

Pre-Ph.D. (Sociology) - Papers

Paper – I: Methodology of Social Research

Paper – II: A) Women and Development

B) Development Management and Research

Pre-Ph.D. (Sociology) Syllabus

Paper – I: Methodology of Social Research

- I Meaning, scope and Significance of Social Research.
Types of Research – Basic and applied, Historical, empirical, descriptive, exploratory experimental. The Scientific method-Major steps in Social Research-Participatory Rural Appraisal and Qualitative Research Methods.
- II Sampling – Probability and Non-Probability sampling
Sources of data – Primary and Secondary
Methods and tools of data collection – observation, questionnaire, interview schedule, case study – social survey. Data analysis – Report writing.
- III Importance of statistics, Grouping of data, formation of frequency distribution tables, tabular, diagrammatic and graphic representation of data, measures of central tendency of mean, median, mode and measures of dispersion – Standard Deviation.
- IV Measures of association - Coefficient of correlation and chi-square. The use of computers in data analysis, statistics and computers, coding of data, data entry and analysis of data by using SPSS.

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- Gupta S.P. Statistical Methods.
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Paper – II (A): Women and Development

- I Status of women through the ages, Women, education and social mobility; Women, work and technology, Women and empowerment, Empowerment Policies.
- II Concept of Gender, Gender discrimination, Marginalization of Women, – Socio-economic problems, dowry, divorce, separation, single parent family, abolition of child marriage, widow remarriage, atrocities against women.
- III Women in Modern India – Role Conflict of working women, Women and Politics, Micro finance and women, Women in M. N. C 's, Women and Social work.
- IV Role of Women in Development, Women and Social Movements, Chipko Movement, Narmad Bachao, Anti Arrack Movement; Constitutional provisions and Social Legislation for upliftment of Women.

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- Joyati Mitra Women and Society: Equality and Empowerment 1997, Kanishka Publishers, New-Delhi.
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Paper – II (B): Development Management and Research

- I Evolution of the concept of Development Management – Concept of Growth with equity, Justice and participation – Human capital formation
- Issues of Development – Poverty, Unemployment, Marginalization,
- Gender discrimination, Caste conflicts, democratization, Social, Economic and Political Empowerment etc.
- II Participatory Development – Fields of Development: Education, Health, Natural Resource Management, Distribution of Wealth, Training and skills Development – Development interventions – Role of State, Community based organizations and NGO's in the Development – Various actors implementing these interventions – Development Administration in India – Corporate Social responsibility (CSR).
- III Development Research: Participatory Rural Appraisal (PRA); Qualitative research methods like case studies, content analysis and focus group discussions – Quantitative research methods – Tools of Data collection: Questionnaire, Interview schedule.
- IV Proposal writing for Development project – Donor/ funding agencies – Social work methods for implementation of Development Projects – Project life cycle and project documentation – Evaluation of the Development Project outcomes – Project Report writing and case studies writing.

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Model Question Paper

Paper-I: Methodology of Social Research

Total Marks: 100

Part-A

Answer all questions

- I Write Short Notes on the following (4x5=20)
1. Meaning of Social Research
 2. Secondary data
 3. Graphic representation of Data
 4. Statistics and Computers

Part-B (Essay Type)

Answer all questions

(4x20=80)

- V Define research and discuss various types of Research
OR
What are the major steps in Social Research?
- VI Distinguish between probability and non-probability sampling?
OR
What are the major parts of research report? Explain
- VII Define Statistics and discuss its use in Social research
OR
Explain the various measures of Central Tendency
- VIII What is Correlation? Discuss its various types
OR
Explain the use of Computers in Data analysis

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Model Question Paper

Paper-II (A): Women and Development

Total Marks: 100

Part-A

Answer all questions

- I Write Short Notes on the following (4x5=20)
1. Women and Education
 2. Concept of Gender
 3. Women and Social Work
 4. Chipko movement

Part-B (Essay Type)

Answer all questions (4x20=80)

- V Write an essay on Status of Women through the ages
OR
Write an essay on Women and empowerment
- VI What is Gender discrimination? Explain with suitable examples
OR
What is meant by atrocities against Women? Illustrate your answers
- VII What is meant by role conflict of working women? Explain
OR
Write an essay on women and politics
- VIII Discuss the role of women in development
OR
What are the constitutional provisions for upliftment women?

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Model Question Paper

Paper-II (B): Development, Management and Research

Total Marks: 100

Part-A

Answer all questions

- I Write Short Notes on the following (4x5=20)
1. Concept of growth with equity
 2. Corporate Social responsibility
 3. Content analysis
 4. Project documentation

Part-B (Essay Type)

Answer all questions

(4x20=80)

- V Write an essay on concept of Development, Management
OR
Discuss the issues of development with special references to poverty and unemployment?
- VI What is meant by participatory Development? Discuss
OR
Write an essay on Development Administration in India
- VII Distinguish between questionnaire and interview schedule
OR
What is meant by Participatory Rural Appraisal? Discuss its importance in Social Research?
- VIII What are the social Work methods for implementation of Development Project?
OR
What are the steps in project report writing?

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