

Savitribai Phule Pune University

Faculty of Commerce and Management : Revised Syllabus for PhD Course Work¹ Part I, II & III

Part	Title	Credits	Duration	Assessment
1	Research Methodology - (Including Quantitative methods, Computer applications, research ethics and review of published research in the relevant field, training, field work, etc) - Syllabus as defined by SPPU (2019)²	04	60 hours	50% Assessment in the form of 2 home assignments, 25% Assessment in the form of Presentation on Research Design and 25% Assessment in the form of MCQs on entire syllabus (Total : 100 Marks)
2- A	Writing of Research Proposal for obtaining Financial assistance from national funding agencies	01	15 hours	Drafted Proposal to be submitted to an identified funding agency, under the guidance of the Research Advisory Committee.
2 - B	Writing of Review	01	15 hours	1 (ONE) Research Paper based on Review of Literature to be Published in UGC CARE / SCOPUS JOURNAL (Research Scholar as the first author and Research Guide as the second author)
2 - C	Seminars	02	30 hours	2 (TWO) Research Papers to be presented at National / International Seminars (Research Scholar as the first author and Research Guide as the second author)
3	Subject specific advanced level courses (Total 8 Credits)			

¹Ref: SPPU CIRCULAR NO. 14/ 2017 dated 9/1/2017

²http://collegecirculans.unipune.ac.in/sites/documents/MPhilPhD%20Syllabus2019/Comm%20and%20Managt%20M%20Phil%20and%20PhD%20Course%20work%202019_04.0322019.pdf

3 - A	MOOCs related to the PhD Topic/ Discipline as Suggested by the Research Advisory Committee ³	02 ⁴	30 hours	Certificate of MOOCs completion to be submitted
3 - B	Course Work on Analytical Tools (SPSS / Qualitative Analysis)	02	30 hours	Assessment covering various analytical tools through analysis of live data (50 Marks)
3 - C	Pilot Study	02	30 hours	1 (ONE) Research Paper to be presented at National / International Seminars OR Published in UGC CARE / SCOPUS JOURNAL (Research Scholar as the first author and Research Guide as the second author)
3 - D	Research Paper	02	30 hours	1 (ONE) Research Paper to be presented at National / International Seminars OR Published in UGC CARE / SCOPUS JOURNAL (Research Scholar as the first author and Research Guide as the second author)
4	Research & Publication Ethics (RPE) ⁵	02	30 hours	Philosophy & Ethics, Scientific Conduct, Publication Ethics, Open Access publishing, Publication Misconduct, Database and Research Metrics

³ MOOCs from SWAYAM Platform shall be preferred. MOOCs from other platforms are also permitted.

⁴ MOOC of 4 weeks duration shall be equivalent to 1 Credit

⁵ For details of the syllabus, refer Circular No 103/2021 dated 8/4/2021 of Savitribai Phule Pune University (SPPU) and corresponding University Grants Commission (UGC) circular F1-1/2018(Journal/CARE) of December 2018