

SYLLABUS

Ph. D. in Islamic Studies

Program Outcomes (POs)

PO 1	Islamic Studies is a subject which attempts to study the whole range of Islamic Civilization and culture.
PO 2	Knowledge of the Muslim contribution to various disciplines in sciences, technology, fine arts, as well as religious sciences.
PO 3	Islam in the Modern World is a major area of thrust in Islamic Studies, wherein researches are expected to analyze and contribute to the contemporary challenges.
PO 4	Knowledge of the Philosophy and Sociology of Major religions of the world, their points of convergence and divergence and attempts of reconciliation and dialogue among faiths is one of the important objectives.
PO 5	After going through the course, the research scholars will also be able to correlate the traditional Islamic knowledge with modern developments and apply the Islamic principles in solving contemporary issues.

Program Specific Outcome (PSO)

PSO 1	The scholars of Islamic Studies after completion of research will have a clear concept of Islamic Teachings and guidelines contained in Primary Texts and the right approaches to their interpretation and reapplication in modern times.
PSO 2	The monotheistic ideology of Islam faced challenge from Human thought and critical inquiry of philosophy and science. The knowledge of this whole process prepares the scholars to respond to the new questions with more ease and confidence.
PSO 3	Islam after 1800 CE faced new challenges in the form of Industrial growth, science and technology and the modern sociopolitical values like Democracy, secularism, human rights etc. The Scholars in this program are equipped with necessary background knowledge and correct methodology of response to contemporary challenges.

PSO 4	Islam has always been open to genuine demands of time in all ages and the subject of contemporary relevance like economics, human rights, ethics and gender studies have been adopted and augmented with Islamic inputs, to update the outlook of scholars to broader world view.
PSO 5	Harmonious relationship with the people of other faiths, while working for the cause of global peace.

Ph. D. in Islamic Studies Paper I

COURSE TITLE: Research Methodology
Maximum Marks: 100

COURSE CODE: PIS-101
Minimum Marks: 40

Course Outcomes (COs)

CO 1	This course aims at acquainting the research scholars with background knowledge on nature, purpose and types of research.
CO 2	They will also learn about various methods of sampling, qualitative, quantitative, and random and non-probability sampling.
CO 3	The course will also equip them with knowledge of various types of sources and necessary expertise in handling the resources at hand.
CO 4	Various tools and methodologies adopted in research in social sciences in general and Islamic Studies in particular like <i>Orientalists'</i> approach, modernists and Islamists approaches.
CO 5	The scholars will also be acquainted with various research formats and also the knack of preparation of research articles, synopsis and theses writing.

UNIT-I Research Concepts & Types

- Research: Meaning and Purpose
- Theoretical/Conceptual
- Empirical/Applied
- Historical/Critical

UNIT-II Research Techniques-I

- Research aptitude
- Identification of Research problem/Selection of Topic
- Hypothesis
- Preparing of Synopsis

UNIT-III Research Techniques-II

- Primary & secondary Sources
- Review of literature
- Usage of references, footnotes/endnotes, quotations, tables, translation, transliteration, abbreviations, appendices and bibliography
- Format of Thesis

UNIT-IV Research in Islamic Studies

- Research in social sciences
- Islamic studies: Origin, Development and Objectives
- Research in Islamic Studies: Nature and Scope
- Methodology of early Muslim scholars: *Muhadithin, Fuqha, Mutakallimin*

UNIT-V Current trends of research in Islamic Studies

- Orientalists Approach
- Non-Muslim Approach
- Muslim modernists Approach
- Islamists Approach

Note for Paper Setting:

The question paper shall cover all five unites. The examiner will set two questions from each unit and the student will be asked to solve one of them. Each question will carry 20 Marks (20 × 5 = 100)

Recommended Books:

1. Anderson, *Thesis & Dissertation Writing*.
2. Gilani, S.M. Yunus. *Research in Islamic Studies: Approach & Sources*.
3. Iqbal, M. *Some thoughts on Islamic Studies*.
4. Mackeen, A.M. *Islamic Studies as a University Discipline: The Islamic Review & Arab*.
5. Muhammad, Muqun. *Research Methodology in Islamic Perspective*.
6. Nadwi, S.A.H.Ali. *Islamic Studies, Orientlist & Muslim Scholars*.
7. Rajannan, Busnagi. *Fundamentals of Research*.
8. Kothari, C.R. *Research Methodology Methods & Techniques*.

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Ph. D. in Islamic Studies Paper II

COURSE TITLE: Islam in Modern World

COURSE CODE: PIS-102

Maximum Marks: 100

Minimum Marks: 40

Course Outcomes (COs)

CO 1	The scholars after the course are expected to have a clear Concept of Modernity in Western Thought, Islamic Perspective of Modernity and Key concepts like <i>Islah</i> , and <i>Tajdid</i> in modern context.
CO 2	Knowledge of History of Islamic Revivalist Thought, Revivalism from 18 th -20 th Century and Muslim Revivalist and reformist Thought in the Contemporary Era
CO 3	A clear concept of Thought and Impact of Muslim modernist thinkers and reformers like Jamal ud Din Afghani - Sheikh Muhammad Abduhu and Sir Syed Ahmad Khan
CO 4	Analysis and application of the contributions of Muslims reformists of 20 th Century like Badi uz-Zaman Said Nursi, Ismail Raji al- Faruqi, Maulana Abul Ala Moududi, Maulana Abul Hassan Ali Nadvi and Maulana Wahiduddin Khan.
CO 5	Training of the research scholars to write academically and impartially to mitigate the problems of contemporary world.

UNIT-I Islam and Modernism

1. Concept of Modernity in Western Thought
2. Islamic Perspective of Modernity
3. Key concepts *Islah*, *Tajdid*, *Nahdah*, *Intifadah*, Islamic Order, Divergence and Convergence, *Tawatur* and change

UNIT-II

1. History of Islamic Revivalist Thought upto 17th Century
2. Muslim Revivalism from 18th -20th Century : A General View
3. Muslim Revivalist Thought in the Contemporary Era

UNIT-III Modern Thinkers and Trends

1. Jamal ud Din Afghani - Thought and Impact
2. Sheikh Muhammad Abduhu and Rashid Raza
3. Sir Syed Ahmad Khan -

UNIT-IV Revival and Reform

1. Badi uz-Zaman Said Nursi- Thought and Contribution
2. Ismail Raji al- Faruqi- Thought and Contribution
3. Maulana Abul Ala Moududi and Hassan ul Bannah
4. Maulana Abul Hassan Ali Nadvi and Maulana Wahiduddin Khan

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