

# University of Mumbai's

(NAAC Reaccredited with "A" Grade)

# Post Graduate Program in – Rural Business Management.

MBA Rural Management.

By -- IDOL -

(w.e.f. Academic Year 2014-15)

### **PREAMBLE**

Over the last four decades the discipline of business has advanced from local manufacturing to international businesses in finance, manufacturing, service, support, fashion, and Different Cultures in market segments leading to Domestic to global enterprises. Managers are to be equipped one to bring practices and inculcate innovation for productivity. Processes, research, new product development, new technology, need to manage Business with Knowledge of various subjects. Also to improve and equip for staying competitive in domestic and international scenario.

With immense confidence in Indian education system, this course is planned to deliver industry-/market oriented management education..via Distance Learning mode – for working and also to those who cannot access/afford Formal Class Room Management education.

### **OBJECTIVE**

To equip the students with various, practices and techniques of management, and attain necessary knowledge and skills..The main Objective is to OFFER OPPORTUNITY TO ENHANCE Knowledge&-Qualification Via Distance Learning –IDOL and improve career opportunities to Graduates..

### **CAREER SCOPE**

The employment opportunities are: manufacturing, marketing operations, industry/With a Focus in Rural Market and Rural Products- in various states In India and also Thrust in Export market for Rural Products, which will raise Economic standards of Rural India.

No. Content
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1	Title of the course	Post graduate programme Rural Business Management (MBA)
2	Duration of the course (Regulation :)	2 Year 4 semester Course
3	Intake Capacity (Regulation :)	To Start with Any No Registered with IDOL
4	Eligibility (Ordinance :)	1. Graduate In Any Faculty From Recognized University
5	Teacher's Qualification (Regulation :	Not applicable
6	Fees (Regulation :)	Please turn to last page
7	Standard of Passing (Regulation:	1) The Minimum Percentage Required For Passing Will Be 50% In Each Paper ATKT: A student who fails in subjects in a semester 1 can move to the next semester 2 and has to clear these (ATKTs) subsequently He/she moves from semester 2 to 3 and later on to Semester 4 2)A student with ATKT has to appear in a supplementary exam for respective subjects. Till all 4 semester subjects/ATKT are cleared No Degree can be awarded.

### **Grading system:**

70-100	O grade
65-74	A+ grade
60-64	A grade
55-59	B+ grade
50-54	B grade
<50	FAIL

### **ARCHITECTURE OF COURSE**

Sr. No.	Content	Timing
1	See Details	Not applicable in distance Education
2	Study Materials sem to be Developed & Given	End sept/or Oct for 1st and 3rd sem. 2nd/4th Sem Mid Jan
3	Team To be appointed per subject Content /module	By End July/earlyAug2014
4.	Contents Delivery/print	End AUG
5.	Inform students To Collect	Mid Sept.

### A. Each semester of 16 weeks:

Sem1 : SEPT To DecemberSem2 : January to April

> SemesterEXAM : Dec 3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> week(1,3)/ May Middle(2,4)

### **B.Exam** assessment method

1) - Written Exam -Each subject 100 marks-Time 3hours.

(2) QP pattern - Total 7 Question per subject paper will be Provided.

Q1 will be Compulsory---20 (twenty)marks

And Out Of Remaining 6 Question student can answer any 4 Questions.(4x20=80marks\_) Thus total 100marks

For every question sub questions (a), (b),(C) can be provided .each with 10(ten)marks. And student can select any two of a,b,c..

Paper	Paper Name	Marks	Н	ours	Credits
No.			Theor	Practica	
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	Year 1Semester 1( sub1to 6)and	Semeste	r II(sub'	7to12)	
1	Principles of Management	100		-	3
2	Accounting management	100		-	3

	100			2
Business Economics  Principles Marketing Management	100		-	3
Principles Marketing Management	100			
Business Laws	100		-	3
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Financial Management	100		-	3
Banking and Microfinance	100		-	3
Marketing Research Methodology	100		-	3
Innovation-management	100		-	3
Rural marketing Management	100		-	3
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Export documentation and Procedure	100		-	3
2 <sup>nd</sup> Year of MBA Sem3( sub13to 18 )and Sem 4(subject19to23)			-	
Retail Management	100		-	3
Logistics and Supply Chain management	100		-	3
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International Agreements on Agri and Non	100		-	3
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PROJECT	200		-	6
Project Report (Dessertation) from-Topics-list				
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TOTAL Course marks 2400. 1st Year 1200 (600per semester) and 2 year 1200		-	-	-
	Sociology and Anthropology Financial Management  Banking and Microfinance Marketing Research Methodology Innovation-management  Rural marketing Management  Export documentation and Procedure  2nd Year of MBA Sem3( sub13to 18 ) and Sem 4(subject19to23) Retail Management  Logistics and Supply Chain management Infra Structure management(SME projects) Social marketing(CSR) Product/Brand Management  Entrepreneurship  SEMESTER IV Services marketing International Agreements on Agri and Non AgriProducts Government policies International Business  PROJECT Project Report (Dessertation) from-Topics-list  TOTAL Course marks 2400. 1st Year 1200	Sociology and Anthropology Financial Management  Banking and Microfinance Marketing Research Methodology Innovation-management  Rural marketing Management  Export documentation and Procedure  Today Year of MBA Sem3(sub13to 18) and Sem 4(subject19to23)  Retail Management  Logistics and Supply Chain management Infra Structure management(SME projects) Social marketing(CSR) Product/Brand Management Info Entrepreneurship  Semester IV (4)  Services marketing International Agreements on Agri and Non AgriProducts Government policies International Business  100  PROJECT Project Report (Dessertation) from-Topics-list  TOTAL Course marks 2400. 1st Year 1200	Sociology and Anthropology Financial Management  Banking and Microfinance Marketing Research Methodology Innovation-management  Rural marketing Management  Rural marketing Management  Export documentation and Procedure  100  Export documentation and Procedure  100  Logistics and Supply Chain management Infra Structure management(SME projects) Social marketing(CSR) Product/Brand Management Info Entrepreneurship International Agreements on Agri and Non AgriProducts Government policies International Business  100  PROJECT Project Report (Dessertation) from-Topics-list  TOTAL Course marks 2400. 1st Year 1200	Sociology and Anthropology Financial Management  Banking and Microfinance  Marketing Research Methodology Innovation-management  Rural marketing Management  Rural marketing Management  Export documentation and Procedure  100  -  Export documentation and Procedure  100  -  Export documentation and Procedure  100  -  Logistics and Supply Chain management  Infra Structure management(SME projects)  Social marketing(CSR)  Product/Brand Management  100  -  Entrepreneurship  SEMESTER IV (4)  Services marketing International Agreements on Agri and Non AgriProducts Government policies International Business  100  -  PROJECT Project Report (Dessertation) from-Topics-list  TOTAL Course marks 2400. 1* Year 1200  -  TOTAL Course marks 2400. 1* Year 1200  -  TOTAL Course marks 2400. 1* Year 1200  -  -  -  -  -  -  -  -  TOTAL Course marks 2400. 1* Year 1200  -  -  -  -  -  -  -  -  -  -  -  -

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**Paper 1: Principles of Management** 

Chapter No.	Subject 1 principles of Mangement
Subject 1	• Introduction to Management – Science, Theory & Practice
-POM-1	Managers & Entrepreneurs
	Managerial Roles & Skills
	Manager's Social & Ethical Responsibilities
2	• Planning – Role
	Need for planning
	• Types of planning
	Levels of planning/CONTROL
	Corporate Planning & Long Range Planning
3	Organizing – Nature, Types of organizations
	Designing Organization structure
	Delegation and Autonomy
4	Leadership & Management
	• Role of Committees
	Decision Making in Management
	Organizational Communication,

### **Reference Text**

- 1. Management A competency building approach Heil Reigel / Jackson/ Slocum
- 2. Principles of Management Davar
- 3. Principles of Management : T. Ramaswamy, Himalaya Publishing House
- 4. Management: Principles & Practice, Kanchan Bhatia & Shweta Mittal, Variety Books Publisher's Distributors

- 5. Principles Management by KOONTZ
- 6. Heinz Weirich: Management (Tata McGraw Hill)

Paper 2 Accounting for Managers.

Contents 1	Content		
	Financial Accounting		
	Introduction To Accounting		
	Accounting Entries : Journal, Ledger, Trail Balance		
	Trading Account: Meaning, Important Points, Format		
2 Accounting	Profit & Loss Account : Meaning, Important Points, Format		
-1	Balance Sheet: Meaning, Important Points, Format		
	Adjustment Entries		
	Final Accounts with adjustment entries		
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	Financial Performance Appraisal		
2	Ratio Analysis		
	Cash Flow Statement Analysis		
	Fund Flow Statement Analysis		
	Sources of Finance		
3	Short Term & Long Term		
3	Domestic & Foreign		
	Equity, Borrowing & Mixed -HYBRID		
4			
4	Accounting audit ,,statutory Compliance		

### **Reference Books: -**

1. Financial Accounting - R.L.Gupta.

2.Financial Accounting Kishnadwala and Kishnadwala

3. Financial Accounting - shukla and Grewar -

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**Paper 3 Business Economics** 

Contents 1	Over View Of Indian Economy.
2	Structure of Indian economy - Changing structures of public sector and Private SectorRole of Tertiary sector ,Service and Trade-Composition of Foreign Trade- FDI, GDP,
3	Demographic changes ,employment pattern, Distribution of income, savingsconsumption ,interrelation with manufacturing-Trading &-Interest rate -Impact and Contribution Of Banks and financial Institution –on Businesses
4	Agricultural Sector, role of agriculture sector in economic development .and its contribution in Business sector –process industry .
5	Demand and supply, Demand Elasticity forecasting, pricing, and Govt. policy on pricing/regulation etc. Union annual Budget and fiscal Policy.  Books – Business Economics- Mishra and PURI,,, /Dewetand Verma,

### **Subject: 4Marketing Management**

Chapter No.	Chapter Content	
1	Introduction to Marketing concept	
	Evolution of marketing & Customer orientation	
2	Marketing Environment and Evaluation of Market opportunities	
3	Market research & Marketing Information Systems and Demand forecasting	
	and Market potential analysis	
4	Consumer buying process & Organizational buying behavior	
5	Pillars of Marketing - Market segmentation, Target marketing Positioning &	
	Differentiation	
6	Marketing Mix and Product decisions – Product Life cycle	
7	New Product development process	
	Pricing aspects-Competition, market share	
8	Promotion decisions –Integrated Marketing communications concept	
10	Sales Mngt/Personal selling .	
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### **Reference Text**

- 1. Marketing Management Kotler, Keller, Koshy & Jha –14th edition
- 2. Marketing Management –Ramaswamy & Namkumari
- 3. R. L. Varshuey & S.L.Gupta: Marketing Management An Indian Perspective (Sultan Chand)

### Subject5--Business Law (Legal aspects of Business)

1	Introduction to Companies Act.	
2	Proprietorship, , Partnership , public ltd. Co-Opeartive Society Act	
2	Shop and establishment act, Sales tax-Vat,GST, Weights and	
	Measure, act. CCI - Competition Control.	
3	ESI, EPF, Gratuity Income tax, service tax, TIN,,,,PAN ,Insurance.	
4	Safety -Fire, Hazardous materials, Waste Disposal	
5	Pollution Control, acts ,Contract and Negotiable instruments act.	
6	Patent law , IP/ Cyber laws , Digital Sign.	

Reference Text. Business Laws. By Avtar Sing,
Business laws . By N.D.Kapoor.

Paper 6; sociology and Anthropology

No.	<b>Topics Contents</b>
1	Rural Society- Social structure ,Types of Villages India, cast/class relations
2	Land distribution, farming , Non farming activities – Rural Livelihood
3	Input and agri product markets, seasonal Income pattern, Festivals,
4	Changing Aspirations –Education, Growth, Govts role,
5	Buying Power, Rural Consumer Behavior,
6	What is ethnography? And how it can be adopted to understand corporate and consumer Behavior
7	Impact Of Communication/technology in Social aspects of Rural social fabric.
8	Introduction of Corporate and Consumer Behaviour.

**Readings** Studies in Indian Sociology By Dasgupta Abhijit Sage publication.,

Transforming Indian Agri. By FerroniMarco, Sage publication,

Agri-Input marketing By Venugopal, Pingali, Ram, Sage,

Ethnography by Bryman, Alan

### **Semester II-** paper 7 Financial management

Chapter No.	Content
1	Working capital Management
2	Capital Budgeting.
3	Cost Of Capital ,capital structure,Legal Compliance
4	Assets Disposals, M&A.Impacts.

### **Reference Text**

.Financial management by Prasanna Chandra. Financial Mngt by Khan and Jain.

Paper 8: Banking and MicroFinance

Chapter No.	Content
1	Over view of Indian banking Sector, Types of Banks and Their Role,.
2	Reserve banks Regulations, CRR, SLR and Reserve banks Credit Policy - Loans, advances To business/Industry-SMEs
3	Prudential Lending Norms Sources Of funds For banks, Banks Primary and secondary functions, New technology impact in banks like e banking, ATM, RTGS, bills discounting, BGs,,To business/Contracts
4	banks role in rural Development RRB,, NABARD
5	NBFCs and RBI –rules.
6	Microfinance, its main Role in lending to Tiny- Micro - Self Help Group
7	Social Contributions by Micro Finance Companies-in Urban and Rural economy. SPANDAN,

8	Gramin banks Model MdYunus.

## AUTHORS. BANKING AND Insurance Principles and practices by Neelam C Gulati. Grameen Bank by Muhammad Yunus.

### Semester II- Subject9;---Marketing Research

Subject 9( sem	Contents (for marketing Research subject)
2 )marketing	
research.	
1	Research Need, Identification of problem, Data Collections Methods
2	Primary, Secondary Data Collection, Reliabilty, and validity
3	Sampling and Measurement
3	Quantitative and qualitative methods
4	Hypothesis, Chi Square,
5	Use Of data For Product Developments and Measurements
	success/Audits, Statistical analysis
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## Reference Text Market research By Churchill, / Drake JE and Mulla Research Methodology by Kothari CR

### **Paper-10 Managing Innovations**

Sub10-	Introduction , Disruptive Innovation
Innovation1.	
2	Contributions of Different technology ,Open source Innovation.
3	Contribution Of innovation-Development To Society betterment
4	
	Industry Role, Clusters in fostering innovations
5	
	Product processes ,scaling innovation Innovation in rural Scalibility
6	
	Converting Small ideas for Commercial and Business Growth
	Examples, Kirloskars, Contribution in Agribusiness, use of agri waste In

	Bio gas
7	
	Role of Nodal Agencies. KVIC
8	Development of paper using Sugar cane waste -
9	Packaging, of Flowers-Export purpose
Ref.Books	<ol> <li>Reverse Innovation create far from Home By Vijay Govindarajan</li> <li>Building and Growthfactory By David Duncan&amp;Scott D Anthony</li> </ol>
	3)Innovations Dilemma solutions By Clayton Christen
	Also See HBR Reports .
	4)The littlebook of innovation How it works By Scott D Anthony

Paper 11 Rural Marketing

Chapter No.	Chapter Content
1	Defination and Scope of Rural markets, growth Changing Life style
2	Consumptions Linked to Aspirations, Profile of rural consumer.
3	Rural marketing Mix Pricing – Packaging needs-
4	Rural market Segmentations, region wise, Targeting and Positioning Products both FMCG/Consumer durables/Agri products/Automotive-etc
5	Agriculture - Input/output marketing-
6	Communication ,Rural media s
7	Regions specific Products and its market developments in other areas

Ref Book. Rural Marketing By Pradeep KASHYAP PEARSON EDUCATION.

Paper 12 Export Documentations and Procedure

Paper 12	<b>Sub-Export DocumentationContent</b>
1	Meaning Of Export and Import –Trade balance Different countries
	Trade with India, main Exports and Imports Products/values
2	Govt.and RBI Role In Export-Policy/Import Poicy
3	Registration and IEC as Legal Requirement.
4	Facility Location/ For Export Sea Ports/Airports In India and few world wide Important SeaPorts/airports,
5	Export house_Star trading, and Their Role
6	Govt incentives-Excise –Sales tax/ Exemptions etc For Export
7	Export Procedure From SEZ, and other special Zone

8	Pre shipments Inspections Procedure./types
9	Role CHA and Shipping marks on cargo for Identification and safety
10	Country of Origin certificates-Chamber of Commerce Role.
11	INCO Terms- AIR/SEA shipments Documents
12	Remittance Receipt of FE /RBI policy – FEMA

Reference books,1) Incoterms export costing and Pricing by Paras Ram –Anupam Publishers (2)Export Import management By Rajiv Aserkar and Justin paul (3)Export import procedures Documentation & Logistics By C RamaGopal - Newage International.

**SEM 3** Paper 13: Retail management.

Sem3 paper13	Retail management Content
1	Introduction Meaning and definition ,background history,Global aspects.
2	Functions performed by Both Organised and Unorganised Retail/types
3	Multi Channel Retail/Retail Formats/products based/ specialized Retails
4	Franchising, Types ,advantages ,challenges,
5	Retailing Strategies, Pricing, VM, promotion. Display.
6	Merchandise management, Branding etc.
7	Stores management Stores design, retail Floor .mngt .
8	Govt.policy and FDI changes in retail from time to time Updates.

Reference Text: Retail management by Dr. Swapna Pradhan

Paper 14: Logistics and Supply Chain management.

Subject 14	Logistics and supply Chain management.
1	Logistics and Logistical management, evolution ,military background
2	
	Operating objectives ,manufacturing support logistics Inbound and Out
	bound ,Customer Order ,cycle leadtime /logistical competencies
	,Outsourcing logistics,3PL/4PL.Global supply chain,Transports modes
3	Ware housing principles, functions, Distribution centers, economic service
	benefits, types of ware houses –advantages and disadvantages-layouts-design

	principles.Loading and Unloading bays- Pallets .and Material handling equipments.
4	Selective techniques –JIT, ERP intro. Performance measurements.log teistics costing, Role of New technology in ware house mangt Like EDI, RFID. Vehicle Tracking in Transportation- COLD Chain warehouse, Dedicated Freight Corridors concept
5	Safety aspects of Warehouse-and Transportation- Insurance aspects-
	Fire/theft/Flood etc.,Banks Stock Hypothications.

Reference Text. Logistics and SCM—Bower Sox.

Supply Chain Mngt. Khalid and Ansari.

**Paper 15- Infrastructure managemnt** 

Chapter No.	Subject15- Infrastructure Mngt Contents
1	Importance of basic Infrastructure . PROJECT PLANNING
	EFFICIENCIES
	REGULATORY AND ENVIRONMENTAL POLICIES .Its impact on
	infrastructure projects.
2	Infrastructure Financing Through Loan, guarantees, Line of credit
	,Political,Financial, Social Challenges SCABA ,Opeartions,Efficiency.
3	Road, Rail, Air, Sea, Port Infrastructure Ruarl Infrastructure.
4	Role Of Institutions in different sectors,,Also Imapet of Institutional Voids
5	Role of IT, energy, New businesses Driven -by IT, Intelligent roads, Use of
	Data Analytics.

Reference text. 1) Public ,Private partnership in Infrastructure By R.N.Joshi –Vision Books.(2)Construction project mngt Theory and Practice by Jha kumar Neeraj Pearson education India 2011.

**Paper16 - Corporate Social Responsibility** 

SUBJECT 16	Subject 16Content
1	The Meaning and origins of corporate responsibility
	Introducing corporate responsibility (including legal aspects)
	The origin of corporate responsibility
	Corporate responsibility in developing Rural Infrastruc
2	Managing and Implementing Corporate Responsibility corporate
	responsibility is managed in different field
	Social Accounting-sustainable development

	Socially responsible investment to help Rural Development
	Corporate responsibility towards- smaller enterprises
3	Impact, Future of Corporate Responsibility
	The long term impact of corporate Responsibility
	The future of corporate responsibility CSR –UN- MDG ( millinium
	Development Goal )
4	<b>Examples of Case studies based</b>

### **Reference Text:**

- 1. Corporate Responsibility Michael Blowfield and Alan Murray Oxford Publication.
- 2. Corporate Responsibility by Madhumita Chatterji Oxford University Press.
  - 3. Strategic corporate Responsibility By David Chandler, William B Werther. Asiain

Paper 17: Product and Brand Management

Chapter Content
Marketing 4ps and its Relation as a" Product" Tangible or Intangible.
Origin in early 19th Century -Product development and Product Life Cycle
PLC.
New Technolgy/Feature Demanded by customers-or New Developments By
R&D International Brands.
Product Pricing Decisions-Market share ,_Product Communication Internal-
Trade-customers- Product Image –personality
Interlink With product Branding-Postioning and Brand Extension
Brand Equity-Models Of Brand identity Measuring Brand equity,Brand
valuation ,House of Brands, Branded House.
Legal aspects of Branding- and brand Piracy -

Brand management By-- Aaker

## 2) Product mngt by Moore&perse 3. Competitive strategy – Michael Porter **Subject**;18Entrepreneurship and Management

Entrepreneurshi	Contents Entrepreneurship	
p and		
Management.		
1	Concept meaning, Definition of Entrepreneurship	
2	Characterstics and qualities needed. Classification Types, Theories.	
3	womenEntrepreneurship,social entreprenuership	
4	Idea generation, SWOT analysis	
5	Business plan , Economic appraisal,,,Financial assessment	
6	Market oriented, appraisal, feasibility managerial competency. SME,SIDBI	
7	Marketing mechanism ,Prospects,Turnaround.	

### **Subject ;19 Services Marketing-----**

Services mktg19	Subject :Services Marketing-	
Services	Introduction to service sector management-	
	Role of services in modern economy	
1	Goods vs Services marketing	
	Services marketing, pricing communication ,Branding of Services	
2	Define Productivity, Services Recovery, Pricing	
3	Growth areas of Services industry, Telecom, Banking, Agro Tourism,,	
4	Internet/and other agro Market Services, ,Health /InsurancServices Marketing	
5	Financial Services marketing- Banks and NBFC,	

6	Loans For Industry/agri/smes/Educational/health-
7	Financial products-Insurance/health/vehicle-Shares/Mutual funds-PSU-
	Dilution /FDs/Convertible,and NonConcertible Debenture/ADR/

Subject -20	Agreements	On Agriculture and Non Agriculture
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1	Definition of agriProducts,milk-,Wheat-,animal Food,-Bread Butter- Edible oil	
2	Processed food-agree products-Chocolate, wines, spirit, Tobacco	
3	WTO agrrements-Comt Reports on agri products Fertilisers subsidies.	
4	Domestic Policy –subsidy ,Trade barriers Export subsidies and .Export Pricing policy-Product Catgr,Green Box "Blue box Measures	
5	Peace cause, and Dispute resolutions.	
6-	Basic building Blocks of WTO, Tariff ratesMFNtechnical	
Nonagriculture	Barriers,-Mandatory, and voluntary agreements,-Sanitary standards, -TRIPS-PHYTO SANITORY STANDARDS SPS,	
agreements	Rome convention, Paris convention, Berne convention.	

REF.-- WTO PUBLICATIONS(RELATED TOPICS)

**Subject 21—Government Policies..** 

Towards Rural development and Economic Policy- as per ministry NotiFications From Time To Time . Policy of States For Industrial Developments – PPP-SEZ- land acquisitions/Coastal/ Tourism/ SME etc. its Current update data to be given as notes.

### **Subject 22--- International Business**

Chapter No.	Subject 23- International Business Content
1	Introduction to International Business
	a) Objective, Scope, Importance and Current Trends
	b) Domestic Business v/s International Business
	c) Reasons For International Business – For Corporates and Country
	d) Modes of Entry and Operation ,Expatriate management.
2	PEST Factors and Impact on International Business
	a) Risk Analysis
	b) Decisions to overcome or managing risks – a live current case
3	Investment Management in International Business
	a) Foreign Direct Investment
	b) Offshore Banking
	c) Foreign Exchange Dealings and numericals in business
	d) Resource Mobilization through portfolio/GDR/ADR
	e) Other options of funding in ventures and case discussions
4	
4	Globalization
	a) Concept and Practice
	b) Role of Global Organisation and Global Managers

	c) Stages of building Global companies and competitiveness
	d) Global competitive advantages of India - Sectors and Industries – Case
	study
5	International Organisations and their role in international business
	a) WTO
	b) World Bank
	c) ADB
	d) IMF and others Case study
6	Regional Trade Agreements and Free Trade Agreements (RTA and
	FTA)
	a) NAFTA
	b) EC
	c) ASEAN
	d) COMESA
	e) LAC
7	Trade Theories and relevance in International Business
	a) Absolute advantage
	b) Comparative advantage
	c) Competitive advantages
	d) Purchasing power points
	e) PLC theory
	f) Others – Case study
8	International Logistics and Supply Chain
	a) Concepts and Practice pact on trade –INCO Terms /LCpayments

Ref books 1) International Business by Charles Hill. 2)International Business by Daniel

### Paper MKT 23: Project Report

The objective of this is to prepare the student to conduct a research study of an Industry / organization/ utilizing the tools and techniques learned in period of study. The focus

of the study could be in depth analysis of an industry or a diagnostic problem solving exercise of an organization. The student is expected to conduct a detailed survey of literature. In case of a status report of an industry, it is expected that the student collects all aspects related to a Particular industry analyzes data and present the findings.

### **Report Framework**

- (1) Initial pages
- (2) Executive Summary
- (3) Introduction / statement of problem

- (4) Detailed survey of literature
- (5) Methodology / Focus / Scope / Limitations
- (6) Text of the study including analysis
- (7) Conclusions and Recommendations
- (8) Bibliography
- (9) Appendices

#### Format of Presentation-assessments-

- 1) The student in expected to follow the required style for presentation of the report including Tables, References, Bibliography and Appendices
- 2) Literature Survey should be related to the problem of study. Review of the studies in the area and critical examination of them including conclusions of the student should form part of the literature survey.
- 3) Acknowledgement of all sources of information through footnoting and biography is an essential requirement of the study..

All students will be asked TO MAKE Presentations-In PERSON at IDOL Mumbai or any Authorised Centre-Location. And 100 marks for CONTENTs and 100 marks Confidence/QA soft SKILLS. This will be assessed by 2 Examiners and will carry 200Marks. STUDY Material-CONTENT DEVELOPMENT.

This Course Is a part of IDOL" s various courses and as a Standard Procedure STUDY Materials needs TOBE PROVIDED TO ALL ENROLLED STUDENTS. IN VIEW OF THIS ITS AGREED BY ALL MEMBERS THAT FOR SEMESTER, I, subject wise Responsibilities has been accepted. Details are As under.

Mr.Dinesh will send Formal Letter appointment following Persons for CONTENT developments. As per subjects mentioned below.

Subject 1 Principles of management - Amte, Subject 2 Accounting for managers
Dr.P.K.Bandgar Subject3 Business Economics By Shridhar Subject 4 principles of
Marketing Mangement by Ms Sushmits, subject5 Business Laws Mr.Govande.
Subject 6, Sociology and Anthroplogy by Dr.Vaidyanathan. Normally it is expected
that Total no of pages per subject content be around 80to 100 pages.

It has also been agreed that all members will meet in 3rdweek Of AUG2014 to reviews progress of Content Developments.

And Mr. Dinesh will officially inform/authorize all members about This Content Development. And we can submit him final Soft Copy by 1stweek of sept2014 to Dinesh to Organise printing so that Students will get study material per subject by end Sept/early Oct2014.

### General Guideline for Preparation students Reading materials.

1)UNIT STRUCTURE (2)Learning Objectives (3)Topic heading/subheading-details (4)Test your Knowledge-MCQs,Exercises. Summary of topic (5) Questions at end of each Chapter /Topic. Reference Books/Biblography/Webliography.

### **NOTE:**

For Remaining subjects /semester 2/3/4, We will meet again in sept .14 and Under Guidance of Chairman Dr.Shirhatti and its expected that Mr Govande. also join and share is views.

### Fee Structure MBA Rural Business –(IDOL) w.e.f. AY 2014-15

Sr. No.	Particulars	Semester 1	Sem 2/3/4
1	Proposed (with study Materials/exam.)	AproxRs19000	18000

