SEMESTER X

ENGLISH-III (TECHNICAL WRITING AND PRESENTATION SKILLS) 2 (2-0)

Learning outcomes:

At the end of the course, students will be able to:

- 1. Write well organized academic text e.g. assignments, examination answers
- 2. Write narrative, descriptive, argumentative essays and reports (assignments)
- 3. Write research/term papers

Theory:

Presentation skills; essay writing, descriptive, narrative, discursive, argumentative, academic writing, how to write a proposal for research paper/term paper, how to write a research paper/term paper (emphasis on style, content, language, form, clarity, consistency), technical report writing, progress report writing.

Recommended Books:

- 1. White, R. 1992. Writing. Advanced, Oxford Supplementary Skills. Third Impression.
- 2. Langan, J., 2004. College Writing Skills. McGraw-Hill Higher Education.
- 3. Kirszner, L.G. and S.R. Mandell. Patterns of College Writing (4th edition), St. Martin's Press.
- 4. Neulib, J., K.S.Cain, S. Ruffus, and M. Scharton (Ed.). The Mercury Reader. A Custom Publication. Compiled by Norther Illinois University

LIVESTOCK ECONOMICS AND BUSINESS MANAGEMENT

2 (2-0)

Learning outcomes:

At the end of the course, students will be able to:

- 1. Describe role of livestock in national economy
- 2. Design feasibility studies for livestock and related businesses
- 3. Describe salient international trade laws, regulations and alliance

Scope & definition of economics, growth and economic development, national income accounting GDP, GNP, NNP, demand & supply, share of livestock, poultry and dairy industry in Pakistani economy, financial and economic analysis of agro livestock business, feasibilities for livestock poultry and related businesses, livestock & poultry products market and functions, dairy marketing systems, poultry feed industry, whole sale and distribution & marketing of eggs and broilers, channels for value addition of livestock and poultry product, business & entrepreneurship, types of businesses, business cycle, new venture planning, management & organization, types of managers, small business role, project cycle and stages, evaluation of development project & management,

definition, nature & scope of marketing, product planning, development & marketing patents trade mark, market segmentation, marketing mix and four Ps of marketing, advertising, sales promotion strategy, supply chain management, brands, services marketing, companies, micro & macro environments, trade, law of comparative and absolute advantage- international trade and barrier, trade agreements, alliance, international economic integration and cooperation., WTO liberalization and international trade.

Recommended Books:

1. Nickels G.W., McHugh M.J. and McHugh Susan. Understanding Business. 7th Edition. McGraw-Hill Irwin.

Reference Books:

- 1. Koontz H., Cannice M.V. and Weihrich H. Management A global and entrepreneurial perspective 12th Edition.
- 2. Downey, W.D. & S.P. Enieson, 1998. Agricultural Business Management, McGraw-Hill Book Co; Singapore.
- 3. Terry G.R. and Franklin, 1992. Principles of Management, Interstate Printers and publishers, Illinois, U.S.A.
- 4. Ahmad, B., M. Ahmad, and M.A. Chaudhry, 1996. Economics of Livestock production and Management, University of Agriculture, Faisalabad, Pakistan.

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