

### M.S. Consciousness Studies

**Type of Input:** Integrated First Degree of BITS or its equivalent.

**Duration** Normally Four Semesters

**Special Feature:** This programme is specially designed for being conducted for eligible candidates in collaboration with Bhakthivedanta Institute, Mumbai. Structured classes would be held in Mumbai regularly.

Year	First Semester	U	Second Semester	U
I	CONS ZG511 Philosophy and Consciousness	4	CONS ZG512 Philosophy and Consciousness – Advanced Topics	4
	CONS ZG656 Technical Writing	4	Artificial Intelligence and	
	CONS ZG573 Study in Advanced Topics I	5	Consciousness	
	Elective	4	Study in Advanced Topics II	
			CONS ZG574 Biology and Consciousness	
		CONS ZG541	4	
	Total	17	Total	17
II	CONS ZG542 Consciousness Studies – Advanced Topics	4	CONS ZG629T Dissertation	20
	CONS ZG572 Matter and Consciousness in Bhagavata Sankhya	4		
	CONS ZG591 Selected Topics in Consciousness Studies	4		
	Elective	4		
	Total	16	Total	20

**Note:** This is the currently operative pattern as approved by the Senate-appointed committee, subject to change if the situation warrants.

Pool of other Courses		
Course No.	Course Title	U
CONS ZG531	Physics and Consciousness	4
CONS ZG532	Neuroscience and Consciousness	4
CONS ZG552	Foundations of Physics	4
CONS ZG561	Vedanta and Consciousness	4
CONS ZG562	Physics and Consciousness – Advanced Topics	4
CONS ZG571	Mind, Body, Medicine-Current Trends	4
CONS ZG581	Medicine and Consciousness – Advanced Topics	4
CONS ZG582	Psychology and Consciousness	4

\* Any course from this pool may be used to substitute a course from the Semesterwise pattern, if the situation warrants.