



UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI TORINO

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VP44_DIP_STUDIUM

Visiting Professor Program Academic year 2021/2022

DEPARTMENT OF HUMANITIES

TEACHING COMMITMENT: 36 hours

COURSE TITLE

Hindi Literature

TEACHING PERIOD

2nd term

SCIENTIFIC AREA

South Asian Studies

LANGUAGE USED TO TEACH

Hindi-English

COURSE SUMMARY

An introduction to modern and contemporary hindi literature through selected readings. Students use written assignments and discussions to explore contemporary literary genres including short stories, poems, and dramatic sketches from representative authors, focusing on various social, cultural, political, and historical aspects of Indian society.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

Educate students in both the artistry and utility of the Hindi language through the study of literature and other contemporary forms of culture. Provide students with the critical faculties necessary in an academic environment, on the job, and in an increasingly complex, interdependent world. Graduate students who are capable of performing research, analysis, and criticism of literary and cultural texts from different historical periods and genres. Assist students in the development of intellectual flexibility, creativity, and cultural literacy so that they may engage in life-long learning.

TUTORSHIP ACTIVITIES

N/A

LAB ACTIVITIES

N/A

OTHER ACTIVITIES BESIDES THE COURSE

N/A

VISITING PROFESSOR PROFILE

The ideal candidate has a strong competency in both Hindi language and literature. S/he has teaching experience and has researched on Hindi literature, preferably focusing on modern and contemporary texts.

CONTACT PERSON AT THE DEPARTMENT

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