



UNIVERSITY OF JAMMU

Baba Sahib Ambedkar Road, Jammu-180006 (J&K)

No. F.Acd./II/19/3987-4001

Dated: 29-07-2019

Subject: -- Minutes of the Meeting of Board of Studies in Philosophy in the Faculty of Social Science.

Sir/Madam,

Please find enclosed the copy of the minutes of the meeting of the Board of Studies in Philosophy in the faculty of Social Science held on 29.05.2019 duly approved by the Vice-Chancellor for your information and further necessary action.

The Minutes of the Board of Studies in philosophy is available on the University website: www.jammuuniversity.in

Thanking you,

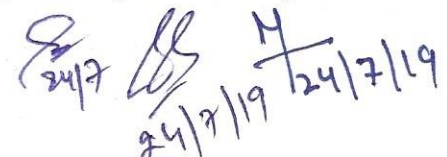
Yours faithfully,


Assistant Registrar (Academic)

Encl: - As above

Copy to:-

1. Sr. P.A.to the Dean Academic Affairs.
2. Sr.P.A.to the Controller of Examination along with minutes of the meeting.
3. Assistant Registrar (Confidential)


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Minutes of meeting of Board of Studies (Philosophy) held in the office of Assistant Registrar (Academic), Old Administrative Block, University of Jammu on 29.05.2019

Present:

1. Mr. Sanjay Kumar, HOD Philosophy, GCW Udhampur(Convenor)
2. Dr. Dinesh Jamwal, HOD Philosophy, GDC Akhnoor
3. Dr. Ramesh Chander, HOD Philosophy, GDC Rajouri
4. Dr. Anita Kotwal, HOD Philosophy, GDC Doda
5. Dr. Varun Sharma, HOD Philosophy, Govt P G College for Women, Gandhinagar

Item No. 1: To confirm the minutes of meeting of the Board of Studies in Philosophy which was held on 18-06-2018, already circulated.

Resolved that the minutes of meeting of the Board of Studies in Philosophy which was held on 18-06-2018, be confirmed.

Item No. 2: To review the Syllabi and Courses of Studies in the subject of Philosophy for Semester I, II and III under the **Choice Based Credit System** at the Undergraduate level for the examination to be held in the years as mentioned below:

B A (Philosophy)

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|-----------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Semester I (Core) | December 2019, 2020 and 2021 |
| Semester II (Core) | May 2020, 2021 and 2022 |
| Semester III (Core) | December 2020, 2021 and 2022 |
| Semester III (S.E.C) | December 2020, 2021 and 2022 |

Minutes of meeting of Board of Studies (Philosophy) held in the office of Assistant Registrar (Academic), Old Administrative Block, University of Jammu on 29.05.2019

It was Resolved that the reviewed syllabi be adopted.

Item No. 3: To indicate the %age of change in the syllabi and courses of study mentioned in Item no. 2 on each paper/course no.

Semester I (Core) - 15 %

Semester II (Core) - 18%

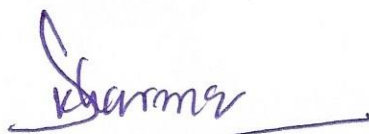
Semester III (Core) - 5%

Semester III (S.E.C) - No Change

Item No. 4: To prepare a panel of paper setters/examiners to be sent to the Controller of Examinations, University of Jammu.

Resolved that the Convenor is authorized to prepare a panel of paper setters/examiners and submit it to the Controller of Examinations, University of Jammu as and when required.

The meeting was terminated with the vote of thanks to the Chair.



Mr. Sanjay Kumar

Convenor, BOS (Philosophy), and HOD Philosophy

Govt. College for Women

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NOTIFICATION

(19/July/Adp/17)

It is hereby notified for the information of all concerned that the Vice-Chancellor, in anticipation of the approval of the Academic Council, is pleased to authorize the adoption of revised Syllabi and Courses of Study in the subject of **Philosophy** for the following semesters under the **Choice Based Credit System** at the Undergraduate level (as given in the Annexure) for the examinations to be held in the years indicated against each semester as under:-

| Subject | Semester | For the examinations to be held in the year | Course Code | %of change |
|------------|--------------|---|-------------|------------|
| Philosophy | Semester-I | Dec. 2019, 2020 and 2021 | UPHTC 101 | 15% |
| | Semester-II | May 2020, 2021 and 2022 | UPHTC 201 | 18% |
| | Semester-III | Dec. 2020, 2021 and 2022 | UPHTC 301 | 5% |
| | | | UPHTS 302 | No Change |

The alternative question papers are required to be set as per the University regulation given as under:-

1. If the change in the syllabi and courses of study is less than 25%, no alternative question paper will be set
2. If the change is 25% and above but below 50%, alternative Question paper be set for one year
3. If the change is 50% and above or whole scheme is changed, alternative Question paper be set for two years.

The Syllabi of the courses is available on the University website: www.jammuuniversity.in

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No. F.Acd/II/19/3968-3986

Dated: 29-07-2019

Copy to:

1. Dean, Faculty of Social Science
2. HOD/Convener, Board of Studies in Philosophy
3. All members of the Board of Studies
4. C.A. to the Controller of Examinations
5. Director, Computer Centre, University of Jammu
6. Asst. Registrar (Conf. /Exams. UG)
7. Incharge University Website for necessary action please

Assistant Registrar (Academic)

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SYLLABI FOR BACHELOR DEGREE PROGRAMME IN PHILOSOPHY

The following Courses of Study are prescribed for **Ist** to **IIIrd** Semester/s Bachelor Degree (UG) Programme under CBCS in the subject of Philosophy:

| Semester | Course No. | Title | Credits | Nature of Course | Percentage Change |
|----------|------------|------------------------------------|---------|------------------|-------------------|
| I | UPHTC 101 | Introduction to Philosophy | 06 | CORE | 15% |
| II | UPHTC 201 | Social and Political Philosophy | 06 | CORE | 18% |
| III | UPHTC 301 | Western Philosophical Thought | 06 | CORE | 5% |
| | UPHTS 302 | Philosophical Tools and Techniques | 04 | S.E.C. | No Change |

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B.A. Philosophy
UG level under CBCS

Semester-I

Core Course

(Examination to be held in the years December 2019, 2020 and 2021)

Course Code: UPHTC101

Duration of Exam: 2^{1/2} Hours

Credits: 6

Course Title: Introduction to Philosophy

External Assessment: 80 Marks

Internal Assessment: 20 Marks

Total Marks: 100

Objectives: The course has been devised to introduce to the students the very basics of philosophy – its subject matter as well as its structural framework. The students are also expected to acquaint themselves with the various branches of philosophy and different philosophical standpoints.

Unit – 1: Nature of Philosophy

- 1.1 Meaning and Nature of Philosophy
- 1.2 Origin of Philosophy (Indian and Western)
- 1.3 Scope of Philosophy

Unit – 2: Branches of Philosophy

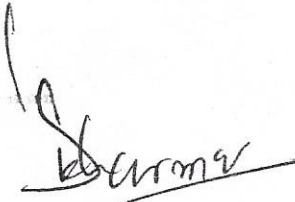
- 2.1 Metaphysics – Meaning, Nature and Scope
- 2.2 Epistemology – Meaning and Problems
- 2.3 Ethics – Meaning and Scope

Unit – 3: Theories of Reality

- 3.1 Realism - Meaning and Characteristics
- 3.2 Idealism – Meaning and Characteristics
- 3.3 Materialism – Meaning and Characteristics
- 3.4 Comparison between Materialism and Idealism

Unit – 4: Theories of Knowledge

- 4.1 Rationalism – Method of Doubt, Innate Ideas
- 4.2 Empiricism – Refutation of Innate Ideas, Simple and Complex Ideas
- 4.3 Scepticism – Meaning and Kinds (Universal and Mitigated)
- 4.4 Synthesis of Rationalism and Empiricism



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B.A. Philosophy
UG level under CBCS

Semester-I

Core Course

(Examination to be held in the years December 2019, 2020 and 2021)

Course Code: UPHTC101

Duration of Exam: 2^{1/2} Hours

Credits: 6

Course Title: Introduction to Philosophy

External Assessment: 80 Marks

Internal Assessment: 20 Marks

Total Marks: 100

Notes for Paper Setting:

External End Semester Examinations (80 Marks, Time: 2 1/2 hours only): The External examinations in theory shall consist of the following:

1. Five (5) short answers to the questions representing all units/syllabi i.e. atleast one from each unit (without detailed explanation having 70 to 80 words in approximately 6 minutes and having 3 marks for each answer to the question(All Compulsory)
2. Five (5) medium answers to the questions representing all units/ syllabi i.e. atleast one from each unit (with explanation having 250-300 words in approximately 12 minutes and having 7 marks for each answer to the question(All Compulsory)
3. Four/Five (4/5) long answers to the questions (two to be attempted) representing whole of the syllabi with detailed analysis/explanation/critical evaluation/solution to the stated problems within 500 - 600 words in approximately 30 minutes and having 15 marks each answer to the question.

Internal Assessment Examination (20 Marks, Time: 1 Hour only): The Internal Assessment under Choice Based Credit System shall comprise of two parts:

Part A: Total weightage to this part shall be 50 % of internal assessment marks i.e. 10 % of the total marks or 10 marks out of 20 marks reserved for internal assessment. It will have eight short questions selecting at least three from each of the two/three units (50 % of syllabus) covered. A Candidate has to attempt any five and each question carries 2 marks.

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B.A. Philosophy
UG level under CBCS

Semester-I

Core Course

(Examination to be held in the years December 2019, 2020 and 2021)

Course Code: UPHTC101

Duration of Exam: 2^{1/2} Hours

Credits: 6

Course Title: Introduction to Philosophy

External Assessment: 80 Marks

Internal Assessment: 20 Marks

Total Marks: 100

Part B: Total weightage to this part shall be 50% of the internal assessment marks i.e. 10 % of the total marks or 10 marks out of 20 marks reserved for internal assessment. It will have 2 Long questions, selecting one each from first two units/50 % of the syllabus. A Candidate has to attempt any one question and the question shall carry 10 marks.

Books Recommended:

- Philosophy A Very Short Introduction – Edward Craig
- Think: A Compelling Introduction to Philosophy – Simon Blackburn
- What Does It All Mean? – Thomas Nagel
- Philosophy (The Basic Readings) – Nigel Warburton

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B.A. Philosophy
UG level under CBCS

Semester-II

Core Course

(Examination to be held in the years May 2020, 2021 and 2022)

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| Course Code: UPHTC201 | Course Title: Social and Political Philosophy |
| Duration of Exam: 2 ^{1/2} Hours | External Assessment: 80 Marks |
| Credits: 6 | Internal Assessment: 20 Marks |
| | Total Marks: 100 |

Objectives: The course has been devised to introduce to the students the fundamentals of socio-political philosophy. The students are expected to appreciate its interdisciplinary nature and understand the significance of the political concepts that are at play within the society.

Unit – 1: Introduction to Social and Political Philosophy

- 1.1 Social Philosophy – Meaning and Nature
- 1.2 Relation of Social Philosophy with Sociology
- 1.3 Political Philosophy – Meaning and Nature
- 1.4 Relation of Political Philosophy with Political Science

Unit – 2: Society and Its Theories

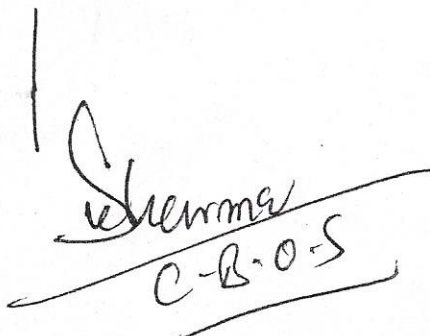
- 2.1 Meaning and Nature of Society
- 2.2 ~~Social Contract Theories~~ (State of Nature, Social Contract)
- 2.3 Organic Theory of Society (Herbert Spencer)
- 2.4 Marxist Theory of Society (Primitive Communism, Class Struggle)

Unit – 3: Basic Political Concepts

- 3.1 Mill on Liberty (Negative Liberty, Limits of Liberty)
- 3.2 Rousseau on Equality (Natural and Moral Inequality)
- 3.3 Rawls on Justice (Original Position, Principles of Justice)

Unit – 4: Crime and Punishment

- 4.1 Crime – Meaning and Causes
- 4.2 Methods of Prevention of Crime
- 4.3 Theories of Punishment (Retributive Theory, Preventive Theory & Reformatory Theory)


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UG level under CBCS

Semester-II

Core Course

(Examination to be held in the years May 2020, 2021 and 2022)

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| Course Code: UPHTC201 | Course Title: Social and Political Philosophy |
| Duration of Exam: 2 ^{1/2} Hours | External Assessment: 80 Marks |
| Credits: 6 | Internal Assessment: 20 Marks |
| | Total Marks: 100 |

Notes for Paper Setting:

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Internal Assessment Examination (20 Marks, Time: 1 Hour only): The Internal Assessment under Choice Based Credit System shall comprise of two parts:

Part A: Total weightage to this part shall be 50 % of internal assessment marks i.e. 10 % of the total marks or 10 marks out of 20 marks reserved for internal assessment. It will have eight short questions selecting at least three from each of the two/three units (50 % of syllabus) covered. A Candidate has to attempt any five and each question carries 2 marks.


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Semester-II

Core Course

(Examination to be held in the years May 2020, 2021 and 2022)

Course Code: UPHTC201

Course Title: Social and Political Philosophy

Duration of Exam: 2^{1/2} Hours

External Assessment: 80 Marks

Credits: 6

Internal Assessment: 20 Marks

Total Marks: 100

Part B: Total weightage to this part shall be 50% of the internal assessment marks i.e. 10 % of the total marks or 10 marks out of 20 marks reserved for internal assessment. It will have 2 Long questions, selecting one each from first two units/50 % of the syllabus. A Candidate has to attempt any one question and the question shall carry 10 marks.

Books Recommended:

- Social Philosophy – J.S. Mackenzie
- Philosophy, Politics and Society – Laslett and Runciman
- Political Philosophy – Anthony Quinton
- Social Philosophy – R.N. Sharma
- Social and Political Philosophy – O.P. Gauba

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UG level under CBCS

Semester-III

Core Course

(Examination to be held in the years December 2020, 2021 AND 2022)

Course Code: UPHTC301

Course Title: Introduction to Philosophy

Duration of Exam: 2^{1/2} Hours

External Assessment: 80 Marks

Credits: 6

Internal Assessment: 20 Marks

Total Marks: 100

Objectives: The course aims at providing the students with a broad introduction to the main thinkers and theories of Western philosophy from antiquity up to the modern era. The students are expected to appreciate the continuities as well as the ruptures in the Western philosophical narrative.

Unit – 1: Ancient and Medieval Philosophy

- 1.1 Early Greek Philosophy (Thales/Water, Anaximander/Infinite, Heraclitus/Becoming, Parmenides/Being, Democritus/Atomism)
- 1.2 Socrates – Dialectical Method
- 1.3 Plato – Theory of Forms, Concept of Justice
- 1.4 Aristotle – Form and Matter, Theory of Causation
- 1.5 Medieval Philosophy – Meaning and Characteristics of Scholasticism

Unit – 2: Modern Philosophy – The Rationalists


- 2.1 Descartes – Method of Doubt, Body-Mind Dualism
- 2.2 Spinoza – Parallelism, Pantheism
- 2.3 Leibnitz – Theory of Monads, Pre-Established Harmony

Unit – 3: Modern Philosophy – The Empiricists

- 3.1 Locke – Primary and Secondary Qualities, Tabula Rasa
- 3.2 Berkeley – Esse Est Percipi, Subjective Idealism
- 3.3 Hume – Theory of Causation, Scepticism

Unit – 4: Kant's Synthesis

- 4.1 Rationalism and Empiricism – A Comparison
- 4.2 Kant: Forms of Sensibility, Categories of Understanding
- 4.3 Kant: Synthesis of Rationalism and Empiricism


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B.A. Philosophy
UG level under CBCS

Semester-III

Core Course

(Examination to be held in the years December 2020, 2021 AND 2022)

Course Code: UPHTC301

Duration of Exam: 2^{1/2} Hours

Credits: 6

Course Title: Introduction to Philosophy

External Assessment: 80 Marks

Internal Assessment: 20 Marks

Total Marks: 100

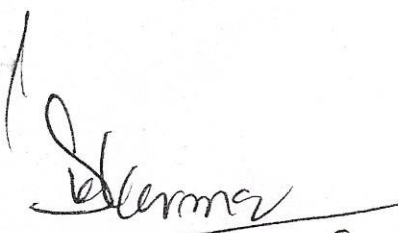
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Internal Assessment Examination (20 Marks, Time: 1 Hour only): The Internal Assessment under Choice Based Credit System shall comprise of two parts:

Part A: Total weightage to this part shall be 50 % of internal assessment marks i.e. 10 % of the total marks or 10 marks out of 20 marks reserved for internal assessment. It will have eight short questions selecting at least three from each of the two/three units (50 % of syllabus) covered. A Candidate has to attempt any five and each question carries 2 marks.


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Semester-III

Core Course

(Examination to be held in the years December 2020, 2021 AND 2022)

Course Code: UPHTC301

Duration of Exam: 2^{1/2} Hours

Credits: 6

Course Title: Introduction to Philosophy

External Assessment: 80 Marks

Internal Assessment: 20 Marks

Total Marks: 100

Part B: Total weightage to this part shall be 50% of the internal assessment marks i.e. 10 % of the total marks or 10 marks out of 20 marks reserved for internal assessment. It will have 2 Long questions, selecting one each from first two units/50 % of the syllabus. A Candidate has to attempt any one question and the question shall carry 10 marks.

Books Recommended:

- A Critical History of Greek Philosophy – W.T. Stace
- Medieval Philosophy – M. Mahdi
- The Rise of Modern Philosophy – Anthony Kenny
- *From Socrates to Sartre* – T.Z. Lavine
- Philosophy The Classics – Nigel Warburton

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Semester - III

Skill Enhancement Course
(Examination to be held in the years December 2020, 2021 AND 2022)

Course No. UPHTS 302

Title: Philosophical Tools and Techniques

Duration of Exam: 2 1/2 hours

External Assessment: 80 Marks

Credits: 04

Internal Assessment: 20 Marks

Total Marks: 100

Objectives: The course aims at providing the students with a compendium of tools and techniques to facilitate philosophical analysis. The students are to be encouraged to adopt a hands-on approach to philosophical problems through the employment of these techniques.

Unit - 1: Philosophical Analysis: Nature and Methods

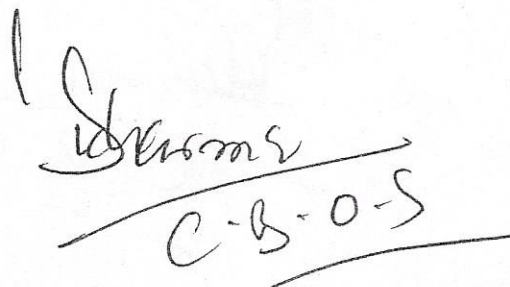
- 1.1 Nature of Philosophical Inquiry
- 1.2 Methodical Doubt
- 1.3 Critical Reasoning
- 1.4 Dialectic

Unit - 2: Tools for Assessment

- 2.1 Regress
- 2.2 Circularity
- 2.3 Category Mistake
- 2.4 Ambiguity

Unit - 3: Conceptual Distinctions - I

- 3.1 A priori/A posteriori
- 3.2 Analytic/Synthetic
- 3.3 Categorical/Modal


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Semester - III

**Skill Enhancement Course
(Examination to be held in the years December 2020, 2021 AND 2022)**

Course No. UPHTS 302

Title: Philosophical Tools and Techniques

Duration of Exam: 2 1/2 hours

External Assessment: 80 Marks

Credits: 04

Internal Assessment: 20 Marks

Total Marks: 100

Unit - 4: Conceptual Distinctions - II

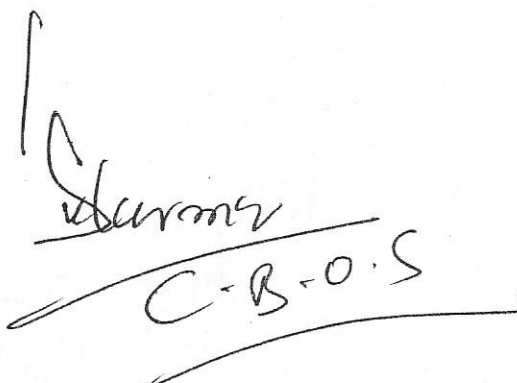
- 4.1 Objective/Subjective
- 4.2 Essential/Accidental
- 4.3 Necessary/Sufficient

Notes for Paper Setting:

External End Semester Examinations (80 Marks, Time: 2 1/2 hours only)

The External examinations in theory shall consist of the following:

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Semester - III

Skill Enhancement Course
(Examination to be held in the years December 2020, 2021 AND 2022)

Course No. UPHTS 302

Title: Philosophical Tools and Techniques

Duration of Exam: 2 1/2 hours

External Assessment: 80 Marks

Credits: 04

Internal Assessment: 20 Marks

Total Marks: 100

Internal Assessment Examination (20 Marks, Time: 1 Hour only):

The Internal Assessment under Choice Based Credit System shall comprise of two parts:

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Part B: Total weightage to this part shall be 50% of the internal assessment marks i.e. 10 % of the total marks or 10 marks out of 20 marks reserved for internal assessment. It will have 2 Long questions, selecting one each from first two units/50 % of the syllabus. A Candidate has to attempt any one question and the question shall carry 10 marks.

Books Recommended:

- Baggini, Julian, and Fosl, Peter S., *The Philosopher's Toolkit*
- Baggini, Julian and Stangroom, Jermy, *What Philosophers Think*
- Nosich, G. M., *Learning To Think Things Through: A Guide to Critical Thinking*
- Hurley. Patrick J., *A Concise Introduction to Logic*

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