

INTERNSHIP PROGRAMME FOR UG DEGREE (SEMESTER-V)

(For the students admitted under New Curriculum and Credit Framework from the academic session 2023-24)



Course Title: Area Development Studies (Rural) in Contemporary History	
Internship Providing Organization (IPO):	Department of History, Bankura Sammilani College
Category of Course:	For UG DEGREE (SEM-V)
Duration:	60 Hours
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Intake Capacity:	100 Students
Course Fees:	Rs. 100/- (Students from Host Institution) Rs. 400/- (Students from Other Institution)

SYLLABUS

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Learning Outcomes (LO)

- Understanding the principles and history of rural infrastructural design.
- Inculcating historical, environmental or sustainable ethics/ socio-cultural values.
- Promoting sustainability, social equity and liability for all.
- Acquiring knowledge about various rural development schemes, policies, techniques in village areas and their challenges and opportunities.
- Understand the broad role of social workers in the field of rural community
- Analyse various rural development measures including local governance institutions formed to facilitate rural development
- Clearly articulate the need and significance of rural development
- Recognize the need for separate programmes in the field of forest and tribal development by having understanding on tribal and forest problems.
- Carry out participatory learning that enables the interns to be employable and upscale their skills.

Unit 1: Rural Development Studies (Under Panchayet System)

Module 1: Structure and Function of Three-Tier Panchayet System- Function of Gram Panchayet, Block or Mahakuma Samiti and Panchayet Samiti.

Module 2: Project of WBCADC (West Bengal Comprehensive Area Development Corporation)-its aim, plan and Function and its historical perspectives.

- Agriculture, Animal Breeding, Poultry, Fisheries, Seeds distribution, land use, Hospital and Health, education, Report and Audit making.
- Construction work- Rural Roads, ground level water supply, rural housing, ponds, economic support-bonus, fund allocation, income incentives from fairs, festivals, solid waste management, solar power connectivity, electricity.
- Role of NGOs and Self Help Groups with special emphasis on Bankura District.

Unit 2: Community Based Development Studies. (Rural Area)

Module 1: Approaches, scopes, nature and its historical perspectives.

Module 2: Various Schemes and their challenges and opportunities with special reference to Bankura District-

- Forestry/ Waste Land Development schemes- IWDP, NREGS, CSS Elephant Project.

- Water Resource Development- ‘Jal Dharo-Jal Bharo’ schemes.
- Affordable Housing and proper land use- ‘Banglar Bari’ Scheme.

Practical Part

- Assignments for the internship programme on chosen area from modules continuous evaluation and guidance.
- Presentation of Reports through participative feedback related to their theoretical, conceptual and practical based knowledge using specially designed questionnaires by the interns.
- Certified by the concerned workplace Head/ Officer/Manager.

Suggested Readings:

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Government Reports and Proceedings

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- Annual Reports, Ministry of Rural Development, Government of India, New Delhi.
- Basic Animal Husbandry and Fisheries Statistics (for various years), Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers' Welfare, Government of India.
- Modified Guidelines for Submission on Basic Services to Urban Poor (BSUP). Ministry of Housing and Urban Poverty Alleviation, GOI, New Delhi.
- District Census Hand Book Bankura, Directorate of Census Operations, West Bengal. (2016)
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