Paper I
Hisoriography, Concepts, Methods and tools
HIS-201

Unit 1
Approaches to history - theological; imperialist; nationalist; marxist; subaltern and post - modernist.

Unit 2
Themes in indian history- economes; labour and peaseants; religion; culture: Environment and science and technology.

Unit 3
Major theories of history-Cyclical: historical materialism: Sociological: comparative: structural: world system; ecological; and post modernist critiques of history.

Unit 4
Debate in history : representative study of at least four major debates of history:
1. Position of women in indian society.
2. Was Aurangzeb a fanatic
3. Balance - sheet debate related to british rule in india.
4. Is history a science of art or both

Unit 5
1. Nature of the Revolt of 1857 A.D.
2. World economics crisis of 1929 A.D.
3. Stimulus- Response debate related to growth of india nationalism.
4. Debate on de- industrialization under colonial rule of india.

Sugessted readings:
Bajaj. satish.K, recent trends in historiography, Anmol, new delhi, 2001
Sen S.P. , historian and hisorolography in modern india, calcutta 1973
Pandey govind chand, Itihas- swaroop evam siddhant. Jaipur, 1999
Sharma ramvilas, itihas darshan, vaani, delhi, 2000.

Paper II
Twentieth Century World
Compulsory
HIS-202

Unit 1
Cold war and its effects
Ideologies and political basis of cold war, pacts and treaties.
NATO, Warsa pact, SEATO etc.

Unit 2
UNO and the concept of world peace: regional tensions- palestine, kashmir, suez, koreaand vietnam.

Unit 3
Non Alignment and the third world

Unit 4
Disintegration of soviet union end of cold war
Genesis and process of disintegration: fall of sociolism and revival of
capitalism-it impact on society and politcs,
Changes in the world political order - from biopolar to unipoar world system.

Unit 5
Globalization and its economic and political impact on third world countries.
Progress of Science and technology; and communication and information.

Paper III
(Ancient Indian History)-A
History of India from Earlist Times to 650 A.D.
HIS203 Optional-A

Unit 1
Janapads and mahajans and republican states, Religion movements-Jainism Buddhism, Ajivikism and other sects.

Unit 2
Mauryan empire policy, economy Art and Architecture shokan, edicts, Dhamma Kautilya Arthashastra and meghasthane's India.

Unit 3
Sungas, Satavahans and kushanas, polity, society, economy art and Architecture. The sungam age - Cheifdoms literature, society Indo Roman trade and integration of cultures.

Unit 4
The guptas polity, Economy, religion Literature, science and technologies and Art and Architecture.

Unit 5
Huna Invasions, Vakatakas, Harsha, Chalukyas and pallavas: polity, economy, society, religion Art and Architecture, educational ideas and institutions status of women, salvey labour and untouchability.

Sugessted readings:
Khanna Devraj , slavery in ancient india, delhi 1960

Paper III
(Medieval India)-B
Polity and Economy of India C.A.D. 1200-1700
HIS-203 Optional-B

Unit 1
Proces of urbanization during the sultanate period. Crafts and industries of south india trade and commerce import and export.

Unit 2
Technogical development during the mughal period - mughal karkhana, Metal technology, Agro-industries. Trade and commerce-internal and external trade , main trade routes transports and communication.

Unit 3
Advent of European companies. Urbanization during the mughal period.

Unit 4
Coinage and banking system during the mughal period.
Revenue system of the medieval india- revenue administration of the sultans of delhi.
Sher shah suri and of the mughals.

Unit 5
Agrarian economy during the Mughal period: Different stages of peasantry- classification of peasants. Role of zamindars in the development of rural economy.

Sugestted reading:
Altekar and mazumdar " pracheen bharat ki shasan padhiti.
Trivedi S.K. Madhya Pradesh men prathira yugin kala jaipur, 1995
Pathak vishunath, uttar bharat ka rajnaitik itihas.

Paper IV
World history (18 and 19 century)-A
HIS-204 Optional-A

Unit 1
The American civil war, the unification of italy, the unification of germany.

Unit 2
The eastern question, crimean war and berlin congress. The european powers on the ottoman empire (1815-1890). The age of bismarck- the internal and align policy of Bismarck.

Unit 3
Econialism and imperialism in asia and africa in the 19th century. Scramble of africa

Unit 4
Econialism and imperialism in china. First and second opium war. Struggle for concession in china. Taiping revolt, boxer, rebellion and its consequences.

Unit 5
Advent of western powers in japan. Meiji restoration in japan modernization of japan and its emergence as an imperialm power.

Paper IV
History of Architecture of India- B
HIS-204 Optional-B

Unit 1
Development of rock, cut architecture, Ajanta, Ellora, Bedsa, Nasik, Junner and Kanheri

Unit 2
Temples: early historical temples, gupta temples, Khajurao group of temples.

Unit 3
Orissan temples, temples of gujarat, temples of rajasthan

Unit 4
Early chalukyas temples and pallava monuments.

Unit 5
Chola temples, hoysala temples, pandyan temples.

Sugessted readings:
Mishra ratan lal, smarko ka itihas
Ganguly O.C., indian architecture.