

Semester II

MSW- S II-09 SOCIAL WORK RESEARCH

Indicative teaching plan¹ for 2017

Month / Week of 2017	Unit / Sub Unit	Readings ²
January W3	Social Research: importance, types	Goode and Hatt, Method in Social Research, International Student Edition, McGraw-Hill, 1952
	Causation	Black and Champion "Methods and Issues in Social Research", John Willey and Sons, New York, 1976
January W4	Variables	Black and Champion "Methods and Issues in Social Research", John Willey and Sons, New York, 1976
	Steps in Social Research	Clair Seltiz, M. Jahoda, Morton Deutch, Stuart W. Cook, Research Methods in Social Relations, Holt, Rinehart & Winston
February W1	Research Design: Importance & Types	Black and Champion "Methods and Issues in Social Research", John Willey and Sons, New York, 1976
February W2	Hypothesis	Black and Champion "Methods and Issues in Social Research", John Willey and Sons, New York, 1976
	Sampling	Black and Champion "Methods and Issues in Social Research", John Willey and Sons, New York, 1976
February W3	Tools of data collection	Black and Champion "Methods and Issues in Social Research", John Willey and Sons, New York, 1976
February W4	Use of Central Tendency, Variability and Correlation in Social Research	Winer, B.J. Statistical Principles in Experimental Design (International Students Edition). New Delhi: McGraw-Hill, 1971. Minimum & Clarke: Statistics
March W1	Use of Chi-Square & Analysis of Variance in Social Research	Seigal, S., Non-parametric Statistics. McGraw-Hill, 1987
March W2	Social construction of knowledge & rationale of qualitative research	Berg, Bruce L. 2008. Qualitative Research Methods for the Social Sciences, 7 th ed, Boston MA: Allyn & Bacon
March W3 &	Tools and	Sage Handbook of Qualitative Research

¹ Students are required to take note of the topics that are being covered in class. Any roll over due to holidays, closure of the university etc would be covered accordingly.

² Readings indicate the texts that the students are expected to consult before the topic is covered in the classroom.

W4	Techniques, including analysis: Ethnography, Narratives, Life Histories, Content Analysis	
April W1 & W2	Writing : Field notes, FGD transcripts, Reports, iterative recording	Sage Handbook of Qualitative Research
	Sampling considerations & ethics in social research	Sage Handbook of Qualitative Research

Internal Assessment: (25 marks)

- a. Through skill based workshop / assignments on Unit II & III - 25 marks