## Syllabus for

# Master of Business Administration (HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT)

MBA (HRM)

Semester: 1-IV

**Session: 2021-22** 



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## MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (Human Resource Management) under Directorate of ONLINE STUDIES, Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar

## SEMESTER I:

	Subject Name	Marks			
Paper Code		Internal Assessment	End term	Total	Credits
OLMBA 101T	Principles of Management and Organizational Behaviour	20	80	100	4
OLMBA 102T	Business Environment	20	80	100	4
OLMBA 103T	Business Economics and Statistics	20	80	100	4
ODMBA 104T	Production and Operations Management	20	80	100	4
OLMBA 105S	Seminar-I	-	100	100	4
	<b>Total Marks and Credits</b>	80	420	500	20

## SEMESTER II:

Paper Code	Subject Name	Marks			
		Internal Assessment	End term	Total	Credits
OLMBA 201T	Accounting and Business Finance	20	80	100	4
OLMBA 202T	Marketing Management	20	80	100	4
OLMBA 203T	Human Resource Management	20	80	100	4
OLMBA 204T	Business Research Methods	20	80	100	4
OLMBA 205S	Seminar-II	-	100	100	4
	<b>Total Marks and Credits</b>	80	420	500	20

## SEMESTER III:

		N			
Paper Code	Subject Name	Internal	End	Total	Credits
		Assessment	term		
OLMBA 331T	Labour Legislations and Social Security	20	80	100	4
OLMBA 332T	Organisational Change and Development	20	80	100	4
OLMBA 333T	Training and Development	20	80	100	4
OLMBA 334T	Performance Management	20	80	100	4
OLMBA 335T	Human Resource Development	20	80	100	4
OLMBA 336S	Seminar-III	0	100	100	4
	<b>Total Marks and Credits</b>	100	500	600	24

## SEMESTER IV:

Paper Code	Subject Name	N			
		Internal	End	Total	Credits
		Assessment	term		
OLMBA 431T	Strategic Human Resource Management	20	80	100	4
OLMBA 432T	Industrial Relations	20	80	100	4
OLMBA 433T	Managerial Competencies & Career Development	20	80	100	4
OLMBA 434T	International Human Resource Management	20	80	100	4
OLMBA 435T	Knowledge management	20	80	100	4
OLMBA 436S	Seminar - IV	0	100	100	4
	<b>Total Marks and Credits</b>	100	500	600	24

## **OLMBA 101T: Principles of Management and Organizational Behaviour**

Time: 03 Hours Max. Marks: 100 Marks

**Internal Assessment: 20 Marks** 

End Term: 80 Marks

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  each section. However, a question may have sub-parts (not exceeding four sub-parts) and
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- 3. Candidates shall attempt **Five questions** in all, by at least selecting **One question** from each section and the **5**<sup>th</sup> **question** may be attempted from any of the **Four sections**.
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#### Section A

Concept and nature of management; Management as profession; Universality of management; applying management theory in practice; effective management. Taylor and scientific management; Fayol's administrative management and principles. Management process and skills: nature of management process; Functions at various levels of Management; Functional areas of management; Management skills

#### Section - B

Fundamentals of Planning: Concept of planning; Types of plans; Management by Objectives

Decision Making: Concept of decision and decision making; problem solving

Fundamentals of organising: Concept of organisation and organising; factors affecting organisation structure; Forms of organisation structure: line organisation structure; line and staff organisation structure; functional organisation structure, divisional organisation structure, project organisation structure, matrix organisation structure, team based organisation.

Authority and Responsibility: Concept; delegation of authority; centralisation and decentralisation.

#### Section - C

Fundamentals of Staffing and Directing: Concept; Manpower planning; Direction and supervision

Communication: Concept; Communication process; communication symbols; communication network; barriers in communication.

Coordination: Types and techniques

Fundamentals of controlling: Concept; controlling and management by exception; design of effective control system.

#### Section - D

Managing Organisational Behaviour: Introduction; Emerging Issues in Organisational Behaviour; Framework of Organisational behaviour; Managing Organisational Misbehaviour

Learning: Importance of Learning; Barriers to Learning.

Managing Group Dynamics: Introduction; Types of groups; Functions of groups

Managing Conflicts: Introduction; attitude towards conflict

#### **Recommended Books:**

- 1. L.M Prasad "Principles and Practice of Management", Latest Edition, Sultan Chand & Sons
- 2. Kavita Singh "Organisational Behaviour", Latest Edition, Pearson Publication, New Delhi

#### **Suggested Readings:**

- 1. Harold Koontz, and Heinz Weihrich, Essentials of Management: An International Perspective, New Delhi, McGraw-Hill, 2010.
- 2. Richard L Daft, The New Era of Management, New Delhi, Thomson, 2007.
- 3. Jon L Pierce and Donald G Gardner, Management and Organizational Behaviour,

New Delhi, Thomson, 2007.

- 4. Stephen P Robbins, Mary Coulter and Neharika Vohra, Management, New Delhi, Pearsons, 2011
- 5. Sekaran, Uma, Organizational Behaviour: Text and Cases, New Delhi, Tata McGraw Hill, 2007.
- 6. <a href="http://swayam.gov.in/">http://swayam.gov.in/</a>
- 7. <a href="http://edx.org">http://edx.org</a> formerly <a href="http://mooc.org/">http://mooc.org/</a>
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Master of Business Administration (Human Resource Management) (Semester – I)

#### **OLMBA 102T: Business Environment**

Time: 03 Hours Max. Marks: 100 Marks

**Internal Assessment: 20 Marks** 

**End Term: 80 Marks** 

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#### Section A

Introduction of Business environment: Types of environment; internal environment; external environment; micro environment; macro environment; Competitive structure of industries competitor's analysis; environmental analysis.

Economic Environment: Nature of the economy; structure of the economy; economic policies; economic conditions.

Political and Government environment: Functions of State; economic roles of government; government and legal environment; economic roles of government in India; the constitutional environment.

#### Section - B

Natural environment; Technological environment; innovation; technological leadership and followership; technology and competitive advantage.

Social Responsibility of Business: Classical and contemporary views; social orientation of business; factors affecting social orientation; responsibilities to different sections; the Indian Situation.

Consumer Rights; exploitation of consumers; consumerism; consumer protection; consumer protection and consumerism in India; introduction to Consumer Protection Act

#### Section - C

Privatisation and Disinvestment: Expansion of public sector and its defects; privatisation reaction; ways of privatisation; obstacles; conditions for success of privatisation; benefits of privatisation; arguments against privatisation; pitfalls of privatisation.

Company Law in India- A brief note; objectives of Companies Act, 2013; classification of Companies; Incorporation of company; MOA; AOA.

#### Section - D

Monetary policy; measures of money stock; monetary policy and money supply; instruments of monetary policy; fiscal policy.

Planning in India: NITI AAYOG- Introduction and its functions

Globalisation of world economy; globalisation of business; features of current globalisation; globalisation stages; essential conditions for globalisation; foreign market entry strategies; pros and cons of globalisation; policy options; globalisation of Indian business.

#### Recommended Books

1. Francis Cherunilam, Business Environment, Latest Edition, Himalaya Publishing House, New Delhi.

#### **Suggested Readings:**

- 1. V. K. Puri & S. K. Misra, Economic Environment of Business, Latest Edition, Himalaya Publishing House, New Delhi.
- 2. A.C. Fernando, Business Environment, Latest Edition, Pearson Publication, New Delhi.
- 3. V. Neelamegam, Business Environment, Latest Edition, Vrinida Publications, Delhi.
- 4. K Ashwathappa, Business Environment, Latest Edition, Himalaya Publishing House, New Delhi.
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Master of Business Administration (Human Resource Management) (Semester – I)

## **OLMBA 103T: Business Economics and Statistics**

Time: 03 Hours Max. Marks: 100 Marks

**Internal Assessment: 20 Marks** 

**End Term: 80 Marks** 

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#### Section A

Theory of Demand: Meaning; Law of demand; determinants of demand; Extension and contraction of demand: Increase and decrease of demand

Elasticity of demand: Meaning of Price Elasticity of demand; Degree and Measurement of Price elasticity of demand; Factors determining the price elasticity of demand; Income elasticity of demand; Cross elasticity of demand.

Utility Analysis: Meaning; Concept; relation between Total utility and Marginal utility; Law of diminishing marginal utility; Law of Equi-Marginal utility.

#### Section - B

Indifference curve Analysis: Meaning; Law of Diminishing marginal rate of substitution; properties of Indifference curve(IC).

Concept of revenue: Meaning; concepts; Relation between Total, Average and Marginal Revenue.

Theory of production: production function, Law of variable proportion; law of diminishing returns; law of increasing returns; law of constant returns; law of returns to scale; internal and external economies, internal and external diseconomies.

Types of Markets: Perfect, Monopoly and Monopolistic Competition (Introduction and difference).

#### Section - C

Measures of Central Tendency: Mean, Median, Mode

Measures of Dispersion: Standard deviation and Coefficient of Variation.

Index Numbers: Meaning and importance, Methods of construction of Index

Numbers: Weighted and unweighted; Simple Aggregative Method, Simple Average of Price Relative Method, Weighted index method: Laspeyre's method, Pasche's method and Fisher's method.

#### Section - D

Correlation analysis: Simple correlation between two variables (Grouped and Ungrouped data), Rank correlation.

Regression; Simple Regression analysis

Theory of Probability: Meaning of probability; Addition and Multiplication theorems of probability

#### **Recommended Books:**

- 1. T.R. Jain and O.P. Khanna "Managerial Economics", Latest Edition, V K Publications
- 2. T.R. Jain & S.C. Aggarwal "Statistics", Latest Edition, V K Publications

#### **Suggested Readings:**

- 1. Levin, Richardand DavidS Rubin: Statistics for Management, Prentice Hall, Delhi.
- 2. Levin and Brevson, Business Statistics, Pearson Education, New Delhi.
- Anderson, Sweeney and Williams: Statistics for Business and Economics, Thompson, New Delhi.
- 4. Peterson and Lewis, Managerial Economics, 4th Edition, Prentice Hall of India Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi.
- 5. Shapiro, Macro Economics, Galgotia Publications.
- 6. H. L Ahuja Advanced Economic Analysis, S. Chand & Co. Ltd, New Delhi.
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## **OLMBA 104T: Production and Operations Management**

Time: 03 Hours Max. Marks: 100 Marks

**Internal Assessment: 20 Marks** 

**End Term: 80 Marks** 

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#### Section A

Production and Operations management: Introduction; Operations Strategy; Scope of Operations Management; Materials Management in production system; Operations management: historical background. Facilities Planning: Process Selection.

Facilities Planning: Location- Factors affecting location; Government control on location of industries.

#### Section - B

Facilities layout and Material handling: material handling systems. Capacity Planning.

Work design: Introduction, Job Design: Introduction

Production Planning and control: Introduction; Meaning; Procedure.

#### Section - C

Planning and control of projects: Project Management: Stages in project management; PERT and CPM Managing Quality: Quality; Relationship between quality and cost

#### Section - D

Supply Chain Management: Outsourcing; fundamentals of purchasing; Sources of supply: vendor selection and rating; buyer seller negotiations; pricing decisions; purchase timing decisions.

Inventory Management: Independent demand inventory- Concept; Types of Inventory Costs; Classifying Models; EOQ; Safety or Buffer stock; ABC Analysis; Just In Time; KANBAN

#### **Recommended Books:**

1. S.A. Chunawalla & D.R. Patel "Production and operations management", Latest Edition, Himalaya Publishing House

#### **Suggested Readings**

- 1. Operations Management Theory & Practice, B. Mahadevan, Pearson Education.
- 2. Production & Operations Management, Kanishka Bedi, Oxford Higher Education.
- 3. Operations Management Processes & Value Chains, L.J. Krajewski & L.P. Ritzman, Pearson Education.
- 4. Production Operation Management, B.S. Goel.
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## **OLMBA 105S: Seminar-I**

Max. Marks: 100 Marks

**Internal Assessment: 0 Mark** 

End Term: 100 Marks

Master of Business Administration (Human Resource Management) (Semester – II)

## **ODMBA - 201T: Accounting and Business Finance**

Time: 03 Hours Max. Marks: 100 Marks

**Internal Assessment: 20 Marks** 

**End Term: 80 Marks** 

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#### Section A

Introduction to Accounting: Relationship and difference between Accountancy, Accounting and Book Keeping; Accounting Cycle; Users of Accounting Information and their Needs; Advantages and Limitation of Accounting; Basic Accounting terminology; Double entry system of Book keeping; Accrual basis and Cash basis of Accounting; Basic Assumptions and Principles of Accounting; Accounting Equation: Meaning; Procedure for developing an Accounting Equation

#### Section - B

Journalising, Posting and Balancing: Meaning of an Account; Meaning and Rules of Debit and Credit; Journalizing; Ledger; Trial Balance.

Financial statement: Meaning; Usefulness; Elements of Financial Statements; Recognition of Assets, Liabilities, Income and Expenses; Preparation of Financial Statements (without adjustments): Trading Account; Profit and Loss Account; Balance Sheet.

#### Section - C

Analysis of Financial Statements: Financial ratios-liquidity, turnover, profitability, leverage ratios; Du Pont Analysis.

Capital Budgeting process; Project classification; Investment criteria; Techniques of Capital Budgeting: Net present value; Benefit-cost ratio; Internal Rate of Return; Payback period; Accounting Rate of return; investment appraisal in practice.

#### Section - D

Sources of Long term Finance: equity capital; internal accruals, preference capital; terms loans; debentures.

Working Capital policy: factors influencing working capital requirement; level of current assets; current assets financing policy; operating cycle and cash cycle.

#### **Recommended Books:**

- 1. P.C.Tulsian, "Financial Accounting", Latest Edition, Pearson Education
- 2. Prasanna Chandra, "Financial Management", Lasted Edition, McGraw Hill Education

#### **Suggested Books:**

- 1. Bhattachrya, S.K. and John Dearden, "Accounting for Management-Text and Cases", Vikas Publishing House.
- 2. Lele RK. And Jawahar Lal, "Accounting Theory", Himalaya Publishers.
- 3. Porwal, L.S. "Accounting Theory", Tata McGraw Hill.
- 4. Horngren, CharlesT., Gary L. Sundem and William O. Stratton, "Introduction to Management Accounting", Pearson Education Asia.
- 5. Sharma, Subhash and M.P. Vithal, "Financial Accounting for Management Text and Cases", McMillan.
- 6. I M Pandey, "Financial Management" Vikas Publications
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## **OLMBA 202T: Marketing Management**

Time: 03 Hours Max. Marks: 100 Marks

**Internal Assessment: 20 Marks** 

**End Term: 80 Marks** 

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- 3. Candidates shall attempt **Five questions** in all, by at least selecting **One question** from each section and the **5**<sup>th</sup> **question** may be attempted from any of the **Four sections**.
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#### Section A

Meaning of Marketing; Importance and Scope of Marketing; Concepts of Marketing Activities. Component of a Modern Marketing Information System; Internal Records and Marketing Intelligence; Analysing the Macroenvironment; The Demographic Environment The Marketing Research System; The Marketing Research Process; Forecasting and Demand Measurement

#### Section - B

Customer Relationship Management; Attracting, retaining and growing customers.

Factors Influencing Consumer Behaviour; The Buying decision process- The Five Stages Model

Levels of Market Segmentation; Segmenting Consumer Markets; Market Targeting.

Developing and Communicating a Positioning Strategy; Differentiation Strategies; Product Life-Cycle Marketing Strategies.

#### Section - C

Understanding Pricing; Setting the Price; Adapting the Price

Marketing Channels and Value Networks; Channel- Design Decisions; Channel- Management

Decisions; E-Commerce Marketing Practices

#### Section - D

Role of Marketing Communications; Developing Effective Communications; Developing and Managing an Advertising Program; Deciding on Media and Measuring Effectiveness; Sales Promotion

Direct Marketing; Managing the sales force

#### Recommended Books:

1. Philip Kotler and Kevin Lane Keller, "Marketing Management", Latest Edition, Pearson

#### **Suggested Books:**

- Rama swamy, V.S. and Nama kumari, S., Marketing Management: Global Perspective, Indian Context, 4<sup>th</sup> edition, Mac Millan.
- 2. Kurtz, David L. and Boone, Louis E., Principles of Marketing, Thomson South-Western, 12<sup>th</sup> edition.
- 3. Enis, B. M., MarketingClassics: A Selection of Influential Articles, New York, McGraw-Hill, 1991.
- 4. Saxena, Rajan, Marketing Management, Tata McGraw-Hill, New Delhi, 2006.
- 5. <a href="http://swayam.gov.in/">http://swayam.gov.in/</a>
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## **OLMBA 203T: Human Resource Management**

Time: 03 Hours Max. Marks: 100 Marks

**Internal Assessment: 20 Marks** 

**End Term: 80 Marks** 

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  question should be asked outside the syllabus.

#### Section A

Understanding the Nature and Scope of Human Resource Management: Nature of HRM; HRM Functions and Objectives; Organisation for HR Department; Personnel Policies and Principles; Skills for HR Professionals; Jobs and Careers in HRM

Analysis of Work, Designing Jobs and Job Evaluation: Nature of Job Analysis; The process of Job Analysis; Job Design; factors affecting Job Design; Job Design Approaches; Job evaluation; Job evaluation process; Methods of Job evaluation.

#### Section - B

Recruitment: Purpose and Importance; Recruitment Process.

Selecting Right Talent: Selection as a source of Competitive Advantage; Selection Process; Barriers of Effective Selection; Making Selection Effective.

Training and Development, Career Management and Talent Management: Nature of Training and Development; The Training Process; Career Development.

#### Section - C

Appraising and Managing Performance: Nature of performance appraisal; appraisal process; Challenges of performance appraisal.

Compensation Management: Importance of an Ideal Compensation System; factors Influencing Employee Compensation; devising a Compensation Plan; Challenges of Compensation.

#### Section - D

A Safety and Healthy Environment: Safety; Types of accidents; Safety Programme; ISO Safety Standards; Managing Ethical Issues in Human Resource Management

Contemporary Challenges in Human Resource Management: Outsourcing HR Activities; BPO and Call Centres; Managing Diversity; Globalisation

#### **Recommended Books:**

1. K Aswathappa, "Human Resource Management: Text and Cases", Latest edition, McGraw Hill Education

#### **Suggested Readings:**

- 1. Dessler, Gary, "Human Resource Management", New Delhi, Pearson Education Asia.
- 2. Durai, Pravin, "Human Resource Management", New Delhi, Pearson.
- 3. Noe, Raymond A., Hollenbeck, John R, Gerhart, Barry, Wright, Patrick M., "Human Resource Management: Gaining a Competitive Advantage," New Delhi, McGraw-Hill.
- 4. Mathis, Robert L. and Jackson, John H., "Human Resource Management," New Delhi, Thomson.
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## **OLMBA 204T: Business Research Methods**

Time: 03 Hours Max. Marks: 100 Marks

**Internal Assessment: 20 Marks** 

**End Term: 80 Marks** 

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#### Section – A

**Business Research Methods**: Introduction; Difference between basic and applied research; Defining business research; Business research methods-A Decision Making.

Business Research Process design: Introduction and process

Measurement and Scaling: need of measurement; scales of measurement; the criteria for good measurement.

#### Section - B

Questionnaire design: Meaning of questionnaire and questionnaire design process.

Sampling and sampling distributions: sampling; Need of sampling; the sampling design process; random sampling methods; non-random sampling; sampling and non-sampling errors; sampling distribution-normal distribution

**Secondary data sources**: Meaning of primary and secondary data; benefits and limitations of using secondary data; classification of secondary data sources.

#### Section - C

**Data collection**: survey and observation; survey method of data collection; a classification of survey methods; observation techniques

**Experimentation**: Internal and external validity in experimentation; threats to the internal validity of experimentation; experimental designs and their classification.

Field work and data preparation; data preparation process.

#### Section - D

**Statistical inference**: hypothesis testing for single population; introduction to hypothesis testing; hypothesis testing procedure; two tailed and one tailed test of hypothesis. Type I and Type II errors; Hypothesis testing for a single population mean using the Z statistics and t statistics.

**Statistical inference:** Hypothesis testing for two population- Hypothesis testing for the difference between two populations means using Z statistics and t statistics;

Statistical inference about the difference between the means of two related populations.

#### Recommended Book:

1. Naval Bajpai, "Business Research Methods", Latest Edition, Pearsons.

#### **Suggested Readings**

- 1. Malhotra, Naresh and Dash, Satyabhushan Marketing Research: An Applied Orientation, 6 Edition, Pearson, 2010
- 2. Churchill Gilbert A and Iacobucci Dawn: Marketing Research: Methodological Foundations, 9<sup>th</sup> Edition, Thomson, 2007.
- 3. Nargundkar R, Marketing Research, Tata McGraw Hill, New Delhi, 2002.
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## **OLMBA 205S: Seminar-II**

Max. Marks: 100 Marks

**Internal Assessment: 0 Mark** 

**End Term: 100 Marks** 

## **OLMBA 331T: Labour Legislations and Social Security**

Time: 03 Hours Max. Marks: 100 Marks

**Internal Assessment: 20 Marks** 

End Term: 80 Marks

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#### Section - A

Introduction, Principles and Factors influencing Labour Legislation in India

Occupational Safety and Health and Working Conditions Laws: The Factories Act 1948, The Contract Labour (Regulation and Abolition) Act 1970

#### Section – B

Industrial Relations Laws: The Trade Unions Act 1926, The Industrial Disputes Act 1947, The Industrial Employment (Standing Orders) Act 1946

#### Section - C

Wage Laws: The Payment of Wages Act 1936, The Minimum Wages Act 1948, The Payment of Bonus Act 1965

#### Section - D

Social Security Laws: Introduction and Need for Social Security, The Employee's State Insurance Act 1948, The Employees Provident Fund and Miscellaneous Provisions Act 1952, The Maternity Benefit Act 1961

#### **Recommended Reading:**

1. Ghosh and Nandan "Industrial Relations and Labour Law", McGraw-Hill Education India Pvt. Ltd.

#### **Suggested Readings:**

- 1. Sinha, P.R.N. Sinha "Industrial Relations Trade Unions and Labour Legislation" Latest Edition, Pearson Education, New Delhi.
- 2. S.N. Mishra "Labour and Industrial Laws" Latest Edition, Central Law Publications,

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- 3. <a href="http://swayam.gov.in/">http://swayam.gov.in/</a>
- 4. <a href="http://edx.org">http://edx.org</a> formerly <a href="http://mooc.org/">http://mooc.org/</a>
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## **OLMBA 332T: Organizational Change and Development**

Time: 03 Hours Max. Marks: 100 Marks

**Internal Assessment: 20 Marks** 

End Term: 80 Marks

#### **Instructions for the Paper-Setter/examiner:**

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- 3. Candidates shall attempt **Five questions** in all, by at least selecting **One question** from each section and the **5**<sup>th</sup> **question** may be attempted from any of the **Four sections**.
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#### Section - A

Organisational Change: Concept, Forces of Change and Types of Change

Perspective on Organisational Change: Contingency Perspective, Resource Dependence Perspective, Population – Ecology Perspective, Institutional Perspective and Process Oriented Perspective

#### Section - B

Theoretical Framework of Organisational Change: Lifecycle Theory, Teleological Theory, Dialectical Theory, Evolutionary Theory

Models of Change: Lewin's Model of Change, Galpin's Model of Change, Schein's Model of Change, Nadler – Tushman Congruence Model, Weisbord's Six Box Model, Tichy's TPC Model

#### Section - C

Resistance to Organisational Change: Concept, Nature, Factors, Mechanism Underlying Resistance, Behavioral Elements, Cognitive and Effective Processes, Recognising Resistance, Managing Resistance to Change

Implementing Organisational Change: Introduction, Skills for Managing Change and Organising for Change - Strategy

#### Section - D

Introduction to Organisational Development: Concept, Nature and Process of Organisational Development

Organisational Transformation: Emergence, Triggers, Analytical Tools and Techniques, Types of Interventions and Future Trends for Organisational Transformation

Role of Change Agents and Leadership in Organisational Development: Change Agents, Skills

#### **Recommended Reading:**

1. Radha R Sharma "Change Management and Organisational Transformation", McGraw-Hill Education India Pvt. Ltd.

#### **Suggested Readings:**

- 1. French and Bell "Organisation Development", Prentice Hall of India, New Delhi.
- 2. Cumming and Werley "Organisation Development and Change" Cengage Learning, New Delhi.
- 3. <a href="http://swayam.gov.in/">http://swayam.gov.in/</a>
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## **OLMBA 333T: Training and Development**

Time: 03 Hours Max. Marks: 100 Marks

**Internal Assessment: 20 Marks** 

End Term: 80 Marks

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- 3. Candidates shall attempt **Five questions** in all, by at least selecting **One question** from each section and the **5**<sup>th</sup> **question** may be attempted from any of the **Four sections**.
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#### Section - A

**Introduction:** Concept, Objectives and Benefits of Training and Development; Difference between Training and Development; Context of Training and Development; Instructional Design Model of Training and Development.

**Training Need Analysis (TNA):** Meaning and Significance of TNA; TNA at different levels; Methods used in TNA; TNA Process.

#### Section - B

**Training Design:** Meaning and Purpose of Training Objectives; the Purchase-or-Design decision; Request for Proposal; Training Content.

**Training Methods:** Off-the-Job and On-the-Job Training Methods; Advantages and Disadvantages of Training Methods; Combining Off-the-Job and On-the-Job Training Methods.

#### Section - C

**Learning Principles:** Concept; Learning Outcomes; Learning Styles; Learning Theories: Conditioning Theory, Social Cognitive Theory and Adult Learning Theory; Implications of Learning Theories for Training.

**Transfer of Training:** Concept; Process; Transfer of Training Strategies: Before and After Training; Interventions: Relapse Prevention, Self-Management and Goal-Setting.

#### Section - D

**Training Evaluation:** Meaning, Need and Barriers to Training Evaluation; Formative and Summative Evaluation; Training Evaluation Models: Kirkpatrick's Hierarchical Model, COMA Model, DBE Model.

**Employee Development:** Meaning and Importance of Employee Development; Approaches to Employee Development; Development Planning Process; Company Strategies for Providing Development.

### Suggested Readings:

- 1. Noe, Raymond A., and Kodwani, Amitabh Deo, Employee Training and Development, McGraw Hill.
- 2. Saks, Alan M. and Haccoun, Robert R., Managing Performance through Training and Development, Cengage Learning.
- 3. Craig, Robert L., Training and Development Handbook, McGraw Hill.
- 4. Rolf, P., and Pareek, U. Training for Development, Sage Publications Pvt. Ltd.
- 5. Phillips, Jack J., Hand book of Training Evaluation and Measurement Methods, Routledge.
- 6. Dayal, Ishwar, Management Training in Organisations, Prentice Hall.
- 7. <a href="http://swayam.gov.in/">http://swayam.gov.in/</a>
- 8. <a href="http://edx.org">http://edx.org</a> formerly <a href="http://mooc.org/">http://mooc.org/</a>
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## **OLMBA 334T: Performance Management**

Time: 03 Hours Max. Marks: 100 Marks

**Internal Assessment: 20 Marks** 

End Term: 80 Marks

#### **Instructions for the Paper-Setter/examiner:**

1. Question paper shall consist of **Four sections**.

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- Candidates shall attempt Five questions in all, by at least selecting One question from each section and the 5<sup>th</sup> question may be attempted from any of the Four sections.
- 4. The question paper should be strictly according to the instructions mentioned above. In no case a question should be asked outside the syllabus.

#### Section - A

**Performance Management:** Concept, Scope, Significance and Principles, Performance Information System, Advantages of Performance Management.

Impact of Organizational Structure and Operational Processes on Performance Management Process: Organizational Structure: Micro and Macro, Operational Processes and Performance Management Process, Implications of Organizational Structure and Operational

Process for Performance Management Process.

#### Section – B

**Performance Appraisal:** Concept, Objectives and Need of Performance Appraisal, Role of Appraisal in Performance Management, Process of Performance Appraisal, Types and Methods of Performance Appraisal: Traditional and Modern Methods, Biases in Performance Appraisal.

Performance Management Systems (PMS): Importance and Features of PMS, PMS

Frameworks: Hierarchal and Process Oriented Frameworks.

#### Section - C

**Performance Measurement:** Concept, Different Perspectives of Balanced scorecard, Benefits of Balanced Scorecard, HR Scorecard, Process of Developing the HR scorecard, Need for implementation of Balanced Scorecard and HR Scorecard.

**Organizational Leadership and Performance Management:** Impact of Leadership on Organizational Performance: Leadership Responsibilities, Characteristics of Effective Leadership, Developing Leaders across Hierarchies.

#### Section – D

**Ethical and Legal Issues in Performance Management:** Concept, Objectives of Performance Management Ethics, Code of Ethics and Code of Conduct, Implementing Code of Ethics in the Workplace, Ethical Dilemma in Performance Management, Legal Aspects of Performance Management.

**Contemporary issues in Performance Management:** Business Process Reengineering, McKinsey 7s Framework, Lean Management, Quality Management and Six-Sigma Practices.

#### **Suggested Readings:**

- 1. Bhattacharyya, D.K. (2011), Performance Management Systems and Strategies, Pearson Publication.
- 2. Bagchi, S.N. (2013), Performance Management, Cengage Learning.
- 3. Kohli. A.S, Deb. T, (2012), Performance Management, Oxford University press, First edition.
- 4. Cardy. R.L, Leonard. B, (2011), Performance Management, PHI learning pvt. Ltd.
- 5. Armstrong, M. (2000), Performance Management, Kogan Page Publication.
- 6. Kandula, S.R., Performance Management: Strategies, Interventions, Drivers, PHI.

#### **Suggested websites:**

- 1. http://swayam.gov.in/
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## **OLMBA – 335T: Human Resource Development**

Time: 03 Hours Max. Marks: 100 Marks

**Internal Assessment: 20 Marks** 

End Term: 80 Marks

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- Candidates shall attempt Five questions in all, by at least selecting One question from each section and the 5<sup>th</sup> question may be attempted from any of the Four sections.
- The question paper should be strictly according to the instructions mentioned above. In no case a
  question should be asked outside the syllabus.

#### Section - A

**Introduction to Human Resource Development (HRD):** Concept; Evolution of HRD; Relationship between Human Resource Management and HRD; Functions of HRD; Roles and Competencies of HRD Professional; Challenges to Organizations and to HRD Professionals.

**Employee Behavior and Employee Influences:** Introduction; Model of Employee Behavior; Internal and External Influences on Employee Behavior..

#### Section - B

**Employee Skills and Technical Training:** Overview of Basic Skills Programs; Categories of Technical Training Programs: Apprenticeship Training, Computer Training, Technical Skills Training, Safety Training and Quality Training; Types of Interpersonal Skills Training: Sales Training, Customer Service Training and Teamwork Training.

**Socialization and Orientation:** Introduction; Socialization Process; Various Perspectives on the Socialization Process; Realistic Job Preview (RJP); Employee Orientation Programs: Assessment, Problems, Designing and Implementation.

#### Section - C

**Employee Counseling and Wellness**: Overview of Employee Counseling Programs; Employee Assistance Programs; Stress Management Interventions: Definition, Model and Effectiveness; Employee Wellness and Health Promotion Programs; Exercise and Fitness Interventions; Issues in Employee Counseling.

**Coaching:** Definition; Need for Coaching; Conducting Coaching Analysis; Approaches to Coaching Discussion; Coaching Skills.

#### Section - D

Management Development: Concept; Approaches to Understanding the Job of Managing; Making Management Development Strategic; Executive Education Programs; Management Training and Experiences; Designing Effective Management Development Programs.

**HRD and Diversity:** Labor-Market Changes and Discrimination; Adapting to Demographic Changes; Cross-Cultural Education and Training Programs; HRD Programs for Culturally Diverse Employees.

#### **Suggested Readings:**

- 1. Haldar, Uday K., Human Resource Development, Oxford University Press.
- 2. DeSimone, Randy L., and Werner, Jon M., Human Resource Development, Cengage Learning.
- 3. Rao, T.V., Future of HRD, Macmillan Publishers India.
- 4. Mankin, D., Human resource development, Oxford University Press.
- 5. Pace, R.W., Smith, Phillip C. and Mills, Gordon E., Human Resource Development: The Field, Pearson Education.
- 6. Gold, J., Holden, R., Lles, P., Stewart, J. and Beardwell, J., Human Resource Development: Theory and Practice, Macmillan International Publishers.

#### **Suggested websites:**

- 1. <a href="http://swayam.gov.in/">http://swayam.gov.in/</a>
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## **OLMBA 336S Seminar III**

Max. Marks: 100 Marks

**Internal Assessment: 00 Marks** 

End Term: 100 Marks

## **OLMBA 431T: Strategic Human Resource Management**

Time: 03 Hours Max. Marks: 100 Marks

**Internal Assessment: 20 Marks** 

End Term: 80 Marks

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- 3. Candidates shall attempt **Five questions** in all, by at least selecting **One question** from each section and the **5**<sup>th</sup> **question** may be attempted from any of the **Four sections**.
- 4. The question paper should be strictly according to the instructions mentioned above. In no case a question should be asked outside the syllabus.

#### Section – A

**Introduction to Strategic Human Resource Management:** Definition, Basis, Principles, Concepts, Perspectives, Best-Practice Approach, Best-Fit Approach, Bundling.

**HR Strategies:** Introduction, Overall and Specific HR Strategies, Criteria for an Effective HR Strategy, Developing and Implementing HR Strategies.

**Strategic Role of HR:** Concept, Strategic Partner Model, Strategic Role of HR Directors, Heads of HR Functions, HR Business Partners, Barriers to Strategic HR.

#### Section - B

**Human Capital Management (HCM) Strategy:** Aims, link between HCM and Business Strategy, Developing a HCM Strategy.

**Work Systems:** Design and Redesign of Work systems, Strategic Work Redesign in Action-Outsourcing and Offshoring, Impact of Technology, HR Issues and Challenges related to Technology.

**High Performance Strategy:** High-Performance Work System, Characteristics, Development of High-Performance Strategy.

**Strategic Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR):** Definition, Activities, Rationale for CSR, Developing a CSR Strategy.

#### **Section-C**

**Employee Engagement Strategy:** Introduction, Significance of Engagement, Factors influencing Engagement, Strategies for Enhancing Engagement.

**Knowledge Management (KM) Strategy:** Process of KM, Sources and Types of Knowledge, Approaches to the Development of KM Strategies, Strategic KM Issues.

**Employee Resourcing Strategy**: Objective, Strategic HRM Approach to Resourcing, Components of Employee Resourcing Strategy, Human Resource Planning, Employee Value Proposition, Resourcing Plans, Retention Strategy, Flexibility Strategy.

**Talent Management Strategy:** Definition, Process of Talent Management, Developing a Talent Management Strategy.

#### **Section-D**

**Learning and Development Strategy:** Strategic Human Resource Development (SHRD), Strategies for Creating a Learning Culture, Organizational Learning Strategies, Learning Organization Strategy, Individual Learning Strategies.

**Reward Strategy:** Introduction, Structure of Reward Strategy, Content of Reward Strategy, Guiding Principles, Developing Reward Strategy, and Effective Reward Strategies.

**Employee Relations Strategy:** Introduction, Strategic Directions, Background to Employee Relations Strategies, HRM Approach to Employee Relations, Policy options, Formulating Employee Relations Strategy through Partnership Agreements, Employee Voice Strategies.

#### **Suggested Readings:**

- Armstrong, M., Strategic Human Resource Management: A Guide to Action, 4th Edition, Kogan Page Limited.
- 2. Mello, J. A., Strategic Management of Human Resources, 3rd edition, Cengage Learning, India.
- 3. Bhatia, S. K., Strategic Human Resource Management: Concepts, Practices and Emerging Trends, Deep & Deep Publications, New Delhi.
- 4. Armstrong, M., Armstrong's Handbook of Strategic Human Resource Management: A Guide to Action, 6th Edition, Kogan Page Limited, UK.
- 5. Bailey, C., Mankin, D., Kelliher, C., & Garavan, T., (2018), Strategic Human Resource Management, 2nd Edition, Oxford, Great Britain.
- 6. Dhar, R. L., Strategic Human Resource Management, Excel Books, New Delhi. , Excel Books, New Delhi.

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## **OLMBA 432T: Industrial Relations**

Time: 03 Hours Max. Marks: 100 Marks

**Internal Assessment: 20 Marks** 

End Term: 80 Marks

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#### Section - A

Growth of Indian Labour Force in India

Industrial Relations: Concept, Importance, Evolution, Perspective and Approaches to Industrial Relations

Main Recommendations of 2<sup>nd</sup> National Commission on Labour

#### Section - B

Trade Unions: Concept, Structure and Characteristics, Problems associated with Trade Unions

Major National Trade Union Centers in India

#### Section - C

Grievance Redressal Mechanism: Concept, Nature, Concept, Grievance Redressal Procedure

Dispute Settlement Machinery: Mediation and Conciliation, Arbitration and Adjudication

Collective Bargaining: Concept, Features and Importance, Principles, Prerequisites, Process of Collective Bargaining

#### Section - D

Workers Participation in Management: Concept, Evolution, Objectives and Forms of Worker's Participation

Labour Welfare: Concept, Features, Need, Approaches of Labour Welfare and Labour Welfare Officers

#### **Recommended Reading:**

1. C.B. Mamoria, P Subba Rao "Dynamics of Industrial Relations", Himalaya Publication House.

#### **Suggested Readings:**

- 1. Venkata R Ratnam "Industrial Relations", Oxford University Press, New Delhi.
- 2. Sinha, P.R.N. Sinha "Industrial Relations, Trade Unions and Labour Legislation" Pearson Education, New Delhi.
- 3. http://swayam.gov.in/
- 4. <a href="http://edx.org">http://edx.org</a> formerly <a href="http://mooc.org/">http://mooc.org/</a>

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## **OLMBA 433T: Managerial Competencies and Career Development**

Time: 03 Hours Max. Marks: 100 Marks

**Internal Assessment: 20 Marks** 

**End Term: 80 Marks** 

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#### Section - A

Competency: Concept; Personal Competency Framework; The Lancaster Model of Managerial Competencies; Transcultural Managerial Competencies; Issues Related to Developing Competency Models.

Formation of a Competency Framework: Sources of Competency Information, Position

Documentation, Process Documentation, Existing Documentation, Personnel Development Resources, Interviews, Behavioural Event Interview, Behavioural Description Interview

#### Section - B

Competency Mapping and Assessment Centres: History of Assessment Centres, Use of Assessment Centres in the Industry, Types of Exercises being used in Assessment Centres; Resistance and Recommendations.

Career Planning, Development, and Management Career: Concept, Characteristics of present day careers; Types of Careers; Career Stages

#### Section - C

Making Career Choices; Career Anchors; Organizational Socialization; Career Paths and Career ladders; Challenges in established careers: Career Plateau; Making Career Changes; The Glass Ceiling; Dual Careers.

Mentoring: Concept, Perspectives of Mentoring, Phases of the Mentoring Relationship,

Outcomes of Mentoring Programmes, Design and Implementation of formal mentoring programmes, Barriers to Mentoring

#### Section - D

Special issues in Mentoring: Women and Mentoring, Cross-gender Mentoring Relationships, Workplace Diversity and Mentoring; Mentoring Relationship – A strategic Approach.

Work-Life Integration: Changing notions of work-family relationship; Work – Life Issues; Environmental Trends Impacting Work – Life Issues; Work – Family Conflict: Concept and Types; Work – Life Balance; Work – Life Integration; Work – Life Initiatives: meaning, type and benefits; Work – Family Culture; Approaches to Work – Life Integration.

#### **Suggested Readings:**

- Seema Sanghi (2007) "The Handbook of Competency Mapping Understanding, Designing and Implementing Competencies Models in Organizations", 2nd Edition, Response Book, New Delhi.
- 2. Gary W. Carter, Kevin W. Cook, and David W. Dorsey, (2009) "Career Paths- Charting Courses to Success for Organizations and Their Employees", John Wiley & Sons, Ltd., UK.
- Jonathan Winterton and Ruth Winterton (2002) "Developing Managerial Competence", Routledge, London
- 4. Jane Yarnall(2008), "Strategic Career Management Developing Your Talent", Butterworth-Heinemann, London.
- 5. Greenberg, Jerald and Baron, Robert A. (2010) "Behaviour in Organizations", 9th edition, PHI. New Delhi.
- 6. Agarwala, Tanuja, (2007), "Strategic Human Resource Management", Oxford University Press, New Delhi.

#### **Suggested websites**

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## **OLMBA 434T: International Human Resource Management**

Time: 03 Hours Max. Marks: 100 Marks

**Internal Assessment: 20 Marks** 

**End Term: 80 Marks** 

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- Candidates shall attempt Five questions in all, by at least selecting One question from each section and the 5<sup>th</sup> question may be attempted from any of the Four sections.
- 4. The question paper should be strictly according to the instructions mentioned above. In no case a question should be asked outside the syllabus.

#### Section - A

Enduring Context of IHRM: Scope, Defining IHRM, concept of Expatriate, Difference between Domestic and International HRM, Variables that moderate difference between Domestic and International HRM

Staffing International Operations: Approaches to Staffing, Transferring Staff for International Business Activities, Role of Expatriates and Non Expatriates, Role of Corporate HR Function

#### Section - B

Recruitment and Selecting Staff for International Assignments: Issues in Staff Selection, Factors Moderating Performance, Selection Criteria, Dual Career Couples

Re – Entry and Career Issues: Concept and Repatriation Process, Individual Reactions to re – entry, Multinational Responses, Designing a Repatriation Program

Performance Management: Concept, Multinational Performance Management, Performance Management of International Employees, Performance Appraisal of International Employees

#### Section - C

International Training and Development: Concept, Role of Expatriate Training, Components of Effective Pre - departure Training Program, Developing Staff through International Assignments

International Compensation: Objectives, Key Components, Approaches to International Compensation

#### Section - D

International Industrial Relations: Key Issues in International Industrial Relations, Trade Union and International Industrial Relations, Responses of Trade Unions to Multinationals, Issue of Social Dumping

IHRM Trends and Future Challenges: International Business Ethics and HRM, Mode of Operation and IHRM, Ownership Issues

#### **Recommended Reading:**

1. Peter. J. Dowling and Denice E. Welch "International Human Resource Management", Cengage Learning, New Delhi.

#### **Suggested Readings:**

- 1. P. Suba Rao "International Human Resource Management", Himalaya Publishing House, Mumbai.
- 2. S.C. Gupta "A Textbook of International HRM" Mac Millan, New Delhi.
- 3. <a href="http://swayam.gov.in/">http://swayam.gov.in/</a>
- 4. <a href="http://edx.org">http://edx.org</a> formerly <a href="http://mooc.org/">http://edx.org</a>
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## **OLMBA 435T: Knowledge Management**

Time: 03 Hours Max. Marks: 100 Marks

**Internal Assessment: 20 Marks** 

End Term: 80 Marks

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- Candidates shall attempt Five questions in all, by at least selecting One question from each section and the 5<sup>th</sup> question may be attempted from any of the Four sections.
- 4. The question paper should be strictly according to the instructions mentioned above. In no case a question should be asked outside the syllabus.

#### Section - A

**Knowledge Management:** Definition, Scope and Significance, Techniques, Implementation, Types, Principles, Difficulties.

Knowledge Management Solutions: Knowledge Management Processes: discovery, capture, sharing, application, mechanisms and technologies; Knowledge Management Systems: discovering knowledge, capturing, sharing and utilizing knowledge; Knowledge Management Infrastructure: organisational culture, structure, IT infrastructure, common knowledge, physical environment.

#### Section - B

**Drivers of Knowledge Management (KM):** Pillars of KM; Intellectual Capital; SevenLayers of KM; Critical Success factors in KM implementation.

**Technology and Knowledge Management:** Information Technology and KM - Hardware, Software and Group Ware; E-commerce & KM; Customer relationship management and KM; Total Quality Management and KM; Benchmarking and KM; How to measure KM.

#### Section - C

**Organizational Impacts of Knowledge Management-** Impact on people; Impact on Processes; Impacts on Products; Impact on Organizational Performance.

**Human Resource and Knowledge Management:** Knowledge Worker; KM Toolbox; Coaching; Talent management; Strategies for human capital and talent management; Job hopping and Knowledge audit; Brain drain and Brain gain: The immigration of knowledge workers; Performance measurement for competitive advantage- role of knowledge workers.

#### Section - D

**Learning Organisation:** Definition; Learning and Change; Managing innovations in organisations: innovation, personal innovation; Continuous learning; RICE Model for KM; KM

success factors, myths; Basics of knowledge networking; Some examples of KM in Indian organisations.

**Future of KM:** Introduction; Protecting Intellectual Property; KM for decision making Suggested Readings:

- Fernandez-Irma Becerra, Gondalez Avelino, Sabherwal Rajiv, Knowledge Management Systems, Pearson Education.
- 2. Reddy Ratan. B, Knowledge Management tool for Business Development, Himalaya PublishingHouse.
- 3. Warier Sudhir, Knowledge Management, Vikas Publishing House Pvt. Ltd.
- 4. Khandwalla, P., Corporate Creativity, Mc GrawHill.
- 5. Debowski, S., Knowledge Management, Wiley-India.
- 6. Wang, K., Hjelmervik, O.R., and Bremdal, B., Introduction to Knowledge Management: Principles and Practice, Tapir Academic Press.
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## **OLMBA 436S Seminar- IV**

Max. Marks: 100 Marks

**Internal Assessment: 00 Marks** 

End Term: 100 Marks

Seminar to present case studies in Human resource development