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#### **MINUTES**

SIXTH BOARD OF STUDIES MEETING HELD ON 14<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER, 2016 AT 10.30 AM.

Venue: Committee Room, Temporary Academic Block, CENTRAL UNIVERSITY OF HIMACHAL PRADESH, Shahpur, District Kangra(HP)



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File No. EES/1-12/DRC/CUHP/15/

Dated: 14th December, 2016

#### **MINUTES**

1. The 6<sup>th</sup> Board of Studies (BOS) meeting of Department of Environmental Sciences was held on 14<sup>th</sup> December, 2016 at 10.30 AM at Central University of Himachal Pradesh, Temporary Academic Block (TAB), Shahpur. The following were present:

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1.	Dr. Deepak Pant, Associate Professor & Head, Department of Environmental	CONVENER &
	believes, Dean, School of Earth and Environmental Sciences	CHAIRMAN
2.	Prof. H. Tombi Singh	
ļ	Ex-Vice Chancellor, Manipur University, Imphal (Manipur)	SUBJECT EXPERT
3.	Dr. Adarsh Pal Vig.	
J.	Department of Botanical and Environmental Sciences GNDI Amritean	SUBJECT EXPERT
	Froi. Ambrish Kumar Mahajan.	
4.	Professor, Department of Environmental Sciences, Central University of	MEMBER
	Himachal Pradesh	MEMBER -
l	Dr. Mushtaq Ahmed	
5.	Associate Professor, Department of Environmental Sciences, Central	
	University of Himachal Pradesh.	MEMBER
	Dr. Ankit Tandon	
6.	Assistant Professor, Department of Environmental Sciences, Central	
	University of Himachal Pradesh.	MEMBER
	Dr. Vikram Singh, Assistant Professor, Centre for Computational Biology &	
7.	Bioinformatics, School of Life Sciences, Central University of Himachal	
	Pradesh.	MEMBER (VC NOMINEE)

The following member could not attend the meeting due to prior assignments and was granted leave of absence:

1.	Dr. O.S.K.S. Sastri, Associate Professor & Dean, School of Physical and	MEMPER GIG
	Material Sciences, Central University of Himachal Pradesh.	MEMBER (VC NOMINEE)

2. Dr. Deepak Pant, Dean, School of Earth and Environmental Sciences (Convener & Chairman of the BOS) welcomed all the members and thanked them for being available for attending this meeting.

### THEREAFTER, THE AGENDA ITEMS WERE TAKEN UP AS UNDER:

**ITEM NO: ENV-BOS-6/15-1** 

Confirmation of the Minutes of the 5th Meeting of the Board of Studies held on 22nd February, 2016.

The Minutes of 5<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Board of Studies (BOS) held on 22<sup>nd</sup> February, 2016 were confirmed.

ITEM NO: ENV-BOS-6/15-2.

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		d Curricular Framework" for M.Sc. in Environment	Credits	Credits	Core- Or	pen	Credits
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		ENV 402a – Introduction to Earth Processes	4	1			
		ENV 403 - Environmental Chemistry	4	1			
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		ENV 408 - Biodiversity and Wild Life Management		1	ENV 560	- Environmental Pollution and Health issues	4
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		ENV 411 - Waste Management	2		'		
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		ENV 530 Green Chemistry and Environment	2			EVN 555 Emerging Ethical Issues for Nanotechnology in Environment	2

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To place before the BOS the revised Curricular Framework" for M.Sc. in Environmental Sciences based on Choice Based Credit System (CBCS) (Year 2016-17) adopted by the University in 115 13th Academic Council Meeting held on 15th June, 2015 vide ITEM NO: 13.10 (T) (Table-I).

The BOS discussed the revised Curricular Framework (based on Choice Based Credit System) (CBCS) and approved as shown in table-I below.

ITEM NO: ENV-BOS-6/15-3.

To place before the BOS "Curricular Framework" of Human Making and Skill Development courses to be offered by the Department of Environmental Sciences based on Choice Based Credit System (CBCS) adopted by the University in its 13th Academic Council Meeting held on 15th June, 2015 vide ITEM NO: 13.10 (T).

Table 2: List of Foundation Courses (Human Making and Skill Development)

#### **Under Graduate Level**

S. No.	Name of the Faculty Member	Course Name for Human Making	Course Code
1.	Dr. Anurag Linda	Basics of Environmental Studies*	ENV 121
2.	Dr. Ankit Tandon	Environmental Issues and Policies*	ENV 122

#### Post Graduate Level

S. No.	Name of the Faculty Member	Course Name for Human Making	Course Code
1.	Prof. A. K. Mahajan	Earthquake Awareness*	ENV-437
2.	Dr. Deepak Pant	Carbon Management	ENV577
3.	Dr. Mushtaq Ahmed	Principles of Biodiversity and Wildlife	ENV439
		Conservation*	
4.	Dr. S. Chatterjee	Environmental Ethics	ENV 508
5.	Dr. Dilbagh Singh	Energy and Environment	ENV 404

S. No.	Name of the Faculty	Course Name for Skill Development	Course Code
	Member		
1.	Prof. A. K. Mahajan	Disaster Management	ENV-536
2.	Dr. Deepak Pant	Waste Management	ENV - 411
3.	Dr. Mushtaq Ahmed	Microbes and Sustainable	ENV440
		Development*	
4.	Dr. Ankit Tandon	Basics of Climate Change*	ENV 443
5.	Dr. S. Chatterjee	Contemporary Environmental Issues	ENV 547
6.	Dr. Anurag Linda	Water Resource Conservation in Hilly	ENV441
		Region*	C144441
7.	Dr. Dilbagh Singh	Nano-techniques and Environment	ENV 528

<sup>†</sup> For Under Graduate Level

The BOS discussed the list of courses as given in table 2 above and approved the same.

ITEM NO: ENV-BOS-6/15-4

To approve the list of paper setters for the End-Semester examinations for the Department of Environmental Sciences as adopted by the University in its 16th Academic Council Meeting held on 65th June, 2016 vide ITEM NO: 16.11 vis-à-vis Ordinance 30. Jet singl

<sup>\*</sup> Courses to be introduced

clause 12 (b) and 22 (a) of Ordinance 30 (approved/amended vide item No. 16.11 of the minutes of 16th Academic Council) of the Central University of Himachal Pradesh are reproduced below:

1. Clause 12 (b), "The question paper for End-Semester examination of a course shall be set and evaluated by the external examiner".

2. Clause 22 (a), "For selecting the paper setters for the End-Semester examinations, the Controller of Examinations shall seek a panel of at least five paper setters / evaluators for each course from the Head / Director of the department / centre as approved by the Board of Studies.

Provided further that the concerned faculty members shall submit a list of examiners (who are not members of Board of Studies and School Board) to the Head / Director of Department / Centre who

in turn will get the examiners approved from the Board of Studies".

Accordingly, each faculty member of the Department, teaching a particular course was requested to provide the list of *paper setters for the End-Semester examinations* for that course. The compiled list for approval by the BOS is placed as in Table 3 below.

#### Table 3: LIST OF EXTERNAL PAPER SETTERS (ORDINANCE 30)

#### PROF. AMBRISH KUMAR MAHAJAN

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1.	Prof M.L.	Department of Earth Engineering, IITR, Roorkee,	
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2.	Prof RVS	Kurukshetra University, email :rbsybhu@rediffmail.com	Surface
	Yadav,		Geophysics )
3.	Prof. Dr	IIT, Roorkee, email : anandfes@iitr.ac.in	and ENV 559
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	Prof. S.S.	Kurukshetra University, email : teotia_ss@rediffmail.com	tal
4.		Kuruksiletra Olliversity, email : teotia_33@rediffinancom	Geophysics)
	Teotia,	Department of Earth engineering, IITR, Roorkee, email :	
5.	Dr S.C. Gupta,	•	
		scgeqfeq@iitr.ac.in	
6.	Dr Gautam	Scientist E , WIHG, Dehradun, email : rawatg@wihg.res.in	
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2.	Prof. Chandan	National Institute of Disaster Managements, email:	t (ENV 536)
	Gosh,	cghosh24@gmail.com	
3.	Prof. Sandeep	Department of Geology, Jammu University, email:	
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	Mishra,	Earth Sciences,	
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5.	Dr Naresh	WIHG, Dehradun, nkd@wihg.res.in	
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5.	Dr Sumer	Institute of seismological Research, Ahmedabad, Gujrat,	-
	Chopra,	Sumer.chopra@nic.in	F .
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	4.	Professor R. K. Srivastava	Department of Environmental Sciences, G.B. Pant University of Agriculture and Technology, Pant Nagar, Udham Singh Nagar (Uttarakhand) India, PIN -263145; E mail: <a href="mailto:rajeevsrivastava08@gmail.com">rajeevsrivastava08@gmail.com</a> ; Mob:+91-09997983678, 07500241436	

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2.	Prof T I Khan	Director of the Indira Ghandi Centre for Human Ecology, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur. E mail: <a href="mailto:tikhan_ige@yahoo.com">tikhan_ige@yahoo.com</a> ; Mob: 09829131672, 08626979106	Toxic and
3.	Dr M Uprati,	Chief Scientist, Indian Oil Cooperation (IOC), IndianOil, R&D Centre, Faridabad, E Mail upretim@INDIANOIL.IN; 09818646104	Hazardous Waste Managemen t (ENV- 523)
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#### **ITEM NO: ENV-BOS-6/15-5**

To approve the updated list of External Examiners for conducting practical Examinations / Dissertations and Viva-Voce for the Department of Environmental Sciences

#### (Annexure-I).

The BOS discussed the updated list of External Examiners for conducting practical Examinations / Dissertations and Viva-Voce and approved the same.

#### **ITEM NO: ENV-BOS-6/15-6**

To approve the names of Co-supervisors for the following RD scholars (working under the Supervision of Dr. S. Chatterjee in the Department of Environmental Sciences, CUHP). Request letter is placed as (Annexure –II).

#### Table 4:

S.No.	Enrolment No.	Name of the candidate	Co-Supervisor
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2.	CUHP15RDENV05	Miss. Shalini Verma	Dr. Dharam Singh, Senior Scientist, Biotechnology Division, IHBT, Palampur.

The BOS discussed and approved the proposal as given above in table 4.

#### **ITEM NO: ENV-BOS-6/15-7**

To report to the BOS the consent of letter of Dr. Anurag Linda, Assistant Professor, Department of Environmental Sciences, Central University of Himachal Pradesh to act as Co-supervisor of Miss. Riju

Parmar, registered for Ph.D degree (Enrolment No. 2016-E2-112) under the supervision of Prof. H.P. Singh, in the Department of Environmental Studies, Panjab University, Chandigarh. Request letter for the same is placed as (Annexure-III).

The BOS discussed the proposal and decided that the Department of Environmental Sciences, Central University of Himachal Pradesh has no objection if Dr. Anurag Linda, Assistant Professor, is appointed by the Panjab University, Chandigarh as Co-supervisor of Miss. Riju Parmar, registered for Ph.D degree (Enrolment No. 2016-E2-112) under the supervision of Prof. H.P. Singh, in the Department of Environmental Studies, Panjab University. However, on getting appointed as Co-Supervisor, he will inform the HoD/Dean, Department of Environmental Sciences, Central University of Himachal Pradesh for reporting to the BOS in its next meeting.

#### **ITEM NO: ENV-BOS-6/15-8**

To focus on research and teaching in Waste management as an emerging area in the light of Swachh Bharat Mission.

The members agreed and suggested that following sub areas of teaching and research should be focused

- Modern and Scientific Waste Management
- > Biomedical waste management
- Public and occupational health
- > Management engineering
- > Healthy sanitation practices
- Capacity building in waste management

THE MEETING ENDED WITH A VOTE OF THANKS TO THE CHAIR

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Dr. Vikram Singh (VC Nominee)

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Prof. H. Tombi Singh (Subject Expert)

Dr. Deepak Pant (Chairman and Convener)





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#### **MINUTES**

TENTH MEETING OF THE BOARD OF STUDIES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES HELD ON 25<sup>TH</sup>SEPTEMBER, 2021 AT 11.45 AM onwards.

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#### **MINUTES**

The 10<sup>th</sup>meeting of the**Board of Studies(BOS) of** the**Department of Environmental Sciences** was held **Online** on 25<sup>th</sup> September, **2021** at **11.45 AM onwards** on Google Meet platform. The following members/invitees attended the meeting:

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9.	Dr. Dilbag Singh Assistant Professor, Department of Environmental Sciences, Central University of Himachal Pradesh.	SPECIAL INVITEE

The following members could not attendthe meeting:

	Dr. Anurag Linda	
1.	Assistant Professor, Department of Environmental Sciences, Central University of Himachal Pradesh.	MEMBER

Prof. Deepak Pant, Dean, School of Earth and Environmental Sciences (Convener & Chairman of the BOS) welcomed all the members and thanked them for being available and for attending the meeting.





#### THEREAFTER, THE AGENDA ITEMS WERE TAKEN UP AS UNDER:

Agenda Items:

ITEM NO: ENV-BOS-10/21-1: Confirmation of the Minutes of the 9<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Board of Studies held on 7<sup>th</sup> July, 2020.

The BoS confirmed the Minutes of the 9th Meeting of the Board of Studies held on 7th July, 2020.(Annexure-I)

ITEM NO: ENV-BOS-10/21-2: To place before the BoS for its approval, a revised structure the M.Sc. Environmental Science programme in the light of New Education Policy-2020. All the revisions made, time to time, in the syllabus of different courses of the M.Sc. Environmental Science programme as per the NEP-2020 guidelines will be reported to the upcoming BOS meetings.

The BoS approved the revised structure the M.Sc. Environmental Science programme in the light of New Education Policy-2020. (Annexure-II)

**ITEM NO: ENV-BOS-10/21-3:** To place before the BoS for its approval Adoption of Blended mode of learning in MSc Environmental Science programme and course work of PhD Environmental Science programme in the light of New Education Policy-2020.

The BoS approved the Adoption of Blended mode of learning in MSc Environmental Science programme and course work of PhD Environmental Science programme in the light of New Education Policy-2020.

**ITEM NO: ENV-BOS-10/21-4:** To place before the BoS for its approval Adoption of Multiple Entry-Exit system in MSc Environmental Science programme in the light of New Education Policy-2020.

The BoS approved the Adoption of Multiple Entry-Exit system in MSc Environmental Science programme in the light of New Education Policy-2020.

**ITEM NO: ENV-BOS-10/21-5:** To place before the BoS for its approval, the list of new courses to be introduced in the proposed revised structure of the MSc Environmental Science programme as per NEP-2020.

The BoS approved the list of new courses to be introduced in the proposed revised structure of the MSc Environmental Science programme as per NEP-2020. (Annexure-III)

ITEM NO: ENV-BOS-10/21-6: To place before the BoS for its approval, the list of Supervisor and Co-supervisors allotted to the following Research Degree Students admitted for Ph.D. degree programme in the session 2020-2021.





# BoS approved the allotment of Supervisor and Co-supervisors to the following Research Degree Students admitted to Ph.D. degree programme in the session 2020-2021 as follows:

Sr. No.	Registration No.	Students Name	Supervisor Allotted	Co-Supervisor Allotted
1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6.	CUHP20RDENV01 CUHP20RDENV03 CUHP20RDENV04 CUHP20RDENV04 CUHP20RDENV06 CUHP20RDENV07	Akshay Dharneshwari Sharma KomalKundal Priyanka Priyanka Chaudhary RichaPanjla	Dr.Dilbag Singh Prof.A.K.Mahajan Prof.A.K.Mahajan Prof.A.K.Mahajan Dr.Subhankar Chatterjee Prof.A.K.Mahajan	Dr. Sanjay Panday, Scientist, Central Ground Water Board, Ministry of Jal Shakti, Govt. of India, Dharmshala, H.P
7.	CUHP20RDENV08 CUHP20RDENV09		Dr.Dilbag Singh Dr.SubhankarChatterjee	

In the case of Mr. Deepak Sharma (CUHP20RDENV02), the following facts have come to the notice of the BoS members regarding allocation of supervisor.

- 1. Statement received by the then head and dean of the department and school was received and recorded as Annexure A.
- 2. Statement received from Dr Pankaj Thakur former Associate Professor (Leave vacancy), Department of Environmental Sciences, Central University of Himachal Pradesh, Dharamshala (Currently Associate Professor, Jawaharlal Nehru University) as *Annexure B*.

#### DISCUSSION AND RESULATION

Based on the expertise of Dr Dilbag Singh, an Assistant Professor in the Department of Environmental Sciences, Central University of Himachal Pradesh will be the prospective supervisor of Mr Deepak Sharma (CUHP20RDENV02). The BoS further took the advice of Dr.Dilbag Singh regarding the fact: Even though Dr.Dilbag Singh gave his consent for supervising Mr Deepak Sharma in front of all the BOS

Even though Dr.Dilbag Singh gave his consent for supervising Mr Deepak Sharma in front of all the BOS membersin the interest of student, but he has submitted that he already has exhausted his maximum number (04) of PhD students as per the UGC guideline.

It was finally resolved from the members that the candidate (Mr Deepak Sharma) can be permitted to do his research with Dr Dilbag Singh subject to the supernumerary PhD seat permission to him from the competent authority and accordingly he will make further association with Dr Pankaj Thakur as per the rules.

Annexure A



25/09/2021, 08:21

Yahoo Mail - Re: दीपक शर्मा शोध छात्र पर्यावरण विज्ञान विभाग के पर्यवेशक नियुक्त करने के सम्बन्ध में।

#### Re: दीपक शर्मा शोध छात्र पर्यावरण विज्ञान विभाग के पर्यवेक्षक नियुक्त करने के सम्बन्ध में |

From: Ambrish Mahajan (akmahajan@rediffmail.com)

To: dpant2003@yahoo.com; rajeev025singh@gmail.com

Cc: dilbagrana@gmail.com; thakurpankaj535@gmail.com

Date: Thursday, 23 September, 2021, 05:50 pm IST

#### Dear Dr Pant

Mr Deepak has joined as research scholar after getting recommendations from Dr Pankaj Thakur, who was faculty of the department (on lien)at that time. However Dr Pankaj Thakur was relieved from university on his selection in JNU as Associate Professor. Dr Pankaj was an expert in Nano Technology and we have similar expertise available is Dr Dilbag Singh, so keeping in view the interest of student and his field of inetrest shown at the time of his admission. I recommend that Mr Deepak Sharma may kindly be allot to Dr Dilbag Singh with co supervision of Dr Pankaj Thakur. Regards
Prof. A.K. Mahajan
Professor, ENV

From: rajeev singh <rajeev025singh@gmail.com> Sent: Thu, 23 Sep 2021 17:27:38 GMT+0530 To: Ambrish Mahajan <akmahajan@rediffmail.com> Subject: दीपक शर्मा शोध छात्र पर्यावरण विज्ञान विभाग के पर्यविक्षक नियुक्त करने के सम्बन्ध में |

#### आदरणीय महोदय

में पर्यावरण विज्ञान विभाग के विभागाध्यक्ष के आदेशानुसार तिख रहा हूँ कि संकतित ईमेत प्राप्त करें कि

केंद्रीय विश्वविद्यालय हिमाचल प्रदेश के पर्यावरण विज्ञान विभाग के शोध छात्र श्री दीपक शर्मा से डॉ. पंकज ठाकुर के हस्ताक्षर के साथ प्रार्थना पत्र प्राप्त हुआ है। दीपक शर्मा का पी. एच. डी. में दाखिला आपके पर्यावरण विज्ञान विभाग में अधिष्ठाता तथा विभागाध्यक्ष कार्यकाल में हुआ था अतः : आपसे विनम्र अनुरोध है कि दीपक शर्मा शोध छात्र पर्यावरण विज्ञान विभाग के पर्यवेक्षक नियुक्ति के बारे में अपनी राय (Remarks) प्रदान करने की कृपा करें।

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राजीव सिंह डाटा एंट्री ऑपरेटर पर्यावरण विज्ञान विभाग contact no. 9805202021



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From: rajeev singh (rajeev025singh@gmail.com)

dpant2003@yahoo.com

Date: Friday, 24 September, 2021, 05:41 pm IST

Forwarded message From: Pankai Thakur <chemoank@omail.com> Date: Fri, Sep 24, 2021 at 4:50 AM Subject Re: दीपक रामी राोध छात्र पर्यावरण विज्ञान विभाग के पर्यवक्षक नियुक्त करने के सम्बन्ध में ।

To: rajeev singh < rajeev025singh@gmail.com>

Cc: < registrar@hocu.ac.in>

Dear Rajeev Ji,

As per the information sought in your trailing email, please see below my responses:

1. I give my full consent with reference to the facts and requests presented in the application of Mr Deepak Sharma (PhD student) which I got in your trailing mail

2. As I consented affirmatively to continue guiding Mr Deepak Sharma, I am seeking an NOC from my present

University/Department. Also, because of strict Covid protocols here, it may take some time!

3. Since you have put forth the Ordinance 42 of the CUHP, therefore I intend to consult/request a few of the present Faculty members of the CUHP keeping in mind the common research interests and their availability as well.

#### Thanks

On Thu, Sep 23, 2021 at 5:16 PM rajeev singh < rajeev025singh@gmail.com> wrote: आदरणीय महोदय

मैं पर्यावरण विज्ञान विभाग के विभागाध्यक्ष के आदेशानुसार लिख रहा हूँ कि संकलित ईमेल प्राप्त करें तथा इसी प्रार्थना पत्र के सम्बन्ध में कुछ

महत्वपूर्ण तथ्य प्रस्तुत है:-

(1) केंद्रीय विश्वविद्यालय हिमाचल प्रदेश के पर्यावरण विज्ञान विभाग के शोध छात्र श्री दीपक शर्मा से आपके हस्ताक्षर सहित प्रार्थना पत्र प्राप्त हुआ है जो कि इस ईमेरा में संकटित है क्या आप इसके सम्बन्ध में सहमत हैं। (2) यदि आप सहमत् हैं तो कृपया अपने तिश्वतिदालय / तिभाग जिसमें आप अभी कार्यरत हैं उनसे एक अनापत्ति (NOC) प्रमाण पत्र

केंद्रीय विश्वविद्यालय हिमाचल प्रदेश के पर्यावरण विज्ञान विभाग को देने की कृपा करें।

(3) केंद्रीय विश्वविद्यालय हिमाचल प्रदेश के अध्यादेश 42 के अनुसार पर्यवेक्षक अपने विश्वविद्यालय का ही होना चाहिये। किसी दुसरे संस्थान। विश्वविद्यातय के विषय एक्सपर्ट को सह पर्यवेक्षक ही नियुक्त किया जा सकता है इसतिए आपसे अनुरोध है कि केंद्रीय विश्वविद्यालय हिमाचल प्रदेश के गर्गावरण विज्ञान विभाग में से किसी को दींगक शर्मा का गर्गविक्षक निगुनत होने की सहमति प्रदान करवाएं तभी आगको सह पर्यवेक्षक नियक्त किया जा सके।

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THE MEETING ENDED WITH A VOTE OF THANKS TO THE CHAIR.

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(Dr.Subhankar Chatterjee)

Approved through Email (Dr.Vikram Singh)

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#### Implementation of CBCS under NEP Guidelines

1st Semester:			
Course Type	Course Code	Course Name	Credits
Major Courses	ENV 401	Introduction to Ecology	2
	ENV 402a	Introduction to Earth Processes	2
	ENV 403	Environmental Chemistry	4
	ENV 445	Environmental Chemistry Laboratory	2
	ENV 501	Environmental Pollution and Human Health	2
	ENV 516	Atmospheric Science	2
Vocational / Skill	ENV 411	Waste Management	2
Interdisciplinary course	ENV 443	Basics of climate change	2
offered to other department (Minor Course)	ENV 508	Environmental Ethics	2
Indigenous Knowledge ENV 449 System		Indigenous Knowledge System	2
2nd Semester:			
Course Type	Course Code	Course Name	Credits
Major Courses	ENV 424	Fundamentals of Remote Sensing	2
	ENV 428	Himalayan Geology	2
	ENV 432	Introduction to Statistical Techniques	4
	ENV 444	Environmental Geo Science Lab	2
	ENV447	Computational Statistical Analysis Laboratory	2
	ENV 577	Carbon Management	2
nterdisciplinary course	ENV 408	Biodiversity and wild life management	2
offered to other department (Minor Course)	ENV 547	Contemporary environmental issues	2
Vocational / Skill	ENV 524	Environmental impact Assessment	2
ndigenous Knowledge System	ENV 441	Water Resource Conservation in Hilly Region	2

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#### Annexure - II

ENROLLMENT NO.	OLD TOPIC	REVISED TOPIC
CUHP17RDENV02	Studies on long-term variations in rainfall characteristics over Indian regions	Studies on Long-term Variations in Rainfall Characteristics over Indian Subcontinent
CUHP17RDENV09	Study of mass closure and source apportionment of PM <sub>2.5</sub> aerosol over Jammu, India	Studies of Mass Closure and Source Apportionment of PM <sub>2.5</sub> Aerosol In Jammu City of J&K (UT) India
CUHP20RDENV04	Site Characterization of Kathua city of Kathua district, J&K, India using geophysical approaches for the upper 30 m depth	Site characterization using geophysical approache for upper 30m soil column of Kathua city of J&K (UT) India
CUHP20RDENV03 Seismic Hazard Analysis of North-West Himalaya with Seismic Hazard Analysis of North-West Himalaya		Seismic Hazard Analysis of North-West Himalaya with Special Reference to Reasi-Katra Belt of J&K (UT), India
CUHP20RDENV07	Hydro-chemical assessment of Groundwater, Springwater, and major water supply drains around Jawalamukhi town, District Kangra, North-West Himalaya	Hydro-chemical assessment of Groundwater, Spring water, and Surface water around Jawalamukhi, District Kangra, Himachal Pradesh
CUHP20RDENV05	Site amplification study of Mohali city using Geophysical and Geotechnical approaches.	Studies on the site amplification of Mohali city by using Geophysical and Geotechnical approaches
CUHP18RDENV01	Studies on Ozone dynamics over Indian region	Studies on the Ozone Dynamics over Indian Subcontinent
CUHP17RDENV12	Assessment of Hydro Geochemical Status of Springs of Dharamshala and Kangra Block, Himachal Pradesh	Assessment of Hydro Geochemical Status of Springs of Dharamshala and Kangra Blocks, Himachal Pradesh, India
CUHP17RDENV05	Integrated disease management of the Wet Bubble Disease in white button mushroom ( Agaricus bisporus)	Integrated eco-friendly disease management of the Wet Bubble Disease in white button mushroom, <i>Agaricus bisporu</i> (Agaricaceae: Agaricales)
CUHP18RDENV02	Site characterisation of Shimla city using ambient noise measurements and response analysis of built environment	Site characterisation of Shimla city using ambient noise measurements and spectral response analysis of built up environment
CUHP17RDENV11	Glacier Dynamics of Ravi and Bhaga Basins Western Himalaya, India using Remote Sensing and Geospatial Tools	Glacier Dynamics of Ravi and Bhaga Basins of Western Himalaya, using Remote Sensing and Geospatial Tools
CUHP20RDENV01	Study of Spatio-Temporal Variation in Atmospheric Ammonia over District Kangra, Himachal Pradesh.	Studies on Spatio-Temporal Variation in Atmospheric Ammonia over District Kangra of Himachal Pradesh
CUHP20RDENV08	Metal Organic Framework based Composites for Electrochemical Sensing of Toxic Metal Ions	Studies on Metal Organic Framework based Composites for Electrochemical Detection of Toxic Metal Ions
CUHP17RDENV08	Synthesis of Carbon Based Nanocomposite for Electrochemical Detection of Pharmaceutical Drugs	Studies of Carbon Based Nanocomposite for Electrochemica Detection of Pharmaceutical Drugs
CUHP20RDENV06	Isolation of psychrotrophs from western Himalayas, Exploring their Biotechnological Applications	Studies on Isolation and Biotechnological Applications of Psychrotrophs from Western Himalayas
CUHP20RDENV09	Bioremediation Study of Fluoroquinolone Antibiotics and in-silico Analysis of Antibiotic Degrading Microbial Enzymes	Bioremediation Studies of Fluoroquinolone Antibiotics and in-silico Analysis of Antibiotic Degrading Microbial Enzymes
CUHP20RDENV02	Ecological Features of Atmospheric Nanoparticles and Green Synthesis of Nanoparticles as Alternative for Environmental Applications	Ecological Studies on Atmospheric Ultrafine Particles and Synthesis of Plant Derived Nanoparticles for Environmental Applications

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Annexure III

फाइल सं: 1-1/हि.प्र.कें.वि./शै/2010/खंड/VIII/ न5निश्चित्रात्व प्रदेश केन्द्रीय विश्वविद्यालय

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### अधिसूचना

माननीय कुलपित महोदय के अनुमोदन के अनुसार विश्वविद्यालय में सभी स्नातकोत्तर (Post-graduate) स्तर की डिग्री पूर्ण करने हेतु 02 क्रेडिट का कोर्स "भारतीय ज्ञान पद्धित [Bhartiya Knowledge System(IKS)] सत्र 2021-22 से लागू किया जाता है जिसके Course Contents निम्न प्रकार से है इसके Learning Outcomes अलग से अधिसूचित किये जायेंगे:

Credits: 2 (20 Hours)

UNIT -I: Bhāratīya Civilization and Development of Knowledge System (4 hours)
Antiquity of civilization, Discovery of the Saraswatī River, the Saraswatī-Sindhu Civilization,
Traditional Knowledge System, The Vedas, School of Philosophy (6+3), Ancient Education
System, the Takṣaśilā University, the Nālandā University

UNIT-II: Arts, Literature, and Scholars in Ancient Bharat

Art, Music, and Dance, Naţarāja— A Masterpiece of Bhāratīya Art, Literature, Life and works of Agastya, Lopāmudrā, Ghoṣā, Vālmīki, Patañjali, Vedavyāsa, Yājňavalkya, Gārgī, Caraka, Suśruta, Kaṇāda, Kauţīlya, Pāṇini, Thiruvalluvar, Āryabhaṭa, Bhāskarācārya, Mādhavācārya.

UNIT-III: Ancient Bhartiya Contribution towards Science & Mathematics (4 hours)
Sage Agastya's Model of Battery, Vedic Cosmology and Modern Concepts, Concept of Zero and
Pi, Number System, Phythagoras Theroem, and Vedic Mathematics; Kerala School for
Mathematics and History of Culture of Astronomy, Astronomical \_\_\_\_ of day, year and Yuga.

UNIT-IV: Ancient Bhartiya Engineering, Technology & Architecture

Pre-Harappan and Sindhu Valley Civilization, Juices, Dyes, Paints and Cements, Glass and Pottery, Metallurgy, Iron Pillar of Delhi, Rakhigarhi, Mehrgarh, Sindhu Valley Civilization, Marine Technology, and Bet-Dwārkā.

UNIT-V: Ancient Bhartiya Contribution in Environment & Health (4 hours)

Ethnic Studies, Life Science in Plants, Agriculture, Ecology and Environment, Āyurveda, Integrated Approach to Healthcare, Surgery, and Yoga, etc.

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#### पृष्ठांकनः समसंख्या।

#### प्रतिलिपि

1. अधिष्ठाता छात्र कल्याण, हि.प्र.के.वि., धौलाधार परिसर-।, धर्मशाला, जिला काँगड़ा (हि.प्र.) |

2. विभिन्न स्कूलों के सभी अधिष्ठाता/ विभिन्न विभागों/केन्द्रों के सभी विभागाध्यक्ष/निदेशक, शाहपुर परिसर/धौलाधार परिसर-1&11, धर्मशाला/सप्त सिन्धु परिसर, देहरा, जिला काँगड़ा |

3. वित्त अधिकारी, हिमाचल प्रदेश केन्द्रीय विश्वविद्यालय, प्रशासनिक ब्लाक, धर्मशाला, ज़िला काँगड़ा।

4. परीक्षा नियंत्रक, हिमाचल प्रदेश केन्द्रीय विश्वविद्यालय, प्रशासनिक ब्लाक, धर्मशाला, ज़िला काँगड़ा |

5. जन-संपर्क अधिकारी, , धौलाधार परिसर-।, हि.प्र.के.वि., धर्मशाला, जिला - काँगड़ा (हि.प्र.) |

6. माननीय कुलपति के सचिव, कुलपति सचिवालय, हि.प्र.के.वि., धर्मशाला, जिला - काँगड़ा (हि.प्र.) |

7. सहायक कुलसचिव, कुलपति सचिवालय – कृपया माननीय कुलपति महोदय के सूचनार्थ |

८. गार्ड फाइल।

कुलसचिव (अतिरिक्त प्रभार)

### Department of Environmental Science

#### **School of Earth and Environmental Sciences**

#### Booklet of Course Contents For M.Sc. Environmental Science Program



### हिमाचल प्रदेश केंद्रीय विश्वविद्यालय

(2009 अधिनियम केन्द्रीय विश्वविद्यालय के तहत स्थापित) धर्मशाला, जिला काँगड़ा-176,215

### Central University of Himachal Pradesh

(Established under Central Universities Act 2009) Dharamshala, District Kangra, Himachal Pradesh-176215

#### **Programs Offered**

Currently the Department is offering M.Sc. programme in Environmental Science and Ph.D. programme in same subject

#### **Objectives of the Department**

- To provide quality education and training in Environmental Sciences
- To pursue and facilitate research and development activities
- To establish working linkages with industry and undertake collaborative projects which offer long-term interaction opportunities with academia and industry
- To foster environmental awareness and promote the principles and practices of sustainable development.

#### **Thrust Areas of Research**

- Water Resources Management
- Geosciences
- Air quality monitoring
- Phytoremediation and Bioremediation
- Solid Waste Management
- Environmental Nanotechnology
- Environmental Pollution Monitoring and Analysis

#### **Program Specific outcomes (PSO)**

**PSO-1:** Knowledge about the natural resources, their status, importance and need for conservation

**PSO-2:** Understandings of natural disasters and their management approaches

**PSO-3:** Knowledge of environmental laws, acts, and standard for environmental compliance

#### **Program outcomes (PO)**

- Basic and applied knowledge on the structure and function of the Earth's Environment: Basic understanding of Lithosphere, Hydrosphere, Cryosphere, Atmosphere and Biosphere to find solution for the complex environmental problems.
- Environmental Monitoring: Knowledge of various techniques to monitor the quality of Air, Water and Soil of ambient environment.
- Environmental and Disaster Management: Ability to understand and mitigate issues related with environmental pollution and natural hazards.
- Environmental Impact Assessment: Basic knowledge on impact assessment related to industrialization, urbanization and other developmental activities.
- Problem analysis: Ability to analyze society related / applied research problem, design and execute experiments to find relevant solutions.
- Indian Traditional Knowledge: Understanding about the Indian traditional knowledge practiced from generations to address environmental issues sustainably.
- Advanced Usage of Technology: Application of advanced instrumentation tools, online resources with an understanding of the troubleshooting and limitations.
- Ethics: Commitment towards professional ethics and responsibilities as a social endeavor to bring harmony with nature.
- Lifelong learning: Scientific skills for industrial applications and entrepreneurship

# On completing M.Sc. Programme, the students shall be able to realize following outcomes:

- Knowledge about the natural resources, their status, importance and need for conservation.
- Understand different natural and manmade disasters, Explore the reason of its origin and the possible antidotes so that it can dwindle to some extent.
- Implement environmentally sound strategies in this concern
- Knowledge of biodiversity, forest and wildlife ecology for their conservation and management.
- Enhancement of creative and critical thinking, aesthetic sensibility, and analytical skills.
- Understanding of the chemical processes that govern the natural and disturbed environments. Waste management practices for the betterment of environment and well beings.
- Understanding of the emerging regional and global environmental issues and their mitigations.

- Understanding the Environmental Impact Assessment and its methodologies for Industries and Regulators.
- Fundamental knowledge of instrumental methods employed in analysis of environmental samples.
- Understandings of natural disasters and their management approaches
- Knowledge of environmental laws, acts, and standard for environmental compliance
- Apply knowledge about existing global frameworks and existing agreements and role of community in successful Disaster Risk Reduction
- Evaluate Disaster Management study including data search, analysis and presentation as a case study.
- Create Technological innovations in Disaster Risk Reduction: Advantages and problems
- Understanding of environmental biotechnology and its applications in environmental issues and other biotechnology applications.

#### **Postgraduate Attributes**

- On completion of the post graduate programme in Environmental Studies, students are expected to equip with the skills of creative, critical and rational thinking associated with Environmental Studies and its use for human society. The following attributes are expected from the students of M.Sc. Environmental Studies:
- Disciplinary Knowledge
- Creative and Critical Thinking
- Reflective Thinking
- Problem Solving
- Analytical Reasoning
- Communication Skills
- Research Skills
- Life Skills
- Multicultural Competence
- Moral and Ethical Values
- Life-long Learning
- Global Competency

# List of Courses to be offered to Research Degree Students of the Department of Environmental Sciences

Course Type	Course Code	Course Name	Credits	Faculty
	ENV 617	Research	4	All Faculty
		Methodologies in		Members
		Natural Sciences		
	ENV 619*	Research and	2	Prof. Deepak
Compulsory		Publication Ethics		Pant
Courses	ENV 620*	Indian Traditional	2	Dr.Anurag Linda
		Knowledge and		
		Practice		
	ENV 621*	Pedagogy of	2	Faculty Member
		Teaching Learning		from the
		Process		Department of
				Education
	ENV 622*	Mechanism of	4	Prof.Deepak Pant
		Toxicity and		
		Detoxification		
Elective Courses	ENV 623*	Advances in	4	Dr. Ankit Tandon
(At Least Two		Environmental		
Courses for 8		Pollution and		
Credits)		Environmental		
		Engineering		
	ENV 624*	Advances in	4	Dr.Anurag Linda
		Water Resources		
		Management		

<sup>\*</sup>Courses need to get approved in the next meeting of Board of Studies of the Department of Environmental Science

# List of Courses to be offered to M.Sc. Environmental Science Students of the Department of Environmental Sciences

Proposed structure of courses to be offered in the Department of Environmental Sciences as per new Choice Bases Credit System (CBCS). Courses to be offered in the M.Sc. Environmental Sciences (semester I and III; July 2020-Dec. 2020):

	SemesterI			
<b>Total Credits</b>	Total Credits Major Courses			
	ENV 401 – Introduction to Ecology	2		
	ENV 402a – Introduction to Earth Processes	2		
	ENV 403 –Environmental Chemistry	4		
	ENV 501- Environmental Pollution and Human Health	2		
	ENV 516- Atmospheric Science	2		
	Minor Courses			
	ENV 411- Waste Management	2		
	ENV 503- Environmental Legislations National and international	2		
	Vocational <mark>/ Skills</mark>			
	ENV 445- Environmental Chemistry Laboratory	2		
	ENV 418- Ecology Laboratory	2		
	Indegenous Knowledge system			
	ENV 508a- Indian Tradation and Environmental Ethics	2		

Semester II				
<b>Total Credits</b>	Total Credits Core-Compulsory Courses			
	ENV 408-Biodiversity and wildlife Management	2		
	ENV 411 -Waste Management	2		
	ENV 424-Fundamentals of Remote Sensing	2		
	ENV 432-Introduction to Statistical Techniques	4		
	ENV 436-Environmental Science Laboratory -II	2		
	ENV 501-Environmental Pollution and Human Health	2		
	ENV 422-Basics of Natural Resource	2		
	ENV 508-Environmental Ethics	2		
	ENV 553-Environmental Thermodynamics	2		

Semester III				
Total Credits Core-Compulsory Courses *Credits				
	ENV 412 – Analytical Techniques			
	ENV 571 - Remote Sensing and GIS Lab	2		

ENV 531 – Toxicology Laboratory	2
Core Open/ Elective Open	
ENV 404- Energy and Environments	2
ENV 503- Environmental Legislations National and International	2
Elective Specialization	
ENV 564- Near Surface Geophysics	4
ENV 582- Atmospheric Chemistry and Physics	4
ENV 586- Nano techniques and Applications in Environment	4
ENV 557- Bio-resources and Environmental Biotechnology	4
ENV 509- Glaciology	4

Semester IV			
<b>Total Credits</b>	Core-Compulsory Courses	*Credits	
	ENV575- M.Sc Dissertation	6	
	Core Open/ Elective Open		
	ENV 536- Disaster Management	2	
	ENV 583- Soil Science	2	
	Env 428- Himalayan Geology	2	
	Elective Specialization		
	ENV 509- Glaciology	4	
	ENV 588-Advanced Environmental Technology	4	
	ENV 586- Nano techniques and Applications in Environment	4	
	ENV 561 Bio-resources and Environmental Biotechnology	4	
	ENV 610-Applied Biotechnology and Bioremediation	4	

# Detail Syllabus of M.Sc. Environmental Sciences

[Faculties can modify the content as per their convenience and requirement]

# **SEMESTER-I**

**ENV 401: Introduction to Ecology** 

[2 Credits]

Course Code: ENV 401

**Course Name: Introduction to Ecology** 

Credits Equivalent: 2 Credits (One credit is equivalent to 10 hours of lectures / organised classroom activity / contact hours; 5 hours of laboratory work / practical / field work / Tutorial / teacher-led activity and 15 hours of other workload such as independent individual/ group work; obligatory/ optional work placement; literature survey/ library work; data collection/ field work; writing of papers/ projects/dissertation/thesis; seminars, etc.)

**Course Objectives**: The course is designed to:

- Introduce students to know the basic ecological principles.
- The students will acquire knowledge/skill development to explore the functional and Structural aspects of different ecosystems.
- Explore the concepts related to establish ecological balance in Nature.

## **Attendance Requirement:**

Students are expected to attend all lectures in order to be able to fully benefit from the course. A minimum of 75% attendance is a must failing which a student may not be permitted to appear in examination.

#### **Evaluation Criteria:**

1. Mid Term Examination: 25%

2. End Term Examination: 50%

3. Continuous Internal Assessment : 25% (Breakup is following)

a. Assignment/Quiz/Term Paper: 20%

b. Presentation/Seminar/Field work: 20%

c. Practical: 60%

**Course Contents:** 

UNIT (I) 4 hrs

Scope of Ecology and Environmental Science, Historical aspects of Ecology, Major landmarks in Ecology.

UNIT (II) 4 hrs

Ecosystem concept, Biotic and Abiotic components, Structure and Functions of Ecosystem.

UNIT (III) 4 hrs

Food Chains, Food Webs, Energy Flow, Pyramids of Energy number and biomass, Factors affecting Productivity, methods of measurements of Productivity.

UNIT (IV) 4 hrs

Biogeochemical Cycling of Carbon Oxygen, Nitrogen and Phosphorus.

UNIT (V) 4 hrs

Species interaction, completion, Mutualism, Parasitism, predator Prey relations, Ecological Successions, Climax communities.

# **TEXT BOOKS**

- 1. **Odum**E P 1996. **Fundamentals of Ecology.** Natraj Publishers, Dehradun, pp 574; ISBN: 81-85019-55-X.
- 2. **Veena** 2009. **Understanding Ecology**. Discovery Publishing House Pvt. Ltd., pp 344; ISBN: 978-81-8356-456-4.
- 3. **Juneja**, J 2009. **Advances in Historical Ecology**. Cyber Tech. Publications, pp 296; ISBN: 978-81-7884-417-6.

## **REFERENCE BOOKS**

Allaby M. Ecology Facts.

Vanx P C. Ecology

Sanders W K. Biosphere. Ecology in Practice.

Benson. Ecology. Ecosystem

Hare G O. Soils vegetation, Ecosystem.

Credits Equivalent: 2 Credits (One credit is equivalent to 10 hours of lectures / organised classroom

activity / contact hours; 5 hours of laboratory work / practical / field work / Tutorial / teacher-led

activity and 15 hours of other workload such as independent individual/ group work; obligatory/

optional work placement; literature survey/ library work; data collection/ field work; writing of papers/

projects/dissertation/thesis; seminars, etc.)

**Course Objectives:** The course is designed the following skill developments of the students:

1. To introduce the students to basics of the earth structure and its physical, chemical and biological

characteristics.

2. To introduce the students to various earth processes that are operating inside the earth and their

role in shaping and evolution of earth.

3. Introduction with the surface geological processes (weathering, erosion etc) and their use in

understanding geochemical cycling of elements and their role in maintaining the earth surface

temperature and associated phenomenon such as geochemical cycling of elements and climatic

implications.

**Attendance Requirement:** 

Students are expected to attend all lectures in order to be able to fully benefit from the course. A

minimum of 75% attendance is a must failing which a student may not be permitted to appear in

examination.

**Evaluation Criteria:** 

1. Mid Term Examination: 25%

2. End Term Examination: 50%

3. Continuous Internal Assessment: 25% (Breakup is following)

a. Assignment/Quiz/Term Paper: 20%

Presentation/Seminar/Field work: 20% b.

Practical: 60%

**Course Contents:** 

**UNIT I** (2 hrs)

• Earth Science as a subject and its various disciplines

Evolution of various branches of Earth Science

UNIT II (4 hrs)

- Modern theories on the origin of the Earth and other planetary bodies and Primary differentiation of the earth.
- Different theories of origin and evolution of the earth.
- MultilayerStructure of Earth
- An overview on different rock types and mineral groups

UNIT III (5 hrs)

- Origin of magma and magmatic rocks
- Temperature, pressure and fluids inside the earth and metamorphic rocks.
- Weathering and erosion processes and their role in elemental redistribution
- Sediment transport and deposition through running water, wind and glaciers and formation of sedimentary rocks and various landforms

UNIT IV (6 hrs)

- Theory of Plate tectonics and its implications in understanding mountain building and sea floor spreading processes
- Formation of oceans, continents and mountains
- Distribution of earthquake and volcanic activity across the globe

UNIT V (3 hrs)

- Land-ocean interaction and biogeochemical cycling
- Paleogeography and palaeoclimate

#### **TEXT BOOKS**

- 1. Keller E A 2010.Environmental Geology. 9th Edition, Prentice Hall, ISBN-13: 978-0321643759.
- 2. **Duff** P M and **Duff**D 1993. Holmes Principles of Physical Geology. 4<sup>th</sup> Edison, Stanley Thornes, ISBN 0748743812, 9780748743810.
- 3. Tank, R W. Environmental Geology. Oxford University Press ISBN10: 0195032888 / ISBN 13: 9780195032888.

**4.** Aldiya K. S 2010. The Making Of India Geodynamic Evolution. Macmillan India Ltd, ISBN 13: 9780230328334

## **REFERENCE BOOKS**

- 1. Mahapatra G.B 2011. Textbook Of Geology CBS publications, ISBN 8123900139; ISBN-13-9788123900131.
- **2. The Changing Earth: Exploring Geology and Evolution.** 4<sup>th</sup> edition, Brooks/Cole Publishing Co; **ISBN-10**: 0495010200;**ISBN-13**: 978-0495010203
  - **3.** Fluvial Processes in Geomorphology. Dover Publications, **ISBN-10**:0486685888;**ISBN-13**:978-0486685885
  - **4. Burbank** D W and **Anderson** R S 2000.Tectonic Geomorphology. 1st edition Wiley-Blackwell, **ISBN-10**: 0632043865; **ISBN-13**: 978-0632043866
- **5.** Subramanian V. A Textbook in Environmental Science. Narosa Publishers, ISBN 13:978-0849324086.
- Valdiya K S. Environmental Geology, Indian Context. Tata McGraw-Hill Pub Co. ISBN 10: 0074519719 / 0-07-451971-9;ISBN 13: 9780074519714
- 7. Kumar R 1985. Fundamentals Of Historical Geology And Stratigraphy Of India. Wiley Eastern, ISBN 0852267452, 9780852267455.

# **ENV 403 Environmental Chemistry**

[2 Credits]

**Credits Equivalent:** 4 Credits (One credit is equivalent to 10 hours of lectures / organised classroom activity / contact hours; 5 hours of laboratory work / practical / field work / Tutorial / teacher-led activity and 15 hours of other workload such as independent individual/ group work; obligatory/ optional work placement; literature survey/ library work; data collection/ field work; writing of papers/ projects/dissertation/thesis; seminars, etc.)

**Course Objectives**: The course is designed for the knowledge and following skill development of the students:

 introduce students to the fundamental concepts of analytical techniques environmental chemistry;

- 2. provide knowledge about various kinds of quantitative techniques;
- 3. introduce about computation of analytical results, significant figures, concept of error, precision and accuracy, standard deviation, rejection of doubtful values.

## **Attendance Requirement:**

Students are expected to attend all lectures in order to be able to fully benefit from the course. A minimum of 75% attendance is a must failing which a student may not be permitted to appear in examination.

## **Evaluation Criteria:**

1. Mid Term Examination: 25%

2. End Term Examination: 50%

3. Continuous Internal Assessment: 25% (Breakup is following)

a. Assignment/Quiz/Term Paper: 20%

b. Presentation/Seminar/Field work: 20%

c. Practical: 60%

#### **Course Contents:**

UNIT I: (12 hrs)

Stochiometry, Gibbs' energy, chemical Potential, chemical equilibrium acid base reactions, Solubility product, solubility of gases in water, the carbonate system, Unsaturated and saturated hydrocarbons, radio nuclides.

UNIT II: (8 hrs)

Chemical compositions of Air: Classification of elements, chemical speciation, Particles, Ions and radicals in atmosphere, chemical processes for formation of inorganic and organic particulate matter, thermo chemical and photochemical reaction in atmosphere Oxygen and Ozone chemistry, chemistry of air pollutants, photochemical smog.

UNIT III: (4 hrs)

Water Chemistry: Chemistry of water, Concept of DO, BOD, COD, Sedimentation coagulation, filtration, redox potential.

UNIT IV: (4 hrs)

Soil Chemistry: Inorganic and organic components of soil, Nitrogen pathways and NPK in soils.

UNIT IV: (12 hrs)

Main and transition metals Chemistry, Metal- Ligand concept and its implication towards biochemistry of metals.

## **TEXT BOOKS:**

- 1. Manahan, Stanley E. "FRONTMATTER" *Environmental Chemistry* Boca Raton: CRC Press LLC, 2000.
- A K De Environmental Chemistry 4<sup>th</sup> Edition, New Age International (P) Ltd., New Delhi 110 002.

#### **REFERENCE BOOKS:**

- 1. Jayaraman, J., Laboratory Manual In Biochemistry, New Age International (P) Limited.
- 2. Puri Sharma & Kalia, Principles of Inorganic Chemistry, S. Chand and company, N Delhi.
- 3. Keith Bucher, Global Climate, Wiley, New York 1976.
- 4. J. Heichlen, Atmospheric Chemistry, Academic Press, New York 1976.
- 5. Levin, Aerosol pollution impact on precipitation. New York Springer, 2009.
- **6.** Rao,M N Air pollution, New Delhi: TMH, 2010.
- 7. Bali, J.S Bioindustrial watershed management. New Delhi: JCS, 2005.

## **ENV 501 Environmental Pollution and Human Health**

**2 Credits** 

# Course Objectives& outcome of the course:

The course is designed to enhance following skills:

- Introduce students to know kinds and causes of Environmental pollution in the twenty-first century.
- Acquire knowledge of adverse effects of pollution on Human Health.
- Discuss the detailed biological mechanism on how pollutants affect human/animal health

- Explore the concepts related to monitoring and assessment of environmental pollution and Human Health.
- Find the way out and Governmental Policies around the globe.

# **Attendance Requirement:**

Students are expected to attend all lectures in order to be able to fully benefit from the course. A minimum of 75% attendance is a must failing which a student may not be permitted to appear in the examination.

## **Course Contents:**

UNIT (I): 5hrs

Brief introduction about environmental pollutants and their detrimental effects. Endocrine Disrupting Chemicals [Phthalate, Bisphenol A, lindane ,Dioxins & furans, Poly-chlorinated biphenyls (PCBS), Atrazine, Penta chloro phenol(PCP), DDT and metabolites , Nonylphenol (NP), drugs, heavy metals (arsenic, lead, cadmium , mercury)]: sources, uses, health effect with detail biological mechanism [e.g. Hormone Mimicry, Blocking Hormone Receptors, Altering Hormone Metabolism].

UNIT (II): 5hrs

Radiation and Human Health, different sources of the exposure of Radiation to human beingsatomic, ultraviolet, electromagnetic radiation. Impacts of Radiation on Human Health. Basic mechanism of radiation's effect on human health.

UNIT (III): 5hrs

Water Pollution and Human Health. Pollution by microplastic, microbeads, microfibers: Sources, distribution, environmental impact.Effect of microplastic in ocean health and mechanism of pollution. Deleterious Effect in the food chain, on Plankton and corals health. Ocean pollution- a threat to human health. Way out and Governmental Policies.

UNIT IV 5hrs

Heavy metal contamination: sources, uses, health effect with detailed biological mechanism.

# **Suggested Readings**

- 1. Mahajan, S.P. Pollution Control in Process industries. Tata Mc Graw Hill Pub. Co Ltd. New Delhi.
- 2. Rao, C.S. 2009. Environmental Pollution Control Engineering. Wiley Eastern Ltd., New Delhi

## REFERENCE LITERATURES

- C. Frye et. al. 2012, Endocrine disrupters: a review of some sources, effects, and mechanisms of actions on behavior and neuro-endocrine systems. *J Neuroendocrinol*. January; 24(1): 144–159.
- 2. Shinji Fushiki. 2013. Radiation hazards in children Lessons from Chernobyl, Three Mile Island and Fukushima-Review. *Brain & Development*, 35, 220–227.
- 3. Magda Havas. Biological Effects of Low Frequency Electromagnetic Fields. CHAPTER 10, Electromagnetic Environments and Health in Buildings. Spon Press, London, 535 pp.
- 4. Stephen A Stansfeld and Mark P Matheson. 2003. Noise pollution: non-auditory effects on health. *British Medical Bulletin*;; 68: 243–257.
- 5. Bates, D.V. 1980. The health effects of Pollution. J Respire. Dis. 1: 29-37
- De Gruigle, F.R. 1997. Health Effects from solar UV radiations. Radiation Protection Dosimetry. 72:177-196.

# **ENV 516- Atmospheric Science**

[2Credits]

Credit Equivalent: 2 Credits (1 Credit is equivalent to 10 hours of theory (Classroom activity) and 5 hours of practical (Laboratory work).

## Vision

Atmospheric science is an applied discipline that is concerned with the structure and evolution of the Earth's atmosphere and with the wide range of phenomena that occur within them. Atmospheric science represents a particular fusion of elements of physics and chemistry. This course will serve to introduce the student to the fundamental principles upon which the atmospheric processes are based and to provide an elementary description and interpretation of the wide range of atmospheric phenomena.

Atmospheric science is a multifaceted subject dealing with several disciplines such as oceanography,

meteorology, geology, biology, chemistry, physics and other disciplines to understand Atmospheric

processes as an integrated system. An increasing number of scientists are devoting their research to

understand the earth processes to address the issues like global warming, sea-level rise, climate change

and so on. As all these above mentioned issues are of global significance and in a way or other are linked

to the earth system sciences, a sound knowledge (material, processes and their interaction) of the

subject would certainly help in developing strategies to meet these challenges.

Objectives

1. The Earth's Atmosphere- an overview

2. Understanding physical structure and chemical composition of the Earth's Atmosphere

3. Understanding the fundamental physical and chemical processes responsible for the mass and

energy transport in the Earth's Atmosphere

**Attendance Requirement:** 

Students are expected to attend all lectures in order to be able to fully benefit from the course. A

minimum of 75 percent attendance is a must failing which a student may not be permitted to appear in

examination.

**Evaluation Criteria:** 

Mid-term Examination: 25%

End-term Examination: 50%

Continuous Internal Assessment: 25%

**Course contents** 

**Unit 1: Vertical Structure and Composition** 

(4 Hours)

Chemical Composition

• The State of the Atmosphere

Atmospheric Density and Pressure

Hydrostatic Balance

Unit 2: **Atmospheric Thermodynamics**  (4 Hours)

- The Ideal Gas Law and First Law of Thermodynamics
- Concept of Air Parcel and Lapse Rates
- Atmospheric Stability
- Mixing Height and Inversion

## Unit 3: Atmospheric Energy Balance

(4 Hours)

- Electromagnetic Radiations, Black Body Radiation
- The Solar Constant and the Budget of Solar Radiation
- Terrestrial Radiation, The Earth's Radiative Energy Balance
- Green House Effect

# Unit 4: Atmospheric Chemistry

(4 Hours)

- Thermo-chemical and Photo-chemical Reactions
- Chemistry of Stratosphere, Stratospheric Ozone Depletion
- Chemistry of Troposphere, Acid Rain
- Atmospheric Aerosols, Atmospheric Trace Gases

#### Unit 5: Atmospheric Dynamics

(4 Hours)

- Pressure Belts and Winds
- Pressure Gradient Force
- Coriolis Force, Centrifugal Force, Frication,
- Global Circulation

# **Suggested Readings:**

**Murry L. Salby** (2012): Physics of the Atmosphere and Climate, **Cambridge University Press**, ISBN: 978-0521767187

**Kevin E. Trenberth** (2010): Climate System Modeling, **Cambridge University Press**, ISBN: 978-0521128377

Wallace John M. Jr., Peter V. Hobbs (2006): Atmospheric Science: An Introductory Survey, 2nd Edition, Academic Press, ISBN: 978-0127329512

John Green (2011): Atmospheric Dynamics, Cambridge University Press, ISBN: 978-0521249751

Frederick K. Lutgens, Edward J. Tarbuck (2010): The Atmosphere: An Introduction To Meteorology, Phi

(Prentice-hall New Arrivals), ISBN: 978-8120344150

Mark Z. Jacobson (2005): Fundamentals of Atmospheric Modeling, Cambridge University Press, ISBN: 978-0521548656

John H. Seinfeld, Spyros N. Pandis (2006): Atmospheric Chemistry and Physics, John Wiley & Sons Inc.,

ISBN: 978-0-471-72018-8

Barbara J. Finlayson-Pitts, Pitts James N. JR., James N. Pitts Jr. (1999): Chemistry of the Upper and

Lower Atmosphere: Theory, Experiments, and Applications, Academic Press ISBN: 978-0122570605

## **ENV 411 - Waste Management**

[2Credits]

**Course Objectives:** To provide the basic knowledge of waste management and involve Chemistry and its associated applications.

**Course Outcomes:** After completing this course, student is expected to develop the following skills:

**CO1**: Basic understanding of biodegradable solid waste

CO2:Basic understanding of hospital and pharmacutical waste

CO3:Basic understanding of non-biodegradable solid waste

**CO4**:Skills for developing sustainable methods

**CO5**:Development of the skill of the management plans

**CO6**:Skilldevelopment towards hybrid methods

**COURSE SYLLABUS:** 

#### **UNIT 1: BIODEGRADABLE SOLID WASTE**

[Course Outcome (s) No. :1 and 5]

Biodegradable solid waste: Chemical composition and classification: Source and generation: Health hazards: Management Techniques

#### **UNIT 2:NON-BIODEGRADABLE SOLID WASTE**

[Course Outcome (s) No. :2 and 5]

Non-Biodegradable Solid waste: Sources, generation, chemical composition, classification of plastic waste and its management: Sources, generation, chemical composition, classification of e-waste and its management.

#### **UNIT 3: HOSPITAL AND PHARMACEUTICAL WASTE**

[Course Outcome (s) No. :3 and5]

Hospital and Pharmaceutical Waste: Classification: Source and generation: Health hazards: Management Techniques

## **UNIT 4: WASTE MINIMIZATION TECHNOLOGIES**

[Course Outcome (s) No. :4 and 6]

Waste minimization technologies: Reuse/ recycling of different types of waste: Metal recovery from waste using chemical, biological and hybrid techniques.

# **Suggested Readings:**

 D. Pant, D. Joshi, M. K. Upreti and R. K. Kotnala, Chemical and Biological Extraction of Metals Present in E Waste: A Hybrid Technology, Waste Management, Elsevier Science, Vol. 32, pg. 979-990, 2012.

- 2. D. Pant, R. Singh, S. Kumar, Management of Waste Poly Vinyl Chloride (PVC) through Chemical Modification, ScInd Res., Vol. 71, pg. 181-186, 2012.
- 3. D. Pant, Waste Management in Small Hospitals Trouble for Environment, Environmental Monitoring and Assessment, Springer, 2011.
- 4. D. Pant, Pharmaceutical Waste Management, Lambart Academic, 2011.
- 5. D. Pant, Electronic Waste Management Lambart Academic Publishing, 2010.
- 6. Frank Kreith, Handbook of Solid Waste Management, McGraw-Hill, Inc., New Delhi, 1994.
- 7. M. Roy III. Harrison, Pollution; Causes, Effects and Control. The Royal Society of Chemistry, Cambridge, 1994.

John R. Holmes, Practical Waste Management, John Wiley & Sons, New York/Singapore, 1983.

# ENV 503 -Environmental Legislations National and international [2Credits]

**Credits Equivalent:** 2 Credits (One credit is equivalent to 10 hours of lectures / organized classroom activity / contact hours; 5 hours of laboratory work / practical / field work / Tutorial / teacher-led activity and 15 hours of other workload such as independent individual/ group work; obligatory/ optional work placement; literature survey/ library work; data collection/ field work; writing of papers/ projects/dissertation/thesis; seminars, etc.)

**Course Objectives**: The course is designed to enhance the skills of students in the following field:

- To familiarize the students with fundamental right to clean environment and duties.
- The students will realize and underline the need for environmental legislations, and legislative powers of the Parliament.
- Students will acquire knowledge about different Environmental legislations at national level and conventions/protocols/treaties for conservation of Environment at international level.
- Students will learn about the Environmental legislation enforcement authorities, Environmental dispute redress bodies and the International Organizations for Conservation of Environment.

# **Attendance Requirement:**

Students are expected to attend all lectures in order to be able to fully benefit from the course. A minimum of 75% attendance is a must failing which a student may not be permitted to appear in examination.

#### **Evaluation Criteria:**

1. Mid Term Examination: 25%

2. End Term Examination: 50%

3. Continuous Internal Assessment: 25%

a. Assignment: 10%b. Class Test: 5%c. Presentation: 10%

## **COURSE CONTENT**

UNIT (I) 1 hrs

- 1. Introduction to Environmental Law, Powers of the Parliament to legislate Environmental legislations.
- 2. Status of Environmental legislations in India: Enumeration of Environmental legislations.

UNIT (II) 4 hrs

Legislation enforcement authorities under:

- The Environmental water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 composition, powers and functions.
- 2. The Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 composition, powers and functions.
- 3. The Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 powers, EIA Notification, 2006.

UNIT (III) 5 hrs

## **Environmental legislations and dispute redress bodies in India:**

- 1. The Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972: Objectives, National Board for Wildlife (NBWL)
- 2. The Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980: Objectives and Mechanism.
- 3. The Biological Diversity Act, 2002: Objectives, National Biodiversity Authority.
- 4. National Green Tribunal- Composition and jurisdiction

UNIT (IV) 2 hrs

1. International Organizations for Conservation of Environment: UNEP, WWF, IUCN, IGBP.

UNIT (V) 8 hrs

## **International Environmental Conventions, Protocols and Treaties:**

- 1. Ramsar Convention on Wetlands.
- 2. United Nations Conventions and Protocols on Climate Change, Ozone depletion, Biodiversity,

Forest and Agenda -21.

#### **TEXTBOOKS**

- 1. Environmental Laws, 2005. Universal Law Publishing.
- 2. S.C. Santra, 2005, Environmental Science, New Central Book Agency (P) Ltd 8/1 Chintamoni
  Das Lane, Kolkata- 700009

#### **REFERENCE BOOKS**

- 1. S. Diwan and A. Rosencranz, 2005, Environmental Laws and Policy in India.
- 2. Mallick, M. R. (Justice) 2010. Environmental Laws, Professional Book Publisher New Delhi
- 3. Rana S. V. S. 2005, Essentials of Ecology and Environmental Science, Prentice Hall of India Pvt. Ltd. New Delhi.

**ENV 508a -Environmental Ethics** 

[2Credits]

# **Course Objectives & outcome of the course:**

Ethics are a broad way of thinking about what constitutes a good life and how to live one. They address questions of right and wrong, making good decisions, and the character or skills development for the necessary to live a good life. Applied ethics address these issues with a special emphasis on how they can be lived out practically. Environmental ethics apply ethical thinking to the natural world and the relationship between humans and the earth. Environmental ethics are a key feature of environmental studies, but they have application in many other fields as human society grapples in a more meaningful way with pollution, resource degradation, the threat of extinction, and global climate disruption.

# The learning goals are:

1. to understand the essential features of moral or ethical thinking; To become acquainted with concepts and methods of philosophical ethics that apply to issues regarding mankind's dealings with the natural world.

- 2. to learn about the important and distinguishing characteristics in environmental ethics;
- 3. to develop the skills to recognize and deploy moral discourse for leadership in environmental fields.
- 4. to understand what kinds of environmental problems lead us to follow environmental ethics and to critically assess alternative approaches to, and defenses of, a code of responsibility to nature.
- 5. to give some future direction towards the protection and ethical use of the environment
- 6. To offer the student a repertory of resources and skills with which to formulate his/her own environmental ethic and to articulate and defend these ideas with clarity, consistency, and coherence.

# **Attendance Requirement:**

Students are expected to attend all lectures in order to be able to fully benefit from the course. A minimum of 75% attendance is a must failing which a student may not be permitted to appear in the examination.

## **Course Contents:**

Unit I 8hrs

Environmental Ethics: Definition. Principles. Need of the subject at present time. Moral standing. Human responsibilities towards nature, environment, and other species. Anthropocentric ethics, intrinsic and instrumental values. Our relationship with nature/environment. Vital questions to be asked. Thinking with Ethics.

UNIT II 4 hrs

The social construction of nature. Human impact on the environment. Examining both the nature of the issues and their causes. Earth overshoot day. Environmental ethics and society. Relevance of Environmental ethics to environmental protection.

UNIT III 4 hrs

The state of the World Environment: Significant global environmental issues. Examining both the nature of the issues and their causes. Recent incidents due toclimate change and its effect. Effect and consequences of climate change on Ecosystems and Biodiversity. Climate migration.

UNIT IV 4hrs

Responsibility towards the Environment.International and National efforts for Environment Protection. Sustainable living.

# **Suggested Readings**

- 1. Kimberly K Smith. 2018. Exploring environmental ethics an introduction. Springer.
- 2. Dale Jamieson. 2008. Ethics and the Environment- an introduction. Cambridge University Press

# General recommended reading in environmental ethics

- 1. Callicott, J.B., 1997. Earth's Insights: A Multicultural Survey of Ecological Ethics from the Mediterranean Basin to the Australian Outback University of California Press, Berkeley.
- 2. DesJardins, J.R., 2006. Environmental Ethics: An Introduction to Environmental Philosophy. Wadsworth, Belmont, California.
- 3. Martin-Schramm, J.B. and Stivers, R.L., 2003. Christian Environmental Ethics: A Case Method Approach. Orbis, Maryknoll, New York.

**ENV 445- Environmental Chemistry Laboratory** 

[4 Credits]

**ENV 418- Ecology Laboratory** 

[4 Credits]

**SEMESTER-II** 

**ENV 408 - Biodiversity and wildlife Management** 

[4 Credits]

Credits Equivalent: 2 Credits (One credit is equivalent to 10 hours of lectures / organised classroom activity / contact hours; 5 hours of laboratory work / practical / field work / Tutorial / teacher-led

activity and 15 hours of other workload such as independent individual/ group work; obligatory/

optional work placement; literature survey/ library work; data collection/ field work; writing of papers/

projects/dissertation/thesis; seminars, etc.)

**Course Objectives**: The course is designed to:

Introduce students to know kinds, distribution significance and use of Biodiversity and wildlife.

The students will acquire skills and knowledge to study, save and conserve Biodiversity and

Wildlife.

Explore the concepts related to identification, monitoring and assessment of Biodiversity and

Wildlife.

**Attendance Requirement:** 

Students are expected to attend all lectures in order to be able to fully benefit from the course. A

minimum of 75% attendance is a must failing which a student may not be permitted to appear in

examination.

**Evaluation Criteria:** 

1. Mid Term Examination: 25%

2. End Term Examination: 50%

3. Continuous Internal Assessment : 25% (Breakup is following)

a. Assignment/Quiz/Term Paper: 20%

b. Presentation/Seminar/Field work: 20%

c. Practical: 60%

**Course Contents:** 

**UNIT I** 4 hrs

Concepts of Biodiversity, Levels of Biodiversity, Mega Diversity areas, Hot Spots of the Biodiversity, Biodiversity Resources in Himachal Pradesh, Dependence on Biodiversity.

UNIT II 4 hrs

Loss of of Biodiversity, Monitoring and Invetorization of Biodiversity, Alpha, Beta and Gamma diversities.

Shanon Index. Biodiversity data base in Himalayas, Threat Categorization of Biodiversity, Documenation of Biodiversity.

UNIT III 4 hrs

Modern Techniques of Measurement and Assessment of Biodiversty, Economics of Biodiversity, Uses of Biodiversity, Uses of Biodiversity (including folk and traditional uses).

UNIT IV 4 hrs

EX-SITU Conservation methods of Biodiversity, IN-SITU Conservation methods of Biodiversity, Protected areas Networks

UNIT V 4 hrs

Wildlife distribution at National and Global level, Wildlife trade, Wildlife Sanctuaries, National Parks, Biosphere Reserves, Tiger Projects, Elephant Projects Crocodile Projects

# **TEXT BOOKS**

- 1. Khan, T.I.2001. Global Biodiversity and Environmental Conservation. Pointer Publisher. Jaipur
- 2. **Kotwal, P.C. and Banerjee, S. 1998.** Biodiversity Conservation in managed forests & protected areas. Agro Botanica Publishers & Distributors. PP.227. ISBN: 81-87167-00-9.
- 3. **Ramkrishnam, N. 2006.** Biodiversity in Indian Scenarios. Daya Publishing House, New Delhi. PP.338. ISBN: 81-7035-443-9.

#### **REFERENCE BOOKS**

- 1. **Agarwal, K.C. 1998.** Biodiversity. Agro Botanica, Bikaner. PP. 150.
- 2. **Agarwal, S.K. et.al. 1996**. Biodiversity and Environment. A.P.H. Publishing Corporation. PP.351. ISBN: 81-7024-740-3.
- 3. **Biswas, S. 2007.** Biodiversity Conservation (A genetic approach). Oxford Book Company. PP. 347. ISBN: 81-89473-01-8.

4. Chakraborty, S. 2004. Biodiversity. Pointer Publishers. PP. 136. ISBN: 81-7132-384-7.

5. Chaudhari, A.B. and Sarkar, D.D. 2002. Biodiversity Endangered (India's threatened wildlife and

medicinal plants). Scientific Publishers, Jodhpur, India. PP. 359. ISBN: 81-7233-312-9.

6. Dhyani, S.N. 1994. Wildlife Management. Rawat Publications, Jaipur (Raj.). PP. 258. ISBN: 81-

7033-242-5.

7. Ildos, A.S. and Bardelli, G.G. The Great National Parks of the World. Om Book Service, New

Delhi, PP.320, ISBN: 81-87107-06-5.

**ENV 411 - Waste Management** 

[4 Credits]

Credit Equivalent: 4 Credits (One credit is equivalent to 10 hours of lectures / organised classroom

activity / contact hours; 5 hours of laboratory work / practical / field work / Tutorial / teacher-led

activity and 15 hours of other workload such as independent individual/ group work; obligatory/

optional work placement; literature survey/ library work; data collection/ field work; writing of papers/

projects/dissertation/thesis; seminars, etc.)

Course Objectives: The course is designed to:

Understand nature of human induced environmental pollutions like waste, its significance,

Sources, compositions and types.

Initiate initiatives for integrated/sustainable waste management options.

**Attendance Requirement:** 

Students are expected to attend all lectures in order to be able to fully benefit from the course. A

minimum of 75% attendance is a must failing which a student may not be permitted to appear in

examination.

**Evaluation Criteria:** 

1. Mid Term Examination: 25%

2. End Term Examination: 50%

3. Continuous Internal Assessment: 25% (Breakup is following)

a. Assignment/Quiz/Term Paper: 20%

b. Presentation/Seminar/Field work: 20%

	c. Practical: 60%	
	Contents:	
Unit 1		(4 hrs)
Biodeg	radable solid waste	
•	Chemical composition and classification.	
•	Source and generation	
•	Health hazards	
•	Management Techniques	
Unit 2		(8 hrs)
Non Bi	odegradable Solid waste	
•	Sources, generation, chemical composition, c	assification of plastic waste and its management
•	Sources, generation, chemical composition, c	assification of e -waste and its management.
Unit 3		(4 hrs)
Hospita	al and Pharmaceutical Waste	
•	Classification.	
•	Source and generation	
•	Health hazards	
•	Management Techniques	
Unit 4		(4 hrs)
Waste	minimization technologies	

Metal recovery from waste using chemical, biological and hybrid techniques

#### **TEXT BOOKS:**

- 1. Kreith, Frank (ed.) (1994) Handbook of Solid Waste Management, McGraw-Hill, Inc., New Delhi.
- 2. Pant D., Electronic Waste Management Lambart Academic Publishing 2010 (ISBN 978-3-8433-8336-3)
- 3. Pant D., Pharmaceutical Waste Management Lambart Academic Publishing 2011 (ISBN 978-3-8454-4089-7)

## **REFERENCE BOOKS**

- 1. Holmes, John R. (ed.) (1983) Practical Waste Management, John Wiley & Sons, New York/Singapore.
- 2. III. Harrison, M. Roy (ed.) (1995) Pollution; Causes, Effects and Control. The Royal Society of Chemistry, Cambridge cb4 4wf.

## **RESEARCH PAPER:**

- 1. Pant D.: "Waste Management in Small Hospitals Trouble for Environment" (2011) Environmental Monitoring and Assessment (Springer) DOI: 10.1007/s10661-011-2276-3.
- Pant D., Joshi D., Upreti M. K. and Kotnala R. K. "Chemical and biological Extraction of Metals Present in E waste: A Hybrid Technology" (2012) Waste Management (Elsevier Science) 32,979-990.
- 3. Pant D, Singh R., Kumar S "Management of Waste Poly Vinyl Chloride (PVC) through Chemical Modification" (2012) J Sc Ind Res 71, 181-186

# **ENV 424- Fundamentals of Remote Sensing**

## [4 Credits]

Credits Equivalent: 2 Credits (One credit is equivalent to 10 hours of lectures / organised classroom activity / contact hours; 5 hours of laboratory work / practical / field work / Tutorial / teacher-led activity and 15 hours of other workload such as independent individual/ group work; obligatory/ optional work placement; literature survey/ library work; data collection/ field work; writing of papers/ projects/dissertation/thesis; seminars, etc.)

**Course Objectives**: This is a skill development course and is designed to:

Introduce the basics of Remote Sensing

cover its various components and the use of remote sensing to address various environmental

issues and management of natural resources

## **Attendance Requirement:**

Students are expected to attend all lectures in order to be able to fully benefit from the course. A minimum of 75% attendance is a must failing which a student may not be permitted to appear in examination.

#### **Evaluation Criteria:**

4. Mid Term Examination: 25%

**5.** End Term Examination: 50%

**6.** Continuous Internal Assessment : 25% (Breakup is following)

a. Assignment/Quiz/Term Paper: 20%

b. Presentation/Seminar/Field work: 20%

c. Practical: 60%

## **Course Contents:**

UNIT I 4 hrs

What is Remote Sensing, Electromagnetic Radiation, Electromagnetic Spectrum, Interactions with the Atmosphere, Radiation – Target, Passive vs. Active Sensing, Characteristics of Images

UNIT II 4 hrs

Sensors on the Ground, in the air, in Space, Satellite Characteristics, Pixel Size and Scale, Different Resolutions, Cameras and Aerial Photography, Different Satellites, Other Sensors

UNIT III 4 hrs

Radar Basic, Viewing Geometry & Spatial Resolution, Airborne vs Spaceborne Radars, Airborne & Spaceborne Radar Systems

UNIT IV 4 hrs

Image Analysis: Visual interpretation, Digital processing, Preprocessing, Enhancement, Transformations, Classification, Integration

UNIT V 4 hrs

Applications: Agriculture, Glaciology, Forestry, Geology, Hydrology, Sea Ice, Land Cover, Biomass Mapping, Oceans & Coastal

## **Suggested Readings:**

- 1. Lillesand & Keifer, (2011): Remote Sensing & Image Interpretation, John Wiley & Sons, ISBN: 9788126532230.
- **2.** James B.Campbell,(2007): Introduction to Remote Sensing, Taylor & Francis, ISBN: 9780415416887.
- 3. J.R.Jensen, (2009): Remote Sensing of the Environment, Pearsons education Pub. ISBN: 9788131716809.
- 4. **George Joseph,** (2005): Fundamental of Remote Sensing, **University Press, India**, ISBN: 9788173715358.
- 5. **Bruce Grubbs,** (2005): Basic Essentials Using GPS, **Falcon Press Publishing,** ISBN: 9780762734214.

**ENV 432- Introduction to Statistical Techniques** 

[4 Credits]

**ENV 434 - Fundamentals of Ecology and Environment** 

[4 Credits]

Course Name: Environmental Science Laboratory -II

**Course content:** Field oriented experiments

• Use of Global Positioning system (GPS) in the field, mapping of different geological features and

preparation of any map using GPS Lab-2 AL

• Cross section preparation of geological features in the field -----Lab-2 AKM

Measurement of dip and strike in the field------Lab-2 AKM

**ENV 501- Environmental Pollution and Human Health** 

[4 Credits]

**Credits Equivalent:** 2 Credits (One credit is equivalent to 10 hours of lectures / organised classroom activity / contact hours; 5 hours of laboratory work / practical / field work / Tutorial / teacher-led activity and 15 hours of other workload such as independent individual/ group work; obligatory/ optional work placement; literature survey/ library work; data collection/ field work; writing of papers/ projects/dissertation/thesis; seminars, etc.)

**Course Objectives**: The course is designed to enhance the knowledge and provide the students the skill for employability:

Introduce students to know kinds and causes of Environmental pollution in twenty first century.

The students will acquire knowledge of of adverse effects of pollution on Human Health.

Explore the concepts related to monitoring and assessment of Environmental pollution and

Human Health.

**Attendance Requirement:** 

Students are expected to attend all lectures in order to be able to fully benefit from the course. A minimum of 75% attendance is a must failing which a student may not be permitted to appear in

examination.

**Evaluation Criteria:** 

1. Mid Term Examination: 25%

2. End Term Examination: 50%

3. Continuous Internal Assessment: 25% (Breakup is following)

a. Assignment/Quiz/Term Paper: 20%

b. Presentation/Seminar/Field work: 20%

c. Practical: 60%

#### **Course Contents:**

UNIT I 4 hrs

Radiation and Human Health, different sources of exposure of Radiation to human beings, Impacts of Radiation on Human Health.

UNIT II 4 hrs

Thermal Pollution and Human Heath, Magnitude of Thermal Pollution in India, Coal based and Gas based thermal pollution.

UNIT III 4 hrs

Noise Pollution Sources and Magnitude, Noise Standards, Biomedical aspects of Noise Pollution

UNIT IV 4 hrs

Air Pollution and Human Health, Types of Air Pollutants, Sources of emissions of Air Pollutants and impacts on Human Health

UNIT V 4 hrs

Water Pollution and Human Health, Types and Sources of Water Pollution, Water Pollution Standards, Water related and Water based diseases.

# **TEXTBOOKS**

- 3. Mahajan, S.P. Pollution Control in Process industries. Tata Mc Graw Hill Pub. Co Ltd. New Delhi.
- 4. Rao, C.S. 2009. Environmental Pollution Control Engineering. Wiley Eastern Ltd., New Delhi

# **REFERENCE BOOKS**

1. BATES, D.V. 1980. The health effects of Pollution. J Respire. Dis. 1:29-37

- Benitez, J.1993.Process Engineering and Design for Air Pollution Control.Prentice Hall. New Jersy, USA
- 3. De Gruigle, F.R. 1997. Health Effects from solar UV mediations. Radiation Protection Dosimetry. 72:177-196.
- 4. Gamble, J.F. and Lewis, R.J.1996. Health and Respirable Particulate, air Pollution a casual or statistical association. Env. Health Perspective. 104:838-850.

# **ENV 434 - Fundamentals of Ecology and Environment**

[4 Credits]

#### UNIT I: SCOPE AND INTRODUCTION

Ecology- Scope, Subdivisions, major landmarks in Ecology, levels of organization hierarchy; Organisms and Environment-Holocoenotic nature of environment: Abiotic components (climatic and topographic factors), Biotic components (positive interactions-Mutualism, commensalism, proto-cooperation; Negative interactions-Exploitation, Antibiosis, competition).

#### UNIT II: POPULATION ECOLOGY

Population characteristics-Population Size and Density, Dispersion, Age structure, Natality, Mortality and Life Tables; population dynamics and concept of carrying capacity; Regulation of population growth.

## UNIT III: COMMUNITY ECOLOGY

Community concept and brief classification, community characteristic, characters used to describe community structure- analytical, qualitative and synthetic characters, methods of community studies, species diversity  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$  and  $\Upsilon$ ); concept of ecological niche- types, ecotone & edge effect.

## UNIT IV: COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

Ecological succession-concept, causes and trends; Basic types of succession, General process of succession, Hydrosere, Lithosere, Heterotrophic succession, Ecosystem Development, concept of climax, Biome.

#### UNIT V: ECOSYSTEM ORGANIZATION AND MANAGEMENT

Concept of Ecosystem, Trophic structure of ecosystem, Examples of Ecosystem-A pond and an Old field or grassland ecosystem, Ecological pyramids-Pyramids of number, biomass and energy, Productivity of Ecosystem-Primary, Secondary and Net Productivity, Grazing and detritus food chains, Food web, Energy flow in ecosystem (simplified energy flow diagram depicting three trophic levels in a linear food chain), Biodiversity hot spots-Concept, brief introduction to biodiversity hot spots of India.

# Unit 1: Composition, Structure and Thermodynamics

- Chemical Composition
- The State of the Atmosphere
- Atmospheric Density and Pressure
- Hydrostatic Balance
- The Ideal Gas Law and First Law of Thermodynamics
- Concept of Air Parcel and Lapse Rates
- Atmospheric Stability, Mixing Height and Inversion

# Unit 2: Atmospheric Energy Balance and Dynamics

- Electromagnetic Radiations, Black Body Radiation
- The Solar Constant and the Budget of Solar Radiation
- Terrestrial Radiation, The Earth's Radiative Energy Balance
- Green House Effect
- Pressure Belts and Winds
- Pressure Gradient Force, Coriolis Force, Centrifugal Force, and Frictional Force
- Geostrophic and gradient winds, thermal wind
- Global Circulation

## **UNIT 3: Climate Variability and Climate Modeling**

- Low frequency climate variability: MJO (Madden-Julian oscillation), ENSO, QBO (quasi-biennial oscillation) and sunspot cycles
- Basic principles of General Circulation Modelling

## **UNIT 4: Climatology**

- Latitudinal and Seasonal Variation of Insolation
- Temperature, Pressure, Wind Belts, Humidity
- Classification of Climates Koppen's and Thornthwaite's scheme of classification.

## **Unit 5: Weather Systems**

- Extratropical Cyclones: Air Masses, Fronts, Jet Streams,
- Tropical Cyclones: Structure, Thermodynamics, and Dynamics, Genesis and Life Cycle,
- Cloud Formation: Condensation Nuclei, Growth of Cloud Drops and Ice-Crystals, Cloud Classification,
- Precipitation mechanisms: artificial precipitation, hail suppression, fog and cloud dissipation,
- Indian Monsoon: El-Nino and ENSO

## ENV 435 - Environmental Sciences Laboratory - I

[2 Credits]

Course Name: Environmental Science Laboratory -I

**Course Objectives: Skill Development** 

Introduce students to different geological problem, The students will acquire knowledge to map any geological feature in the field explore the functional and Structural aspects different tectonic features, Learn different sampling and measurement techniques, Will also learn use of GPS in the field and prepare map of any region.

# **Course content:** Field oriented experiments

- Field work in and around Dharmshala for Reading of toposheets -----Lab-1 AKM
- Identification of different structures in the field ------Lab-1 AKM
- Identification of minerals and rocks in the field------ Lab-1 Al
- Sampling techniques for geological samples-----Lab-1 Al

# **SEMESTER-III**

## **ENV 412 – Analytical Techniques**

# [2 Credits]

**Credits Equivalent:** 2 Credits (One credit is equivalent to 10 hours of lectures / organised classroom activity / contact hours; 5 hours of laboratory work / practical / field work / Tutorial / teacher-led activity and 15 hours of other workload such as independent individual/ group work; obligatory/ optional work placement; literature survey/ library work; data collection/ field work; writing of papers/ projects/dissertation/thesis; seminars, etc.)

## Course Objectives: The course is designed to:

- introduce students to the fundamental concepts of analytical techniques environmental monitoring;
- 2. provide knowledge and skills about various kinds of quantitative techniques;

3. Skill development in computation of analytical results, significant figures, concept of error, precision and accuracy, standard deviation, rejection of doubtful values.

## **Attendance Requirement:**

Students are expected to attend all lectures in order to be able to fully benefit from the course. A minimum of 75% attendance is a must failing which a student may not be permitted to appear in examination.

## **Evaluation Criteria**:

1. Mid Term Examination: 25%

2. End Term Examination: 50%

3. Continuous Internal Assessment: 25% (Breakup is following)

a. Assignment/Quiz/Term Paper: 20%

b. Presentation/Seminar/Field work: 20%

c. Practical: 60%

# **Course Contents:**

UNIT I (4 hrs)

Computation of analytical results, significant figures, concept of error, precision and accuracy, standard deviation, rejection of doubtful values with special reference to volumetric and gravimetric analysis, calibration of analytical equipments.

UNIT II (4 hrs)

Methods of expressing concentrations, primary and secondary standards. Theory and indicators for neutralizations, oxidation-reduction, precipitation titration.

UNIT III (4 hrs)

Method of gravimetric analysis, physical gravimetry, thermogravimetry and combustion analysis, precipitative gravimetric analysis, electrodeposition.

UNIT IV (4 hrs)

**Complexometric titrations** Complexometric methods using EDTA, principle of complexometric titrations, chelating agents, indicators, titrations with disodium edetate.

UNIT V (4 hrs)

**Nonaqueous titrations** General discussion and principle of titrations in non-aqueous media, aprotic, protophil protogenic and amphiprotic solvents. Titrations with perchloric acid, potassium methoxide and tetrabutyl ammonium hydroxide.

#### **TEXT BOOKS**

- 1. G.H. Jeffery, J. Bassett. J. Mendham and R.C. Denney Vogel's Text Book of Quantitative Chemical Analysis 5<sup>th</sup> ed., ELBS, U.K. 1989.
- 2. Keneth & A. Connors, A Text Book of Analysis, 3<sup>rd</sup> ed. Wiley interscience Singapore, 1982.
- 3. **e- book**: Pant D., Lab Manual Quantitative Analytical Method Book Rix Publication www.bookrix.com

#### **REFERENCE BOOKS**

- 1. Christian, Gary D. Analytical chemistry.-- New.Delhi: Wiley, 2004.
- 2. Shrivastava, M. L. Bioanalytical techniques.-- New.Delhi: Narosa, 2008.
- 3. Quevauviller P. and Thompson K. C., Analytical Methods for Drinking Water: Advances in Sampling and Analysis, John Wiley & Sons, Ltd. ISBN: 0-470-09491-5.
- 4. Harvey D. Modern Analytical Chemistry, McGraw-Hill Higher Education, New Delhi

**ENV 571 - Remote Sensing and GIS Lab** 

[2 Credits]

Course outcome: Skill development Laboratory

# **ENV 531 – Toxicology/Toxicity Laboratory**

[2 Credits]

**Course Objectives:**To provide the basic knowledge of toxic substance and involvingChemistryfor its management

**Course Outcomes:** After completing this course, student is expected to learn the following:

**CO1**: Basic understanding of chemistry of toxic substance

CO2: Basic understanding of physical techniques involved for toxic substance

CO3:Basic understanding of food adulteration

**CO4**:Basic understanding of environmental toxicant

CO5: Development of the skills for the management

**CO6**: Skilldevelopment towards management

#### **COURSE SYLLABUS:**

## UNIT 1: PRACTICAL EXPOSURE [Course Outcome (s) No. :1]

- About the identification of toxic substance;
- Management techniques for toxic substance

# Unit 2:PHYSICAL PROPERTIES OF TOXIC [Course Outcome (s) No. :2]

 Experiment based on physical properties of toxic substance on the basis of vapour pressure, vapour density and solubility

# Unit 3IDENTIFICATION OF TOXIC SUBSTANCES IN FOOD SAMPLE. [Course Outcome (s) No. :3, 5and6]

- Acids,
- Aldehydes
- Amines
- Dioxins
- Ethers
- Cyanides

## Unit 4TOXICITY ISSUE [Course Outcome (s) No. :4, 5 and 6]

- Arsenic
- Cadmium
- Lead
- Mercury
- Carbon monoxide

## **Suggested Readings:**

- 1. C. N. Madu, Environmental Planning and management, Imperial College Press, 2015.
- 2. Healtth Hazards of Environmental Arsenic Poisoning, Imperial College Press, 2014.
- 3. T. F. Yen, Chemical Processes for Environmental Engineering, Imperial College Press, 2013.
- 4. H. K. Moffatt and Shuckburgh, Environmental Hazards, Imperial College Press, 2011.
- 5. P. Patnaik, A Comprehensive Guide to the Hazardous Properties of Chemical Substances (3rd ed.) John Wiley & Sons, Inc., Hoboken, New Jersey, 2007.
- 6. C. Oloman, Material and Energy Balance for Engineers and Environmentalist, Imperial College Press, 2005.
- 7. L. C. Batty and K. B. Hallberg, Ecology of Industrial Pollution, Cambridge University press, New Delhi, 2004.

# **ENV 503- Environmental Legislations National and International**

[2 Credits]

Credits Equivalent: 2 Credits (One credit is equivalent to 10 hours of lectures / organized classroom activity / contact hours; 5 hours of laboratory work / practical / field work / Tutorial / teacher-led activity and 15 hours of other workload such as independent individual/ group work; obligatory/ optional work placement; literature survey/ library work; data collection/ field work; writing of papers/ projects/dissertation/thesis; seminars, etc.)

**Course Objectives**: The course is designed:

- To familiarize the students with fundamental right to clean environment and duties.
- The students will realize and underline the need for environmental legislations, and legislative powers of the Parliament.
- Students will acquire knowledge about different Environmental legislations at national level and conventions/protocols/treaties for conservation of Environment at international level.
- Students will learn about the Environmental legislation enforcement authorities, Environmental dispute redress bodies and the International Organizations for Conservation of Environment.

## **Attendance Requirement:**

Students are expected to attend all lectures in order to be able to fully benefit from the course. A minimum of 75% attendance is a must failing which a student may not be permitted to appear in examination.

#### **Evaluation Criteria:**

7. Mid Term Examination: 25%

**8.** End Term Examination: 50%

9. Continuous Internal Assessment: 25%

d. Assignment: 10%e. Class Test: 5%f. Presentation: 10%

## **COURSE CONTENT**

UNIT (I) 1 hrs

- 1. Introduction to Environmental Law, Powers of the Parliament to legislate Environmental legislations.
- 2. Status of Environmental legislations in India: Enumeration of Environmental legislations.

UNIT (II) 4 hrs

## Legislation enforcement authorities under:

- 1. The **Environmental** water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 composition, powers and functions.
- 2. The Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 composition, powers and functions.
- 3. The Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 powers, EIA Notification, 2006.

UNIT (III) 5 hrs

# **Environmental legislations and dispute redress bodies in India:**

- 1. The Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972: Objectives, National Board for Wildlife (NBWL)
- 2. The Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980: Objectives and Mechanism.
- 3. The Biological Diversity Act, 2002: Objectives, National Biodiversity Authority.
- 4. National Green Tribunal- Composition and jurisdiction

UNIT (IV) 2 hrs

1.International Organizations for Conservation of Environment: UNEP, WWF, IUCN, IGBP.

UNIT (V) 8 hrs

## **International Environmental Conventions, Protocols and Treaties:**

- 1. Ramsar Convention on Wetlands.
- 2. United Nations Conventions and Protocols on Climate Change, Ozone depletion, Biodiversity, Forest and Agenda -21.

# **TEXTBOOKS**

- 1.Environmental Laws, 2005. Universal Law Publishing.
- 2.S.C. Santra, 2005, Environmental Science, New Central Book Agency (P) Ltd 8/1 Chintamoni Das Lane, Kolkata- 700009

# **REFERENCE BOOKS**

1.S. Diwan and A. Rosencranz, 2005, Environmental Laws and Policy in India.

2.Mallick, M. R. (Justice) 2010. Environmental Laws, Professional Book Publisher New Delhi 3.Rana S. V. S. 2005, Essentials of Ecology and Environmental Science, Prentice Hall of India Pvt. Ltd. New Delhi.

# **ENV 564- Near Surface Geophysics**

[4 Credits]

# **Course Objective**

The student will identify which geophysical methods are used by industry and academia to solve environmental problems, as most of the sub-surface methods are being used in geotechnical industry for characterizing the near surface sediments. The idea of having general exposure of students in mainly two geophysical techniques i.e. seismic methods (active and passive) and Ground penetration Radar so that they can have basic knowledge and about field configurations. The students will also be exposed to Instruments in the field as the University has Micro tremor system and 24 channel engineering seismograph. Under the specialized project the student will process the data using seismic data analysis software. The student will also summarize and critique recent publications in the fields of engineering and environmental geophysics.

#### **Course Goals and Outcome**

Students should be able to:

- understand the fundamental concepts that result in the variation of seismic velocities and earth resistivity at or near the surface of the earth
- Skill Development:
  - to use various geophysical instruments including ground penetration radar, Seismic exploration for site characterisation and exploration, engineering seismometers (primarily for reflections and refraction surveys) both active and passive methods design, conduct and complete a total field project involving these methodologies
  - To be able to relate the interpretation of the geophysical information to local geology and structure.
  - Through a sequence of laboratory exercises in conjunction with intensive field projects the students learn by doing.
- Besides learning the methodologies, the projects teach the students how to work in groups, both for data collection and analysis and interpretation and reporting.
- While there are tests, these are entirely "take home" requiring the students to work through processing and interpretation problems. These are designed to provide a foundation for the processing and interpretation of the information collected from the field projects.

## **Attendance Requirement:**

Students are expected to attend all lectures in order to be able to fully benefit from the course. A minimum of 75% attendance is a must failing which a student may not be permitted to appear in examination.

## **Evaluation Criteria:**

Mid Term Examination: 25%

• End Term Examination: 50%

· Continuous Internal Assessment : 25% (Breakup is following)

## **Course Contents**

#### Unit I

Hazards definition of hazards, introduction to landslide hazard, earthquakes, flash floods and floods Himalayan orogeny, Structure and Tectonics of Himalaya.

Introduction to Applied Geophysics: what are applied and environmental geophysics, matching geophysical methods to applications, planning a geophysical survey, planning survey and survey constraints, survey design, optimum configuration

Introduction to Applied Seismology: Introduction, seismic waves, Raypath geometry in layered ground, reflection and refraction of obliquely incident rays, Critical reflection, diffraction, seismic energy source detection and recording of seismic waves, geophones and accleraometers, seismographs

#### Unit II

Seismic Refraction Surveying: Introduction, General principles, Snellslaw, Field survey arrangements, geometry of refracted ray paths, Interpretational methods, applications and case histories.

Seismic Reflection Surveying Introduction, reflection survey general considerations, reflection principles, reflection data processing (pre-processing, static correction, convolution and deconvolution, stacking, filtering and migration

#### **Unit III**

Introduction to Shear wave methods: Spectral analysis of surface waves (SASW); Continuous surface waves methods (CSWS) and Cross hole method

Multichannel analysis of surface waves (MASW), active and passive seismic methods, field configuration, optimum field configuration, source receiver geometry, data acquisition, data analysis using seismic surfseis software, dispersion analysis, data interpretation and its applications.

#### **Unit IV**

Introduction to Ground Penetration Radar (GPR), Principle of GPR, , propagation of radiowaves, dielectric properties of earth material, modes of data acquisition, data processing, interpretational techniques and Applications of GPR

## **Unit V**

## Site amplification:

What is site response, Site response studies, and application of MASW in site response, Shake analysis, its applications, Cases study, training of students in Grapher and Surfer, SHAKE softwares

#### **Books Recommended:**

- 1. An introduction to applied and Environmental Geophysics by John M. Reynolds Wiley-
- **Blackwell publcations**
- 2. Principles of applied Geophysics by D.S.ParasnisSpringer publications
- 3. Telford, W.M. et.al. Applied Geophysics: Cambridge publication
- 4. Geotechnical Earthquake Engineering by Sreven L. Kramer
- **5.** Earthquakes (forecasting and mitigation by H.N. Srivastava
- **6.** Recent advances in Earthquake geotechnical Engineering and microzonation by Atila Ansal, 2004

## ENV 557- Bio-resources and Environmental Biotechnology[4 Credits]

**Credits Equivalent:** 4 Credits (One credit is equivalent to 10 hours of lectures / organised classroom activity / contact hours; 5 hours of laboratory work / practical / field work / Tutorial / teacher-led activity and 15 hours of other workload such as independent individual/ group work; obligatory/ optional work placement; literature survey/ library work; data collection/ field work; writing of papers/ projects/dissertation/thesis; seminars, etc.)

## **Course Objectives and outcomes:**

The course is designed to:

- Introduce concept of biotechnology and its role in development and sustainability
- Give in-depth knowledge and skills related to modern techniques in biotechnology.
- Give a brief concept how to improve our environment in future by using biotechnology.

## **Attendance Requirement:**

Students are expected to attend all lectures in order to be able to fully benefit from the course. A minimum of 75% attendance is a must failing which a student may not be permitted to appear in examination.

UNIT I 10 hrs

Bioresources- importance of bacteria, fungi as bioresourses; their beneficial effect and mechanism of action; Introduction to Environmental biotechnology- definition, scope; role of biotechnology in development and sustainability.

UNIT II 10 hrs

Bioremediation: Environmental Xenobiotics and human health; principles of bioremediation; TOL plasmid pathway; aerobic and anaerobic microbial degradation processes; degradation of benzene, toluene, xylene, biphenyl and degradation pathways.

UNIT III 12 hrs

Recombinant DNA technology: Early discoveries, restriction endonucleases, ligases, modification enzymes, DNA and RNA markers, cloning and expression vectors (plasmids, bacteriophage, phagmids, cosmids, artificial chromosomes), selection of recombinant clones, CDNA synthesis and cloning (mRNA enrichment, reverse transcription, DNA primers, linkers, adaptors and their chemical synthesis, library construction and screening).

UNIT IV 8 hrs

Genetic engineering: Release of genetically engineered microorganisms, genetically modify corps-safety and environmental risks.

## **Suggested Readings**

- 1. Comprehensive Biotechnology, Vol 4, M. Moo-young (Ed. InChief) pergamon, press, Oxford.
- 2. An Introduction to environmental biotechnology, AK Challerre, prentice Hall publication, New D elhi
- 3. An Introduction to Environmental Biotechnology by Milton Wainwright: Kluwer, Academic Press, 1999.
- Environmental biotechnology theory and Application by G.M. Evans and J.C. Furlong, John Wiley and sons, 2004.

- 5. Environmental biotechnology, SK Agarval, APH publ. House, New Delhi-2006.
- 6. Mohapatra. P. K., 2006, Text Book of Environmental Biotechnology. I K International.
- 7. Waste water treatments (5th edition) M N Roa and A K Dutta, Oxford IBH Publ. Co. Pvt. Ltd., Ne w Delhi-2003.
- 8. Rittman, B. E., and McCarty, P. L., 2001, Environmental Biotechnology. Principles and applications. McGraw-Hill, New York.
- 9. Olguin, E., Sanchez, G. and Hernandez, E., 1999, Environmental biotechnology and cleaner bioprocesses, Taylor & Francis, London.
- 10. Glazer AN, Nikaido H. (1994) Microbial Biotechnology Fundamentals of Applied Microbiology, WH Freeman and Company, New York.
- ${\bf 11.}\ \ Bio-remediation\ Technologies,\ Technomic\ Publishing\ Co.,\ USA.\ S.K.\ Sikdur\&\ R.L.\ Irvine.$

**ENV 509** 

## ENV 509- Glaciology

## [4 Credits]

**Credit Equivalent:** 4 Credits (One credit is equivalent to 10 hours of lectures / organised classroom activity / contact hours; 5 hours of laboratory work / practical / field work / Tutorial / teacher-led activity and 15 hours of other workload such as independent individual/ group work; obligatory/ optional work placement; literature survey/ library work; data collection/ field work; writing of papers/ projects/dissertation/thesis; seminars, etc.)

**Course Objectives**: The course is designed to develop skills of the students:

- 1. Introduce the subject (Glaciology) to students and various approaches of glaciology, different variants of glacial systems and morphology and structures of glaciers.
- 2. Study glacial processes and associated landforms and their significance.
- 3. Understand glacial erosion and various hydrological processes
- 4. Make student acquainted with the Recent researches in the field of Glaciers and their use in water resources and palaeoclimatic studies

## **Attendance Requirement:**

Students are expected to attend all lectures in order to be able to fully benefit from the course. A minimum of 75% attendance is a must failing which a student may not be permitted to appear in examination.

## **Evaluation Criteria**:

1. Mid Term Examination: 25%

2. End Term Examination: 50%

3. Continuous Internal Assessment: 25% (Breakup is following)

b. Assignment/Quiz/Term Paper: 20%

b. Presentation/Seminar/Field work: 20%

c. Practical: 60%

#### **Course Contents:**

UNIT I (8 hrs)

- Glaciology-an overview
- Approaches to Glaciology
- Glacier systems-
- Structure and morphology of glaciers

UNIT II (10 hrs)

- Glacial erosion, Landscape evolution and different glacial landforms
- Mass balance and glacier dynamics
- Englacial and subglacial process

UNIT III (6 hrs)

- Glacier hydrology dealing mainly with snow and melt water chemistry
- Glacier and water resources

UNIT IV (12 hrs)

- Recent advances in Glaciology
- Glaciers and climate change
- Glacier Hazards
- Glaciers in relation to palaeoclimate studies

UNIT V (4 hrs)

- Studies carried out on Indian Glaciers
- Indian efforts on Polar Research (Arctic and Antarctic scientific expeditions)

#### **TEXT BOOKS**

- Sharp R P 1988. Living Ice: Understanding Glaciers and Glaciations. Cambridge University Press, ISBN 13 9780521330091.
- 2. Hubbard B and Glasser N F 2005. Field Techniques in Glaciology and Glacial Geomorphology. John Wiley & sons, Inc, ISBN 978-0-470-84426-7
- 3. Bennett M M and Neil F. Glasser N F 2009. Glacial Geology: Ice Sheets and Landforms, 2nd Edition. John Wiley & sons, Inc, ISBN: 978-0-470-51691-1

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- 1. Raina V K Glaciers the Rivers of Ice. Geological Society of India, ISBN 8185867739 (81-85867-73-9)
- 2. Hambrey M J and Alean J 2004. Glacial Environments. 2nd Edition Cambridge University Press, ISBN 0-521-82808- 2
- **3. David M. M and Attig J W 1999.** Glacial Processes, Past and Present. *Issue 337 of Special Papers* Geological Society of America, ISBN 081372337X, 9780813723372
- **4.** Knight P G 2009. Glacier science and environmental change. Wiley-Blackwell, ISBN 978-1-4051-9653-6
- **5.** Cuffey and Paterson 2010. The Physics of Glaciers. 4th Edition, Academic Press, ISBN: 9780123694614
- **6. Fletcher** N. **The Chemical Physics of Ice**. Cambridge Monographs on Physics, ISBN-13: 978-0521075978

## **ENV 531 - Toxicity Laboratory**

## [2 Credits]

**Course Objectives:**To provide the basic knowledge of toxic substance and involvingChemistryfor its management

Course Outcomes: After completing this course, student is expected to learn the following:

**CO1**: Basic understanding of chemistry of toxic substance

CO2: Basic understanding of physical techniques involved for toxic substance

**CO3**:Basic understanding of food adulteration

**CO4**:Basic understanding of environmental toxicant

**CO5**:Development of the skillsfor the management

**CO6**:Skill development towards management

#### **COURSE SYLLABUS:**

## UNIT 1: PRACTICAL EXPOSURE [Course Outcome (s) No. :1]

- About the identification of toxic substance;
- Management techniques for toxic substance

## Unit 2:PHYSICAL PROPERTIES OF TOXIC [Course Outcome (s) No. :2]

• Experiment based on physical properties of toxic substance on the basis of vapour pressure, vapour density and solubility

# Unit 3IDENTIFICATION OF TOXIC SUBSTANCES IN FOOD SAMPLE. [Course Outcome (s) No. :3, 5and6]

- Acids,
- Aldehydes
- Amines
- Dioxins
- Ethers
- Cyanides

## Unit 4TOXICITY ISSUE [Course Outcome (s) No. :4, 5 and 6]

- Arsenic
- Cadmium
- Lead
- Mercury
- Carbon monoxide

#### Suggested Readings:

- 8. C. N. Madu, Environmental Planning and management, Imperial College Press, 2015.
- 9. Health Hazards of Environmental Arsenic Poisoning, Imperial College Press, 2014.
- 10. T. F. Yen, Chemical Processes for Environmental Engineering, Imperial College Press, 2013.
- 11. H. K. Moffatt and Shuckburgh, Environmental Hazards, Imperial College Press, 2011.

- 12. P. Patnaik, A Comprehensive Guide to the Hazardous Properties of Chemical Substances (3rd ed.) John Wiley & Sons, Inc., Hoboken, New Jersey, 2007.
- 13. C. Oloman, Material and Energy Balance for Engineers and Environmentalist, Imperial College Press, 2005.
- 14. L. C. Batty and K. B. Hallberg, Ecology of Industrial Pollution, Cambridge University press, New Delhi, 2004.

## **ENV 524 - Environmental Impact Assessment**

[2 Credits]

#### UNIT-I

Introduction to EIA, Purposes of EIA, Steps in EIA process, Hierarchy in EIA, Environment impact statement (EIS) and Environmental management plan, Impact indicators, Evolution of EIA, Evolution of EIA worldwide, Evolution of EIA in India, EIA Notification, 2006

#### UNIT - II

EIA guidelines 1994, notification Govt of India, Forecasting Environmental Changes, Impact assessment methodologies, generalized approach to impact analysis, procedure for reviewing Environmental impact analysis and statement.

#### **UNIT - III**

Guidelines for Environmental Audit, Introduction to Environmental planning, Base line information and Prediction (land, water, atmosphere end energy), Landuse policy for India.

## **UNIT - IV**

Urban Planning for india, Rural Planning and landuse pattern, concept and statergies of sustainable development, cost benefit analysis, Environmental priorities in India and sustainable development.

## **ENV 571 - Remote Sensing and GIS Lab**

[2 Credits]

Laboratory Experiments based on the course ENV 424 to be taught in Semester-II

## **ENV 411 – Waste Management**

[2 Credits]

#### **UNIT I: Classification of waste**

Solid waste, liquid waste, Biodegradable and non biodegradable solid waste, Hospital and Pharmaceutical Waste, E-waste: Sources, generation, chemical composition, classification, Health hazards, Environmental impacts

#### **UNIT II: Waste minimization technologies**

Framework for Solid Waste Management; Reuse/ recycling of Reuse and Recycling of different types of waste: Recycling of waste paper, plastics, landfill, other management techniques

#### **UNIT II: Waste Water Management**

Technological Options at Household Level Management, Kitchen Garden with Piped and without Piped Root Zone System, Leach Pit.

## **UNIT IV:Technological Options at Community Level Management**

Sustainable technologies of waste management at Panchayat Level and local level; Case studies, opportunities in waste management.

## **ENV 573 - Water Resource Management**

[2 Credits]

#### Unit I

Brief outline of historic development, Water usage in evolution of history, Water Resources Development Scenario, Global and Indian Water Scenario

#### Unit II

World water resources: dimension and challenges, Hydrological cycle, Global water supply-demand management, Environmental impacts and water resource management

#### **Unit III**

Groundwater, structures of aquifers, Aquifer capacity, Determining aquifer flow velocity-Darcy Law Integrated water resource management (IWRM) and virtual water

#### **Unit IV**

Water harvesting techniques in hilly region, Artificial ground water recharge techniques and designs: artificial recharge techniques, direct methods, combination methods, ground water conservation techniques both modern and traditional, Snow harvesting, roof top harvesting and dew drop harvesting, Sustainable agriculture and irrigation

## **ENV 412- Analytical Technique**

[2 Credits]

## Course Objectives& outcome of the course:

The course is designed to:

- Introduce students about different state of the art analytical techniques
- Discuss in details about different technical aspects of the instrumentation.
- Discuss the basic concept about the techniques and detailed applications

- Discuss in details about different trouble shooting of the instrumentation
- Give hands-on training so that they can apply and use the instrumentation and techniques in their future endeavor.

## **Attendance Requirement:**

Students are expected to attend all lectures in order to be able to fully benefit from the course. A minimum of 75% attendance is a must failing which a student may not be permitted to appear in the examination.

## **UNIT I: Introduction to Chromatography**

Basic principle of Analytical techniques. Different types of Chromatography techniques and their applications. Thin layer Chromatography – Basic principle, methodology, application.

## UNIT II: High Performance Liquid Chromatography

Basic Principle, Methodology, Application. Discussion with examples based on published research papers.

## UNIT III: Gas Chromatography

Basic Principle, Methodology, Application. Discussion with examples based on published research papers.

## UNIT IV: Liquid and Gas Chromatography - Mass spectrometry

Basic Principle, Methodology, Application. Discussion with examples based on published research papers.

## **Suggested Readings**

- 1. Handbook of Thin-Layer Chromatography, 2003.3rd Edition; Edited By Joseph Sherma, Bernard Fried. CRC Press.
- 2. HPLC Basics- Fundamentals of LiquidChromatography (HPLC); Courtesy of Agilent Technologies, Inc.
- 3. Shimadzu fundamental guides to LC-MS
- 4. Agilent LC-MS primer
- 5. Waters HPLC-UHPLC notebook.
- 6. Principles of Gas Chromatography- Physical Methods in Chemistry and Nano Science Archer J.P. Martin and Anthony T. James. The Open Courses Library.

7. https://bookauthority.org/books/best-chromatography-books

## **ENV 503 – Environmental Legislation: National & International**

[2 Credits]

#### Unit I

Introduction to Environmental Law, Powers of the Parliament to legislate Environmental legislations. Status of Environmental legislations in India: Enumeration of Environmental legislations.

#### Unit II

The Environmental water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974, The Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981, The Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 – powers.

#### **Unit III**

The Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972: Objectives, National Board for Wildlife (NBWL), The Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980: Objectives and Mechanism. The Biological Diversity Act, 2002: Objectives, National Green Tribunal-Composition and jurisdiction

#### **Unit IV**

Organizations for Conservation of Environment: UNEP, WWF, IUCN, Ramsar Convention on Wetlands, United Nations Conventions and Protocols on Climate Change, Agenda -21.

## **ENV 564-Near Surface Geophysics**

[2 Credits]

## **Course Objective**

The student will identify which geophysical methods are used by industry and academia to solve environmental problems, as most of the sub-surface methods are being used in geotechnical industry for characterizing the near surface sediments. The idea of having general exposure of students in mainly two geophysical techniques i.e. seismic methods (active and passive) and Ground penetration Radar so that they can have basic knowledge and about field configurations. The students will also be exposed to Instruments in the field as the University has Micro tremor system and 24 channel engineering seismograph. Under the specialized project the student will process the data using seismic data analysis software. The student will also summarize and critique recent publications in the fields of engineering and environmental geophysics.

#### **Course Goals and Outcome**

Students should be able to:

- understand the fundamental concepts that result in the variation of seismic velocities and earth resistivity at or near the surface of the earth
- to use various geophysical instruments including ground penetration radar, Seismic exploration for site characterisation and exploration, engineering seismometers (primarily for reflections and refraction surveys) both active and passive methods

- · design, conduct and complete a total field project involving these methodologies
- · be able to relate the interpretation of the geophysical information to local geology and structure.
- Through a sequence of laboratory exercises in conjunction with intensive field projects the students learn by doing.
- Besides learning the methodologies, the projects teach the students how to work in groups, both for data collection and analysis and interpretation and reporting.
- While there are tests, these are entirely "take home" requiring the students to work through processing and interpretation problems. These are designed to provide a foundation for the processing and interpretation of the information collected from the field projects.

## **Attendance Requirement:**

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#### **Evaluation Criteria:**

Mid Term Examination: 25%

End Term Examination: 50%

· Continuous Internal Assessment : 25% (Breakup is following)

#### **Course Contents**

#### Unit I

Hazards definition of hazards, introduction to landslide hazard, earthquakes, flash floods and floods Himalayan orogeny, Structure and Tectonics of Himalaya.

Introduction to Applied Geophysics: what are applied and environmental geophysics, matching geophysical methods to applications, planning a geophysical survey, planning survey and survey constraints, survey design, optimum configuration

Introduction to Applied Seismology: Introduction, seismic waves, Raypath geometry in layered ground, reflection and refraction of obliquely incident rays, Critical reflection, diffraction, seismic energy source detection and recording of seismic waves, geophones and accleraometers, seismographs

#### Unit II

Seismic Refraction Surveying: Introduction, General principles, Snellslaw, Field survey arrangements, geometry of refracted ray paths, Interpretational methods, applications and case histories.

Seismic Reflection Surveying Introduction, reflection survey general considerations, reflection principles, reflection data processing (pre-processing, static correction, convolution and deconvolution, stacking, filtering and migration

## **Unit III**

Introduction to Shear wave methods: Spectral analysis of surface waves (SASW); Continuous surface waves methods (CSWS) and Cross hole method

Multichannel analysis of surface waves (MASW), active and passive seismic methods, field configuration, optimum field configuration, source receiver geometry, data acquisition, data analysis using seismic surfseis software, dispersion analysis, data interpretation and its applications.

#### **Unit IV**

Introduction to Ground Penetration Radar (GPR), Principle of GPR, , propagation of radiowaves, dielectric properties of earth material, modes of data acquisition, data processing, interpretational techniques and Applications of GPR

#### **Unit V**

## Site amplification:

What is site response, Site response studies, and application of MASW in site response, Shake analysis, its applications, Cases study, training of students in Grapher and Surfer, SHAKE softwares

#### **Books Recommended:**

1. An introduction to applied and Environmental Geophysics by John M. Reynolds Wiley-

## **Blackwell publications**

- 2. Principles of applied Geophysics by D.S.ParasnisSpringer publications
- 3. Telford, W.M. et.al. Applied Geophysics: Cambridge publication
- 4. Geotechnical Earthquake Engineering by Sreven L. Kramer
- 5. Earthquakes (forecasting and mitigation by H.N. Srivastava
- **6.** Recent advances in Earthquake geotechnical Engineering and microzonation by Atila

Ansal, 2004

## **ENV 557- Bio-resources and Environmental Biotechnology**

[4 Credits]

#### **UNIT I**

Bioresources- importance of bacteria, fungi as bioresourses; their beneficial effect and mechanism of action; Introduction to Environmental biotechnology- definition, scope; role of biotechnology in development and sustainability;

#### **UNIT II**

Bioremediation: Environmental Xenobiotics and human health; principles of bioremediation; TOL plasmid pathway; aerobic and anaerobic microbial degradation processes; degradation of benzene, toluene, xylene, biphenyl and degradation pathways.

#### **UNIT III**

Recombinant DNA technology: Early discoveries, restriction endonucleases, ligases, modification enzymes, DNA and RNA markers, cloning and expression vectors (plasmids, bacteriophage, phagmids, cosmids, artificial chromosomes), selection of recombinant clones, CDNA synthesis and cloning (mRNA enrichment, reverse transcription, DNA primers, linkers, adaptors and their chemical synthesis, library construction and screening).

#### **UNIT IV**

Genetic engineering: Release of genetically engineered microorganisms, genetically modify corps-safety and environmental risks.

## **ENV 582 : Atmospheric Chemistry and Physics**

[4 Credits]

#### Unit I

Chemistry of Troposphere: Chemistry of Nitrogen in troposphere: Sources and chemistry of NOx and NOy, Chemistry of Sulphur in troposphere: Sources and chemistry of SOx, Chemistry of Carbon in troposphere: Sources and chemistry of CO, CO<sub>2</sub>, CH<sub>4</sub> and Non-methane Hydro Carbons, Chemistry of Oxygen in troposphere: ODD oxygen chemistry, formation of Ozone and OH\* radicals

Chemistry of Stratosphere: Chapman Mechanism for the Stratospheric Ozone Chemistry, NOx Cycles and HOx Cycles, Halogen Cycles, Reservoir Species and Coupling of the Cycles, Ozone Layer Depletion and Ozone Hole

#### Unit II

Atmospheric Aerosols : Physical Properties of Atmospheric Aerosols, Chemical Composition of Atmospheric Aerosols, Interaction of light with particles, Role of Atmospheric aerosols in Global Climate Change

#### **Unit III**

Atmospheric Thermodynamics: Gas Laws: Virtual Temperature, The Hydrostatic Equation: Geopotential, Scale Height and the Hypsometric Equation, The First Law of Thermodynamics: Joule's Law, Specific Heats, Enthalpy, Adiabatic Processes: Concept of an Air Parcel, The Dry Adiabatic Lapse Rate, Potential Temperature, Thermodynamic Diagrams, Water Vapor in Air: Moisture Parameters, Latent Heats, The Saturated Adiabatic Lapse Rate, Normand's Rule, Static Stability: Unsaturated Air, Saturated Air, Conditional and Convective Instability

#### **Unit IV**

Atmospheric Radiative Transfer: Blackbody Radiation: The Planck Function, Wien's Displacement Law, The Stefan–Boltzmann Law, Kirchhoff's Law, The Greenhouse Effect, Physics of Scattering and Absorption and Emission: Scattering by Air Molecules and Particles, Absorption by Particles, Absorption and Emission by Gas Molecules, Radiative Transfer in Planetary Atmospheres: Beer's Law, Reflection and

Absorption by a Layer of the Atmosphere, Absorption and Emission of Infrared Radiation in Cloud-Free Air, Radiation Balance at the Top of the Atmosphere

#### **Unit V**

Atmospheric Dynamics: Dynamics of Horizontal Flow: Apparent Forces, Real Forces, The Horizontal Equation of Motion: The Geostrophic Wind, The Effect of Friction, The Gradient Wind, The Thermal Wind, The Atmospheric General Circulation, The Kinetic Energy Cycle: The Atmosphere as a Heat Engine

## **ENV 404 - Energy and Environment**

[2 Credits]

## **Unit I: Introduction to Energy and Environment**

The concept of energy and environment, Sun as source of energy, Solar radiation and its spectral characteristics, Fossil fuels: definition, formation, classification, composition, physiochemical characteristics and energy content of coal, petroleum and natural gas.

## **Unit II: Sustainable Energy Resources**

Concept of renewable and nonrenewable energy sources, Basic principles of generation of energy, Solar Energy: solar cells, solar concentrators, active and passive heating of buildings, green generators, Wind Energy: the concept of wind and air, types of wind mills and its parts, calculation of power produced by wind mills, Geothermal Energy: different sources of geothermal energy, direct and indirect uses, different types of geothermal electric plants, Energy from oceans: different types of ocean movements, energy from tides, currents and waves, OTEC: working and different types. Growing energy need, Energy use pattern and future need projection in different parts of the world and its impact on the environment.

## **Unit III: Green Technologies**

Strengths for adopting Green Technology and Challenges for Green Technology Adoptions, Environmental implication of energy use: exponential increase in energy consumption and projected future demands, CO<sub>2</sub> emissions, global warming. Environmental degradation due to energy production and utilization, Concept of Green Buildings: design, energy efficiency, sustainability etc.

#### **Unit IV Recent advances**

Introduction to internal combustion engines: two stroke and four stoke engines, its efficiency, recent developments in IC engines, Recent developments in transportation sector: Electric, hybrid and solar powered vehicles, other green technologies: hydroponics, water efficient irrigation systems, Smart grids, Farm automation etc.

## **ENV 443–Basics of Climate Change (SD)**

[2 Credits]

Unit IThe Climate System: an overview

Weather Vs Climate,

- Components of the Climate System,
- The Driving Forces of Climate,
- Climate Parameters and Data-sets available to study Climate Change,
- Observed Natural Vs Anthropogenic Climate Change

## Unit II: Human and Natural Drivers of Climate Change:

- The Sun and The Earth Geometry,
- Milankovitch Cycles, Solar Constant,
- The Effect Temperature of the Earth,
- Green House Effect.
- The concept of Radiative Forcing and Climate Sensitivity

#### Unit III: Radiative effects of Aerosol and Gases:

- Greenhouse gases
- Halocarbon radiative forcing
- Radiative forcing due to stratospheric ozone changes
- Tropospheric Aerosols: Direct forcing due to Sulphate aerosols and Soot aerosols, Indirect forcing due to effect of aerosols on cloud properties,
- Stratospheric Aerosols

## Unit IV: Observations of Changes in Climate:

- Atmospheric Changes: Instrumental Record,
- Changes in the Ocean: Instrumental Record,
- Changes in the Cryosphere: Instrumental Record,
- A Palaeoclimatic Perspective,
- Extreme Weather Events

## **Semester- IV**

ENV575- M.Sc Dissertation [6 Credits]

**Credits Equivalent:** 2 Credits (One credit is equivalent to 10 hours of lectures / organised classroom activity / contact hours; 5 hours of laboratory work / practical / field work / Tutorial / teacher-led activity and 15 hours of other workload such as independent individual/ group work; obligatory/ optional work placement; literature survey/ library work; data collection/ field work; writing of papers/ projects/dissertation/thesis; seminars, etc.)

**Course Objectives**: The course is designed for skill development of students:

- Understand different natural and manmade disasters
- Explore the reason of its origin and the possible antidotes so that it can dwindle to some extent.
- Implement environmentally sound strategies in this concern

## **Attendance Requirement:**

Students are expected to attend all lectures in order to be able to fully benefit from the course. A minimum of 75% attendance is a must failing which a student may not be permitted to appear in examination.

## **Evaluation Criteria**:

4. Mid Term Examination: 25%5. End Term Examination: 50%

6. Continuous Internal Assessment: 25% (Breakup is following)

d. Assignment/Quiz/Term Paper: 20%e. Presentation/Seminar/Field work: 20%

f. Practical: 60%

## **Course Contents:**

Unit-1: 4 hrs

- Introduction to Disaster Management
- Farmer curve showing significance and frequency of different natural disaster
- Scope and Objectives of Disaster Management
- Disaster Managers

• Elements of Disaster Management

Assignement-1: To prepare historical archive of Cyclone for last 20 years and their disastrous effects

Assignement-2: To prepare historical archive of Flood disaster in India for the last fifty years and their disastrous effect

Unit 2: 4 hrs

- Concepts and Terms in Disaster Management
- Natural Disasters
- Man-made Disasters
- Disaster Victim
- Disaster Relief Systems
- Phases of Disaster Response
- Phases of Relief Operations
- Case study of Kashmir Flood 2014.

Assignment -3: list different earthquake of Himalayan region with their magnitude and explain the disastrous effect of 1905 Kangra earthquake

**Unit-3** The Hyogo Framework for Action 2005-2015: Building the Resilience of Nations **4 hrs** and Communities to Disasters: Case study of earthquake disaster and landslide disaster

Assignement-4 Write down about Yokahama strategy and plan of action for the safer world

Unit-4 4 hrs

- The Tools and Methods of Disaster Management
- Prevention and Mitigation Tools
- Preparedness Tools
- Tools of Post-Disaster Management
- Case studies

Assignment -5: write down different methods to be used for mitigation of landslide and earthquake disaster as a preparedness part of disaster management cycle.

Unit-5 4 hrs

- Technologies of Disaster Management
- Mapping
- Aerial Photography and Remote Sensing
- Communications

- Information Management
- Logistics
- Epidemiology

## **Suggested Readings:**

## Material prepared by teachers and the following reference will be useful

- 1. Harsh K. Gupta, (2004): Disaster management, Universities Press, ISBN: 9788173714566
- 2. **R.B. Singh,** (2000): Disaster Management, **Rawat Publication**, New Delhi.
- 3. H.K. Gupta (2003): Disaster Management, Universities Press, India, ISBN: 9788173714566
- 4. Satender, (2003): Disaster Management in Hills, Concept Publishing Co., New Delhi, ISBN: 9788180690143
- 5. **Bhandani, R.K.,** (2000): An overview on Natural & Manmade Disaster & their Reduction, **CSIR, New Delhi.**
- 6. **Gupta**, (2001): Manuals on Natural Disaster management in India, National Centre for Disaster Management, IIPA, New Delhi, 2001

## **Env 428- Himalayan Geology**

## [2 Credits]

Credits Equivalent: 2 Credits (One credit is equivalent to 10 hours of lectures / organised classroom activity / contact hours; 5 hours of laboratory work / practical / field work / Tutorial / teacher-led activity and 15 hours of other workload such as independent individual/ group work; obligatory/ optional work placement; literature survey/ library work; data collection/ field work; writing of papers/ projects/dissertation/thesis; seminars, etc.)

Aim: The main thing is to introduce the student to concepts and applications of geophysics to solving environmental and engineering problems.

## How course activities and course structure help students achieve these goals:

The course is designed to give them the background knowledge and skills using several methods in order to encourage them to think about the utility of geophysics in the solution to problems of an environmental nature. The student will also summarize and critique recent publications in the fields of Himalayan geology.

#### **Course Objective**

The course is intended to provide a holistic approach to study the surficial features and the processes with emphasis on Himalayan region. The subject will serve as a dynamic and physical based account of the processes at planets surface with an integrated approach involving the principles of geomorphology and sedimentology. The student will deal with different aspects of Himalayan Geology and how Himalaya has been originated and formed. How they have been shaped to the present form. The student will analyze and integrate the physical features, field methodology, and interpretation of structural and tectonic features to conclude how Himalaya

has been formed.

**Course Outcomes: Skill Development** 

- The student will understand how Himalayan has been formed
- Learning about different river system how they have been originated from Himalayan and why Himalaya is named as Third pole.
- Will understand different rock type and how they have been formed and what the relationship between different rock types is.
- What is the role of tectonics in generating earthquake in Himalayan region?
- How sediments are deposited and how river are changing their course after years and what could be their consequences.
- · Learning about the sedimentary flux: origin, transport and deposition.
- Learning about the geomorphic and sedimentlogical processes related to fluvial, coastal, aeolian, and glacial regimes.
- Learning about the environmental changes and its impact on surface processes and landforms.

## **Attendance Requirement:**

Students are expected to attend all lectures in order to be able to fully benefit from the course. A minimum of 75% attendance is a must failing which a student may not be permitted to appear in examination.

#### **Evaluation Criteria:**

**4.** Mid Term Examination: 25% **5.** End Term Examination: 50%

6. Continuous Internal Assessment: 25% (Breakup is following)

a. Assignment/Quiz/Term Paper: 20%b. Presentation/Seminar/Field work: 20%

c. Practical: 60%

Course content

Unit-1 Introduction, importance and significance of Himalaya, their morphology, What is faults, folds, their definitions and their types and classifications.

#### 4 hrs

Unit-2 Internal structure of Earth, Internal structure of Earth, fundamental characteristics of crust, mantle, core; fundamentals on rock-forming minerals; weathering and erosion of rocks and minerals. Concept of plate tectonics, types of plate boundaries, features of convergent and divergent boundaries, causes of plate motion, dynamic evolution of continental and oceanic crust, Sea floor spreading, morphological features of ocean floor.

Assignment:1 a) What do you understand by continental drift theory? Explain its pros and cons b) What do you understand by plate tectonic theory and how this theory supports the formation of Himalaya

4 hrs

Unit-3 Sedimentary rocks their types and classification, metamorphic rocks their classifications. Geosynclines: Classification and evolution of Geosyncline, causes of subsidence and upliftment. 4 **hrs** 

Assignment: 2 What do you understand by sedimentary rock and metamorphic, how they are formed and explain their texture with example.

Unit-4 Origin of Himalaya, different phases in evolution of Himalaya. Study of major groups and formations of Himalaya, lithology and thrust boundaries – HFF (Himalayan frontal fault), MBT(main boundary thrust), MCT( main central thrust), STD(south Tibetan detachment), indo-Tsangpo suture zone. **4 hrs** 

Assignment 3: Draw neat and clean Geological Time Scale

Unit-5 Earth's Earthquake seismology, palaeoseismology, seismites, Seismology: seismic waves, intensity and isoseismic lines, earthquake belts. Earthquake zones of India, Seismograph, causes of earthquake in Himalaya. 2 **hrs** 

## **Recommended Books**

- 1. Condie, K.C. (1984). Plate Tectonics & crustal Evolution. Pregamon Press, London.
- **2.** A.K., Biyani, (2007), Dimensions of Himalayan Geology.
- **3.** Earth: Introduction to Physical Geology, Fifth addition. Prentice Hall Pub.
- **4.** The Geology of earthquake by Robert Yeats, Kerry Sieh and Clarence R. Allen Oxford University Press.
- 5. Geology of India and Burma M.S. Krishnan 1968 addition, Higginbothams (p) limited
- 6. Earthquake (forcasting and mitigation) by H.N. Srivastava, National Book Trust, India

# **Courses offered before 2020**

Course	Name of the course	Credit	Level	Prerequisite	Co – requisites
Code					
ENV121	Basics of Environmental	2	1		For BSC
	Studies				
ENV122	Environmental Issues and Policies	2	1		For BSC
ENV 401	Introduction to Ecology	2	4		
ENV 402	Introduction to Earth Processing	2	4		
ENV 402a	Introduction to Earth Processes	2	4		
ENV 403	Environmental Chemistry	4	4		ENV 402
ENV 404	Energy and Environment	2	4		

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ENV 405	MountainEcology	4	4		ENV 401
ENV 406	Water resources and	2	4		ENV 402
LINV 400	water pollution				
ENV 407	Soil Sciences and soil	2	4		
	pollution				
ENV 408	Biodiversity and	2	4		ENV 401
	wildlife Management	_			
ENV 409	Environmental	2	4		ENV 410
	Microbiology				<b></b>
ENV 410	Environmental	2	4	ENV 403	ENV
ENIV 444	Biotechnology				401/409/411
ENV 411	Waste Management	2	4		ENV 407
ENV 412	Analytical Techniques	2	4		
END / 440	Natural Resource	4	4		ENV 401
ENV 413	Conservation				
	Computer	4	4		ENV 423
ENV 414	Applications and				
LINV 414	Statistical				
	Techniques				
	Application of	4	4		ENV 402A
	Remote Sensing &				
ENV 415	GIS in Natural				
	Resource				
	Management				
ENIV 41C	Introductory Environmental	2	4		
ENV 416	Economics				
	Radiation and	2	4		ENV 402/403
ENV 417	Environment	۷			LIVV 402/403
ENV 418	Ecology Lab	2	4		ENV 402/517
ENV 419	Geosciences Lab	2	4		ENV 401/402
	Fundamentals of	2	4		201/ 102
ENV 420	MountainEcology	_	•		
END / 424	Municipal Solid	2	4		ENV 411
ENV 421	Waste Management				
	Basics of Natural	2	4		ENV 401
ENV 422	Resource				
	Conservation				
	Basics of Computer	2	4		ENV 401/402
ENV 423	Applications and				
LIVV 723	Statistical				
	Techniques				
ENV 424	Fundamentals of	2	4		ENV 401/402
	Remote Sensing				
ENV 425	Application of	2	4		ENV 402
	Remote Sensing &				

	GIS				
ENV 427	Life cycle and Waste Projection	2	4		ENV 411/413
ENV 428	Himalayan Geology	2	4		
ENV 429	Himalayan Ecology	2	4		
ENV 430	Environmental Biology	2	4		
ENV431	Environmental Data Analysis	4	4		
ENV432	Introduction to Statistical Techniques	4	4		
ENV433	Computer applications in Environmental Sciences	4	4		
ENV434	Fundamentals of Ecology and Environment	4	4		
ENV435	Environmental Sciences Laboratory – I	2	4		
ENV436	Environmental Sciences Laboratory – II	2	4		
ENV437	Earthquake awareness	2	4		
ENV 438	Environment and Society	2	4		
ENV 439	Principles of Biodiversity and Wildlife Conservation	2	4		
ENV 440	Microbes and sustainable development	2	4		
ENV 441	Water resource Conservation in Hilly Region	2	4		
ENV 442	Adaptation of Climate change	2	4		
ENV 443	Basics of climate change	2	4		
ENV 501	Environment Pollution and Human Health	2	5	ENV 406/407	ENV 417
ENV 502	Natural Hazard and	4	5		

	Disaster Management				
ENV 503	Environmental Legislation National and International	2	5		
ENV 504	Field work and Dissertation	4	5		
ENV 505	Ecological Engineering	4	5		
ENV 506	Environmental Movements	4	5		
ENV 507	Traditional Knowledge and Environmental conservation	4	5		
ENV 508	Environmental Ethics	2	5		
ENV 509	Glaciology	4	5	ENV 420	
ENV 510	Applications of Mathematical Modelling & Ground Water Management	4	5		
ENV 511	Rain Water Harvesting and Artificial Recharge in Hilly Region	4	5		
ENV 512	Documentation and Management of Invasive Species	4	5		
ENV 513	Inventorization of species	4	5		
ENV 514	Energy uses and its implications for H.P. State	4	5		
ENV 515	International Environmental Policies	4	5	ENV 406/407	
ENV 516	Atmospheric Science	2	5		
ENV 517	Earth System Science	2	5	ENV 402	
ENV 518	Environmental Technology and Governance	2	5		
ENV 519	Biogeography	2	5		
ENV 520	Geo Informatics	2	5		
ENV 521	Geo Engineering	2	5		
ENV 522	Ecosystem Diversity	4	5	ENV 401/408	ENV 512
ENV 523	Toxic and Hazardous	4	5	ENV 411	

	Waste Management				
ENV 524	Environmental	2	5		
EINV 524	Impact Assessment				
ENV 525	Environmental	2	5		
	Geochemistry				
ENV 526	Soil Fertility and	2	5		
	farmland Geology				
ENV 527	Environmental	2	5	ENV 411	ENV 523
	Toxicology				
ENV 528	Nanotechniques and	2	5	ENV 412	ENV 523/410
	Environment				
ENV 529	Green Chemistry and	2	5	ENV 412	
	Environment				
ENV 530	Analytical	4	5	ENV 412	
	Techniques for Air,				
	Water, Soil and Plant				
	Lab				
ENV 531	Toxicology lab	2	5	ENV 412	
ENV 532	Industrial	4	5		
	Training/Field				
	Work/project				
ENV 533	Micrometeorology	2	5	ENV 516	
	and Plant				
	Productivity				
ENV 534	Green Technologies	2	5	ENV 529	
	and Market				
ENV 535	Natural Hazard	2	5	ENV 402/517	
ENV 536	Disaster	2	5	ENV 402/517	ENV 535
EINV 550	Management				
ENV 537	Environmental	2	5		
EINV 557	Engineering				
ENV 538	Impacts of	2	5		
	Environmental				
	Movements				
	Indigenous	2	5		
	Traditional				
ENV 539	Knowledge and				
	Environmental				
	conservation				
ENV 540	Water Harvesting in	2	5		ENV 510
LINV J4U	Hilly Regions	۷	,		
	Techniques of				
ENV 541	Artificial Water	2	5		
LIAN 241	Recharge in Hilly	_			
	Regions				
ENV 542	Documentation of	2	5		
LIV JTZ	Exotic Species		,		

ENV 543	Documentation of Native Species	2	5		
ENV 544	Methods and Technology of Inventorization of species	2	5		
ENV 545	Fundamentals of Energy Budgeting	2	5		
ENV 546	Renewable and Non- Renewable Energy Potential In HP State	2	5		
ENV 547	Contemporary Environmental Issues	2	5	ENV 406/407/417	
ENV 548	Introduction to Environmental Impact Assessment	2	5	ENV 402/517/	
ENV 549	Advances in Environmental Impact Assessment	2	5		
ENV 550	Microbial Ecology	2	5		
ENV 551	Ecosystem Dynamics	2	5		
ENV552	Analytical Technique	2	5		
	(Physical Science)				
ENV 553	Environmental	2	5	ENV 403	
	Thermodynamics	4	5		
ENV 554	Environmental Conservation and	4	5		
	sustainable				
	development				
ENV 555	Emerging ethical	2	5		ENV 528
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	Technology in				
	Environment				
ENV 556	Carbon cycling and	2	5	ENV 403	
	its management in				
	the environment				
ENV 557	Bio-resources and	4	5		
	Environmental				
	Biotechnology				
ENV 558	Applied Microbiology	4	5		
ENV 559	Environmental	2	5	ENV	ENV 521
	Geophysics	_	_	402/517/521/424/425/535/536	
ENV 560	Meteorology and	4	5		
54D/ 564	Climatology			500 / 400 / 500 /	
ENV 561	Science of Climate	4	5	ENV 402/560/517/	
EN1/ ECO	Change	2	-		
ENV 562	Analytical	2	5		

	Techniques				
	(Biological Sciences)				
ENV 563	Earth Science and its	4	5		
	Processes				
ENV564	Near Surface	4	5		
	Geophysics				
ENV565	Sustainable	4	5	ENV534	
	Technologies				
ENV566	Introduction to	4	5		
	Marine Environment				
ENV567	Environmental	4	5		
	Monitoring and				
	assessment				
ENV568	Environmental	4	5		
	Pollution and				
	Environmental				
	Engineering				
ENV569	Environmental	4	5		
	Pollution and Health				
	issues				
ENV570	Microbial	4	5		
	Technology and				
	Sustainable				
END/E74	Development		_		
ENV571	Remote sensing and	2	5		
END/572	GIS lab		_		
ENV572	Land use planning	2	5 5		
ENV573	Water resource	2	5		
ENV574	management	4	5		
EINV5/4	Bio Analytical Techniques	4	)		
ENV575	MSC Dissertation	6	5		
ENV575		2	5		
EINV5/0	Introduction to environmental	Z	)		
	system analysis				
ENV577	Carbon management	2	5		
ENV577	Introduction to	2	5		
LINV3/0	Glaciology	۷	3		
ENV 579	Recent trends in	2	5		
LINV J/J	Environmental	۷.			
	Biotechnology				
ENV 580	Recent trends in	2	5		
2.11	Glaciology	<u>-</u>			
ENV 581	Methods in Scientific	4	5		
	Research	•			
ENV 582		4	-		
EINV JÖZ	Atmospheric Chemistry and	4			
	Chemistry and			1	

	Physics				
ENV 583	Soil Science	2			
ENV 584	Oceanography	4			
ENV 599	Dissertation (M.Phil.)	20	6		
ENV 601	Geochemistry – Biogeochemical Cycles	4	6		
ENV 602	Spectroscopy and Chromatography Techniques	4	6	ENV 412	ENV 403
ENV 603	Advances in ecology and environment	4	6		
ENV 604	Earth Systems Dynamics and Processes	4	6		
ENV 605	Traditional and Contemporary Waste Treatment technologies	4	6	ENV 41	ENV 523
ENV 606	Geomorphology	4	6		
ENV 607	Site amplification	2	6		
ENV 608	Seismology	2	6		
ENV 609	Environmental Xenobiotics- source, distribution and health effect	4	6		
ENV 610	Applied biotechnology and Bioremediation	4	6		
ENV 611	Atmospheric Chemistry	2	6		
ENV 612	Application of GPR	4	6		
ENV 613	Atmospheric Physics	2	6		
ENV 614	Advanced Waste Management Techniques	2			
ENV 615	Advance Microbial Technologies	2			
ENV 616	Advance Bioremediation Techniques	2			
ENV 617	Research Methodologies in Natural Sciences	4			
ENV 699	Thesis (Ph.D.)	60	6		

