Course: M.A. in Economics

Semester: III Semester

Type of the Course: Open Elective

Title of the Paper: 3.5.1 Globalization & Economy

Credits: 4 Duration: 60 hours

# The Objectives set for the course are:

- To familiarize the students with the concepts, structure and advantages and disadvantages of Globalisation
- To acquaint them with the different forms of international financial flows.
- to make them know the impact of global crisis on Indian Economy and the lessons India can learn from it

### Module I: Introduction to Globalisation (12 hours)

Concept and definition – Evolution – objectives – reasons for globalisation– process, dimensions and features –measuring the extent of globalisation – Advantages and disadvantages – gainers and losers of globalisation.

## Module II International Financial Flows (16 hours)

Foreign Direct Investment, its composition, direction and trends – factors determining FDI, -Benefits and costs – MNCs as means of global capital flows – portfolio investment – Official Development Assistance- Remittances from abroad-International Commercial borrowings

#### Module III: Global Crisis (16 hours)

Global Crisis- Meaning, Features, Causes- Structural causes; Types; Understanding the Global Financial Crisis.

The crisis of capital, labour, the crisis of distribution

Global melt down & the subprime crisis

# Module IV: Impact of Global Crisis on Indian Economy (16 hours)

Global Financial Crisis and the Indian economy- Impact on Macro Economic Indicators-Growth rate, Investments, Trade and Capital account, Impact on various sectors-Manufacturing, Services- Banking, Impact on Various sections of society-Poor, Middle and Rich Class; Strategies and steps to reduce another Global financial crisis, Lessons for India from Global financial crisis of 2008

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