



Department of Architecture

Course: ARC5123 Project Formulation and Financial Modelling

Class: V Yr B.Arch. IX Sem. AY 2025-26

Instructor: Dr. Uma Sankar Basina

Internal Assessment: 50

Contact Periods/Wk: 03 periods

External Assessment: 50

Timetable: (periods)

Total Marks: 100

Attendance: Min 75%

Min. Passing Marks: 50% each in Internal & External Assessment, 50% in Aggregate

Credits: 03

Objective:

The intent of the course is to equip students with an understanding the concepts of project formulation and costing of construction projects. To sensitize the techniques of project appraisal and financial modelling. The course should help in developing the necessary skills and sensitivity towards working in teams and organizations.

LECTURE PLAN

| Sl. No. | Week | Topic of Class Lecture & Discussion | Class activities & Assignments |
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| 01 | Week 1 | Introduction to project formulation. Project - Concepts _ Capital investments - generating and screening of Project ideas. | Lecture |
| 02 | Week 2 | Project identification - Preliminary Analysis, Market, Technical, Financial, Economic, Ecological. Pre-feasibility report and its clearance. | Lecture |
| 03 | Week 3 | Project Estimates and Techno-Economic Feasibility Report. Detailed Project Report. Different Project Clearances required. | Lecture |
| 04 | Week 4 | Project costing and Financing. Project Cash-flows. Time Value of Money. Cost of Capital. | Lecture |
| 05 | Week 5 | Field/Study Trip | --- |
| 06 | Week 6 | Field/Study Trip | --- |
| 07 | Week 7 | Project Financing. Means of Financing - Financial Institutions - Special Schemes - Key Financial Indicators - Ratios. | Lecture |
| 08 | Week 8 | Project Appraisal. Pay-back period - Assessment of various methods. Indian practice of investment appraisal. International practice of appraisal. | Lecture |
| | | Internal Assessment - 1 | Int.Assessment-1 |
| 09 | Week 9 | Types of Risks, minimizing risks, mitigating losses, use of expected values, utility in investment decisions, decision trees, sensitivity analysis & their applications. | Lecture |
| 10 | Week 10 | Analysis of Risk. Different methods - selection of a project and Risk Analysis in practice. | Lecture |
| 11 | Week 11 | Mid-term Examination | Mid-term Exam |
| 12 | Week 12 | Private sector participation in Infrastructure development projects. BOT, BOLT, BOOT. | Lecture |
| 13 | Week 13 | Introduction to Financial Modelling. Database functions. Development of Charts, financial functions, creating dynamic models. | Lecture |
| 14 | Week 14 | Sensitivity Analysis. Simulation using different statistical distributions used in simulations. | Lecture |
| 15 | Week 15 | Generating random numbers, building models in finance using simulation. | Lecture |
| 16 | Week 16 | Technology Transfer and Foreign collaboration. Scope of Technology transfer. | Lecture |
| | | Internal Assessment - 2 | Int.Assessment-2 |

Tentative break-up of internal assessment marks.

| S. No. | Category of Evaluation | Marks |
|--------|-------------------------|-------|
| 01 | Internal Assessment 1 | 15 |
| 02 | Internal Assessment 2 | 15 |
| 03 | Final Test / Final Test | 20 |

Reference Books:

1. Gupta, B.L. and Gupta, Amit., Construction Management, Machinery and Accounts, 3rd ed. Standard Pub, 2005
2. Callahan, M. T., Quackenbush, D. G., & Rowings, J. E. (1992). Construction Project Scheduling. McGraw-Hill.
3. Chitkara, K. K. (2004). Construction Project Management: Planning, Scheduling and Controlling. Tata McGraw-Hill Education.
4. O'Brien, J. J., and Plotnick, F. L. (2009). CPM in Construction Management. McGraw-Hill Professional.
5. Punmia, B. C., and Khandelwal, K. K. (2006). Project planning and control with PERT and CPM. New Delhi : Laxmi Publications.
6. Wiest, J. D., and Levy, F. K. (1982). A Management Guide to PERT/CPM. New Delhi : Prentice Hall of India.

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