RANCHI UNIVERSITY

III. <u>CORE COURSE -C 11:</u>

(Credits: Theory-05, Tutorial-01)

Marks : 25 (MSE: 1Hr) + 75 (ESE: 3Hrs)=100

Pass Marks (MSE + ESE) =40

Instruction to Question Setter for

Mid Semester Examination (MSE):

There will be **two** group of questions. Group A is compulsory and will contain five questions of very short answer type consisting of 1 mark each. Group B will contain descriptive type six questions of five marks each, out of which any four are to answer.

End Semester Examination (ESE):

There will be **two** group of questions. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain two questions. **Question No.1 will be very short answer type** consisting of ten questions of 1 mark each. **Question No.2 will be short answer type** of 5 marks. **Group B will contain descriptive type** six questions of fifteen marks each, out of which any four are to answer.

Note: There may be subdivisions in each question asked in Theory Examinations.

HISTORY OF MODERN EUROPE- I (C. 1780-1939)

Theory: 75 Lectures; Tutorial:15 Lectures

I. The French Revolution and its European repercussions:

- [a] Crisis of Ancient Regime Social & Political Crisis, Role of Philosophers
- [b]Social classes Role of Philosophers
- [c] Phases of the French Revolution 1789 99.
- [d] Napoleonic consolidation Reform and Empire.

II. Restoration and Revolution: c. 1815 - 1848:

- [a] Social, Political and intellectual currents.
- [b] Revolutionary and Radical movements, 1830 1848.

III Varieties of Nationalism and the Remaking of States in the 19th and 20th Centuries.

- [a] Unification of Italy.
- [b] Unification of Germany.

Essential Readings

- Gerald Brennan: The Spanish Labyrinth: An Account of the Social and Political Background of the Civil War.
- C.M. Cipolla: Fontana Economic History of Europe, Volume III: The Industrial Revolution. Norman Davies, Europe.
- □ J. Evans: The Foundations of a Modern State in 19th Century Europe.
- □ T.S. Hamerow: Restoration, Revolution and Reaction: Economics and Politics in Germany [1815 1871].
- \Box E.J. Hobsbawn: The Age of Revolution.
- □ Lynn Hunt: Politics, Culture and Class in the French Revolution.
- □ James Joll, Europe Since 1870.
- □ David Landes: Prometheus Unbound.
- □ George Lefebvre, Coming of the French Revolution.
- □ George Lichtheim : A Short History of Socialism.
- Deter Mathias, First Industrial Revolution.