

**DEPARTMENT OF ARABIC
UNIVERSITY OF DELHI**

Ph. D. Course Work for Arabic

2023-24

Semester-I

Total Papers: II

Total Marks: 150

Objectives: This course is designed to train the research scholars in Arabic, especially in the area of their interest and acquaints them with the existing tools and techniques. The research scholars are expected to be able to explore all modern tools and techniques being used nowadays in research works and Manuscriptology.

After completing this course work the research scholars can be able to write their dissertation and edit the manuscripts on their own properly and enhance their research aptitude and skills.

Paper-I

Research & Publication Ethics

Marks-50

Course structure

Theory	
RP E 01	Philosophy and Ethics
RPE 02	Scientific Conduct
RPE 03	Publication Ethics
Practice	
RPE 04	Open Access Publishing
RPE 05	Publication Misconduct
RPE 06	Databases and Research Metrics

THEORY

- RPE 01: PHILOSOPHY AND ETHICS (3 hrs.)
 1. Introduction to philosophy: definition, nature and scope, concept, branches
 2. Ethics: definition, moral philosophy, nature of moral judgments and reactions

- RPE 02: SCIENTIFIC CONDUCT (Shrs.)
 1. Ethics with respect to science and research
 2. Intellectual honesty and research integrity
 3. Scientific misconducts: Falsification, Fabrication, and Plagiarism (FFP)
 4. Redundant publications: duplicate and overlapping publications, salami slicing
 5. Selective reporting and misrepresentation of data

- RPE 03: PUBLICATION ETHICS (7 hrs.)
 1. Publication ethics: definition, introduction and importance
 2. Best practices / standards setting initiatives and guidelines: COPE, WAME, etc.
 3. Conflicts of interest
 4. Publication misconduct: definition, concept, problems that lead to unethical behavior and vice versa, types
 5. Violation of publication ethics, authorship and contributors
 6. Identification of publication misconduct, complaints and appeals
 7. Predatory publishers and journals

PRACTICE

- RPE 04: OPEN ACCESS PUBLISHING (4 hrs.)
 1. Open access publications and initiatives
 2. SHERPA/RoMEO online resource to check publisher copyright & self-archiving policies
 3. Software tool to identify predatory publications developed by SPPU
 4. Journal finder / journal suggestion tools viz. JANE, Elsevier Journal Finder, Springer

Journal Suggester, etc.

- RPE 05: PUBLICATION MISCONDUCT (4hrs.)

A. Group Discussions (2 hrs.)

1. Subject specific ethical issues, FFP, authorship
2. Conflicts of interest
3. Complaints and appeals: examples and fraud from India and abroad

B. Software tools (2 hrs.)

Use of plagiarism software like Turnitin, Urkund and other open source software tools

- RPE 06: DATABASES AND RESEARCH METRICS (7hrs .)

A. Databases (4 hrs.)

1. Indexing databases
2. Citation databases: Web of Science, Scopus, etc.

B. Research Metrics (3 hrs.)

1. Impact Factor of journal as per Journal Citation Report, SNI P, SJR, IPP, Cite Score
2. Metrics: h-index, g index, i10 index, altmetrics

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Paper-II

Scientific methods of research

**Marks-
100**

Unit-I : Introduction, objectives and types of research in Arabic

Unit-II : Research Methodology and Editing of Arabic Manuscripts. How to choose a topic and preparation of the synopsis/assignment/term paper etc.

Unit-III : Modern tools and techniques in research. Material collection, and definition of primary, secondary and E-sources and their uses.

Unit-IV : Bibliography, Indices, Cataloguing and use of library.

Semester-II

Total Papers: III

Total Marks: 250

Paper-III

Literature review

Marks-
100

Unit-I : Study of one of the following branches of Arabic Literature

- (1) Arabic Prose
- (2) Arabic Poetry
- (3) Tafsir
- (4) Hadith
- (5) Fiqh
- (6) Drama
- (7) Novel
- (8) Short Story
- (9) History of Islam
- (10) History of Arabic literature
- (11) History of Arabs
- (12) Arab Civilization
- (13) Indo-Arab relations
- (14) Arabic Literature produced in India

Unit-II : Detailed study of a particular literary trend, movement author or poet, belonging to particular period & region chosen by the scholar

Unit-III : Study of impact of Arabic language on Indian languages

Unit-IV : Contribution of India to Arabic literature (a brief introduction)

Paper-IV

Literary Criticism

Marks-
100

Unit-I :

Shauqi Daif

Unit-II :

Ahmad Amin

Unit-III :

Mikhail Nuemah

Unit-IV :

Mohammad Mandoor

Paper-V

Computer Skills

Marks-50

Unit-I : Introduction of MS- Office (MS-Word and Excel), Inpage Urdu & PowerPoint Presentation etc. Use of Arabic Soft wares, E-dictionaries and E-library.

Unit-II : Use of Internet and E-Publishing (Downloading and Up-loading etc.). Introduction to important Arabic academic Websites.

Recommended Books:

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| الدكتور صلاح الدين المنجد | قواعد تحقيق المخطوطات | 1 |
| الدكتور أحمد شلبي | كيف تكتب بحثا أو رسالة | 2 |
| ألدكتور عبد العزيز شرف | كيف تكتب بحثا جامعيًا | 3 |
| والدكتور محمد عبد المنعم خفاجي | | |
| عبد السلام هارون | تحقيق النصوص ونشرها | 4 |
| ميخائيل نعيمة | الغريبال | 5 |
| أحمد أمين | النقد الأدبي | 6 |
| محمد مندور | النقد والنقاد | 7 |
| شوقي ضيف | في النقد الأدبي | 8 |
9. Literary Thesis by Bateron
 10. 10. Tayyarat Thaqafiyyah Bayn al-Arab wa al-Furs by Ahmad al-Hufi
 11. Fajr al-Islam by Ahmad Amin
 12. Khidmat Mutagalite Iran wa Islam by M.Muthahhari
 13. Al Adab al-Muqarin by M.G.Hilal
 14. Min al-Adab al-Muqarin by N. Aqiqi
 15. Al-Namadhij al-Insaniya fi al-Dirasat al-Adabiyyah al-Muqarina by M.G. Hilal
 16. Influence of Arabic poetry by Dr. D. Pota.