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UHU006 INTRODUCTORY COURSE IN FRENCH

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Course Objectives:

The objectives of the course is to introduce to the students:

1. The basics of French language to the students. It assumes that the students have minimal or no prior knowledge of the language.
2. To help them acquire skills in writing and speaking in French, comprehending written and spoken French.
3. The students are trained in order to introduce themselves and others, to carry out short conversation, to ask for simple information, to understand and write short and simple messages, to interact in a basic way.
4. The main focus of the students will be on real life language use, integration of French and francophone culture, & basic phrases aimed at the satisfaction of needs of concrete type.
5. During class time the students are expected to engage in group & pair work.

Course Contents:

Communicative skills: Greetings and Its Usage, Asking for and giving personal information, How to ask and answer questions, How to talk over the phone, Exchange simple information on preference, feelings etc. Invite, accept, or refuse invitation, Fix an appointment, Describe the weather, Ask for/give explanations, Describe a person, an object, an event, a place.

Grammar : Pronouns: Pronom sujets (Je/ Tu/Il/Elle/Nous/Vous/Ils/Elles), Nouns: Genders, Articles: Definite article and Indefinite articles, Verbs: Regular verbs (-er, -ir) Irregular verbs (-re), Auxiliary verbs (avoir, être, aller). Adjective: Description, Adjective possessive, Simple Negation, Tense: Present, Future, Questions, Singular & plural.

Vocabulary: Countries and Nationalities, Professions, Numbers (ordinal, cardinal), Colours, Food and drinks, Days of the week, Months, Family, Places.

Phonetics: The course develops the ability, to pronounce words, say sentences, questions and give orders using the right accent and intonation. To express surprise, doubt, fear, and all positive or negative feelings using the right intonation. To distinguish voiced and unvoiced consonants. To distinguish between vowel sounds.

Course Learning Outcomes:

Upon the completion of the course:

1. The students begin to communicate in simple everyday situations acquiring basic grammatical structure and vocabulary.
2. The course develops oral and reading comprehension skills as well as speaking and writing.
3. Students can demonstrate understanding of simple information in a variety of authentic materials such as posters, advertisement, signs etc.
4. Discuss different professions, courses and areas of specialisation.
5. Write simple messages, letters, composition and dialogues. Complete simple forms and documents.
6. Express feelings, preferences, wishes and opinions and display basic awareness of francophone studies.

7. Units on pronunciation and spelling expose students to the different sounds in the French language and how they are transcribed.

Recommended Books :

1. *Alter ego-1 : Méthode de français* by Annie Berthet, Catherine Hugot, Véronique M. Kizirion, Beatrix Sampsonis, Monique Waendendries, Editions Hachette français langue étrangère.
2. *Connexions-1 : Méthode de français* by Régine Mérieux, Yves Loiseau, Editions Didier
3. *Version Originale-1: Méthode de français* by Monique Denyer, AgustinGarmendia.
4. *Marie-Laure Lions-Olivieri*, Editions Maison des Langues, Paris 2009
5. *Latitudes-1 : Méthode de français* by Régine Mérieux, Yves Loiseau, Editions Didier
6. *Campus-1 : Méthode de français* by Jacky Girardet, Jacques Pécheur, Editions CLE International.
7. *Echo-1 : Méthode de français* by J. Girardet, J. Pécheur, Editions CLE International.

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1	MST	45
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UCS001 INTRODUCTION TO CYBER SECURITY

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Course Objectives: In this course, the student will learn about the essential building blocks and basic concepts around cyber security such as Confidentiality, Integrity, Availability, Authentication, Authorization, Vulnerability, Threat and Risk and so on.

Introduction: Introduction to Computer Security, Threats, Harm, Vulnerabilities, Controls, Authentication, Access Control, and Cryptography, Authentication, Access Control, Cryptography

Programs and Programming: Unintentional (Non-malicious) Programming Oversights, Malicious Code—Malware, Countermeasures

Web Security: User Side, Browser Attacks, Web Attacks Targeting Users, Obtaining User or Website Data, Email Attacks

Operating Systems Security: Security in Operating Systems, Security in the Design of Operating Systems, Rootkit

Network Security: Network Concepts, Threats to Network Communications, Wireless Network Security, Denial of Service, Distributed Denial-of-Service Strategic Defenses: Security Countermeasures, Cryptography in Network Security, Firewalls, Intrusion Detection and Prevention Systems, Network Management

Cloud Computing and Security: Cloud Computing Concepts, Moving to the Cloud, Cloud Security Tools and Techniques, Cloud Identity Management, Securing IaaS

Privacy: Privacy Concepts, Privacy Principles and Policies, Authentication and Privacy, Data Mining, Privacy on the Web, Email Security, Privacy Impacts of Emerging Technologies, Where the Field Is Headed

Management and Incidents: Security Planning, Business Continuity Planning, Handling Incidents, Risk Analysis, Dealing with Disaster

Legal Issues and Ethics: Protecting Programs and Data, Information and the Law, Rights of Employees and Employers, Redress for Software Failures, Computer Crime, Ethical Issues in Computer Security, Incident Analysis with Ethics

Emerging Topics: The Internet of Things, Economics, Computerized Elections, Cyber Warfare.

Course Learning Outcomes:

After completion of this course, the students will be able to:

1. Understand the broad set of technical, social & political aspects of Cyber Security and security management methods to maintain security protection
2. Appreciate the vulnerabilities and threats posed by criminals, terrorist and nation states to national infrastructure
3. Understand the nature of secure software development and operating systems
4. Recognize the role security management plays in cyber security defense and legal and social issues at play in developing solutions.

Recommended Books:

1. Pfleeger, C.P., *Security in Computing*, Prentice Hall, 5th edition (2010)
2. Schneier, B., *Applied Cryptography*, Second Edition, John Wiley & Sons(1996)

3. *Rhodes-Ousley, M., Information Security: The Complete Reference, Second Edition, Information Security Management: Concepts and Practice. New York, McGraw-Hill, (2013).*
4. *Whitman, M.E. and Herbert J. M., Roadmap to Information Security for IT and Infosec Managers, Course Technology, Boston, MA (2011).*

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UHU007 EMPLOYABILITY DEVELOPMENT SKILLS

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Course Objectives:

This course aims to sensitize students with the gamut of skills which facilitate them to enhance their employability quotient and do well in the professional space. These skills are imperative for students to establish a stronger connect with the environment in which they operate. An understanding of these skills will enable students to manage the placement challenges more effectively.

Course Contents:

Emotional Intelligence: Understanding Emotional Intelligence (EI); Daniel Goleman's EI Model: Self Awareness, Self-Regulation, Internal Motivation, Empathy, Social Skills; Application of EI during Group Discussions & Personal Interview; Application of EI in personal life, student life and at the workplace

Team Dynamics & Leadership: Understanding the challenges of working within a team format in today's complex organizational environments; Stages of team formation; Appreciating forces that influence the direction of a team's behaviour and performance; Cross-functional teams; Conflict in Teams- leveraging differences to create opportunity Leadership in the team setting & energizing team efforts; Situational leadership; Application of team dynamics & collaboration in Group Discussions; Application of team dynamics at the workplace

Complex Problem Solving: Identifying complex problems and reviewing related information to develop and evaluate options and implement solutions; Understanding a working model for complex problem solving - framing the problem, diagnosing the problem, identifying solutions & executing the solutions; Appreciation of complex problem solving at the workplace through case studies

Lateral Thinking: Understanding lateral thinking & appreciating the difference between vertical & lateral thinking, and between convergent & divergent thinking; Understanding brain storming & mind-maps; Solving of problems by an indirect and creative approach, typically through viewing the problem in a new and unusual light; Application of lateral thinking during Group Discussions & Personal Interviews; Application of lateral thinking at the workplace

Persuasion: Role of persuasion in communication; Application of ethos-pathos-logos; Using persuasive strategies to connect with individuals & teams to create competitive advantage

Quantitative Reasoning: Thinking critically and applying basic mathematics skills to interpret data, draw conclusions, and solve problems; developing proficiency in numerical reasoning; Application of quantitative reasoning in aptitude tests

Verbal Reasoning: Understanding and reasoning using concepts framed in words; Critical verbal reasoning; Reading Comprehension; Application of verbal reasoning in aptitude tests

Group Discussion (GD): Illustrating the do's and don'ts in Group Discussions; Specific thrust on types of GD topics; GD evaluation parameters; Understanding the challenge in a case discussion; SPACER model

Personal Interview (PI) Interview do's and don'ts; PI evaluation parameters; The art of introduction; Managing bouncer questions; Leading the panel in a PI

Course Learning Outcomes (CLOs): The students will be able to

1. appreciate the various skills required for professional & personal success.

2. bridge the gap between current and expected performance benchmarks.
3. competently manage the challenges related to campus placements and perform to their utmost potential.

Recommended Books:

1. *Harvard Business Essentials; Creating Teams with an Edge; Harvard Business School Press (2004)*
2. *Edward de B., Six Thinking Hats; Penguin Life (2016)*
3. *Daniel, G., Working with Emotional Intelligence; Bantam Books (2000)*
4. *Aggarwal, R.S., Quantitative Aptitude for Competitive Examinations; S Chand (2017)*
5. *Agarwal, A., An expert guide to problem solving: with practical examples; CreateSpace Independent Publishing Platform (2016)*
6. *William, D., The Logical Thinking process; American Society for Quality (2007)*

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UEN004 TECHNOLOGIES FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

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Course Objectives: To provide acquaintance with modern cleaner production processes and emerging energy technologies; and to facilitate understanding the need and application of green and renewable technologies for sustainable development of the Industry/society

Course Contents:

Concepts of Sustainability and Industrial Processes: Industrialization and sustainable development; Cleaner production (CP) in achieving sustainability; Source reduction techniques - Raw material substitution; Process modification and equipment optimization; Product design or modification; Reuse and recycling strategies; Resources and by-product recovery from wastes; Treatment and disposal; CDM and Pollution prevention programs; Good housekeeping; CP audits,

Green Design: Green buildings - benefits and challenges; public policies and market-driven initiatives; Effective green specifications; Energy efficient design; Passive solar design; Green power; Green materials and Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED)

Renewable and Emerging Energy Technologies: Introduction to renewable energy technologies- Solar; wind; tidal; biomass; hydropower; geothermal energy technologies; Emerging concepts; Biomolecules and energy; Fuel cells; Fourth generation energy systems,

Course Learning Outcomes (CLOs):

Upon completion of the course, the students will be able to:

1. comprehend basic concepts in source reduction, waste treatment and management
2. Identify and plan cleaner production flow charts/processes for specific industrial sectors
3. examine and evaluate present and future advancements in emerging and renewable energy technologies

Recommended Books

1. Kirkwood, R,C, and Longley, A,J, (Eds.), *Clean Technology and the Environment*, Chapman & Hall, London (1995),
2. World Bank Group; *Pollution Prevention and Abatement Handbook – Towards Cleaner Production*, World Bank and UNEP; Washington DC (1998),
3. Modak, P., Visvanathan, C, and Parasnis, M., *Cleaner Production Audit, Course Material on Cleaner Production and Waste Minimization; United Nations Industrial Development Organization (UNIDP) (1995),*
4. Rao, S, and Parulekar, B,B., *Energy Technology: Non-conventional; Renewable and Conventional; Khanna Pub,(2005) 3rd Ed,*

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UHU008 INTRODUCTION TO CORPORATE FINANCE

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Course Objective:

This course aims to provide the students with the fundamental concepts, principles and approaches of corporate finance, enable the students to apply relevant principles and approaches in solving problems of corporate finance and help the students improve their overall capacities.

Course Content:

Introduction to corporate finance: Finance and corporate finance. Forms of business organizations, basic types of financial management decisions, the goal of financial management, the agency problem; the role of the financial manager; basic types of financial management decisions.

Financial statements analysis: Balance sheet, income statement, cash flow, fund flow financial statement analysis Computing and interpreting financial ratios; conducting trend analysis and Du Pont analysis.

The time value of money: Time value of money, future value and compounding, present value and discounting, uneven cash flow and annuity, discounted cash flow valuation.

Risk and return: Introduction to systematic and unsystematic risks, computation of risk and return, security market line, capital asset pricing model.

Long-term financial planning & Financial Decisions: Various sources of long term financing, the elements and role of financial planning, financial planning model, percentage of sales approach, external financing needed. Cost of capital, financial leverage, operating leverage. Capital structure, theories of capital structure net income, net operating income & M&M proposition I and II.

Short-term financial planning and management: Working capital, operating cycle, cash cycle, cash budget, short-term financial policy, cash management, inventory management, credit management.

Capital budgeting : Concepts and procedures of capital budgeting, investment criteria (net present value, payback, discounted payback, average accounting return, internal rate of return, profitability index), incremental cash flows, scenario analysis, sensitivity analysis, break-even analysis,

Dividend policy: Dividend, dividend policy, Various models of dividend policy (Residual approach, Walter model, Gordon Model, M&M, Determinants of dividend policy.

Security valuation: Bond features, bond valuation, bond yields, bond risks, stock features, common stock valuation, and dividend discount & dividend growth models. Common stock yields, preferred stock valuation.

Recommended Books:

1. Brealey, R. A., Myers. S.C., Allen, F., *Principles of Corporate Finance* (9th edition), The McGraw-Hill, London, (2006).
2. Ehrhardt, M.C., Brigham, E.F., *Financial Management: Theory and Practice* (10th edition) South Western-Cengage, New York (2011)
3. Van Horne, J.C., Wachowicz, J.M., Kuhlemeyer, G.A., 2005, *Fundamentals of Financial Management*, Pearson, Vancouver (2010)
4. Pandey, I. M., *Financial management*, Vikas Publishing House Pvt. Ltd., Noida (2011)

5. *Elton, E.J. and Gruber, M.J., Modern Portfolio Theory and Investment Analysis, (7th Edition), John Wiley and Sons, New York (2007)*

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UHU009 INTRODUCTION TO COGNITIVE SCIENCE

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Course Objectives: This course provides an introduction to the study of intelligence, mind and brain from an interdisciplinary perspective, It encompasses the contemporary views of how the mind works, the nature of reason, and how thought processes are reflected in the language we use, Central to the course is the modern computational theory of mind and it specifies the underlying mechanisms through which the brain processes language, thinks thoughts, and develops consciousness,

Course Contents;

Overview of Cognitive Science: Newell's big question, Constituent disciplines, Interdisciplinary approach, Unity and diversity of cognitive science,

Philosophy: Philosophy of Mind, Cartesian dualism Nativism vs, empiricism, Mind-body problem, Functionalism, Turing Test, Modularity of mind, Consciousness, Phineas Gage, Physicalism.

Psychology: Behaviorism vs, cognitive psychology, The cognitive revolution in psychology, Hardware/software distinction , Perception and psychophysics, Visual cognition, Temporal dynamics of visual perception, Pattern recognition, David Marr's computational theory of vision, Learning and memory, Theories of learning, Multiple memory systems, Working Memory and Executive Control, Memory span, Dissociations of short- and long-term memory, Baddeley's working memory model.

Linguistics:Components of a grammar, Chomsky, Phrases and constituents, Productivity, Generative grammars, Compositional syntax, Productivity by recursion, Surface- and deep structures, Referential theory of meaning, Compositional semantics, Semantics, Language acquisition, Language and thought.

Neuroscience: Brain anatomy, Hierarchical functional organization, Decorticate animals, Neuroimaging, Neurophysiology, Neuron doctrine, Ion channels, Action potentials, Synaptic transmission, Synaptic plasticity, Biological basis of learning, Brain damage, Amnesia, Aphasia, Agnosia, Parallel Distributed Processing(PDP), Computational cognitive neuroscience, The appeal of the PDP approach, Biological Basis of Learning, Cajal's synaptic plasticity hypothesis, Long-term potentiation (LTP) and depotentiation (LTD), NMDA receptors and their role in LTP, Synaptic consolidation, Vertical integration, The Problem of representation, Shannon's information theory.

Artificial Intelligence: Turing machines, Physical symbol systems, Symbols and Search Connectionism, Machine Learning,, Weak versus strong AI, Subfields, applications, and recent trends in AI, Turing Test revisited, SHRDLU, Heuristic search, General Problem Solver (GPS), Means-ends analysis.

Cognitive architectures:Tripartite architecture, Integration, ACT-R Architecture Modularity.

Course Learning Outcomes (CLOs):

Upon completion of the course, the students will be able to:

1. Identify cognitive science as an interdisciplinary paradigm of study of cross-cutting areas such as Philosophy, Psychology, Neuroscience, Linguistics, Anthropology, and Artificial Intelligence.
2. explain various processes of the mind such as memory and attention, as well as representational and modelling techniques that are used to build computational models of mental processes;
3. acquire basic knowledge of neural networks, linguistic formalism, computing theory, and the brain.
4. apply basic Artificial Intelligence techniques to solve simple problems.

Recommended Books:

1. *Bermúdez, J.L., Cognitive Science: An Introduction to the Science of the Mind (2nd Ed.), Cambridge, UK: Cambridge (2014).*
2. *Friedenberg ,J,D, and Silverman,G, Cognitive Science: An Introduction To The Study Of Mind, Sage Publications:, London (2014)*
3. *Thagard,P., Mind: An introduction to Cognitive Science, MIT Press, (2005)*
4. *Thagard, P.,(1998) Mind Readings: Introductory Selections on Cognitive Science, MIT Press, Cambridge, Mass,*

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UPH063 NANOSCIENCE AND NANOMATERIALS

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Course Objectives:

To introduce the basic concept of Nanoscience and advanced applications of nanotechnology,

Fundamental of Nanoscience: Features of Nanosystem, Free electron theory and its features, Idea of band structures, Density of states in bands, Variation of density of state and band gap with size of crystal,

Quantum Size Effect: Concepts of quantum effects, Schrodinger time independent and time dependent equation, Electron confinement in one-dimensional well and three-dimensional infinite square well, Idea of quantum well structure, Quantum dots and quantum wires,

Nano Materials: Classification of Nano Materials their properties, Basic concept relevant to application, Fullerenes, Nanotubes and nano-wires, Thin films chemical sensors, Gas sensors, Vapour sensors and Bio sensors,

Synthesis and processing: Sol-gel process, Cluster beam evaporation, Ion beam deposition, Chemical bath deposition with capping techniques and ball milling, Cluster assembly and mechanical attrition, Sputtering method, Thermal evaporation, Laser method,

Characterization: Determination of particle size, XRD technique, Photo luminescence, Electron microscopy, Raman spectroscopy, STEM, AFM,

Applications: Photonic crystals, Smart materials, Fuel and solar cells, Opto-electronic devices

Course outcomes:

Upon completion of the course, Students will be able to

1. discriminate between bulk and nano materials,
2. establish the size and shape dependence of Materials' properties,
3. correlate 'quantum confinement' and 'quantum size effect' with physical and chemical properties of nanomaterials,
4. uses top-down and bottom-up methods to synthesize nanoparticles and control their size and shape
5. characterize nanomaterials with various physico-chemical characterization tools and use them in development of modern technologies

Recommended Books:

1. Booker, R., Boysen, E., *Nanotechnology*, Wiley India Pvt, Ltd, (2008)
2. Rogers, B., Pennathur, S., Adams, J., *Nanotechnology*, CRS Press (2007)
3. Bandyopadhyay, A.K., *Nano Materials*, New Age Int., (2007)
4. Niemeyer, C. N., and Mirkin, C.A., *Nanobiotechnology: Concepts, Applications and Perspectives*, Wiley VCH, Weinhein, Germany (2007)

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UMA062 GRAPH THEORY AND APPLICATIONS

L	T	P	Cr
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Course Objective:

The objective of the course is to introduce students with the fundamental concepts in graph Theory, with a sense of some its modern applications. They will be able to use these methods in subsequent courses in the computer, electrical and other engineering,

Introduction: Graph, Finite and infinite graph, incidence and degree, Isolated vertex, Pendent vertex and null graph, Isomorphism, Sub graph, Walks, Paths and circuits, Euler circuit and path, Hamilton path and circuit, Euler formula, Homeomorphic graph, Bipartite graph, Edge connectivity, Computer representation of graph, Digraph.

Tree and Fundamental Circuits: Tree, Distance and center in a tree, Binary tree, Spanning tree, Finding all spanning tree of a graph, Minimum spanning tree.

Graph and Tree Algorithms: Shortest path algorithms, Shortest path between all pairs of vertices, Depth first search and breadth first of a graph, Huffman coding, Cuts set and cut vertices, Warshall's algorithm, topological sorting.

Planar and Dual Graph: Planner graph, Kuratowski's theorem, Representation of planar graph, five-color theorem, Geometric dual.

Coloring of Graphs: Chromatic number, Vertex coloring, Edge coloring, Chromatic partitioning, Chromatic polynomial, covering.

Application of Graphs and Trees: Konigsberg bridge problem, Utilities problem, Electrical network problem, Seating problem, Chinese postman problem, Shortest path problem, Job sequence problem, Travelling salesman problem, Ranking the participant in a tournament, Graph in switching and coding theory, Time table and exam scheduling, Applications of tree and graph in computer science.

Course Learning Outcomes:

Upon completion of the course, the students will be able to:

- 1) understand the basic concepts of graphs, directed graphs, and weighted graphs and able to present a graph by matrices.
- 2) understand the properties of trees and able to find a minimal spanning tree for a given weighted graph.
- 3) understand Eulerian and Hamiltonian graphs.
- 4) apply shortest path algorithm to solve Chinese Postman Problem .
- 5) apply the knowledge of graphs to solve the real life problem.

Recommended Books:

1. Deo, N., *Graph Theory with Application to Engineering with Computer Science*, PHI, New Delhi (2007)
2. West, D. B., *Introduction to Graph Theory*, Pearson Education, London (2008)
3. Bondy, J. A. and Murty, U.S.R., *Graph Theory with Applications*, North Holland Publication, London (2000)

4. Rosen, K. H., *Discrete Mathematics and its Applications*, Tata-McGraw Hill, New Delhi (2007)

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UMA061 ADVANCED NUMERICAL METHODS

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Course Objective:

The main objective of this course is to motivate the students to understand and learn various advanced numerical techniques to solve mathematical problems governing various engineering and physical problems.

Non-Linear Equations: Methods for multiple roots, Muller's, Iteration and Newton-Raphson method for non-linear system of equations and Newton-Raphson method for complex roots.

Polynomial Equations: Descartes' rule of sign, Birge-vieta, Giraffe's methods.

System of Linear Equations: Cholesky and Partition methods, SOR method with optimal relaxation parameters.

Eigen-Values and Eigen-Vectors: Similarity transformations, Gerschgorin's bound(s) on eigenvalues, Given's and Rutishauser methods.

Interpolation and Approximation: Cubic and B – Spline and bivariate interpolation, Least squares approximations, Gram-Schmidt orthogonalisation process and approximation by orthogonal polynomial, Legendre and Chebyshev polynomials and approximation.

Differentiation and Integration: Differentiation and integration using cubic splines, Romberg integration and multiple integrals.

Ordinary differential Equations: Milne's, Adams-Moulton and Adam's Bashforth methods with their convergence and stability, Shooting and finite difference methods for second order boundary value problems.

Course Learning Outcomes:

Upon completion of this course, the students will be able to:

- 1) find multiple roots of equation and apply Newton -Raphson's method to obtain complex roots as well solution of system of non - linear equations.
- 2) learn how to obtain numerical solution of polynomial equations using Birge - Vitae and Giraffe's methods.
- 3) apply Cholesky, Partition and SOR methods to solve system of linear equations.
- 4) understand how to approximate the functions using Spline, B- Spline, least square .approximations
- 5) learn how to solve definite integrals by using cubic spline, Romberg and initial value problems and boundary value problems numerically.

Recommended Books

- 1) Gerald, C.F. and Wheatley, P.O., *Applied Numerical Analysis*, Pearson Education (2008) 7thed.
- 2) Gupta, S.R., *Elements of Numerical Analysis*, MacMillan India (2009).
- 1) Atkinson, K.E., *An introduction to Numerical Analysis*, John Wiley (2004) 2nded.
- 2) S.D. Conte, S.D. and Carl D. Boor, *Elementary Numerical Analysis: An Algorithmic Approach*, Tata McGraw Hill (2005).
- 3) Jain M. K., Iyengar. S.R.K. and Jain, R.K. *Numerical Methods for Scientific and Engineering Computation*, New Age International (2008) 5thed.

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UBT509 BIOLOGY FOR ENGINEERS

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Course Objective: To learn about living world and basic functioning of biological systems. The course encompasses understanding of origin of life, its evolution and some of its central characteristics. It also aims to familiarize engineering students to some of the intricate biological phenomena and mechanisms.

Detailed Contents:

Characteristics of life: Living versus non-living organisms, origin of life, theory of evolution, diversity of life, classification of life into animals, plants, fungi, protists, archea and bacteria. Phylogenetics and its relationship with evolution.

Introduction to biological systems: Cell as basic unit of life, cellular organelles and their functions, important biomacromolecules (carbohydrates, lipids, proteins and nucleic acids) and their properties.

Cell membrane: Membrane structure, selective permeability, transport across cell membrane, active and passive transport, membrane proteins, type of transport proteins, channels and pumps, examples of membrane transport in cell physiology.

Classical and molecular genetics: Heredity and laws of genetics, genetic material and genetic information, Structure and properties of DNA, central dogma, replication of genetic information, universal codon system, encoding of genetic information via transcription and translation.

Course Learning Outcomes (CLOs):

After completion of this course the students will be able to:

1. Describe living-systems and differentiate them from non-living systems
2. Explain the theory of evolution and apply it non-living world
3. Apply properties of nucleic acids in molecular recognition based diagnostics
4. Familiarized with various transport mechanisms across cell membranes
5. Explain how genetic information is stored, replicated and encoded in living organisms.

Recommended Books:

1. Nelson, D.L., Cox, M.M., Lehninger: Principles of Biochemistry, WH Freeman (2008) 5th ed.
2. Dhami, P.S., Srivastava, H.N. Chopra, G., A Textbook of Biology, Pradeep Publications (2008).
3. Das, H.K., Textbook of Biotechnology, John Wiley & Sons (2004) 3rd Edition.
4. Gardner, E.J., Simmons, M., Peter, S.D., Principles of Genetics, John Wiley & Sons (2008)
5. Albert, B., Essential Cell Biology, Taylor & Francis, London (2009)

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