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Syllabus – PhD Entrance Test in Education Management (Faculty of Management Studies)





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(Section A) Syllabus of Research Methodology (50 Marks)

(Dept. Of education Management: Faculty of Commerce and Management Studies)

Topic	Sub-topics	Weightage
Basic Concept of research	Rationale of research, Research Problem, Research Objectives Types of Research: Fundamental, Applied, Action Quantitative/Qualitative	5
Literature Survey/Review	Primary Sources, Secondary Sources, Searching e- resources: Using search engines, searching databases Authenticity of e-resources, Writing Literature Review	5
Research Problem	Identification of research problem Defining research problem	5
Research Methodology	Types of research methods • Field research • Survey research • Experimental research • Quasi experimental research • Correlational research • Archival methods • Content analysis • Qualitative research Hypotheses: Meaning ,Types of Hypotheses, Level of significance Types of research variables, Operational definitions Research designs: Exploratory , descriptive and causal research Design ,Factorial designs,	10
Sampling	Concepts of population, Concept of sample Sampling Techniques: Probability Sampling techniques, Non-Probability Sampling techniques, Snowball and Quota sampling, Sample size estimation,	5

Data Collection	Primary Data Collection: Observation, Interview,	5
methods, tools	Questionnaire, rating scales, Psychometric tests	
and techniques	Secondary Data Collection, Case study	
	Types of scales: Nominal, Ordinal, Interval, Ratio	
Data analysis	Descriptive and Inferential analysis.	5
techniques	Quantitative techniques: Simple, Partial, and Multiple	
	regression, Comparing two groups and more than two	
	groups.	
	Parametric and nonparametric data analysis.	
	Qualitative methods: Thematic Analysis, Ethnography,	
	Grounded theory, Phenomenology.	
	Case study; Focus Groups. Content analysis	
Report	Title, Subtitle, Formatting etc.	5
Writing/	Citation (APA and Harvard style)	
Documentation	References (APA and Harvard)	
	Bibliography (APA and Harvard)	
Research	Ethics in conducting research	5
ethics	Copyright, Plagiarism	
	Originality of research work	
	Creative Commons	

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Section B
Subject: Education Management (Faculty of Commerce and Management Studies)
Template for Subject Syllabus

	Module/s	Sub-topics	Weigh
			tage
1.	An overview- Education & Curriculum management	Concept of management in education- social relevance and need for diversification, growth and Development, Quality and Education. The New Education Policy- National Perspective plan for women's Education. Role of Universities- Policy development and implementation. Strategic Management: Historical background, Theories, and practices. Evaluation of Curriculum for formal and nonformal education, Process of curriculum design and revision Managing the Process of curriculum changes,	10
2.	Organization al behaviour & Human Resources	Concept of Human Resources and Management, Principles and Evolution of Management thought: Classical, Neo classical, Modern theory of Management. Basic elements of management process- decision-making, problem solving, human relations, communication etc. Nature & Scope of Staffing, Manpower Planning, Selection & Training, performance appraisal and management. Importance of OB in new Workplace, Theories: Taylorism, scientific management, Human relations Movement, Theory X and Theory Y. Managing work motivation. Understanding attitudes to globalization, Cross –National convergence and divergence. Perception, Attribution, Attitude and Values, Learning and Reinforcement, Job Design, Goal Setting, and Work Arrangements, Learning Organization, Group and team, work arrangement. Power and Politics, Conflict and Negotiation. Culture and Climate.	10

3.	Financial Accounting	Concepts of financial accounting (related to educational system). Theories of Financial Management -Decision, Normative and Bucket theory of financial management. Sources of term finance: term loans, fixed deposits, Balance sheet, etc. Related Funding of the educational institutions: Sources of finance for educational institutions, internal generation as a source of finance, Basic accounts- auditing of accounts, sources, revenues and grants, financial accountability and viability, budget formulation. Cost management- Private and Public Educational institution.	10
4.	Marketing Concept	Information system- research and planning. Promotion decision- different promotion strategies. Theories and concepts of relationship marketing - Virtual, Customer relationship, Service marketing, Non-profit Marketing and social marketing. Marketing of education services- Method of marketing, Ethics in marketing. Role of marketing research in decision-making- Definition and purpose marketing research, Process and Evaluation of Decision Making. Analyze the marketing system- study the characteristics of consumer behaviour, define market segmentation, and target markets in context of external and internal customer.	10
5.	Educational Leadership	Theories of leadership in historical perspective- Trait, behaviour & contingency theories. Strategic management & leadership. Emotional intelligence & leadership. Leadership Competency. Leading the educational change. Team Building, Transactional, Transformational, and Situational leadership. Theories of reflective practice and self-development: Argyris and Schon's double loop learning, Kalb's experiential learning, Gibbs Model of reflection etc	10

Format for each of the sections of the written test:

Objective type questions (20): 20 Short answer questions (3): 15 Long answer questions (1): 15

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