Sheikh Zayed Islamic Centre University of the Punjab, Lahore Course Outline



Programme	BS Islamic Studies	Course Code	ISQH- 205	Credit Hours	3
Course Title	Stuy of Religions – I			Semester	IV

Course Introduction

This course offers a comprehensive exploration of various religious traditions that have shaped the world throughout history. With a particular focus on Islam, this course aims to provide students with a broad understanding of the major world religions, including their beliefs, practices, and historical developments. By examining the similarities and differences between Islam and other religions, students will develop a critical and comparative approach to religious studies, fostering interfaith dialogue and promoting a deeper understanding of diverse cultures and perspectives.

Learning Outcomes

On the completion of the course, the students will:

- 1. To inform students about The Holy Qur'ānic principles of the world religions.
- 2. Providing students with direct information about Semitic religions and non-Semitic religions.
- 3. To provide students with knowledge about the methods and sources of religious studies.

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Course Content	
	ہفتہ 1 : مطالعہ ادیان اور مذاہب (مبادیات)
	مطالعه اديان اور مذاهب كالمعنى ومفهوم
	مذاهب كاآغاز وارتقاءاور ضرورت وابهيت
	هفته 2: مذهب اسلامی اور مغربی نقطهٔ نظر میں
	مذاہب کی تقشیم (سامیاور غیر سامی، تبلیغیاور غیر تبلیغی).
	ہفتہ 3: تقابل ادیان کے لیے معاییر اور اصول، مغرب کا نظریہ تقابل ادیان
	هفته 4: تقابل ادیان پر مسلم اہل علم کی تصانیف
	هفته 5: غیر سامی مذاهب
	ہند ومت کاآغاز وار تقاء، کتب مقدسه ،عقائد و تعلیمات
	هفته 6: هندومت کی جدیداصلاحی تحریکات، هندومت میں تصور نجات اور عقیدہ تناسخ

بفتہ 7: جین مت کا تعارف،
عقالہ ،کتب مقد سه ، تعلیمات ،ر سوم و عبادات
بفتہ 8: گرٹم امتحال
بفتہ 9: بدھ مت کا تعارف ،گو تم بدھ کے حالات زندگ

بفتہ 10: بدھ مت کا تعار دار نقاء ،کتب مقد سه اور اہم عقالہ
بفتہ 11: کنفیو سئس ازم کا تعارف
عقالہ ،کتب مقد سه ، تعلیمات ،ر سوم و عبادات
بفتہ 12: زر تشت کا تعارف
عقالہ ،کتب مقد سه ، تعلیمات ،ر سوم و عبادات
بفتہ 13: سکھ مت کا تعارف
عقالہ ،کتب مقد سه ، تعلیمات ،ر سوم و عبادات
بفتہ 13: سابقہ اسباق کا اعادہ
ہفتہ 14: سابقہ اسباق کا اعادہ
ہفتہ 15: اسائمنٹس کی چیش کاری
ہفتہ 15: ان مُن سُرُم امتحان

- 1. Berry, G.L., "Religions of The World"
- 2. Juriji. E.J, "The Great Religions of the modern world"
- 3. Toynbee, A, "Historian's Approach to Religion"
- 4. Wach, J, "The Comparative Study of Religion"
- 5. Encyclopedia of Islam
- 6. Encyclopedia of Britannica
- 7. Encyclopedia of Religion
- 8. Encyclopedia of Religions & Ethics
- 1. احمد شلبي، ڈاکٹر، مقارنة الادیان
- 2. ابور يحان البيروني، كتاب الهند
- 3. عبدالكريم الشهرستاني، كتاب الملل والنحل
- 4. علامه ابن حزم ،الفصل في الملل والاهواء النحل
- 5. عمادالحن آزاد فاروقی، دنیا کے بڑے مذہب
 - 6. پروفیسر، رشیداحمه، تاریخ مذاہب

Teaching Learning Strategies

Throughout the courses, lectures and cooperative learning methods will be used. Students will work in small groups, discuss class readings, emphasize interaction with ideas, and come up with questions that will lead the discussion toward deeper understanding of the readings.

Assignment Types and Numbers

Class Participation, Minor and Major Assignments

Major Assignments:

- 1. Analysis of Articles Based on Academic Writing Standards Discussed in the Classroom.
- 2. Research Proposal Writing
- 3. Book/Article Review

Assessment and Examination Details Sr. No. Elements Weightage Written Assessment at the mid-point of the 1. Midterm 35% Assessment 2. Formative 25% Continuous assessment includes Classroom Assessment participation, assignments, presentations, viva voce, attitude and behavior, direct activities, short tests, projects, practical, reflections, readings, quizzes etc. Written Examination at the end of the 3. 40% Final semester. It is mostly in the form of a test, but Assessment owing to the nature of the course the teacher may assess their students based on term paper, research proposal development, field work and report writing etc.