

ACADEMIC-GRADUATE STUDIES AND RESEARCH DIVISION FIRST SEMESTER 2025-26 COURSE HANDOUT

In addition to part I (General Handout for all courses appended to the Time table) this portion gives further specific details regarding the course.

Course No : BITS C 799T Course Title : Ph.D. THESIS

Instructor-in-Charge : Associate Dean, AGSRD Instructor(s) : Supervisor(s)/Mentor(s)

- **1. Scope and Objective of the Course:** The aim of the thesis course is to impart training in the methodology of research, to cultivate logical and creative thinking and to make the student express his/her findings in the form of a scientific report. It also gives an opportunity to a student to comprehend the knowledge of his/her subject and apply it to the given problem.
- **2. Operation of the course:** The student should immediately chalk-out a plan of work for the entire semester and prepare a detailed outline of the work in consultation with his/her Supervisor(s). The Supervisor(s) will spell out the objectives and expected rate of progress. The detailed outline of work must include a time schedule clearly indicating the intermediate milestone and the estimated time when these are to be reached.
- **3. Evaluation**: The evaluation in this course is essentially individual oriented. At the end of Semester/Term, Supervisor(s) will give an interim grade. The suggested instruments for evaluation are given below.
 - 1. Detailed outline of work
 - 2. Oral presentation
 - 3. Written report
 - 4. Progress of the work, findings & results.

The reports etc. should be submitted to the Supervisor(s). Candidate permitted to work without the benefit of a supervisor or permitted to work at an outside center, should send one copy of each report along with the final evaluation form to the HoD through the respective Supervisor(s) so as to reach well before the day on which semester/term ends.

Instructor-in-charge BITS C 799T



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SECTION-I (To be filled by the candidate)

Semester/Term: First/Sec	ond Semester/Summe	er term 20 - 20
ID. No	Name:	
Supervisor/Mentor:		
		eurrent semester/term:
Likely date of submission	of Thesis:	
Semester/term or date of	five years' period or /	granted extension period ending:
Work done during the ser	nester /term (give onl	y the salient details):
SECTION-II: EVALUA Attendance: Regular / Ir Comments on the work: RECOMMENDATION F	regular	& GRADING BY SUPERVISOR(S)/MENTOR
Mid-Semester Grade awa	rded	: Satisfactory / Unsatisfactory
Date		Supervisor(s)/Mentor

Instructions

- 1. The candidate should fill Section-I and submit form to his/her supervisor(s)/mentor.
- 2. Supervisor/mentor should evaluate the performance and suggest a grade (section-II) and submit this form to DRC on or before **Oct 31,2025.**
- 3. Attach extra sheet, if necessary.



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SECTION-I (To be filled by the candidate)

Semester/Term: First/Second Ser	nester/Summer term 20 - 20
ID. No	Name:
Supervisor/Mentor:	
Approved topic/Title	
Number of Thesis Units registere	ed during the current semester/term:
Likely date of submission of The	esis:
Semester/term or date of five year	ars' period or /granted extension period ending:
Work done during the semester /t	term (give only the salient details):
SECTION-II: EVALUATION Attendance: Regular / Irregular Comments on the work:	OF WORK & GRADING BY SUPERVISOR(S)/MENTOR
RECOMMENDATION FOR GR	RADE
Mid-Semester Grade awarded	: Satisfactory / Unsatisfactory
Final Grade	: Satisfactory / Unsatisfactory
Date	Supervisor(s)/Mentor

Instructions

- 1. The candidate should fill Section-I and submit form to his/her supervisor(s)/mentor.
- 2. Supervisor/mentor should evaluate the performance and suggest a grade (section-II) and submit this form to HoD on or before **Nov 29,2025.**
- 3. Attach extra sheet, if necessary.