

Ph.D. Course Work:

Structure of Proposed Course Work for Ph.D Programme in Commerce 2010.

Total marks = 400; Duration of Course Work = 6 months.

Paper-I (marks 100)

Unit:-

1. Meaning and Nature of Knowledge- Knowledge and Science- stock and flow of Knowledge.
2. What is Research? Research Process- What is Social Research? Objectives and Motives of social research, Qualities of Research.
3. Methods in social science:
4. Hypotheses-meaning-function-conditions for a valid hypotheses, Analogy and formulation of hypotheses- Types of hypotheses, Varification of hypotheses.
5. Deduction and Induction: Meaning, Distinction, Merits and Demerits.

Paper-II(marks 100)

Unit:-

1. Research Design: Meaning, Nature, Exploratory formulation, Descriptive-Dianostic, Experimental pilot study.
2. Measurement: Purpose-Formal condition measurement of intensive qualities, Measurement of Extensive qualities, steps in Categorization, Validity and Reliability.
3. Statistical Methods:
4. Probability and Generalization.
5. Scaling Techniques.

Paper-III(marks 100)

Unit:-

1. Frontline Business Issues and Challenges.
2. Business Research and its Emerging Paradigm.
3. Computer Application in Business Research.
4. Electronic Data Processing and Information Analysis.
5. Report Writing.

Paper-IV (marks 100)

Unit:-

1. Writing of Seminer Research Paper.
2. Preparing a Plan of Work on Proposed Researech Topics.
3. Presentation.