

Programme Outcomes, Programme Specific Outcomes and Course Outcomes  
For PG Programmes

Programme Name: M.A in History  
Number of Semesters: 4



Department of History  
University of North Bengal  
West Bengal, INDIA

## Programme Outcomes

- Developed scientific, impartial and critical understanding of History
- Allows a glimpse into the past of a nation and its people.
- The programme in its various ramifications is directed towards helping the students come to terms with the understanding of the rich heritage and glorious past of our country.
- A study of the concept of “Continuity and Change” throughout history.
- Offers a definitive study of the evolution of the social, cultural and economic life of the Indian Subcontinent
- Analyses political structure, consolidation of power, institutions of governance
- Developed the idea of economic conditions, both in terms of agriculture and Industry
- Gives an idea about the development of trade and crafts, new centers of administration, new elements of science and technology
- Developed a sense of respect and pride towards Indian heritage, culture, the national movement
- Nurtured the idea of India and its constitutional values
- Encouraged students towards research
- Offered academic exposures by encouraging students to participate in various academic activities, like seminars, webinars and debate and discussions
- Analysed the Indian national movement from the perspective of ‘war of position’, Subaltern, Nationalist and Cambridge schools of thoughts and understanding its inclusive and non-violent nature
- A study of gendered history.
- Understanding the recent trends in history writing.
- Careful study and use of primary and secondary sources.
- Critical analysis of the various approaches of study by the historians and scholars.

## Programme Specific Outcomes

- Understanding the careful study and use of primary and secondary sources
- Developed a scientific, impartial and critical understanding of History
- Analysed the colonial history through power relation; cultural and economic hegemony of colonialism and Indian responses towards them
- Analysed multiple dimension of history while bringing a research-oriented perception
- Enhanced the knowledge base of students by encouraging them to read books and articles related to several topics
- Making the students aware of new researches and findings on the subject
- Analyses the impact that colonial ideologies and approaches had on the Indian Society and assesses the various aspects of the Indian society vis-à-vis the colonial discourse.
- Evaluates the colonial conception of the Indian caste system and assesses the non-Brahmin movements in India.
- Explains the basis of economic problems that occur in societies and evaluates the economic problems of India during colonial times.
- Develops consciousness of ecology and environment in modern India
- Prepare the students for competitive examinations like NET/SET, UPSC, WBCS etc.
- Develop critical analysis of the various approaches of study by the historians and noted scholars.
- Prepare and motivate students for further research in the field.