

**SARDAR PATEL UNIVERSITY
VALLABH VIDYANAGAR**



**SYLLABUS EFFECTIVE FROM: 2017-18
Subject: M.Phil (ELT)
Semester: II**

Core Courses

MA02CELT21 Research Methodology – II(Credits :02)

Course Objectives

- a) familiarising students with core areas of ELT research
- b) exposing students to key methods in ELT research
- c) enabling students to understand and apply research principles in practice

Unit I Research in Skills Development - I

- a) Research in Listening
- b) Research in Speaking

Unit 2 Research in Skills Development - II

- a) Research in Reading
- b) Research in Writing

Unit 3 ESL Research Designs

- a) Case Study
- b) Action Research
- c) Referencing and Bibliography.

Students would submit a research assignment keeping the theoretical inputs in mind

References

- i) Best, J and Kahn, J. 1993 (7th ed.). *Research in Education*. New Delhi: Prentice-Hall.
- ii) Flowerdew, J. and Peacock, M. 2001. *Research perspectives on English for Academic Purposes*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- iii) Kothari, C.R. 2004. *Research Methodology: methods and techniques*. New Delhi: New Age International Publishers
- iv) Nunan, D. 2004. *Research Methods in Language Learning*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- v) Seliger, H.W. and Shohamy, E. *Second Language Research Methods*. Oxford: Oxford University Press.

Course Objectives

- a) enable the students to investigate the underlying principles that determine production of materials
- b) enable the students to design materials for a communicative classroom
- c) equip the students to apply the theoretical principles of materials production to specific contexts.

Unit 1 Materials Production

- a) Principles of materials production
- b) SDL and TDL materials

Unit 2 Using 'authentic' materials

- a) Issues in the use of 'authentic' materials
- b) Using authentic audio video materials for teaching language skills.

Unit 3 Needs based materials production

- a) Principles of needs analysis
- b) ESP Course designs
- c) Evaluating a course or syllabus.

Students would submit a research assignment keeping the theoretical inputs in mind

References

- i) Byram, Michael & Michael Fleming. (eds) 1998. *Language Learning in Intercultural Perspective*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- ii) Dubin, Fraida and Elite Olshtain. 1986. *Course Design*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- iii) Sanderson, Paul. 2006. *Using Newspapers in the Classroom*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- iv) Tomlinson, Brian. 1998. *Materials Development in Language Teaching*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- v) **Hutchinson, T & Waters, A. (1987) English for Specific Purposes: A Learning-centred Approach, CUP, Cambridge**

Elective Courses

Students will need to choose any one from the following courses.

MA02EELT21 Research in Indian Literature in Translation (Credits :03)

Course Objectives:

- a) equip students with the principles of translation studies
- b) enable students to analyse Indian literature in translation keeping the principles in mind
- c) compare and contrast translations across Indian languages

Unit 1 Translation studies

- a) Basic concepts
- b) Issues in Indian translation studies

Unit 2 Indian Poetry in translation

- a) Major concerns
- b) Study of some representative authors

Unit 3 Indian Fiction in translation

- a) Major concerns
- b) Study of some representative authors

Students would submit a research assignment keeping the theoretical inputs in mind

References

- i) Baker, M. (ed.). 1998. *Routledge Encyclopedia of Translation Studies*. London: Routledge.
- ii) Bassnett, S. 1991. *Translation Studies*. London and New York: Routledge.
- iii) Chaudhuri, S. 1999. *Translation and Understanding*. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- iv) France, P. (ed.). 2000. *The Oxford Guide to Literature in English Translation*. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- v) Mukherjee, S. 1981. *Translation as Discovery*. Delhi: Allied Publishers.

Course Objectives

- a) To help researchers to familiarize themselves with the electronic medium for learning, using and teaching language
- b) To enable researchers to understand the elements of e-learning and its tools

Unit 1 E-learning skills and roles

- a) Traditional study skills – Computer skills – e-Learning skills – Communication skills
- b) Group and co-operative learning – Learning styles and strategies
- c) Roles of teachers/ learners: Teaching of language skills.

Unit 2 Elements of e-learning

- a) Elements of e-Learning – e-Learning environment: www, intranet, extranet, e-Learning materials
- b) E-Learning technologies – Web pages – Discussion boards – e-mail communication
- c) Blogs – Real-time conferencing, Webinars

Unit 3 E-learning evaluation

- a) Impact of evaluation
- b) Online assessments: methods, practices
- c) Tools and feedback – e-moderation skills.

Students would submit a research assignment keeping the theoretical inputs in mind

References

- i) Khan, B. **Web-based instruction**. New Jersey: Edu. Tech. Publications, 1997.
- ii) MacDonald, Janet. **Blended Learning and Online Tutoring: A Good Practice Guide**. London, Gower, 2007.
- iii) Morrison, Don. **E-Learning Strategies: How to get Implementation and Delivery Right**
- iv) **First Time**, London: Sage Publications, 2006.
- v) Salmon, G. **E-moderating: Key to Teaching/ Learning**. London: Kogan Page, 2003.