The course will be strongly project-based and will require visits to sites and monuments. At least two Projects will be based on visits to Museums/Heritage Sites.

### **I. Defining Heritage**

Meaning of 'antiquity', 'archaeological site', 'tangible heritage', 'Intangible heritage' and 'art treasure'

### **II. Evolution of Heritage Legislation and the Institutional Framework:**

Conventions and Acts— national and international Heritage-related government departments, museums, regulatory bodies etc.

Conservation Initiatives

### **III. Challenges facing Tangible and Intangible Heritage**

Development, antiquity smuggling, conflict (to be examined through Specific case studies)

### **IV. Evolution of Heritage Legislation and the Institutional Framework:**

Conventions and Acts— national and international Heritage-related government departments, museums, regulatory bodies etc.

Conservation Initiatives

### **V. Challenges facing Tangible and Intangible Heritage:**

Development, antiquity smuggling, conflict (to be examined through specific case studies)

### **VI. Heritage and Travel:**

Viewing Heritage Sites - The relationship between cultural heritage, Landscape and travel recent trends

### **Essential Readings**

David Lowenthal, *Possessed By The Past: The Heritage Crusade and The Spoils of History*, Cambridge, 2010

Layton, R. P. Stone and J. Thomas. *Destruction and Conservation of Cultural Property*, London: Rutledge, 2001

Lahiri, N., *Marshaling the Past - Ancient India and its Modern Histories*. Ranikhet: Permanent Black. 2012. Chapters 4 and 5.

S.S. Biswas, *Protecting the Cultural Heritage (National Legislations and International Conventions)*. New Delhi: INTACH, 1999.

### **Suggested Readings**

Acts, Charters and Conventions are available on the UNESCO and ASI websites ([www.unesco.org](http://www.unesco.org); [www.asi.nic.in](http://www.asi.nic.in))

Agrawal, O.P., Essentials of Conservation and Museology, Delhi, 2006

Chainani, S. 2007. Heritage and Environment. Mumbai: Urban Design Research Institute, 2007

## **SEC –B (2): Art Appreciation: an Introduction to Indian Art**

The purpose of this course is to introduce students to Indian art, from ancient to contemporary times, in order to understand and appreciate its diversity and its aesthetic richness. The course will equip students with the abilities to understand art as a medium of cultural expression. It will give students direct exposure to Indian art through visuals, and visits to sites and museums.

**I. Prehistoric and protohistoric art:** \_Rock art; Harappan arts and crafts

**II. Indian art (c. 600 BCE – 600 CE):**

World Heritage Site Managers, UNESCO World Heritage Manuals  
[Can be downloaded/ accessed at [www.unesco.org](http://www.unesco.org)]

Notions of art and craft Canons of Indian paintings Major developments in stupa, cave, and temple art and architecture Early Indian sculpture: style and iconography Numismatic art

**III. Indian Art (c. 600 CE – 1200 CE) :** Temple forms and their architectural features Early illustrated manuscripts and mural painting traditions Early medieval sculpture: style and iconography Indian bronzes or metal icons

**IV. Indian art and architecture (c. 1200 CE – 1800 CE) :**

Sultanate and Mughal architecture Miniature painting traditions: Mughal, Rajasthani, Pahari  
Introduction to fort, palace and haveli architecture

**V. Modern and Contemporary Indian art and Architecture:**

The Colonial Period Art movements: Bengal School of Art, Progressive Artists Group, etc.  
Major artists and their artworks Popular art forms (folk art traditions)

### **Essential Readings**

Neumayer, Erwin, Lines of Stone: The pre-historic rock-art of India,  
South Asia Books, 1993

Goswamy, B.N., Essence of Indian Art, Asian Art Museum of San  
Francisco, 1986

Huntington, Susan, The Art of Ancient India: Hindu, Buddhist, Jain, Weatherhill, 1985

Guha-Thakurta, Tapati, The making of a new modern Indian art: Aesthetics and nationalism in  
Bengal, 1850-1920, Cambridge University Press, 1992

### **Suggested Readings:**

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Dhar, Parul Pandya, ed., 2011, Indian Art History Changing Perspectives, New Delhi: D.K.  
Printworld and National Museum Institute (Introduction).

Beach, M.C., The New Cambridge History of India I: 3, Mughal and Rajput Painting, Cambridge  
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Ray, Niharranjan, An Approach to Indian Art, Calcutta, 1970

**CBCS SYLLABUS**  
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### HIS-G (General)-CBCS Syllabus in History, 2018

#### **4 Core Courses. (CC.) 2 Discipline-specific Elective; (DSE-A & DSE-B) 2 Generic Elective (GE) 2 Skill Enhancement/Skill based Courses (SEC- A & SEC-B)**

- Each course carries 80 marks. Minimum 60 classes.
- Each course: 6 credits (5 Theoretical + 1 Tutorial-related). Teaching time: 6 hrs per week or  $6 \times 14 = 84$  hrs
- Exception: Skill Enhancement/Skill-based Courses: 2 credits (no Tutorial).
- 65 marks for theoretical segment:
- Question Pattern for subjective/descriptive segment of 50 marks: 3 questions out of 6 (within 500 words;  $10 \times 3 = 30$ ) + 4 questions out of 8 (within 250 words; one from each module  $5 \times 4 = 20$ ) and 15 objective type questions carrying 1 mark each ( $15 \times 1 = 15$ ).
- 15 marks for tutorial-related segments as suggested below (any one from each mode):
- Any one of the following modes: upto 1000 words for one Term Paper/upto 500 words for each of the two Term Papers/ equivalent Book Review --- based on syllabus related and/or current topics [The modes and themes and/or topics are to be decided by the concerned faculty of respective colleges.]
- Core Courses (CC) in Semesters 1- 4 ; Generic Elective (GE) courses in Semesters 1-4; Skill Enhancement courses ( SEC-A) in Semesters 3/5 & ( SEC- B) in Semesters 4/6 Discipline-specific Elective( DSE –A) in Semester 5 (DSE –B) in Semester 6
- **Skill Enhancement/Skill-based Courses: 2 credits (no Tutorial).**
- Each course carries 80 marks. Teaching time: 2hrs per week or  $2 \times 14 = 28$  hrs
- 80 marks for theoretical segment.
- Question Pattern for subjective/descriptive segment of 80 marks: 4 questions out of 8 (within 500 words;  $10 \times 4 = 40$ ) + 5 questions out of 10 (within 250 words;  $5 \times 5 = 25$ ) and 15 objective type questions carrying 1 mark each ( $15 \times 1 = 15$ ).



### IMPORTANT NOTES:

- The Readings provided below (except Bengali books) include those of the UGC Model CBCS Syllabus in History. For Course Objectives and references it is advised that the UGC model CBCS syllabus concerning relevant courses and topics should be given due importance and primarily consulted.
- Bengali are not necessarily substitutes, but supplementary to the English books.
- The format is subject to the CBCS Common Structural Format of the University.

<b>LIST OF COURSES FOR GENERAL PROGRAMME</b>	
<b>COURSE CODE</b>	<b>(6 Credits per Core Course)</b>
<b>CORE COURSES FOR GENERAL &amp; GENERIC ELECTIVE FOR HONOURS</b>	
<b>Subject-Hon-Core-Semester-Paper-Th &amp;TU</b>	
HIS-G-CC/GE-1-1-TH&TU	
HIS-G-CC/GE-2-2-TH&TU	
HIS-G-CC/GE-3-3-TH&TU	
HIS-G-CC/GE-4-4-TH&TU	
<b>Skill Enhancement Course (2 Credits per Course)</b>	
<b>GROUP-A</b>	<b>HIS-G-SEC- 3/5-A(1) or A (2)-TH</b>
SEC-A-(1)	
SEC-A-(2)	
<b>GROUP-B</b>	<b>HIS-G-SEC- 4/6-B(1) or B(2)-TH</b>
SEC-B-(1)	
SEC-B-(2)	
<b>DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE (6 Credits per Course)</b>	
<b>GROUP-A</b>	<b>HIS-G-DSE- 5-A(1) or A(2)-TH&amp;TU</b>
DSE-A-(1)	
DSE-A-(2)	
<b>GROUP-B</b>	<b>HIS-G-DSE-6-B(1) or B (2)-TH&amp;TU</b>
DSE-B-(1)	
DSE-B-(2)	

## Structure of B.A General (Programme)

### **HIS-G - CC -1- 4 /GE -1-4 TH&TU**

1. History of India from the Earliest Times upto 300 CE
2. History of India from C.300 to 1206.
3. History of India from C. 1206 to 1707
4. History of India from 1707 to 1950

### **Discipline Specific Elective (DSE -A & DSE- B) TH&TU Any One from DSE-A in Semester 5 & Any One from DSE-B in Semester 6**

1. National liberation Movements in 20th Century World.
2. Some Aspects of European History: C.1780-1945.
3. Patterns of Capitalism in Europe: C.16th Century to early 20th Century
4. Some Aspects of Society & Economy of Modern Europe: 15 – 18 Century

### **Skill Enhancement Courses SEC –A & B: Any One from SEC-A1/ SEC-A2 in Semester 3/5. Any One from SEC-B1/ SEC-B2 in Semester 4/6**

SEC -A 1: Historical Tourism: Theory & Practice

SEC -B 1: Museums & Archives in India

SEC –A 2: Indian History & Culture

SEC-B 2: Orality and Oral Culture in India

### Semester wise Courses for HIS-G

	SEM-1	SEM-2	SEM-3	SEM-4	SEM-5	SEM-6
CC	CC-1 2TH +2TU	CC -2 2TH +2TU	CC-3 2TH +2TU	CC-4 2TH +2TU		
GE	GE-1 TH +TU	GE-2 TH +TU				
AECC	AECC-1 TH	AECC-2 TH				
DSE			DSE-A TH +TU	DSE-B TH +TU	DSE-A TH +TU	DSE-B TH +TU
SEC			SEC-A -1 TH	SEC-B -1 TH	SEC-A 2 TH	SEC-B 2 TH

**CC: 4 courses each from 2 disciplines. (One course from each subject under each semester) Each course is of 6 credits.**

**GE: Two courses from one subject different from the core subject. Each course is of 6 credits.**

AECC:-1 Communicative English AECC-2- Environmental studies (Each course has 2 credits)  
DSE: 2 courses each from 2 disciplines. Each course is of 6 credits.  
SEC: 2 courses each from 2 disciplines ((Each course has 2 credits)  
DSE/ SEC : Choice must be group specific to each semester

## SEM 1

### CC -1/GE-1 : History of India from Earliest Times up to 300 CE

Total 20 lectures

I. Sources & Interpretation AC

II. A broad survey of Palaeolithic, Mesolithic and Neolithic Cultures. SS1

III. Harappan Civilization : Origin, Extent, dominant features & decline, Chalcolithic age. SS2

IV. The Vedic Period: Polity, Society, Economy and Religion, Iron Age with reference to PGW & Megaliths. CD

V. Territorial States and the rise of Magadha, SG

Conditions for the rise of Mahajanpadas and the Causes of Magadha's success

VI. Iranian and Macedonian Invasions, Alexander's Invasion and impact SG

VII. Jainism and Buddhism: Causes, Doctrines, Spread, Decline and Contributions SM

VIII. The Satavahanas Phase: Aspects of Political History, Material Culture, Administration, Religion SM

VIII. Emergence and Growth of Mauryan Empire; State Administration, Economy, Ashoka's Dhamma, Art & Architecture SM

X IX. The Satvahana Phase: Aspects of Political History, Administration, Material Culture, & Religion REPETITION

X. The Sangam Age: Sangam Literature, The three Early Kingdoms, Society & the Tamil language SS1

XI. The age of the Indo-Greeks, Shakas: Parthians & Kushanas: Aspects of Polity, Society, Religion, Arts & Crafts, Coins, Commerce and Towns. SS1

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Delhi ; New York : Oxford University Press, 1986.

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Indian Council of Historical Research, 1975

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চক্রবর্তী রণবীর, ভারত ইতিহাসের আদি পর্ব, কলকাতা, ২০০৭

হাবিব ইরফান, ভারতবর্ষের সাধারণ মানুষের ইতিহাস

প্রথম খন্ড – প্রাক-ইতিহাস, (Pre-history) এন বি এ, কলকাতা, ২০০২

দ্বিতীয় খন্ড: সিন্ধু সভ্যতা, (The Indus Civilisation) এন বি এ, কলকাতা, ২০০২

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থাপার রোমিলা, ভারতবর্ষের ইতিহাস, ওরিয়েন্ট লংম্যান, কলকাতা

ভট্টাচার্য নরেন্দ্রনাথ, প্রাচীন ভারতে ধর্ম, কলকাতা, ১৯৮৮

ভট্টাচার্য নরেন্দ্রনাথ, প্রাচীন ভারতীয় সমাজ, পশ্চিমবঙ্গ রাজ্য পুস্তক পর্ষদ, কলকাতা  
ভট্টাচার্য সুকুমারী, ইতিহাসের আলোকে বৈদিক সাহিত্য, পশ্চিমবঙ্গ রাজ্য পুস্তক পর্ষদ, কলকাতা  
ভট্টাচার্য সুকুমারী, প্রাচীন ভারত- সমাজ ও সাহিত্য, আনন্দ পাবলিশার্স, কলকাতা  
চক্রবর্তী দিলীপ কুমার - ভারতবর্ষের প্রাক ইতিহাস আনন্দ পাবলিশার্স, কলকাতা, ১৯৯৯  
গঙ্গোপাধ্যায় দিলীপ কুমার - ভারত ইতিহাসের সঙ্কানে, (২ খন্ডে), ২০০৭  
চক্রবর্তী রণবীর, প্রাচীন ভারতের অর্থনৈতিক ইতিহাসের সঙ্কানে, আনন্দ পাবলিশার্স, কলকাতা ২০০২  
(সংশোধিত সংস্করণ)  
চানানা দেবরাজ, প্রাচীন ভারতে দাস প্রথা, (Slavery in Ancient India as depicted in Pali and Sanskrit  
Texts), কে পি বাগচি এন্ড কোং, কলকাতা ১৯৯৫  
রায় নীহাররঞ্জন, বাঙালির ইতিহাস, কলকাতা, ১৯৮০(দ্বিতীয় সংস্করণ)  
শর্মা রামশরণ, প্রাচীন ভারতে বস্তুগত সংস্কৃতি ও সমাজ সংগঠন, (Material Cultures and Social  
Formations in Ancient India), ওরিয়েন্ট লংম্যান, ১৯৯৮  
শর্মা রামশরণ, আদি মধ্যযুগের ভারতীয় সমাজ : সমস্ত-প্রক্রিয়া বিষয়ে এক সমীক্ষা(Early Medieval Indian  
Society : A Study in Feudalism) ওরিয়েন্ট লংম্যান, ২০০৩  
শর্মা রামশরণ, ভারতের সমাজতন্ত্র, (Indian Feudalism), কে পি বাগচি এন্ড কোং, কলকাতা  
শর্মা রামশরণ, আর্যদের অনুসন্ধান, (Looking for the Aryans), প্রোগ্রেসিভ পাবলিশার্স, কলকাতা  
শর্মা রামশরণ, আর্যদের ভারতে আগমন, (Advent of the Aryans), ওরিয়েন্ট লংম্যান, ২০০১  
শর্মা রামশরণ, প্রাচীন ভারতে শূদ্র, (Sudras in Ancient India), কে পি বাগচি এন্ড কোং, কলকাতা  
থাপার রোমিলা, অশোক ও মৌর্যদের পতন, (Asoka and the Decline of the Mauryas), কে পি বাগচি এন্ড  
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২০০৪  
মুখোপাধ্যায় হীরেন্দ্রনাথ, ভারতবর্ষের ইতিহাস (১ম খন্ড) (প্রাচীন ও মধ্যযুগ), পশ্চিমবঙ্গ রাজ্য পুস্তক পর্ষদ, প্রথম  
মুদ্রণ নভেম্বর ১৯৯৭

## SEM 2

### **CC-2/GE- 2: History of India from. C.300 to1206** Total 16 lectures

- I. The Rise & Growth of the Guptas: Administration, Society, Economy, Religion, Art, Literature, and Science &Technology. CD
- II. Harsha & His Times: Harsha's Kingdom, Administration,Buddhism & Nalanda SG
- III. South India: Polity, Society, Economy & Culture SG
- IV. Towards the Early Medieval: Changes in Society, Polity Economy and Culture with reference to the Pallavas, Chalukayas and Vardhanas. AC
- V. Evolution of Political structures of Rashtakutas, Pala &Pratiharas. SS2
- VI. Emergence of Rajput States in Northern India: Polity,Economy &Society. SS1
- VII. Arabs in Sindh: Polity, Religion &Society. SM
- VIII. Struggle for power in Northern India &establishment of Sultanate. AC

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সুনীল চট্টোপাধ্যায়, প্রাচীন ভারতের ইতিহাস (১ম খন্ড), পশ্চিমবঙ্গ রাজ্য পুস্তক পর্ষদ, একাদশ মুদ্রণ, এপ্রিল ২০০৪

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হীন্দ্ৰনাথ মুখোপাধ্যায়, ভারতবর্ষের ইতিহাস (১ম খন্ড) (প্রাচীন ও মধ্যযুগ), পশ্চিমবঙ্গ রাজ্য পুস্তক পর্ষদ, প্রথম মুদ্রণ নভেম্বর ১৯৯৭

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শর্মা রামশরণ, ভারতের সামন্ততন্ত্র, (Indian Feudalism), কে পি বাগচি এন্ড কোং, কলকাতা

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Total 18 lectures

I. Foundation, Expansion & consolidation of the Delhi Sultanate; Nobility & Iqta system. AC

II. Military, administrative & economic reforms under the Khiljis & the Tughlaqs. AC

III. Bhakti & Sufi Movements. SM

IV. Provincial kingdoms: Mewar, Bengal, Vijaynagara & Bahamanis. SS1

V. Second Afghan State. SS1

VI. Emergence and consolidation of Mughal State, C.16<sup>th</sup> century to mid 17th century. SS2

VII. Akbar to Aurangzeb: administrative structure-Mansab & Jagirs, State & Religion, Socio-Religious Movements. SG

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India), প্রোগ্রেসিভ পাবলিশার্স, কলকাতা

রায় অনিরুদ্ধ ও চট্টোপাধ্যায় রঞ্জাবলী, মধ্যযুগে বাংলার সমাজ ও সংস্কৃতি, কে পি বাগচি এন্ড কোং, কলকাতা  
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## SEM 4

### **CC-4/GE-4 History of India; 1707-1950.**

Total 18 lectures

- I. Interpreting the 18th Century. AC
- II. Emergence of Independent States & establishment of Colonial power. AC
- III. Expansion & consolidation of Colonial Power upto 1857. SS2
- IV. Uprising of 1857: Causes, Nature & Aftermath. SS1
- V. Colonial economy: Agriculture, Trade & Industry. SG

VI.Socio-Religious Movements in the 19th century.

SG

VII. Emergence &Growth of Nationalism with focus on Gandhian nationalism.

CD

VIII. Communalism: Genesis, Growth and partition of India.

SM

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## **DSE Discipline Specific Elective (Any Two):**

### **DSE –A -1: National Liberation Movements in 20th century World**

I.Nationalism: Theory and Practice.

II. Nature of Imperialism and colonialism

III. National Movements in Nigeria, Kenya, Congo, Angola  
&South Africa.

IV.China between 1911-1949:Revolution of 1911,May Fourth Movement and Cultural  
Revolution under Mao Tse Tung. Indonesian Revolution 1945-1949.

V. National Movement in India.

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বাগচি এন্ড কোং, কলকাতা

চন্দ্র বিপান এবং অন্যান্য, ভারতের স্বাধীনতা সংগ্রাম, (India's Struggle for Independence) কে পি বাগচি  
এন্ড কোং, কলকাতা

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কলকাতা

## SEM 5

Total 16 lectures

### **DSE- A -2: Some Aspects of European History: C.1780-1945**

I.The French Revolution: Genesis Nature & Consequences AC

II.Napoleonic Era and aftermath. AC

III.Revolutions of 1830 & 1848. SS1

IV.Unification of Italy & Germany. SS1

V.Social and economic Changes. SG

VI. Imperialist Conflicts: World War I CD

VII.Rise of Fascism and Nazism. SM

VIII. Origins of World War II SM

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## **DSE- B-1: Patterns of Capitalism in Europe: C.16TH Century to early 20th Century**

I. Definitions & Concepts

II. Commercial Capitalism: 1500-1700

III. Industrial Revolution in England: Causes & Nature

IV. Industrial Capitalism in France: Genesis & Nature

V. Growth of Industries in Germany

VI. Impact of Industrial Revolution on European Society, Polity & Economy.

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SEM 6 Total 14 lectures

**DSE-B-2: Some aspects of Society & Economy of Modern Europe: 15<sup>th</sup> – 18<sup>th</sup> Century**

- I: Historiographical Trends SS2
- II. Feudal Crisis: Main strands SM
- III. Renaissance: Origin, Spread & Dominant Features SS1
- IV. European Reformation: Genesis, nature & Impact SS1
- V. Beginning of the era of colonization: motives; mining and plantation; the African slaves CD
- VI. Economic developments of the sixteenth century; Shift of economic balance from the Mediterranean to the Atlantic CD
- VII. Transition from Feudalism to Capitalism: Industrial Revolution in England CD

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টমসসন ডেভিড, বিশ্ব ইতিহাসের প্রেক্ষাপটে ইউরোপ, ১ম খন্ড (১৭৮৯-১৮৫০), ২য় খন্ড (১৮৫১-১৯১৪)  
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রায় সিদ্ধার্থ গুহ, আধুনিক ইউরোপ: ফরাসী বিপ্লব থেকে দ্বিতীয় বিশ্বযুদ্ধ, প্রগতিশীল প্রকাশক, কলকাতা, ২০১৩

## **Skill Enhancement Elective Course (SEC) Credits,-2** **SEM 3 & 5 . Total 8 lectures**

### **SEC-A- 1: Historical Tourism: Theory &Practice**

#### **I. Defining Heritage**

Art &Architecture in India: An overview: CD+SS1

Field Work: Visit to historical sites &Museums

#### **II. Understanding Built Heritage:**

Stupa Architecture

Temple Architecture SS1

Indo Persian Architecture, Forts, Palaces, Mosques SM

Colonial Architecture CD

Present day structures

#### **III. Field Work: Visit to site &Conducting of research**

#### **IV. Modalities of conducting tourism**

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S.K.Bhowmik, Heritage Management: Care, Understanding & Appreciation of Cultural Heritage, Jaipur, 2004.

## **SEM 4&6**

### **SEC-B -1: Museums &Archives in India SS1 AND CD 8 lectures**

I. Definitions

II. History of setting up of Museums and Archives: Some case Studies



III. Field Work; Studying of structures & Functions

IV. Training & Employment

**References:**

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**SEC-A -2: Indian History & Culture**

**I. Environment; Culture, Tradition & Practices:**

- Historical overview
- Oral & codified information on medicinal Plants
- Water & Water Bodies
- Fieldwork

**II. Urbanization & Urbanism:**

- Issues of settlements & Landscapes
- Social differentiations
- Communication networks

**III. Social inequality & Gender:**

- Status within Households: An overview
- Present context
- Issues of Violence
- Employment, distribution of resources

**IV. Cultural Heritage:**

- Main components
- Built Heritage
- Historical Tourism

**V. Cultural Forms & Cultural Expressions:**

- Performing Arts
- Fairs & Festivals
- Fieldwork

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## **SEC-B- 2: Orality and Oral Culture in India**

I. Defining orality

II. History & Historiography of Orality

III. Life Histories: Sociological Aspects

IV. Research Methodologies

V. Documentation: Written & Visual

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SS1- Prof Sunritabari Sen  
SS2- Lt Shukla Sarkar  
SM- Prof Sudeshna Mitra  
AC- Prof Aparna Chattopadhyay  
SG-Prof Sujata Ghosh