| Name of the Program: Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA) Finance Elective Course Code: FN1 | | | | | |
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| Name of the Course: Advanced Corporate Financial Management (DSE) | | | | | |
| Course Credits | No. of hours per week | Total No. of Teaching | g hours | | |
| 3 Credits | 4 hours | 56 hours | | | |
| Pedagogy: Classroom lectures, t field work etc., | utorials, Group discussic | n, Seminar, Case studies & | | | |
| Course Outcomes: On successfu a) Understand and determine b) Comprehend the different a c) Understand the importance d) Evaluate mergers and acqu e) Enable the ethical and gove | the overall cost of capita advanced capital budgeti of dividend decisions an isition. | l. ng techniques. nd dividend theories. | to: | | |
| Syllabus: | | U | Hours | | |
| Module No. 1: Cost of Capital | | | 10 | | |
| Cost of Capital : Meaning and D Computation of Cost of Capital Weighted Average Cost of Capi | - Specific Cost - Cost of | 1 51 | * | | |
| Module No. 2 : Financial Decis | ion : Capital Structure | | 12 | | |
| Meaning and Definition- Capi Operating Income Approach, Tr | | | | | |
| Module No. 3: Risk Analysis in | Capital Budgeting | | 12 | | |
| Risk Analysis – Types of Risks adjusted Discount Rate Appro Probability Approach - Standarc – Problems. | ach – Certainty Equival I Deviation and Co-efficie | ent Approach – Sensitivity ent of Variation – Decision T | y Analysis - ree Analysis | | |
| Module No.4: Dividend Decision | on & Theories of Divide | nd. | 10 | | |
| Introduction - Dividend Decisio – Significance of Stable Dividen Theories of Relevance – Walter Miller-Modigliani (MM) Hypoth | d Policy - Determinants 's Model and Gordon's N | of Dividend Policy; Divide | nd Theories: | | |
| Module No. 5: Mergers and Acc | quisitions | | 12 | | |
| Meaning - Reasons – Types of C – Financial Evaluation of a Merg Meaning and Significance of P/ Earnings Approach and Market | ger - Merger Negotiations E Ratio. Problems on Exe | s – Leverage buyout, Manag change Ratios based on Ass | gement Buyout sets Approach, | | |

Market capitalization.

Skill Development Activities:

1. Visit an organisation in your town and collect data about the financial objectives.

2.Compute the specific cost and weighted average cost of capital of an Organisation, you have visited.

- 3. Case analysis of some live merger reported in business magazines.
- 4. Meet the financial manager of any company, discuss ethical issues in financial management.
- 5. Collect the data relating to dividend policies practices by any two companies.
- 6. Any other activities, which are relevant to the course.

Books for References:

- 1. I M Pandey, Financial management, Vikas publications, New Delhi.
- 2. Abrish Guptha, Financial management, Pearson.
- 3. Khan & Jain, Basic Financial Management, TMH, New Delhi.
- 4. S N Maheshwari, Principles of Financial Management, Sulthan Chand & Sons, New Delhi.
- 5. Chandra & Chandra D Bose, Fundamentals of Financial Management, PHI, New Delhi.
- 6. B.Mariyappa, Advanced Financial Management, Himalaya Publishing House, New Delhi.
- 7. Ravi M Kishore, Financial Management, Taxman Publications
- 8. Prasanna Chandra, Financial Management, Theory and Practice, Tata McGraw Hill.

Note: Latest edition of Reference Books may be used

Name of the Programme: Bachelor of Commerce (B.Com.)

Course Code: B.Com. 2.2 (DSC)

Name of the Course: Business Ethics

| Course Credits | No. of Hours per week | Total No. of Teaching Hours |
|----------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------|
| 4 Credits | 4 Hrs | 56 Hrs |

Pedagogy: Classroom lecture, Tutorials, Group discussion, Seminar, Case studies, Fieldwork etc.,

Course outcomes: On successful completion of the course, the Students will be able to

- Understanding the importance of ethical behavior in business and the community.
- Provide skills for recognising and resolving ethical issues in business;
- Critical self-examination of one's own values, as well as appreciation for the relevance of personal values in the business/workplace.
- Encourage self-reflection on the ethical dimensions of your own decisions in the workplace.

Syllabus

Module No. 1: Nature and Essence of Business Ethics (08 Hrs)

Meaning of Ethics, Scope & Importance of Ethics, Types of Ethics. Business Ethics: Introduction, Meaning, Characteristics, Importance, Factors Influencing Business Ethics, Principles & Scope of Business Ethics, Approaches to the study of Business Ethics, Arguments for and against Business Ethics.

Module No. 2: Personal & Professional Ethics (12 hours)

Personal Ethics - Meaning, Principles of Personal Ethics, Importance, Emotional Honesty, Virtue of Humility, Karma Yoga concept (Meaning & Principles).

Professional Ethics - Concept & Emergence of Professional Ethics, Need for Professional Ethics, Ethical Dilemmas in Profession – Healthcare, Education, Corporate, Social work. Reasons for the crisis of Professional Ethics (Nepotism, favoritism etc.), Moral Entrepreneur (Meaning only).

Module No. 3: Business Ethics in Marketing & Finance (12 hours)

Meaning of Marketing, Need of Ethics in Marketing, Ethical dilemmas in Marketing, Unethical practices in Marketing, Ethical issues in Advertising, Promotions and Distribution, Common deceptive marketing practices, Role of Consumerism.

Meaning of Finance, Ethics in Finance, Need of Ethics in Finance, Scope & Code of Ethics in Finance, Unethical practices in Finance.

Creative Accounting – Definition, Importance and Methods; Earnings Management & Accounting Fraud; Hostile takeovers in India; Case study: Kingfisher Airlines Scam, Satyam Scam.

Module No. 4: Business Ethics in HRM & IT (12 hours)

HRM – Meaning, Definition, Need and Types. Areas of HRM ethics, Ethical issues in HR, Unethical practices of HRM, Meaning & Importance of Workplace Ethics, Role of Management in inculcating workplace ethics, Factors shaping ethical behavior at work, Importance of Employee Code of Conduct, Ethical Leadership (meaning).

IT – Ethical issues relating to Computer Applications, Information Security, Security Policies & Procedures, Information Protection, Ethical codes in Information Technology, Reducing threat to Information Systems.

Objectives and Features of Cyber Laws in India, Objectives and Features of The Information Technology Act 2000, Computer Crime & Computer Viruses – Meaning, Types & Prevention. Ecological Ethics: Environment Protection and pollution control by businesses.

Module No. 5: Corporate Governance & Corporate Social Responsibility (12 hours)

Corporate Culture - Meaning, Characteristics, Importance, Positive and negative impact of corporate culture in business, Role of CEOs in shaping business culture.

Corporate Governance - Meaning, Scope, Characteristics, Principles, Benefits, Limitations, Corporate Governance Norms, Changes in Corporate Governance issues as per Companies Act 2013.

Various Committees on Corporate Governance – Board of Directors, Appointment & Duties; Cadbury Committee, Narasimhan Committee, Narayana Murthy Committee.

CSR: Concept, Scope, Types, CSR Principles & Strategies, Importance of CSR in contemporary society, Various models of CSR.

Skill Developments Activities:

- Prepare a chart showing types of values.
- Make a list of unethical aspects of finance in any organization.
- Make a list of ethical issues that functional managers face.
- Prepare a note on the CSR activities undertaken by any two Indian Corporate.
- Create a list of ethical issues involved in Corporate Governance.
- Prepare a list of unethical aspects of advertising.
- Any other activities, which are relevant to the course.

Reference Books:

- Murthy CSV: Business Ethics and Corporate Governance, HPH
- Bholananth Dutta, S.K. Podder Corporation Governance
- H.R.Machiraju: Corporate Governance
- K. Venkataramana, Corporate Governance, SHBP.
- N.M.Khandelwal : Indian Ethos and Values for Managers
- S Prabhakaran; Business ethics and Corporate Governance
- C.V. Baxi: Corporate Governance
- R. R. Gaur, R. Sanghal, G. P. Bagaria; Human Values and Professional ethics
- B O B Tricker, Corporate Governance; Principles, Policies and Practices
- Michael, Blowfield; Corporate Responsibility

Note: Latest edition of textbooks and reference Books may be used

| Name of the Program: Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA) Human Resource Elective Course Code: HRM1 | | | | | |
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| Name of the Course: COMPENSATION AND PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT (DSE) | | | | | |
| COURSE CREDITS | NO. OF HOURS PER WEEK | Н | . OF TEACHING IOURS | | |
| 3 CREDITS | 4 HOURS | 56 HOURS | | | |
| Pedagogy: Classroom lectur work etc., | es, tutorials, Group discussi | on, Seminar, Cas | e studies & field | | |
| Course Outcomes: On successful completion of the course, the students will be able to: a) Understand the concepts of Compensation management. b) Describe job evaluation and its methods. c) Evaluate the different methods of wages. d) Describe performance management and methods of performance management. e) Preparation of Payroll. | | | | | |
| SYLLABUS: | | HOURS | | | |
| Module No. 1: Introduction | to Compensation Managem | ent | 12 | | |
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| Pay; Equity based programs term Incentives, Social Sect Bonus Plan, ESOP, Employ Account, Savings Incentive | , Commission, Reward, Remu urity, Retirement Plan, Pens er Benefits and Employer C Match Plan for Employees. | uneration, Bonus, ion Plans, Profit osts for ESOP, In | Short term and Long Sharing Plan, Stock dividual Retirement | | |
| Pay; Equity based programs term Incentives, Social Sect Bonus Plan, ESOP, Employ Account, Savings Incentive Module No. 2: Concepts & S | , Commission, Reward, Remu urity, Retirement Plan, Pens er Benefits and Employer C Match Plan for Employees. Strategies of Compensation I | uneration, Bonus, ion Plans, Profit osts for ESOP, In Management | Short term and Long Sharing Plan, Stock dividual Retirement 12 | | |
| Pay; Equity based programs term Incentives, Social Sect Bonus Plan, ESOP, Employ Account, Savings Incentive Module No. 2: Concepts & S Compensation Management in Compensation Management Compensation Management Organizational and Extern Strategies as an Integral Par | , Commission, Reward, Remu arity, Retirement Plan, Pens er Benefits and Employer C Match Plan for Employees. Strategies of Compensation I t- Compensation and Non-co nent, Compensation as Reter nt in Multi-National org nal Factors Affecting Com t of HRM, Compensation Pol | uneration, Bonus, S ion Plans, Profit osts for ESOP, In Management ompensation Dimention Strategy, Co anizations Comp pensation Strateg | Short term and Long Sharing Plan, Stock dividual Retirement 12 ensions, 3-P Concept ompensation Issues, pensation Strategy: | | |
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| Pay; Equity based programs term Incentives, Social Sect Bonus Plan, ESOP, Employ Account, Savings Incentive Module No. 2: Concepts & S Compensation Management in Compensation Management Compensation Management Organizational and Extern Strategies as an Integral Part Module No. 3: Job Evaluation Definition of Job Evaluation, Factor Method of Job Evaluation, Factor Method of Job Evaluation, | , Commission, Reward, Remu arity, Retirement Plan, Pens er Benefits and Employer C Match Plan for Employees. Strategies of Compensation I t- Compensation and Non-co- nent, Compensation as Reter nt in Multi-National org nal Factors Affecting Com t of HRM, Compensation Pol on Major Decisions in Job Evalua- ation: Combining Point factor actor Evaluation System (FES nts. | uneration, Bonus, S ion Plans, Profit osts for ESOP, In Management ompensation Dimention Strategy, Co anizations Comp pensation Strategy icies. | Short term and Long Sharing Plan, Stock dividual Retirement 12 ensions, 3-P Concept ompensation Issues, pensation Strategy gies, Compensation 06 ion Methods, Point nparison Methods, | | |
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Evolution of Performance Management, Definitions of Performance Management, Importance of Performance Management, Aims and Purpose of Performance Management, Employee Engagement and Performance Management, Principles and Dimensions of Performance Management Performance Appraisal Methods: Traditional Methods, Modern Methods, Performance Appraisal Feedback: Role, Types and Principles, Levels of Performance Feedback, 360-Degree Appraisal, Ethics in Performance Appraisal. Team Performance Management, Performance Management and Learning Organizations, Performance Management and Virtual Teams, Role of Line Managers in Performance Management, Performance Management and Reward, Linking Performance to Pay –A Simple System Using Pay Band, Linking Performance to Total Reward, Challenges of Linking Performance and Reward.

Skill Development Activities:

- 1. List the various components of total compensation in Multinational Companies.
- 2. Construct a questionnaire for a salary survey on nurses.
- 3. Design a performance appraisal plan using any Modern Performance Appraisal Tool for an IT company.
- 4. Study any one contemporary practice of Performance Management System (Balance scorecard, Lean Management, BPRE, Six Sigma and so on)

Books for References:

- 1. Joseph J. Martocchio, Strategic Compensation, 3rd Edition, Pearson Education
- 2. Michael Armstrong & amp; Helen Murlis: Hand Book of Reward Management Crust Publishing House.
- 3. Milkovich & amp; Newman, Compensation, Tata McGraw Hill
- 4. Richard I. Anderson , Compensation Management in Knowledge based world, 10th edition, Pearson Education
- 5. Thomas. P. Plannery, David. A. Hofrichter & amp; Paul. E. Platten: People, Performance & amp; Pay Free Press.
- 6. Aguinis Herman, Performance Management, 2nd Edition, 2009 Pearson Education, New Delhi.
- 7. Aziz A, Performance Appraisal: Accounting and Quantitative Approaches, 1993, Pointer.
- 8. Bhatia S.K, Performance Management: Concepts, Practices and Strategies for Organisation Success, 2007, Deep & amp; Deep, New Delhi.
- 9. BD Singh, Compensation & amp; Reward Management, Excel Books
- 10. Cardy R.L, Performance Management: Concepts, Skills and Exercises, 1st Edition, 2008, PHI, New Delhi.
- 11. Goel Dewkar, Performance Appraisal and Compensation Management: A Modern Approach, 2 nd Edition, 2008, PHI, New Delhi.
- 12. Sarma A.M, Performance Management System, 1st Edition, 2008, Himalaya Pub, Mumbai.
- 13. H.K Manjula Dr. Priyanka sharma and Dr. Divyesh Kumar "compensation and performance management- 1st edition 23-HPH

| Name of the Prog | ram: Bachelor of Business A | dministration (BBA) | | | |
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| Traine of the 1105 | Retail Management | | | | |
| | Course Code: RM 1 | | | | |
| Name of the Course: <mark>Fundamentals of Retail Management</mark> (DSE) | | | | | |
| Course Credits | No. of hours per week | Total No. of teac | hing hours | | |
| 3 Credits | 4 hours | 56 h | ours | | |
| Pedagogy: Classroom lectures, Ca | se studies, Group discussio | on, Seminar & field | work etc., | | |
| Course Outcomes: On successful | completion student will de | monstrate: | | | |
| a) Understand the Retail Busi | ness. | | | | |
| b) Understand the business of | perations in Retailing. | | | | |
| c) Formulate the retail strateg | ies of Retail Business. | | | | |
| d) Apply the Retailing princip | ples and theories. | | | | |
| e) Explore the career opportu | nities in the Retail sector. | | | | |
| Syllabus: | | Hours | | | |
| Module -1: Introduction to Retail | Business | | 12 | | |
| Franchising, Leased departmental forms of retail business ownership India; Ethical Issues in Retailing; I Organized Retail Sector. | o. Indian Retail Scenario- Fa | ctors influencing reta | ail business in | | |
| Module -2: Consumer Behaviour | in Retail Business | | 10 | | |
| Buying decision process and its Customer service and customer preparing a business plan – imp | satisfaction. Retail planning | | | | |
| Module 3: Retail Organization a | nd Functional Managemen | t | 12 | | |
| Business Models in Retailing, Retailing, Factors influencing Lo Management, Merchandising N Accounting and Cash Managem | ocation of stores, Stores Des Ianagement, Selection and | igning, Space planni | ng, Inventory | | |
| Module -4: Retail Marketing Mix | | | 12 | | |
| Introduction -Product: Decision Product Assortment and display factors – approaches to pricing Supply channel, Retail logistics, Policies. Promotion: Setting ob distribution- In Store and Online Management in Retailing- Select | 7, new product launch, PLC – price sensitivity- Value p computerized replenishmer pjectives, communication e Store, Factors influencing r | C in Retailing; Pricing ricing – Markdown nt system, corporate effects , promotiona etail distribution; Hu | g- Influencing pricing. Place: replenishment 1 mix.; Retail | | |
| Module- 5: Impact of Information | - | | 10 | | |
| Non store retailing (e-retailing) - systems and networking – EDI - labels – customer database man retailing, Ethical issues in retailir | The impact of Information - Bar coding – Electronic ar nagement system. Legal as | ticle surveillance – E | lectronic shelf | | |

Skill Development Activities:

- a) Draw a retail life cycle chart and list the stages.
- b) Draw a chart showing store operations.
- c) List out the major functions of a store manager diagrammatically.
- d) List out the current trends in e-retailing
- e) List out the Factors Influencing in the location of a New Retail outlet.

Books for References:

- 1. Suja Nair; Retail Management, HPH
- 2. Karthic Retail Management, HPH
- 3. S.K. Poddar& others Retail Management, HPH.
- 4. R.S.Tiwari ; Retail Management, HPH 18
- 5. Barry Bermans and Joel Evans: "Retail Management A Strategic Approach", 8th edition, PHI/02
- 6. A.J.Lamba, "The Art of Retailing", 1st edition, Tata McGrawHill, Newdelhi, 2003.
- 7. Swapna Pradhan :Retailing Management, 2/e, 2007 & amp; 2008, TMH
- 8. James R. Ogden & amp; Denise T.: Integrated Retail Management
- 9. A Sivakumar : Retail Marketing , Excel Books
- 10. Ogden :Biztantra, 2007 Levy & amp; Weitz : Retail Management -TMH 5th Edition 2002
- 11. Rosemary Varley, Mohammed Rafiq-: Retail Management
- 12. Chetan Bajaj: Retail Management -Oxford Publication.
- 13. Uniyal & amp; Sinha : Retail Management Oxford Publications.
- 14. AraifSakh ; Retail Management

Name of the Program: Bachelor of Commerce (B.Com.) Course Code: COM 5.3 DSC-15 Name of the Course: Principles and Practice of Auditing **Course Credits** No. of Hours per Week Total No. of Teaching Hours 4 Credits 4 Hrs 60 Hrs Pedagogy: Classrooms lecture, Case studies, Group discussion, Seminar & field work etc., Course Outcomes: On successful completion of the course, the students' will be able to a) Understand the conceptual framework of auditing. b) Examine the risk assessment and internal control. c) Comprehend the relevance of IT in audit and audit sampling for testing. d) Examine the company audit and the procedure involved in the audit of different entities. e) Gain knowledge on different aspect of audit reporting and conceptual framework applicable on professional accountants. Hours Syllabus: Module No. 1: Introduction to Auditing 10 Introduction - Meaning and Definition - Objectives- Types of Audit- Merits and Demerits of Auditing - Relationship of audit with other disciplines. Preparations before commencement of new audit - Working Papers -Audit Note Book, Audit Programme. Qualities of an Auditor - Audit planning - Audit strategy - Audit Engagement - Audit Documentation - Audit Evidence - Written Representation. Module No. 2: Risk Assessment and Internal Control 12 Introduction - Audit risk - Assessment of risk - Internal Control-Meaning and objectives- Internal check- Meaning, objectives and fundamental Principles. Internal check with regards to wage payment, cash sales, and cash purchases. Module No. 3: Verification and Valuation of Assets and Liabilities 12 Meaning and objectives of verification and valuation - Position of an auditor as regards the valuation of assets-Verification and Valuation of different items of Assets- Land and Building, Plant and Machinery, Investments, Stock in Trade. Liabilities-Bills payable, Sundry Creditors and Contingent liabilities. Module No. 4: Company Audit and Audit of other Entities 13 Company Auditor: appointment, Qualification, powers, duties and liabilities, professional ethics of an auditor. Other Entities: Audit Procedure of NGOs - Charitable institutions - Educational institutions - Government - Local Bodies - Cooperative societies - hotels - hospitals - clubs & Banks. Module 5: Audit Report & Professional Ethics 13 Introduction - Meaning - Elements of audit report - Types of audit report - Independent Auditor's report and their illustration; Professional Ethics: Code of Ethics - Professional Accountants in Public practices and business -

Skill Development Activities:

Fundamental Principles of Professional Ethics.

- 1. Design and develop an audit plan program for a joint stock company
- 2. List the various documents necessary to be verified in the audit process
- 3. Draft an audit report (qualified or clean) with imaginary data.
- 4. Record the verification procedure with respect to any one fixed asset.
- 5. Prepare an E-content on professional ethics of an auditor.
- 6. Any other activities, which are relevant to the course.

Books for Reference:

- 1. ICAI Study Materials on Auditing and Assurance
- 2. B.N. Tandon, Principles of Auditing, S. Chand and Company, New Delhi.
- 3. T.R. Sharma, Auditing Principles and Problems, Sahitya Bhawan, Agra.
- 4. J.M. Manjunatha and others, Auditing and Assurance, HPH.
- 5. Gupta Karnal, Contemporary Auditing, Tata Mc. Graw-Hill, New Delhi.
- 6. R.G. Saxena, Principles of Auditing.

Note: Latest edition of books may be used.